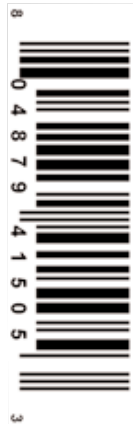


## Sun in Hawaii

The Torkaman family, formerly of Alfred, and the Kumazawa family of Japan, traveled to the Island of Ohau for the wedding of Nathan Torkaman and Ayaka Kumazawa, Oct. 10, 2016. On a tour, by the Torkaman's Airbnb Host, Brent Gaston, they shared the Alfred Sun with everyone. Brent, Yoko Kumazawa, Ayaka, Nathan, Sarah Torkaman, Itsuo Kumazawa, Lucinda Snyder, Soudy, and Joseph Torkaman.



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# Civil War Prophesied

## Jonathan Allen's impromptu words in 1841 Alfred

By DAVID L. SNYDER  
*Editor, Publisher & Janitor*

ALFRED CENTRE—The 1841 spring term at Alfred Select School, the fledgling academy founded by the area's Seventh Day Baptist settlers, was drawing to a close.

Much like today's art and design seniors present a show to exhibit their work, the Select School students concluded their term with a public exhibition. It included speaking, reading and dialogues.

The public exhibitions likewise attracted area residents who flocked to town to witness the fruit of the Select School's labors.

Young Jonathan Allen, a local farm boy whose father agreed he could attend the select school so long as he chopped firewood to pay for the tuition, was among the presenters.

Rev. James R. Irish, who had been the school's chief teacher for two years, was called to pastor the local Seventh Day Baptist congregation so William C. Kenyon taught in his stead beginning in the spring term of 1839 with 25 scholars.

Kenyon had an enormous impact on the young Allen, who wrote of him, "He was one of those slender, compact, nervous, magnetic men; a man very earnest, very incisive, somewhat radical, even eccentric, if you please, yet very genuine. The first sight of him on his arrival here to take charge of the school, stirred one young life to the core. The first address that we heard him deliver roused and thrilled us as no other, and we worked for days as in a dream; his teaching was suggestive, electric, inspiring."

But back to Allen's presentation.

Mrs. Susan Spicer aptly wrote of that public exhibition of 1841:

"The house was crowded. The interest of the evening centered in a dramatic scene in which Jonathan Allen, then a



Alfred University infantry volunteers at a Civil War encampment in Virginia. From left, Wallace Brown, William Maxson, Luin Thatcher, Seymour Dexter. All but Maxson—an 1862 Alfred graduate—were members of the university's class of 1861. (credit: Chemung County Historical Society)

leading student in the academy, bore a conspicuous part. The engrossing subject throughout the North was the slavery question. Professor Kenyon was a man of uncompromising anti-slavery sentiment. The recapture of slaves was then a common occurrence in the North, and a case of that kind had recently occurred, accompanied with more than the usual atrocities. Young Allen, then eighteen, proposed to the students to reproduce that scene at this school exhibition by an original dialogue.

"Mr. Allen represented the good Quaker who had befriended, housed, and fed the fleeing fugitives, and proposed to forward them on to Canada. The fugitives were represented by students in tattered garments with blackened faces and

hands, while others represented the pursuing slaveholders, officers, and assisting citizens. The slaves were seized at the home of the good Quaker. A neighbor suggested that the cursed Quaker be ridden on a rail, tarred, and feathered, which they proceeded to do. Mr. Allen was entirely submissive, but talked to them plainly of the cruel inhumanity of their system of slavery, sharply denouncing their brutal practices, then, finally raising his voice in cutting rebuke, he reached a climax unanticipated even by himself.

"In impassioned, eloquent terms he told them that their acts would react against them; that, instead of suppressing the antislavery sentiments, they would intensify and extend them; that every abuse of this kind would raise up for them one hundred more friends; that in a little time the pen, the press, and all the better elements of the North would array themselves against them. Then he made the following statements:

*"God will not permit such an institution to exist in America much longer. Even now I seem to hear its death knell. God's representing hand is laid upon you. The days of slavery are already numbered, though it will die only after a hard struggle. It will die only after a baptism of our whole country in blood. Twenty years from now an antislavery President will be elected. You of the South will rebel and endeavor to establish a slaveholder's oligarchy. The North will not submit to the dissolution of these States, and a fearful carnage will follow. Slavery will be abolished, and God will present the nation. May God be merciful to the people. God save the poor and oppressed."*

"The interested in the narrative centers in the mystery of young Allen's prophesying coming events so definitely."

Abigail Allen wrote, continuing the story of her husband in Life and Sermons

of Jonathan Allen: At the first meeting in Chapel Hall in 1861 to consider the call of the government for volunteers to meet the new emergency, in which Professor Allen took a leading part, the writer of these pages rehearsed the forecast of twenty years previous, and the narrative acted like magic. Professor Allen then looked back upon that impromptu forecast as inexplicable except as it was born of faith.

All of the young men in the school's senior class enlisted in the Union Army and thus served as a major part of Alfred's involvement in the Civil War.

### Civil War Exhibition, Speakers For Local History Week

Area residents are invited to join in celebrating Allegany County Local History Week (Sept. 26-Oct. 1)! Theme of this year's celebration is "Allegany County in the Civil War."

Much of the activities will be hosted by the David A. Library in Wellsville where in addition to a replica/artifact display in the Exhibition Room, each evening (Tuesday-Friday) will feature a guest speaker in the library's Nancy Howe auditorium. Each speaker will begin at 7:30 and the schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, Sept. 26: Craig Braack (Allegany County Historian)-"The Basics of the Civil War."

Wednesday, Sept. 27: Col. Tom Vossler (Licensed Gettysburg battlefield tour guide)-"The Battle of Gettysburg."

Thursday, Sept. 28: George Bradley-"Gettysburg Battles."

Friday, Sept. 29: Dr. Spencer Annabel (Great Great Grandson of a Civil War battlefield surgeon)-"Civil Medicine and Reenactment."

For further information about the exhibit or speakers and/or library hours, call the David A. Howe Library at 585-593-3410.

# University Police granted reaccreditation

ALFRED—While awards and honors aren't why the officers of the University Police Department at Alfred State do their job, they do provide a testament to the quality of safety and security that these men and women in uniform provide every day on campus. The most recent acknowledgement of this came from the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS), who granted the department's reaccreditation earlier this month.

In July, the DCJS accreditation assessors returned to Alfred State to review the University Police Department's operations to determine if the department should be recommended for reaccreditation. After three days of evaluation, the team of assessors left stating that they would be recommending that UPD be re-accredited at the next Law Enforcement Accreditation Council meet-

ing in September, according to Chief Matthew Heller.

On Sept. 7, Heller, Lt. Jeff Wilcox, and Lt. Kris Bianchi attended the accreditation council's meeting in Albany, where they were delighted to learn that the department had been officially reaccredited. In addition, Wilcox received the "John Kimball O'Neil Certificate of Achievement" for his efforts as lead accreditation manager for the department.

Heller said he was "extremely proud" of the work that Wilcox, Bianchi, and all the members of the department did during the reaccreditation process."

"It was challenging going through the process with two relatively new accreditation managers, as well as having to address the new accreditation manual requirements while simultaneously implementing a brand-new policies and procedures system that had never been eval-

uated by New York State's accreditation program," he said. "The accreditation team put in countless hours preparing for the visit and it paid off"

According to DCJS statistics, 149 out of a possible 540 police agencies across New York State are accredited. A total of 12 out of 30 – or 40 percent – of SUNY Police Departments are accredited, compared to the 27.5 percent of the overall police departments across the state.

Alfred State Vice President of Student Affairs Gregory Sammons congratulated the department on its efforts, and added, "I know how many hundreds of hours went into this process, and I'm proud of what the department was able to do. The department's accreditation helps Alfred State to make families feel safe through this third party's affirmation that we provide professional law enforce-

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OBITUARIES

Betty Moore, 78, of Greenwood



**BETTY LOUISE MOORE**  
*She was all about family*  
GREENWOOD—Betty Louise Moore, 78, of Greenwood, passed away Thursday, Sept. 14, 2017 at home surrounded by family.

Mrs. Moore was born on Feb. 10, 1939 in Andover to Stephen and Adelaide (Shirey) Ordiway. She attended Canisteo Central School. On April 2, 1960, she married Richard L. “Dick” Moore, who predeceased her on June 15, 2007.

Betty worked in food service at Greenwood Central School from 1976 until her retirement in 1994. She had previously worked for Westinghouse Electric Corp. in Bath assembling radio tubes and six years at Marion Rohr Corporation, Inc. in Hornell assembling ladies garments.

Betty is survived by four daughters, Anita Barnes of Tampa, Florida, Kimberly E. Moore of Greenwood, and Melinda (William) Weakland and Sherry (Bob) Charles, both of Canisteo; three sons, Richard M. Moore, Thomas P. (Misty) Moore and Marty (Jackie) Moore, all of Greenwood; three sisters, Dorothy DeWall of Hartsville, Violet (Donald) Spencer of Andover and Joanne (Jerry) Updyke of Greenwood; 22 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to her husband, she was predeceased by one sister, Iva Elster and five brothers, Richard Ordiway, Burdette Ordiway, Milton Ordiway, Robert

Ordiway and William Ordiway. Betty was all about family. For outdoor activities, she enjoyed fishing, camping and snowmobiling with her husband and children. On one occasion, she and her husband built an awesome treehouse for their kids. Some of the favorite family memories were the times they would load up the car and take back road tours, looking for wildlife. She also enjoyed working in her garden.

For indoor activities, Betty liked to crochet and knit; making socks, ponchos, gloves and sweaters to be given out as gifts. She took great delight in giving to others. Betty also enjoyed playing BINGO and cards in addition to being a huge Elvis and country music fan.

Betty was a very active member of the Canisteo American Legion Ladies Auxiliary and was a social member of the Greenwood American Legion Ladies Auxiliary. Additionally, she was a longtime member of the Hornell Loyal Order of Moose Lodge No. 210.

Per her wishes, there will be no prior visitation. There will be a Celebration of Life memorial service held at the Hornell American Legion Post 440 at 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements are under the direction of Baker-Swan Funeral Home, Andover. Online condolences may be offered at [www.baker-swan.com](http://www.baker-swan.com).

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



The Alfred Station Fire Company was well represented at the 102nd Allegany County Firemen's Convention held in Bolivar in July. Seated in the cab of the company's Engine 2 is Charlie Burdick, who has been a fireman since 1946! During the Allegany County Fire Association's annual meeting, Bob McCracken of Wellsville, a firefighter for 62 years, was named “Fireman of the Year.” Active firefighters now serving in the military were acknowledged including Kenneth Bel-lows of A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder Fire Company of Alfred. Tyler Ormsby of Alfred-Almond Central School won first place in the Dave Wallace Memorial Awards essay competition. The 2018 convention will be held once again in Bolivar. (Photo provided by Chris Romanchock)

ALLEGANY COUNTY REPUBLICAN PRIMARY  
Cleveland, Snyder Primary winners

ALFRED—William Cleveland and Matthew F. Snyder won the Republican endorsement for Town of Alfred Councilman in the Sept. 12 Republican Primary. Cleveland garnered 66 votes, Snyder 54 and Jamie Mansfield received 41 votes. A total of 93 ballots were cast.

In the Allegany County Legislator Primary for District 3, Debra A. Root, Dwight R. Fanton and William G. Dibble appeared to have won the nominations. Root garnered 263 votes, Fanton 235, Dibble 268, followed closely by Scott R. Burt with 162 and John Ramsey with 140 votes.

In Andover, James W. Ames narrowly defeated Steve Heckman for the town's Republican nomination for Town Justice.

UNOFFICIAL RESULTS (with Absentee Ballots Included)		
COUNTY LEGISLATOR (3rd District) - Republican (Vote for 3)		
Scott R Burt (REP)	171	16.72%
John Ramsey (REP)	150	14.45%
*Debra A Root (REP)	277	27.14%
*Dwight R Fanton (REP)	243	24.25%
*William G Dibble II (REP)	176	17.34%
Write-in	1	0.10%
ALFRED TOWN COUNCILMAN - Republican (Vote for 2)		
*William Cleveland (REP)	67	40.74%
Jamie Mansfield (REP)	42	25.31%
*Matthew F Snyder (REP)	54	33.33%
Write-in	1	0.62%
ANDOVER TOWN JUSTICE - Republican (Vote for 1)		
Steve Heckman (REP)	46	48.91%
*James W Ames (REP)	50	51.09%
ANGELICA TOWN COUNCILMAN - Republican (Vote for 2)		
*Girard P Kelly (REP)	154	40.22%
*Skip Hecker (REP)	181	47.38%
Daniel Hanchett (REP)	48	12.40%
ALLEN TOWN HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT - Republican (Vote for 1)		
Richard Hunt (REP)	10	45.45%
*Josh Wilcox (REP)	12	54.55%
WIRT TOWN SUPERVISOR (Vote for 1)		
*Curtis A Rung Sr (REP)	34	57.63%
Tricia Grover (REP)	24	40.68%
Write-in	1	1.69%
*projected winner		

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SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Create; 2. Malice; 3. Spare; 4. Rouse

Today's Word

CALORIES

— King Crossword —

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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# Sunbeams



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This week's Environmental Studies Speakers Series at Alfred University will focus on the health of Western New York's waterways. Rebecca Williams, an assistant professor of biology at Houghton College, will speak on "How Clean Are the Waters of Western New York? Assessing Pollution Level Using a Biomarker in Freshwater Fish." Her talk is scheduled for 12:20 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22, in Roon Lecture Hall in the Science Center on the University campus. The seminar is open to the public, free of charge. Light refreshments will be available.

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Kay Chapman of Alfred Station was in the New York City area August 29-30-31 with her grandson, Ethan Mix. They stayed with Ethan's Aunt Mary and attended the Yankees game Wednesday night, joined also by Jonathan Mix and his girlfriend. The Yankees lost the game but Kay still managed to have a good time.

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John Kalil, a 6'4" sophomore quarterback on the junior varsity team at Acalanes High School in Lafayette, California, helped lead his team to a 44-6 victory at the Suncoast Tournament at DisneyWorld recently. John, the grandson of Cherity and Paul McCormick of Andover, also plays defensive end. When he isn't playing football, he plays center on the JV basketball team and is a pitcher and first baseman on his school's baseball team. His parents are MaryAnne

(McCormick) and Tom Kalil of Lafayette, CA.

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Coming up at Alfred University is Visiting Theatre Director Dara Milano's Devised Theatre Production in the C.D. Smith III Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 28-30. Tickets are \$10 general admission, \$5 for senior citizens and non-AU students, and \$2 with AU student ID.

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Next up for Alfred University's Bergren Forum is Professor Erin Redmond speaking on "Should I Stay or Should I Go? Migration & Betrayal in Cuban Film" at 12:10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 28 in Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center. This talk will show how themes of emigration and betrayal take on different meanings over time in Cuban cinema, from iconic films of the 1960s to independent digital productions of the new millennium.

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Wellsville Cardiology, a UR Medicine Heart & Vascular Clinic located on the third floor at Jones Memorial Hospital, is pleased to announce Dr. David Pelkowski is now the medical director of the clinic. Dr. Pelkowski joins Nurse Practitioners Catherine Burys and Yao Zheng, providing a full range of cardiology services, including new and follow up cardiac patient care.

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The 4th Annual Allegany County Farmer Neighbor Dinner

will be held at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 27 at the Lake Lodge located at 6107 Terbury Road in Alfred Station. Pre-registration is required. There is a fee for the dinner program, please contact Lynn Bliven, Allegany County Cooperative Extension at 585-268-7644 ext. 18, or by email lao3@cornell.edu for details.

## Police reaccreditation (Continued from front page)

ment services for students." In 2012, under the leadership of then-Chief of Police Gregory Sammons, the University Police Department became the first technology college in the SUNY system to be accredited through the law enforcement accreditation program. Since then, the SUNY Chancellor's Office has made it a priority to have all state-operated University Police Departments accredited.

The NYS University Police Department at Alfred was the first law enforcement agency in New York State to go through a successful accreditation/re-accreditation assessment following the implementation of Lexipol policies and procedures.

## ALFRED Weather for the Week

Sept.	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
5	76	47	0.38"	
6	64	53	0.47"	
7	62	46	0.10"	
8	62	47	0.03"	
9	58	42	0.22"	
10	58	36	0	
11	63	35	0.01"	
12	72	36	0	
13	78	41	0	
14	78	46	0.15"	
15	67	50	1.83"	
16	75	36	Trace	
17	76	49	0	

By JOHN BUCKWALTER  
Alfred Area Weather Recorder  
assisted by WES BENTZ



## Kelly's Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER  
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

"Remember to be your brother's keeper in September."

—Ernest Agyemang Yeboah

Thursday Sept. 21

SUNNY

(HIGH 79—LOW 53)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Friday, Sept. 22

MOSTLY SUNNY

(HIGH 80—LOW 55)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Saturday, Sept. 23

SUNNY

(HIGH 82—LOW 57)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Sunday, Sept. 24

SUNNY

(HIGH 82 LOW 59)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Monday, Sept. 25

SUNNY

(HIGH 80 - LOW 57)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

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

# Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature  
By SHERRY VOLK  
Alfred Sun Columnist



ON THIS SITE STOOD  
DI DWYER. THE PROFITS FROM  
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COMPANIES, THE COSTS FOR  
HER MEDICAL TREATMENT  
WENT TO THE TAXPAYERS.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

On our summer trip, as we wandered Main Street in Kingston, NY, we found this bronze plaque mounted on the wall of one of the buildings. I found no explanation of this, but I "Googled" Ken Oask and found the plaque well along into his blog. Just below it was a photo of a perfect counterfeit historical marker stating, "ON THIS SITE STOOD one of America's 12 million illegal immigrants. They pick our food, cook, serve and clean, and care for our babies and earn our scorn. Education Department 2008"

ON THIS SITE STOOD  
KEN OASK, WHO BELIEVES STEM  
CELL RESEARCH IS SINFUL, AND  
KIM RUSSO, WHO HOPES IT WILL  
HELP HER WALK OR DRAW OR  
HOLD HER SON'S HAND AGAIN.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

## Cub Scout registration tonight

ALMOND—Cub Scout Pack 1026 will hold registration at 7 p.m. tonight (Thursday, Sept. 21) for boys interested in becoming a part of the adventure of Cub Scouting. Registration will be held at the Almond Municipal Building.

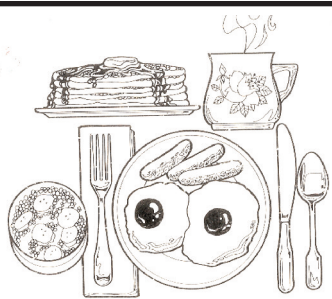
Cub Scouting is for boys

Kindergarten (5 years old or the grade before first grade) through 5th grades. Pack 1026 is one of 3 in the Thunderbird District that will be offering Cub Scouting for Kindergarten age boys.

Boys that are already in Pack 1026 will not need to re-register.

## SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ  
Alfred Sun Columnist



## An elegant cookie recipe--like a cake

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

Here's an elegant cookie recipe which is really more like a cake. It makes a large amount and is a great man and kid pleaser. I was given the recipe years ago when I lived in Jamestown. When our church had a "dish to pass" supper it was the custom to bring copies of your recipe and put them under your dish; if someone really liked what you had made, the recipes were readily available.

This has been a favorite of my kids down through the years.

### Marianne's Brownies

1 pkg. chocolate cake mix 1 pkg. chocolate chips (6 oz.)  
1 pkg. chocolate pudding (not instant) chopped nuts  
1/4 c. vegetable oil


Cook the pudding, following directions, in a large saucepan. Add the cake mix and the oil and mix thoroughly. Pour into a treated pan and top with the chocolate chips and nuts. Bake as directed on the cake mix. Cool completely then add this topping: 1 pkg. prepared Dream Whip beaten with 1 large pkg. of cream cheese and 1 c. confectioner's sugar. Extra chocolate chips should be scattered over the applied topping.



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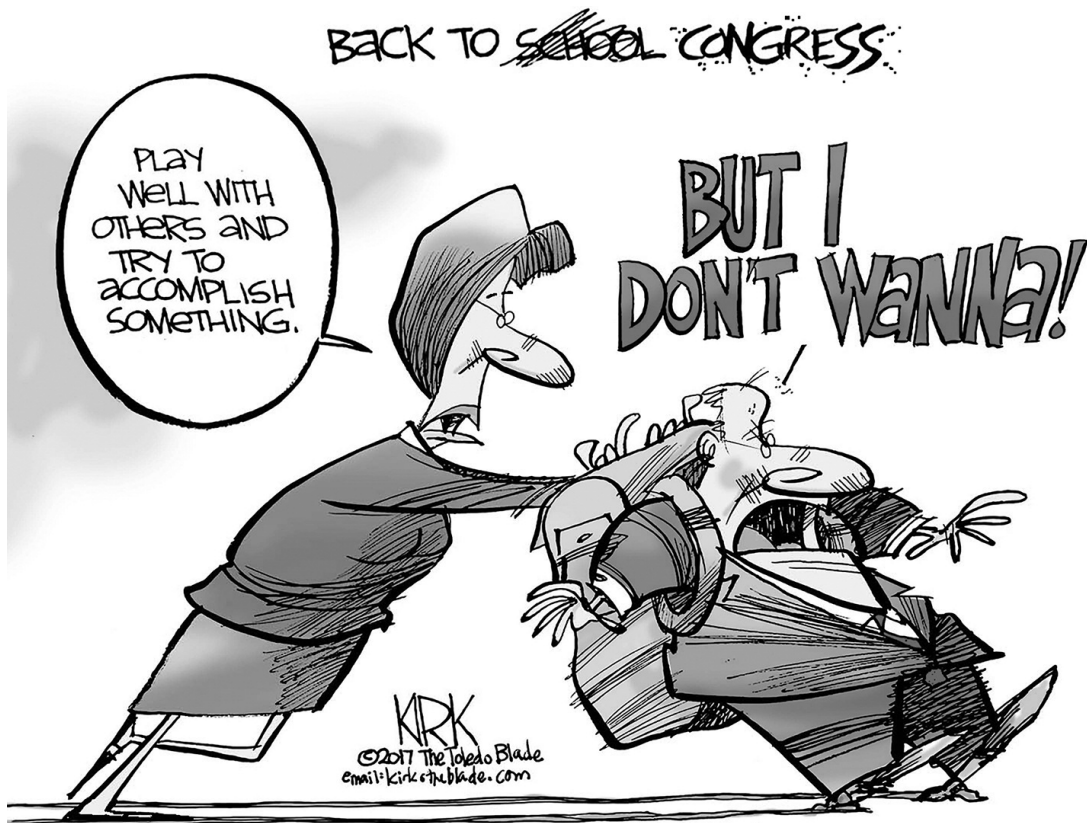
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## ALFRED TOWN TALK

By DAN ACTON  
Alfred Town Supervisor

### Real Property Reassessment Proposed

#### Highlights of the September 14, 2017 Town Board Meeting

As a result of the recent primary held in the town building the board room was in disarray as the board assembled for its monthly meeting. The town clerk and board members quickly pitched in to arrange tables and chairs so that the meeting began as always, promptly at seven.

The majority of the meeting was taken up with the issue of real property reassessment in the town and village. Acting assessor Jayna DeGroff was notified by the NYS Office of Real Property Tax Services that our equalization rate had fallen to 95%. This fact combined with the fact that no reassessment had taken place in the town and village since 2007 led to the recommendation for a reassessment which would begin in 2018. The process would take approximately two years to complete so that tax payers would see no change in their assessment until completion.

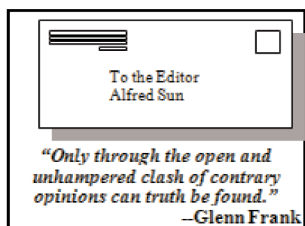
If approved by the board the first step in the process would be field work to observe and measure each of the approximately 1,400 parcels in the town and village. This includes all tax-exempt properties as well. This information would then be entered into the data base to get a tentative assessment. Hearing officers would then be available to hear any taxpayer objections to the new assessment. Property owners unsatisfied with recommendations from the hearing officers could then meet with the Board of Assessment Review.

Interesting points of information that sprang from the discussion were that exemptions such as the military exemption, had fallen by \$2,700 as a result of the drop in equalization. Reassessment would restore the exemption. Also, it was noted that it is unusual for a town to go ten years without reassessment. The point being, we are overdue.

After providing a full explanation of the process and answering all questions the acting assessor committed to bringing an estimate of reassessment costs to the board before their budget workshop on October 5, 2017.

Complete minutes at [townofalfred.com](http://townofalfred.com)

## Village needs volunteer board members



To the Residents of the Village of Alfred:

The Mayor and Trustees of the Village are seeking community members to fill vacancies on the Planning Board and Zoning Board of Appeals. The time commitment is modest, while the benefits to your friends and neighbors are immeasurable.

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terest in sustaining and improving our community. The Planning Board meets the first Thursday of the month, and the ZBA meets as needed. Newly appointed members traditionally get started as alternate members, but both boards currently have vacancies for regular members.

If you are interested, please contact Carolyn Hasper, our Village Clerk, by stopping by Village Hall or by calling 587-9188 and I will get back to you.

All the best,  
Justin Grigg, Mayor

a position on the Alfred Town Board. I am looking forward to the November election and would again appreciate your support.

Thank you  
William "Bill" Cleveland  
Alfred

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### Thanks for voting

To the Editor:

I would like to thank all the residents that came out and voted for me in the primary election for

## Sun Spots



He Was Obviously No Chicken,  
Cuz He Was Attempting the Impossumble

He wasn't a chicken, that's for sure—  
He walked right into traffic,  
The result of which was...graphic.  
I doubt that they'll ever find a cure...  
No, not for his putridity!  
I'm talkin' 'bout stupidity.

—O. Possumous

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There is something about the winter months and curling up with a good book by the fireplace. But did you know that heating equipment is one of the leading causes of home fire deaths? With a few simple safety tips and precautions you can prevent most heating fires from happening.

#### BE WARM AND SAFE THIS WINTER!

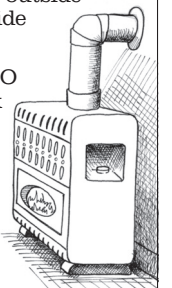
- » Keep anything that can burn at least three-feet away from heating equipment, like the furnace, fireplace, wood stove, or portable space heater.
- » Have a three-foot "kid-free zone" around open fires and space heaters.
- » Never use your oven to heat your home.
- » Have a qualified professional install stationary space heating equipment, water heaters or central heating equipment according to the local codes and manufacturer's instructions.
- » Have heating equipment and chimneys cleaned and inspected every year by a qualified professional.
- » Remember to turn portable heaters off when leaving the room or going to bed.
- » Always use the right kind of fuel, specified by the manufacturer, for fuel burning space heaters.
- » Make sure the fireplace has a sturdy screen to stop sparks from flying into the room. Ashes should be cool before putting them in a metal container. Keep the container a safe distance away from your home.
- » Test smoke alarms at least once a month.



### Heating Equipment Smarts

**Install** wood burning stoves following manufacturer's instructions or have a professional do the installation. All fuel-burning equipment should be vented to the outside to avoid carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning.

**Install** and maintain CO alarms to avoid the risk of CO poisoning. If you smell gas in your gas heater, do not light the appliance. Leave the home immediately and call your local fire department or gas company.



#### FACT

Half of home heating fires are reported during the months of December, January, and February.



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## ALFRED UNIVERSITY

# Miller's \$2 million gift endows museum directorship

ALFRED—The Alfred University alumnus who made the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum at Alfred University a reality is now helping to ensure its future with an endowed directorship.

Marlin Miller, Jr., a 1954 alumnus of Alfred University, chairman emeritus of its Board of Trustees, and longest-serving member of the Board, has committed \$2 million to establish an endowed directorship in honor of Wayne Higby for the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum at Alfred University.

Wayne Higby, the director and chief curator of the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum, as well as an internationally acclaimed artist and arts educator, and the current holder of the Robert Turner professorship in Alfred University's School of Art and Design, will be the first to hold the endowed directorship, said Alfred University President Mark Zupan. The endowed directorship appointment is for a three-year, renewable term.

"For Marlin, creating the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum has been an ongoing priority, and a labor of love on many different levels," said Zupan. "By endowing the directorship, he is underscoring the importance of the Museum to the Alfred University community, and in a very practical way, helping to provide for its future."

"All of us are inspired by and grateful for Marlin's love for, and unflagging involvement with, and sage counsel to our University," added Zupan.

"The Alfred Ceramic Art Museum is a dream come true," said Higby. "It is a dream that began deep in the history of ceramics at Alfred University and was shared, over time, by many of my close friends, colleagues, and mentors. It is this collective vision that inspires my commitment to participate in the process of making the dream a living reality."

"It never crossed my mind that one day I would be the director of the Museum serving to help get its magnificent facility built and open to the world. Marlin Miller's friendship and belief in me, over the years, has been a most important touchstone of my artistic life and work. He often has inspired in me the courage to go beyond what I thought possible. His gift of the Museum to Alfred University is extraordinary. His endowing of the

Museum Directorship in my name is a great honor. This recognition is surely the capstone of my career."

"The arts—all the arts—are a very important part of what Alfred University is today, and part of its future as well," said Miller, and that is the reason he continues his support. Deciding to name the directorship for his long-time friend Wayne was an easy choice, he said. "Wayne embodies what is unique and wonderful about Alfred University. He's an extremely talented artist and teacher who has now turned his considerable talents to establishing the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum and assuring it has a strong foundation upon which to grow. Wayne stands for those who have gone before him, like Robert Turner, who believed so strongly in the Museum as a way to attract and educate students. More than that, however, the Museum will make the arts more accessible to all students at Alfred University."

It was more than 25 years ago that the idea of building a free-standing museum open to the public first arose, following a 1991 decision by the Board of Trustees to formally create a museum. There had been "study collections" prior to that, going back to 1903, shortly after the founding of the New York State School of Clayworking at Alfred University, but there was little or no public access to the collections.

Various sites and designs were considered for the new museum, but nothing came to fruition until 2014 when Miller stepped forward with a gift to cover the cost of constructing the building. At the time, he pledged his support would go beyond bricks and mortar, and now it has.

The endowed directorship in honor of Wayne Higby for the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum honors a long-standing friendship between Miller and Higby. It also reflects Marlin's love of the arts that began when he was a student at Alfred University. Miller's first wife, the late Marcianne Mapel Miller, was a 1954 graduate of Alfred University with a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree. A ceramic artist, she inspired an interest in the arts by Miller, a ceramic engineering major. Miller's second wife, Ginger, is an accomplished artist, and shares his involvement with and appreciation for the arts.



WAYNE HIGBY

Higby's work is in the permanent collections of numerous art museums around the world, including the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York City, the Victoria and Albert Museum in London, the Museum of Modern Art in Tokyo and the National Art Museum of China.

Higby is a member of honor of the United States National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts, a Life Trustee of the Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, the Vice President Emeritus of the International Academy of Ceramics, Geneva, Switzerland, and an honorary citizen of the "Porcelain City" of Jingdezhen, China. In 2014 the Smithsonian American Art Museum in Washington D.C. presented a retrospective of Higby's work accompanied by the book *Infinite Place: The Ceramic Art of Wayne Higby*. *EarthCloud*, an extensive porcelain installation, considered to be Higby's magnum opus, was commissioned in 2001 by Miller for the Miller Performing Arts complex at Alfred University.

The Alfred Ceramic Art Museum officially opened last fall and houses nearly 8,000 ceramic objects ranging from small pottery shards from ancient civilizations to modern and contemporary ceramic art. As a research and teaching facility, the Museum's mission is to collect, preserve, interpret, and exhibit ceramic art. Additionally, the exhibition cycle of the museum addresses art in all media.

# The Polaroid Phenomenon and AU's Ted Morgan

## A SINGULAR IMAGE

Last month I read a book I hadn't intended to read. Entitled *The Camera Does the Rest*, it is an illustrated history of the Polaroid camera. Its author, Peter Buse, chronicles the creation, the triumphant success, and the sad demise of the Polaroid phenomenon in twentieth-century American culture. More broadly, he assesses the impact of Edwin Land's brilliant if rather bulky invention, once considered near-miraculous, in the history of photography. There had been nothing quite like it before, and though it foretold the digital era, its unique properties have yet to be fully replicated by digital technology.

I ordered Buse's book in August 2016, shortly after it was published, with the intent of giving it to my friend



## One Time, One Meeting

By BEN HOWARD

and colleague Ted Morgan. Ted had recently retired from teaching and was suffering from a serious illness. A master printmaker and Emeritus Professor of Printmaking at the New York State College of Ceramics, he had turned in the latter part of his career to photography as his principal medium. Ted had long been fascinated by Polaroid cameras, and in March 2014, an exhibition at Alfred University's Fosdick-Nelson Gallery featured a group of his small, black-and-white Polaroid photos, in which he explored the play of light and shadow in reclusive, unpeopled places. Given this interest on Ted's part, I thought that our friend might enjoy reading about his favorite camera during his convalescence.

That was not to happen. When Ted's condition dramatically worsened, he went home to Ohio to be with his family, and we lost contact. Shortly thereafter, he passed away. For the next eight months his intended gift, still in its pristine, shrink-wrapped state, rested on a bookshelf in my study, a reminder of Ted's life, work, and unexpected passing. But in August, I decided to open the book and read it, partly in Ted's memory. To my surprise, it proved engrossing.

Generously illustrated with color photos of and by the various Polaroid models—the Swinger, the SX-70, the Spectra—Buse's detailed study traces the development of the camera from its introduction in 1947 to its discontinuation in 2008. At the same time, he poses two general questions: What, exactly, was unique about the Polaroid camera, and what purpose or purposes did it serve?

Over its sixty-year life-span, both the identity and the market of the Polaroid brand continued to evolve. Initially this inspired invention, manufactured by a small company in Cambridge, Massachusetts, was regarded as a toy and promoted as such. As its popularity grew, however, the camera came to be seen, by its maker and users alike, as what Buse calls a "technology for memory": a means of preserving moments from family gatherings, holidays, and the like. Because its novelty attracted at-

tention, it also gained a reputation as a conversation piece, a social lubricant, and a "party camera." Toward the end of its lifetime, as its circle of enthusiasts expanded to include the cultural elite, this mass-produced camera found favor with professional artists and photographers, among them Andy Warhol and Ansel Adams. Yet, although its forms and purposes multiplied over the decades, the Polaroid camera managed to retain its two most salient attributes, which set it apart from all other cameras.

First and most apparent was its capacity to generate so-called "instant" photos. This distinctive feature fostered a relationship of spontaneity, candor, and interactivity between photographer and subject. The camera produced a finished, unalterable photo—a material object, not a fluid digital image—a minute after the picture was taken. The photo was as fresh as the experience itself. That photo could then be given to the subject, or shown to others, or kept as a souvenir. Photographer, subject, and whoever might be present took part in this intimate, seemingly magical process.

Second, a Polaroid photo was one of a kind. It could not be reproduced. Since Henry Fox Talbot's invention of the "positive-negative" process in 1839, that process had yielded a negative as well as a positive image. From that negative, more copies could be made. By contrast, Polaroid's was a "direct-positive" process: it produced no usable negative. As Buse observes, the overall direction of photography, most evident in its recent, digital forms, has been toward the *multiplication* of images from a single shot. As if returning to the days of the daguerreotype, the Polaroid process produced, in Buse's phrase, a "singular image."

Perhaps it was that absolute singularity, joined with the open, "as-it-was-happening" character of Polaroid snapshots, that attracted Ted to the Polaroid camera. Regrettably, I never asked him. In any event, those qualities have something essential in common with Zen practice, which also centers our attention on the dynamic present moment. However dull or exciting that moment may seem, Zen teachings tell us, it is unprecedented and unrepeatable. All the more reason to treat it with care, presence, and respect, as Ted Morgan did in his life and art.

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



Untitled Polaroid Photo by Ted Morgan (1952-2016)



Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

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

**MostArts Festival: Save the Date!** Plan to enjoy Summer Music & Art, Sunday, July 8-14, 2018 featuring the 2018 Piano Competition ages 13-18 visit: [www.MostArts.alfred.edu](http://www.MostArts.alfred.edu) for more information.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers live music some evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. Friday, June 16-The Lonely Heartstring Band. For tickets, visit: [www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com](http://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.** The Genesee Valley Chorus has started fall concert rehearsals and welcomes new members. Singers meet every Tuesday at 7 P.M. at the Grace United Church, North Main Street, Wellsville (formerly Congregational Church). The chorus is directed by Norma Bartlett. For further information, call 585-593-3173.

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

**The Orpheus Chorale** is a local chorale that performs concerts

periodically. For more info, visit: [orpheuschorale.org](http://orpheuschorale.org) or call 607-324-5147.

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

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

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

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

**Peggy Lynn & Dan Duggan,** in an Alfred University David Miller Guest Artist Series performance, will share an evening of traditional folk music at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29 in the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church.

**Trio Alexander,** in an Alfred University David Miller Guest Artist Series performance at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 29 in Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center. Rochester based Trio Alexander champions the music for flute-violin-harp trio performing classical, transcriptions, and improvisations on jazz and folk tunes.

**Tianhan Chinese Orchestra** will join the AU Choirs and Guzheng Ensemble in a concert at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 3 in the Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center. Experience the Music of China! Also with Daisy Wu and Luanne Crosby (tentative).

**Alfred University Symphony Orchestra Concert** at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19 in Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center.



Theater & Dance

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

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

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

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

**PERFORMANCES**  
**Alfred University Devised Theatre Production.** 7:30 p.m. Thurs.-Fri.-Sat., Sept. 28-29-30 in CD Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. Students will devise an original performance work using techniques from Dada performance, Allan Kaprow's Happenings, Post-Modern Devising

Practices, under the guidance of NYC based Visiting Theatre Director Dara Milano. Tickets required.

**Eurydice** by Sarah Ruhl will be staged by Alfred University students at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday-Friday-Saturday, Nov. 15-18 in the C.D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. Directed by J. Stephen Crosby, the show is a retelling of Orpheus and Eurydice, focusing on her time in the Underworld after her untimely death and the surprise awaiting her. Lush with dark humor, lyrical beauty and wit, Eurydice transforms this Greek classic into a visceral, contemporary meditation on love worth grieving for. Tickets required.

**Informal Dance Showing.** 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30 and Friday, Dec. 1. Presenting AU Dance Program's faculty and student creative work and compositions from independent choreographers. Limited seating. Free admission. CD Smith III Theatre.



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

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**Cohen Center for the Arts.** 55 N. Main Street, Alfred. Gallery open Tues, Wed, Fri 11-4 pm; Thursday 11-7; Sat and Sun 1-3

**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.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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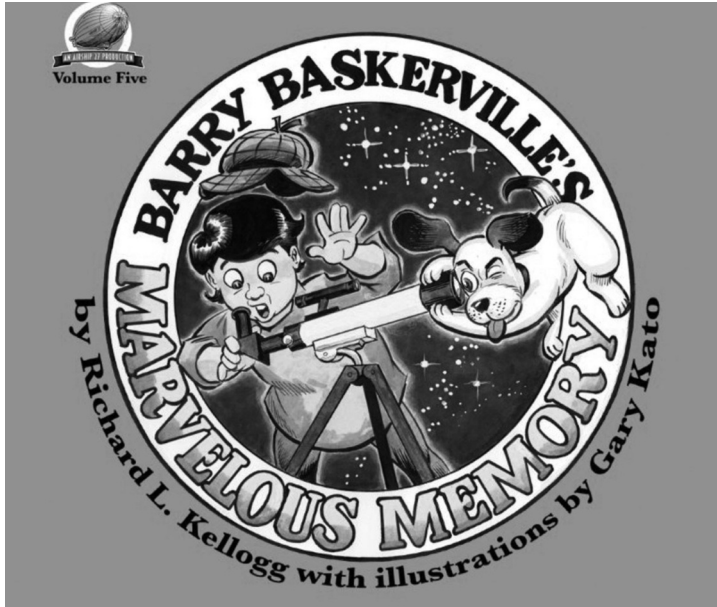
Dr. Kellogg's 'Barry Baskerville's Marvelous Memory' published

ALFRED—Dr. Richard Kellogg, professor emeritus of psychology at Alfred State, is the author of a new book titled, “Barry Baskerville's Marvelous Memory” (Airship 27, 2017).

This book is the fifth entry in a popular series of mysteries for children, and is available on the Amazon website. The book contains beautiful color illustrations by Gary Kato, a prominent Hawaiian artist.

“Barry Baskerville's Marvelous Memory” shows children how accurate observations, adequate repetition, and mnemonic techniques can enhance their memorization skills. The hero of the adventure is a precocious youngster named Barry Baskerville who has dreams of becoming a famous detective just like Sherlock Holmes.

Upon acquiring a new tele-

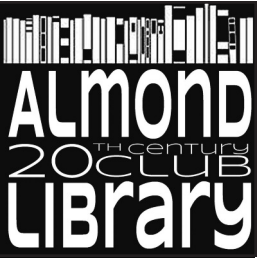


Cover of “Barry Baskerville’s Marvelous Memory,” the fifth book in the series about a boy detective written by Dr. Richard Kellogg, professor emeritus of psychology at Alfred State.

scope, Barry teaches his classmates how to memorize the colors of the rainbow, the planets in our solar system, and other facts related to the field of astronomy. Barry even uses his remarkable memory to prevent his parents from being swindled by dishonest salespeople.

Dr. Kellogg is the author of four previous books dealing with Sherlock Holmes. He enjoys introducing readers to a world of enchantment that is inhabited by the great detective and his loyal colleague, Dr. John Watson.

What’s Happening at Almond Library  
By ELIZABETH CALL  
Almond Library Director



Technology Test Drive is tonight! Come in to the Almond Library at 6 p.m. to try out different tablets and e-readers to see which ones you like best! Learn about how you can get free e-books, magazines and music on your devices with your library card.

I am starting to train Stacey Spendlove to replace me as Director of the Almond Library. This is a bittersweet time for me, and I will miss all of my wonderful patrons. Please be sure to stop in and introduce yourself to Stacey.


Mother Goose on the Loose is a free program designed for the youngest learners in your family. If you have a 0-3 year-old, come on in on Fridays from 10:30-11 a.m. to sing songs and play silly games based on nursery rhymes.

Lego club is for the builders and engineers in your family. Every week, we will have a new challenge to build, and we post the solutions on our Facebook page.

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

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- Library Tech Help -- Technology Test Drive! --3rd Thursday of the month @ 6:00 pm
- Lego Club -- Wednesdays @ 6 pm, starting September 13th  
Contact: (607) 276-6311 | [almondlibrary@gmail.com](mailto:almondlibrary@gmail.com) | P.O. Box D, Almond, NY 14804  
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NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS



MELANIE MILLER

Alfred Box of Books Director

The Alfred Box of Books will be awarded the Grassroots Award at the Southern Tier Library System's Annual Meeting this October. This award recognizes library outreach services for our efforts provided resources for the LGBTQ community.

In 2016, the Box of Books was awarded a Co-ordinated Outreach Services Advisory Council grant to provide materials and programming after recognizing a lack of resources available in our collection. With that grant we were able to add materials, both books and DVDs, to the collection that featured positive LGBTQ characters and provided information. Also with that grant we were able to work with Alfred State and host a Green Dot training. We worked with Alfred University faculty members to advise collection development. And we were able to host Jay Tuttle, a fourth grade transgender student from a nearby school district.

These programs were very successful, with about 40 people in attendance at each program. We continue to work with Alfred State to make materials in their Paula Rezak Memorial Library available to our patrons, and hosting other programs.

Outreach is important because the cornerstone of library service is that anyone can come into the library and get access to the information he or she

is seeking. After several patrons had come into the library seeking books featuring LGBTQ characters, or information on issues, we realized we were not serving every member of our community. This grant allowed us to remedy that situation. It is important to me as a library director that people can find representations of themselves on our shelves, can seek to understand others, and can find answers to questions. Especially in rural communities where resources are scarce, it is important for libraries to bridge those gaps.

Coming Events:

- Lego Club every Friday in September from 3:30-4:30pm. Stop by and participate in our Lego Challenges.
- Beginning this week, we will have Art Education Students providing STEAM programs at the library every Thursday from 3:30-4:30. Children are invited to participate in hands on activities. Please visit our website for a schedule of programs.
- Mark your calendars for October 28. The Friends of the Library will host a “Box of Boo” Costume Party for adults. There will be live music, dancing, free snacks and a cash bar. There will be a costume contest for those who choose to dress up. Music will be provided by The Jazz Ninjas. \$10 cover charge includes your first drink.



**Alfred Art Walk**, a collaborative monthly event of the art galleries of Alfred from 6-9 p.m. on the following dates: Oct. 19, Nov. 3, Dec. TBD, Feb. 2, March TBD, April 7, May 4, June TBD, July MostArts TBD with the following galleries participating: Alfred Ceramic Art Museum, Cohen Gallery at 55 North Main Street, Fosdick-Nelson Gallery in Harder Hall at AU, Gallery 2 Gifts of Distinction at 43 N. Main Street, Robert C. Turner Gallery in Harder Hall on AU campus, TSI/Hardland Snodgrass Gallery in Harder Hall, AU campus, Bret Llewellyn Gallery at Alfred State College. For more info, contact Caitlin Brown at Alfred Ceramic Art Museum, 607-871-2421.

**National Warplane Museum.** nationalwarplanemuseum.org, 3489 Big Tree Ln, Geneseo, NY 14454, (585) 243-2100.

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

**Terra Cotta Museum**, Main St., Alfred. Open on special occasions or by appointment. Contact Wayne Higby for further information.

**World War II Museum**, 201 Main Street, Eldred, Pennsylvania. Coming programs include: Tuesday, Oct. 10—Act 80 Teacher Training Day: Educating area teachers on how they can utilize the museum and its resources in their classrooms. Saturday, Nov. 11—Veterans Day. Presentation honoring area veterans; Saturday, Dec. 16—Battle of the Bulge: director Steve Appleby will share the story of the local National Guard unit and its heroic stand during the largest land battle of the European War. For more information, visit: <http://eldredpawwiiimuseum.com/> or call: 814-225-2220



## Lectures/Readings

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

**AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series.** Talks are 12:20 to 1:10 Fridays in Science Center Room 247. All are welcome; refreshments will be served.

**Allegany County Bird Club.** Meetings held at the First Congregational/Christian Temple Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m. The club will NOT meet during the months of January and February 2018.

**Baker's Bridge Historical Association.** Meets 7:30 pm, third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. All programs free and open to the public. Sept. 18: "Allegany County in the Civil War" with Craig Braack; Oct. 16: "Growing Up In Alfred" with Jude Frechette; Nov. 13: "Hiram Burdick" with Laurie McFadden; Dec. 11: "Civil War Medicine" with Dr. Spencer Annabel with dish-to-pass dinner; Jan. 15: "Andover/Alfred Grand Army of the Republic" with Bill Greene; Feb. 19: "History of the MacCrea Family" with Scotty MacCrea; March 18: "Hazel Humphreys" with Jim Ninos; April 16: Bill Heaney (Topic to be determined); May: Field Trip. Website: [www.bakersbridge.org](http://www.bakersbridge.org). For more information, contact President Jim Ninos, 607-587-9018, [jninos@gmail.com](mailto:jninos@gmail.com). For a tour of the building contact our Collections Manager, Laurie McFadden (607-382-7276, [mcfadden@alfred.edu](mailto:mcfadden@alfred.edu)).

**Bergren Forum.** 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus when classes are in session. Sept. 7: Steve and Luanne Crosby, "China: Terra Cotta Warriors, Fish Head

Soup and Fiddler on the Roof"; Sept. 14: Nancy Evangelista, Cecilia Beach and students, "Water for Haiti: Observations from the Field"; Sept. 21: Amanda Taylor, "Concepts in Higher Math and Group Theory"; Sept. 28: Erin Redmond, "Should I Stay or Should I Go? Migration & Betrayal in Cuba Film"; Oct. 5: David Marsh, "The past, present and future of litography: From Art to the Impossibly Small"; Oct. 12: Nick Schlegel, "Hello, This is Edgar Wallace Speaking, The German Krimi (Crime Film); Oct. 19: Colleen Culey, "Dude Moves: Versions of Meaning in this pop Culture Body Language Stuff"; Oct. 26: Diana Maguire, "First Year Students' Business Practicum: Impacts of Early Experiential Learning"; Nov. 2: D. Chase Angier, "Immersed in Blue: Iceland"; Nov. 9: Amy Button, "Going First: The Implications of Being a First in Family Postsecondary Student"; Nov. 16: Robyn Goodman, "Liquid Journalism and loyal resistance: Global perspectives on training journalists for the good fight"; Nov. 23: Thanksgiving; Nov. 30: Dave Toot; Dec. 7: Bob Myers, "Nunavut of the North: Canada's High Arctic Trapped Between Two Worlds." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

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

**Nunda Historical Society.** Questions: see [www.nundahistory.org](http://www.nundahistory.org) or call 585-476-2354 or 585-465-0971.



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**Nancy Howe Auditorium**  
**155 N. Main Street, Wellsville**

## 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.

### BOWLING

**Maple City Bowl**, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday night 9 pm to 1 a.m. Come sing the night away with Our DJ! They are here every Friday bringing your favorite tunes! For updates, check [www.maplecitybowl.net](http://www.maplecitybowl.net) Or call 607-324-1011.

### 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.

### Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament

at 8 pm (unless otherwise noted) on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. Next Str8 Eight tournament Sunday, Oct. 8 at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse. You get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: [www.str8-eight.com](http://www.str8-eight.com)



## Special Events

**Journey to Transformation:** Friday night community prayer for host, community and Allegany County churches, and beyond, are

being held from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.: -- Sept. 22 at Andover Alliance Church, 5 Rochambeau Avenue. -- Sept. 29 at Full Gospel Church, 2221 Hanover Hill Road, Wellsville. Biweekly Sunday night praise and worship and prayer time, with live music, are scheduled from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. to pray for prime county-wide concerns, with the most recent gathering on August 27 concentrating on prayer for schools, including teachers, students, parents and other involved individuals.

-- Sept. 24 at Brookside Wesleyan Church, 3456 Andover Road, Route 417, Wellsville.

Ongoing area prayer gatherings during the week available from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. weekday mornings at Knights Creek Evangelical Methodist Church, 2987 County Road 9, Scio; 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. Wednesdays at the Belfast Free Methodist Church; and from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Saturdays at the Powerhouse Youth Center, 23 West Main Street, Fillmore. Further information available from Pastor Dan Kenyon, Wellsville Bible Church, at [wbc@ne.twcbc.com](mailto:wbc@ne.twcbc.com) or (585) 593-6471, or most area pastors.

## Support Groups

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

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

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

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

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

Unit at 324-8735.

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

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

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

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

## Etcetera

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

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

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

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

## Deadline

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

## WHAT'S COOKIN'?

### Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, Sept. 25

Ambrosia Salad, Swiss Steak, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Whole Wheat Dinner Roll, Pineapple. Diabetic-Pineapple.

#### Tuesday, Sept. 26

Spinach Mandarin Salad, Breaded Fish w/Tartar Sauce, Oven Browns, Stewed Tomatoes, Whole Wheat Bread, Lemon Mousse. Diabetic-Lemon Mousse.

#### Wednesday, Sept. 27

Orange Juice, Meat Lovers Egg and Cheese Scramble, Hash Browns, Blueberry Muffins, Fresh Fruit. Diabetic-Fresh Fruit.

#### Thursday, Sept. 28

Orange, Texas Hots w/Meat Sauce, Whole Wheat Bun, Cheesy Au Gratin Potatoes, Oriental Vegetables, Chocolate Pudding. Diabetic-Pudding.

#### Friday, Sept. 29

Chilled Juice, Turkey Rice Casserole, Brussel Sprouts, Whole Wheat Bread, Pears. Diabetic-Pears.

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

### ALFRED NUTRITION SITE

Union University Church Center, 12 noon  
Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118.  
**Monday**—Exercises with Mary Lou Maxon at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "Happy Birthday Shel Silverstein"  
**Wednesday**—Exercises with Mary Lou Maxon at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "National Chocolate Milk Day."  
**Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon. "Meet a US President."

### BELMONT NUTRITION SITE

American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.  
Call Eileen Kane at 585-808-1472  
**Tuesday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Autumn Acrostic."  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Autumn Words."

### BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE

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

### CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE

Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Barb Welch at 607-270-4070.  
**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10:15 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "Bingo." Cards/Games at 1 p.m.  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "Going Up!" Cards at 1 p.m.

### CUBA NUTRITION SITE

AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon  
Call Judy Enders at 585 808-5201  
**Monday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "A Look at Alzheimer's." \*Call in reservations for Evening Meal!  
**Tuesday**—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "What is Soap?"  
**Wednesday**—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Current Events."  
**Thursday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m. Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. "Evening Meal w/Vince— Vintage Vibe Antiques."  
Tracy DuBois, Issues & Answers.

### FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE

Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Maggie Smith at 585-737-5609  
**Monday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.  
**Thursday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.

### FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE

Community Center, 12 noon  
Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650  
**Tuesday**—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon.  
**Thursday**—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic.

### WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE

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

### WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE

Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Linda Haggerty at 585-296-3800.  
**Monday**—Senior Center Library. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Autumn Acrostic."  
**Tuesday**—Senior Center Library. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "How Would You Handle This?"  
**Wednesday**—Senior Center Library, Lunch at 12 noon. "Autumn Words."  
Chris O'Connor, Issues & Answers.



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Kingsman: Golden Circle (R)  
Lego Ninjago Movie (PG)

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Sept. 22-Sept. 28

It (R)

Fri.-Sat. 12:00, 3:00, 6:00, 9:00  
Sun. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00 Mon. 7:00  
Tues. 12:00, 3:00, 6:00, 9:00  
Wed. 1:00  
Thurs. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00

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

Sept. 22-Sept. 28

Kingsman: Golden Circle (R)

Fri.-Sat. 11:45, 2:45, 5:45, 9:15  
Sun. 1:00, 4:15, 7:15 Mon. 7:15  
Tues. 11:45, 2:45, 5:45, 9:15  
Wed. 1:00, 7:15  
Thurs. 1:00, 4:15, 7:15

Sept. 22-Sept. 28

Lego Ninjago Movie (PG)

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



## Locally Made

The DIY Farmer's Wife Approach

By KRISTINA SNYDER

Alfred Sun Columnist

## DIY Cockle and Herb Reduction

### DIY COCKLE AND HERB REDUCTION

We braved the Buffalo Whole Foods grand opening last weekend. What an amazing grocery store; my favorite part was the deli area. A cut of meat could be purchased off the hoof and the seafood section mirrored the markets in Massachusetts in price and selection. I brought home a pound of fresh caught cockles and whipped up this dish in 15minutes. Don't have any cockles handy? Clams and mussels make fine substitutes.

#### What You Need:

- \*1lb cockle
- \*1 onion
- \*2c bone broth
- \*fresh sprig rosemary, sage and oregano
- \*1 stick butter
- \*3 cloves garlic
- \*2 T. balsamic

Wash cockles under cold water then place in bottom of stew pot. Just barely cover cockles with warm water- steam on medium heat until all shells are open. Drain and set aside. In empty pot add butter and onions and pressed garlic. Sauté until translucent. Add bone broth and chopped herbs and then reduce to half. Add back in the shelled cockles and balsamic vinegar- serve over pasta or rice!

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

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## D3football.com Top 25, Week Three

Rank	School (No. 1 votes)	W-L	Points	Prev.
1	Mary Hardin-Baylor (19)	2-0	618	1
2	Mount Union (5)	2-0	594	2
3	UW-Oshkosh (1)	2-0	576	3
4	Wheaton (III.)	3-0	545	4
5	North Central (III.)	2-0	523	5
6	St. John's	3-0	503	7
7	Hardin-Simmons	2-0	448	8
8	Linfield	1-1	380	6
9	John Carroll	1-1	371	9
10	St. Thomas	2-1	363	10
11	Frostburg State	3-0	355	11
12	Delaware Valley	3-0	342	12
13	UW-Platteville	2-0	329	13
14	Johns Hopkins	3-0	249	14
15	Whitworth	3-0	236	20
16	Wittenberg	2-0	188	15
17	Washington and Jefferson	3-0	187	18
18	Case Western Reserve	2-0	183	17
19	Brockport	3-0	172	22
20	Illinois Wesleyan	2-1	163	16
21	Concordia-Moorhead	3-0	141	23
22	Wesley	1-1	127	24
23	Alfred	2-0	119	19
24	UW-Stout	2-0	107	25
25	Wabash	2-0	67	--

Dropped out: No. 21 Redlands.

D3 East Region  
\*Fan Poll

Team	Record	Points
1. Brockport (4) vs. Uica	3-0	48
2. Frostburg State(1)3-0 at Rowan		44
3. Delaware Val vs. Stevenson	3-0	42
4. Wesley at William Paterson	1-1	30
5. Alfred vs. Rochester	2-0	23
6. Albright vs. Widener	3-0	20
7. Hobart vs. Endicott	2-1	18
8. Springfield vs. WPI	3-0	14
9. Framingham St. vs. Massachusetts Maritime	3-0	12
10. RPI at Buffalo State		9

Dropping Out: Salisbury  
Also Receiving votes: Christopher Newport 6, Salisbury 4, Stevenson 4, Buffalo State 1.  
\*Poll of 5 East Region football fans from among the elite D3football.com East Region posters. East Region includes teams from Empire 8, NJAC, MAC, NESAC, MSCAC, ECFC and Liberty League.

Others receiving votes: Coe 59; Berry 31; Albright 29; Wartburg 22; Springfield 19; UW-Whitewater 13; RPI 11; Stevenson 9; George Fox 7; Redlands 7; UW-La Crosse 6; Framingham State 6; Hobart 6; Dubuque 4; Heidelberg 3; Sul Ross State 3; Bridgewater 2; Centerville 2.

The D3football.com Top 25 is voted on by a panel of 25 coaches, Sports Information Directors and media members from across the country, and is published weekly.

## Doug's NFL Picks

WEEK THREE	THURSDAY	SUNDAY
NINERS	20 LA Rams	17
Baltimore	24 JAGS (London)	10
Denver	23 BILLS	9
New Orleans	27 PANTHERS	24
Tampa Bay	23 VIKINGS	20
Pittsburgh	34 BEARS	6
Miami	27 JETS	13
EAGLES	28 NJ Giants	24
Atlanta	37 LIONS	21
PATRIOTS	31 Houston	17
COLTS	14 Cleveland	13
TITANS	21 Seattle	20
Kansas City	37 CHARGERS	23
PACKERS	30 Cincinnati	12
Oakland	30 REDSKINS	27
Dallas	MONDAY	24 CARDINALS

A weekly fall feature in which Alfred Sun readers attempt to pick the winners of ten small college (Division III) games and ten NFL games each week for 13 weeks during the football season.

Also featuring the D3football.com weekly Top 25, The D3 East Region Fan Poll, not to mention Alfred Sun sports columnist (and sports authority) Doug Lorow's weekly NFL "al-most perfect" prognostications.

Just another good reason to make a habit of reading the Alfred Sun!

## Pigskin Picks Football Contest

## Doug Lorow wins Pigskin Picks Week 2

## DOUG LOROW WINS PIGSKIN PICKS!!

Doug Lorow, Dugout columnist in this newspaper, ended a year-long drought by correctly picking 18 of 20 games to capture Pigskin Picks for Week Two. Lorow missed UMHB's 24-3 win over Linfield and Miami's win over the Chargers.

Lorow edged Art McLaughlin of Alfred Station who finished with just three misses, all on the small college side. Betsy Brooks of Alfred Station had all the college games perfect but missed four of the NFL games. Also finishing with just four misses were Barb Welch of Alfred Station, Robert Grogan of Canisteo, Bob Baker of Alfred, Floyd Patrick Farley of Hornell and Judy Marlatt of Almond.

We received a couple of first-time entries for 2017 this week with Jason Rawady of Charlotte,

NC finishing with 6 misses while Mack Mullen of Canisteo had 7 misses, same as Nelson Snyder of Alfred Station.

**It's easy to participate!** Enter your guesses of winners of the 20 football games (found in the ads on these pages) and predict the score of the MNF game as the tiebreaker in the form below. Enter today! The entry form below is due by **5 p.m. Friday, SEPT. 29**. Send entries to: Pigskin Picks, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802 or take to the ALFRED SUN mailbox on the porch of the home office located at 764 Route 244 in Tinkertown. Good luck!

## 2017 Results:

Week One: Robert Grogan

Week Two: Doug Lorow

## Pigskin Picks Entry Form

College Picks  
Sept. 30 Games

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## Pigskin Picks Contest Rules

1. Entries must be postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday week of the games.
2. One entry per person on official entry form or facsimile of same.
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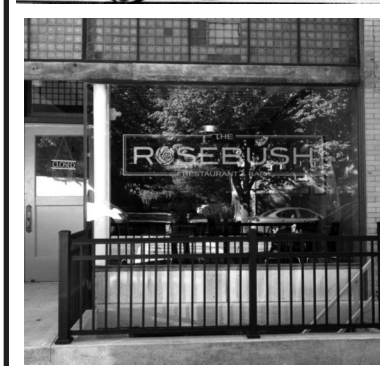
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Council Boy Scouts of America and the 136th New York Volunteer Infantry "The Ironclads" have teamed up again this year to provide this spectacular event. Reenactors from across the region make camp right on Main Street where they'll eat, sleep & breathe Civil War-era life. Dressed in period attire, they will battle blue against grey complete with cannons and mus-

kets. The scouts will be camping at the Allegany County Fairgrounds just up the hill from Angelica and observe several skirmish reenactments and then participate in a mock battle of their own, using imitation muskets & gaining valuable insights into Civil War life. In addition, local schools are invited to attend on Friday to talk with and observe the reenactors throughout town.

Angelica's local radio station, WRAQ-LP 92.7 FM, has lined up music performances that will be sure to get your foot tapping and target songs that convey the

era of the Civil War.

Food will be available to include Turkey Legs, Chicken BBQ, Polish Sausage, BBQ ribs, Corn on the Cob, Ice Cream, Gravy and Biscuits, Belgian Waffles with Strawberries, Beef on Weck, Pulled Pork, Salt Potatoes, all you can eat Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, and more.

The Angelica Farmer's Market will be open with fresh produce, honey, flowers, Amish baked goods, crafts and other interesting items.

In Angelica, there is plenty to experience, plenty to eat, plenty to enjoy.

Angelica is located in the heart of Allegany County, at Exit 31 of I-86, Southern Tier Expressway. The Civil War Reenactment in Angelica is supported by many good local businesses and volunteers. The Allegheny Highlands Council Boy Scouts of America and the 136th New York Volunteer Infantry are the driving force behind the event and provide the key value to guests and visitors. For more information; email angelica-boosters@gmail.com; visit www.136thny.com, or Angelica Civil War Reenactment on Facebook.

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**  
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See Food Schedule Here: www.tinyurl.com/angelicaCWW

**Civil War Reenactment Weekend Schedule**

**Friday, September 22, 2017**  
9 am to 2 pm School Education Day. Local Schools sending classes to tour interpretive stations.

**Saturday, September 23, 2017**  
9 AM to Noon Living History in camps and on Main Street (Boy Scout groups and the public will be touring camps and stations learning about the Civil War). Food and Farmer's Market Vendors are open until 5 PM with music throughout the day.  
11 AM – Drill Practice, all units, all branches.  
1PM -- Civil War Battle scenario—Part I--Downtown Historic District.  
2:30 - 3 PM – Scout Battle on old School Field  
3:30– 4 PM Civil War Battle scenario—Part II— Old school athletic fields.  
5:00 -- Camps close to the public.

**Sunday, September 24, 2017**  
Pancake Breakfast at Legion. All you can eat pancakes & maple syrup  
9 AM -- Camps open, music and food throughout the day  
10 AM – 1860s Church Service, Grange hall. Catholic Mass, Former Sacred Heart Church Building, Park Circle  
Noon to 12:30 PM--Parade--downtown (Scout Awards at end of parade)  
1 PM – All units assemble for safety inspection  
2-3 PM -- Civil War Battle Scenario—Details to be announced later.  
Downtown Historic District  
2 to 4 PM-- Living history, public tours camps.  
4 PM -- Event closes.

4-H NEWS



Members making leather boxes at club's first meeting.

Mighty Makers club holds first meeting

ALFRED--The Mighty Makers 4H club gathered for their first meeting of the 2017-2018 school year. They made leather boxes using wood, scraps of leather, cardboard and upholstery tacks. There were eleven members at the meeting, including two new members, pictured in the photo. Some members plan to use their new boxes to store toy trains, hide treasures, make a train tunnel and as a dog treat container.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)**

Name: Architechies, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 7/13/2017. Office location: Allegany County. Street address of principal business location: 1389 Moland Road, Alfred Station, NY 14803. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Architechies, LLC, 1389 Moland Road, Alfred Station, NY 14802. Purpose: any lawful purpose. 33-6b

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)**

Notice of formation of SHARDLOW PRODUCTS LLC. Arts. of org filed with the Secry of State NY on 04/14/2017. Office location Allegany County NY. SSNY has been designated as agent in matters against Shardlow Products LLC located at 569 Clark Rd Ext, Alfred Station, NY 14803. Dissolution date 04/14/2017. Purpose any lawful activity. 34-6b

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

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*Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher*

## 50 Years Ago, September 21, 1967

**The University as a whole** can rise no higher than its College of Liberal Arts, Dr. Leland Miles, the new President of Alfred University, told a meeting of all faculty members opening the new academic year. He listed several major needs of the University, outlined his own philosophy of administration, commented on the “new breed” of student and faculty in higher education, and mentioned a variety of suggestions for future consideration by the University faculty council... Three major needs of the University, Dr. Miles said, were to expand the holdings and staff of Herrick Memorial Library, provide additional student and faculty housing and to achieve academic distinctiveness. He cited two “sharp examples” illustrating ways in which divisions of the University have achieved distinction. He described the present Ceramic College Library as “probably the finest research library of its type in the world” promised “we’re going to make it better and even better known.”...

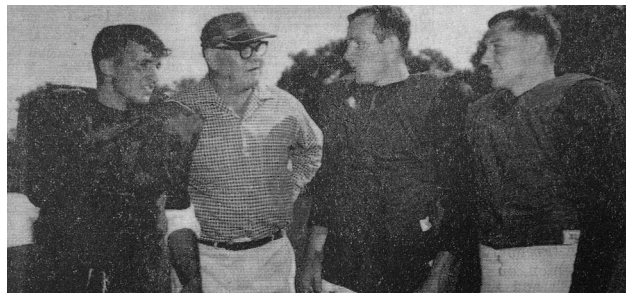
**A number of enrollment records** will be set Friday when nearly 2,400 students converge on the campus of State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred to register for the fall quarter. The total enrollment, which is estimated by Registrar Robert Granger at 2,346, surpasses last fall’s previous high of 1,842. Other records which will be established Friday are most entering freshmen (1,359 compared to 946 last year) and most seniors (1,027 compared to 896 last fall)...

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**Rep. Charles E. Goodell** said today hearings will be held October 25 and 26 on proposals to build dams in Allegany County in his Congressional District as part of the Genesee River Basin study. “I earnestly hope,” the Congressman said, “that the Genesee River Basin Coordinating Committee is prepared to provide full information and details and to give sincere and full attention to the people in Allegany County who will be affected. If this is not the case, then I intend to call upon the Committee for additional hearings.”...

**Alex Yunevich is hunting** for defensive players as he gets set for Alfred’s football Saxons opening Sept. 30 against Hobart. Three key players were lost from the defensive line that ranked fourth on rushing defense in the nation among the small college teams last year. Moody Johnson, Frank Wozniak and Jim Eggler are missing.



Alex Yunevich talks with three members of his AU football team (from left) Joe Anastasi of Corning, Bill Knott and Mike Johnston of Elmira.

Right now several of the defensive spots are up for grabs. Frank Wyant of Hornell, back with the team after missing the 1966 season, will take over as a linebacker. Wyant also will do the punting. Mike Johnston gives the Saxons a veteran quarterback. This will be his senior year, and he will have his favorite target, Bill Knott—back again. Both are products of Notre Dame High of Elmira. Mike fired 10 touchdown passes last year. Bob Benincasa of Winchester, Mass., and Dan Lacey of Kenmore give the Saxons holdovers at halfbacks. Keith Gregory, an end two years ago, has been installed at fullback fro Nick Lombardo, who was injured in an auto crash late in the summer. Fred Gross, 190-pounder from North Tarrytown, is established at the other end where he won his honors last year as a sophomore. The defensive line shows such veterans as John Yanuzzi, 235 pounds from Johnson City; Bill Assenheimer, 195 pounds from Baldwinville; George Klaus, 220 pounds from Centerport; and Chris Rodgers, 182 pounds from Holcomb. But Yunevich, in his 27th season at Alfred, still is confident. “No crying towel, please,” says Alex. “I never go for that. We’ll have a good football team.” Alfred’s first home game will be against St. Lawrence on Oct. 14. The opener is Sept. 30 at Hobart.

## 25 Years Ago, September 17, 1992

**It was too close to call** at press time. Neither Incumbent Senator Jess J. Present (Bemus Point) nor Assemblyman John W. Hasper, in a tight race for the Republican nomination in the new 56th State Senate District in the Southern Tier, could declare victory. “I guess I’m going to sweat out the counting of the absentee ballots,” said Present, who had about a 200-vote lead with nearly 1,000 absentee ballots yet to be counted. Unofficial results had Present with 8,897 votes to Hasper’s 8,682. Present took his home county of Chautauqua, 5,534 to 1,912, they were about even in Cattaraugus but Hasper trounced Present in Livingston and Allegany Counties. Regardless of the outcome, Hasper will be on the ballot this fall as he won a Conservative Party primary against Patrick L. Lucariello, 358 to 155...

**Alfred University will welcome** more than 700 parents, grandparents, brothers and sisters of current students to campus Friday through Sunday for its annual Fall Family Weekend. “This is the largest turnout ever for our Fall Family Weekend,” said Melody Blank, director of Alumni-Parent Programs for AU... Dawn Schirmer, manager of the 26-room Saxon Inn on campus, said all the rooms are already taken... As of Monday, she said, the only rooms available are 30 miles away from Alfred in Bath...

**Matthew Emerson**, a member of the Alfred-Almond FFA Chapter, placed fourth in the New York State FFA Tractor Operators Contest held at the New York State Fair in Syracuse. There were 21 contestants in the contest... Matt does the majority of field work with all types of equipment on his parents’ 100-cow dairy and maple farm off Clark Road in the Town of Almond. Matt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emerson.

**Notes from Palmiter Hill**—Our daughter Cindy Rudolph and family from Norwood, MA spent the weekend with us, a delightful time. Their daughter Shay is doing very well on the cello and plays with her father for women’s clubs and school programs. As a professional pianist, he played in night clubs until the smoke bothered his lungs, so now he entertains with what is billed as “Magic and More,” mostly in schools... We said farewell to Attorney Reg Sootheran last week, a good friend and public servant in two communities, Alfred and Andover... Lettuce we planted late is just right now for peanut butter sandwiches and a slice of cucumber goes along with it very well... People tell me they like to read this column in the Sun. I’ll pass the word along to the editor, Everybody to his own tast, as the man said...

**Stork Report**—A son, Dylan Andrew Rossington Tull, was born to Carolyn Rossington and Robert Tull in Berkeley, CA on Thursday, Sept. 3, 1992. The baby arrived on the day of the 37th anniversary of his maternal grandparents, David and Angela Rossington of Alfred. Paternal grandparents are Seymour and Anita Tull of Boca Raton, FL. Dylan joins a brother, Justin, at home... A son, Caleb Louise, was born Monday, August 31, 1992 to Mr. and Mrs. Rod Noel (Melissa Snyder) of Corning at Corning Hospital. Maternal grandparents of

the infant, who weighed 6 lb. 2 oz. at birth, are Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Snyder of Alfred Station; maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Ferne Snyder of Alfred; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jeanette Noel of Battle Creek, MI. Caleb joins a sister, Dorothy Elise, 1, at home.

**Coach Jim Moretti’s** Alfred Saxons got a win under their belts in their first outing but it wasn’t all that impressive. AU was challenged this year by a new NCAA ruling that limits Division III gridiron squads to a total of ten intercollegiate contests—including scrimmages—and opted to play ten games instead of nine games and one scrimmage. So Saturday night’s game, in which the AU defense held St. John Fisher to just 106 total yards (-2 in the first half), was “Alfred’s scrimmage.” AU managed a 24-6 win over the weaker Cardinals. The game was the first-ever meeting for the two teams, although a few years back the two teams met at Merrill Field in a pre-game scrimmage...

## 10 Years Ago, September 20, 2007

**Smiles were the order** of the day when local student Bryce Davis, 16, of Canisteo, was the recipient of a NASCAR from Alfred State College alumni Robert ‘86 and Carrie (Cassidy) ‘98 Struble from Charlotte, NC. Struble, a 1986 graduate of Alfred State’s ornamental horticulture/landscape design program, and his wife, a 1998 graduate of ASC’s ornamental horticulture/floriculture merchandising program, presented a NASCAR, towing trailer, spare set of tires, and extra engine to Bryce during ceremonies held at the college. Why Bryce? And why now? Carrie Struble, who grew up in Canisteo, had known Bryce’s parents for nearly her entire life. She was also aware that Bryce showed potential for becoming an accomplished race car driver. He started with motorcycles and moved to modified dirt cars. He currently races at the local tracks (Woodhull, Holland, etc.) and is 6th place in the standing for the race season...

**The 59th annual Snyder/Will Reunion** was held on July 22 at Camp Harley Sutton in Alfred Station with 97 present... High point of the competition was when Frank Snyder and Lyn Goodridge lashed their legs to one another and demanded the right to participate and compete in a three-legged race with some worthy opponents. Within moments, Harold and Nelson Snyder were at the starting line... The crowd was in an uproar as the patriarchs competed, and there was great relief that there were no injuries...

**Don Mix of Grottoes, VA**, son of Kay Chapman of Alfred Station, sang the National Anthem at the James Madison University football game with VMI on Saturday, Sept. 15. JMU won the game, 45-17... Sharon Tyrell and Lauren Butler, proprietors of Clutterbugs in Alfred, are donating all proceeds and commissions from the sale of books at Clutterbugs on Sept. 15 to the Box of Books for its book sale fund-raiser...

**Coach Dave Murray’s** Alfred University Saxons (2-0, 0-0 E8) rolled up 634 yards of total offense and held St. Lawrence to 46 yards rushing en route to a 49-19 rout of the Saints Saturday at Merrill Field...

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By BETSY BROOKS  
*Alfred Sun Columnist*





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## Cats a problem at fall banding

Last week was my second week of banding this fall at Braddock Bay Bird Observatory. Smiley seems to enjoy sleeping in the car at night (no pets are allowed in the BBBO house). He stays in the fenced-in yard at the house during the day, but gets two or three walks a day in the neighborhood and along the road along the Lake Ontario shore-line. So far, most of the trails leading down to the lake are still too muddy to use.

He stays in the car in the shade when I'm banding, but the volunteers at the station bring him dog biscuits and take turns brushing him. I don't think he's ever had such a good life!

Unfortunately, I can't trust him to let him loose and chase the two feral cats who have been watching the nets. One day last week, I saw one of the cats kill a beautiful Wood Thrush in a net before I could get to it. That evening I set a Have-a-heart trap baited with a can of cat food.

Sure enough, the next morning one of the cats was caught in the trap, and the cat food was all gone. I picked up the trap with the cat inside and hauled it back to the banding station, with the idea that if he spent most of the day in the trap he might think twice about getting a bird in one of our nets again.

But, as luck would have it (for the cat!), the staff that day were all cat-lovers. In fact, one person has seven rescue cats at her home! I went to wash my hands, and when I got back I saw that they had let the cat go free.

In some previous years, cats owned by neighbors have sometimes been problems, but on almost all occasions, the neighbors have cooperated by keeping their cats indoors until noon, when banding is over for the day. Cats are much more of a problem in the fall banding season. I think sometimes vacationers who rent cottages along the lake during the summer may bring a cat and then let it loose in the area and then they leave without the cat.

Am I totally against cats? No! 'Pookey' was our cat for years when we lived on Waterwells Road. We kept him well-fed, let him out at night and the first person up every morning brought him inside for the day.

Steve and Jackie have two cats but they are mostly indoor cats, although they get occasional walks outside, but on a leash. Their cats often sit at a window watching the bird feeder outside.

So I think it's possible to own a cat and still have birds at your feeder. But evidence is that domestic cats kill between 1.4 and 3.7 billion birds and between 6.9 and 20.7 billion mammals (mostly mice, shrews, rabbits, squirrels, and voles) each year, according to a study published in *Nature Communications* (Dec 17, 2014). Those numbers have been challenged by some researchers, but, regardless, even half that many birds killed by cats is too many, especially if the birds they are killing are declining.

## ALFRED STATE HOMECOMING

# Bulls and barrels rodeo here Oct. 14

ALFRED—It will soon be time to saddle up for an exciting new event during Homecoming and Family Weekend at Alfred State. The college will host its first bulls and barrels rodeo on Saturday, Oct. 14.

Most rodeo events evolved out of the necessary skills needed on a working farm, while bull riding and barrel racing developed into extreme sports long before the X Games. Riders in both sports prove their skills by racing the clock and against each other.

"Western New York has a rich heritage of family-owned farms where skills are taught from one generation to the next, but our campus also has a great number of students from the city who may have never seen a bull or horse in person," said Alfred State President Dr. Skip Sullivan. "Bull riding and barrel racing are high-speed and high-energy competitions that can appeal to all. We expect students, alumni, and families around the region will all come to see these crowd favorites."

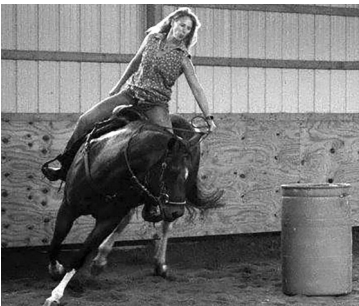
The bulls and barrels rodeo will be at 5 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 14 at the intramurals field located between Pioneer Stadium and Orvis Activities Center. Bleacher seating will be available at ringside, and the adjacent tubing hill will provide a vantage point for families bringing a blanket to spread on the lawn. Tickets are available in advance at the Campus Store for \$5 or online [www.alfredstate-bookstore.com](http://www.alfredstate-bookstore.com). Free admission goes to Alfred State students, children 12 and under, and anyone with a ticket stub from the 1 p.m. football game vs. Gallaudet.

"Western equestrian was just added as a varsity sport, showing our students' strong interest related to this area, and some of our staff have been tough competitors," Sullivan added. "Women's Basketball Coach Gina Boyd and Director of Student Records and Financial Services Jane Gilliland are both accomplished barrel racers. It's a tough sport that combines speed and finesse."

Bull riders work to master their form, the overall quality of the ride and their ability to tame animals weighing more than 1,000 pounds, scoring points for each second that they stay on. In contrast, barrel racing highlights a partnership between animal and rider, in a test of the horse's athleticism and mental condition along with the rider's horsemanship skills as they maneuver through a cloverleaf pattern at

top speed.

The call is out for International Bull Riders (IBR) and barrel racers to compete for cash prizes at the Alfred event. Each year IBR pays over \$100,000 in prize money and awards to riders at rodeos across the northeast. IBR works to provide generous prize money, impartial judging, outstanding livestock, and crowd-pleasing victories. Broken B Rodeo of Dalton is coordinating the event. For a list of Alfred State activities go to [www.AlfredState.edu/alumni/ev](http://www.AlfredState.edu/alumni/ev) ents



Do you know? Women's Basketball Coach Gina Boyd once competed in barrel racing. Alfred State leaders are now bringing a bulls and barrels rodeo to campus Oct. 14.

## A-A SPORTS ROUND-UP

### Nevin Allen leads A-A to 2-1 win

By BARB WELCH

*Alfred Sun Sports Reporter*

Nevin Allen scored his first two goals of the season to seal a win over Campbell-Savona in A-A's home opener Sept. 15. Nevin usually plays defense, but Coach Turner had Allen play offense in this game with Nevin cashing in his two goals in the first half. C-S also had one goal in the first half, but a scoreless second half gave A-A their second league win on the season.

With an overall record of 4-4-0 and a 2-0-0 league record, Allen joined teammates Brady Holmok, Gavin Porter and Zane Johnson with two goals each on the season. Keeper Austin Swackhamer has 43 saves on the season, allowing only one goal in league play in this home opener. Swackhamer allowed 11 goals in four non-league losses, and held three opponents scoreless.

In Boys JV play, Campbell-Savona was handily defeated 3-0 in the home opener.

#### Girls soccer team 5-2 on the season

The Girls Varsity team is 5-2 on the season with their only losses in Class C tournament play against Keshequa and Addison. They are 3-0 in league play scoring 14 goals. Keeper Morgan Davidson has 28 saves on the season, holding all league opponents scoreless.

A host of six players have scored goals on the season, with Maeve Looney leading the team with six goals. Emily Agnello joins Maeve with four goals. Olivia Ormsby follows with three and Lindsey Allen with two goals. Sophie Napolitano and Nora Looney each have one goal to date.

Coach Jim Lucey's girls have started their season strong with wins over Bradford 8-0, Whitesville 2-0 and Avoca 4-0. They faced Arkport Tuesday in Arkport and play Hammondsport at home today.

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SAXONS BEAT UTICA, 24-17

# Monk's improv performance highlights AU win

By DAVID L. SNYDER

2nd Kazoo in the AU Pep Band

ALFRED—Alfred University senior placekicker and punter Trevor Monk of Liverpool is a theatre major. If Saturday's performance in the Saxons' 24-17 win over Utica at Yunevich Stadium before a sun-drenched crowd of 3,459 is any indication, he should get an "A" for improv.

When an AU drive stalled near midfield late in the first quarter in a scoreless battle, Monk was called on to punt the ball away. The drama that ensued was, in most fans' minds, the play of the game.

"There was a little bad snap," Monk explained, with a chuckle, in a post-game video interview.

The ball, in fact, was snapped well over Monk's head. He turned and ran to it, hauled it in on the first hop and ran to his right, just getting his punt away at the AU 20-yard-line with three Pioneers in close pursuit. That's improv at its best.

The punt sailed to the Utica 25-yard-line then bounded to the 9-yard-line where it was picked up by a Pioneer who was immediately taken down by Saxon defenders.

While in the box score, it's simply recorded as a 38-yard



AU Punter/Kicker Trevor Monk in post-game interview.

punt by Trevor Monk, the running punt actually traveled some 55 yards in the air and 15 more on the ground.

"I capitalized on that (bad snap), stayed composed and just had to do what I do to get it out," Monk said.

The 5'9" 140-pound kicker, who prides himself on his tackling, had a monster day for AU; he was perfect on three PATs, kicked a 43-yard field goal late in the first half to give AU a 10-0 lead, made a TD-saving tackle on a kickoff return and kept Utica pinned in their end of the field much of the game.

"As far as kickoffs, we did well to keep them inside the 25-

yard-line most of the day," he said. Two of his kickoffs were touchbacks.

Add to Monk's effort a record-setting performance by junior wide receiver Jayden Gavidia (Homer) and a solid defensive effort and it came out a Saxon win in their Empire 8 Conference opener.

AU piled up more than 400 yards of offense, while the AU defense held the visiting Pioneers (1-2, 0-1 E8) to 267 yards, including a mere 93 in the first half.

"With the exception of the final drive where they scored, I thought our defense was outstanding today," said Bob Rankl,

AU head coach, referring to Utica's 69-yard scoring drive, which pulled the Pioneers to within a touchdown with two minutes remaining in regulation.

For the game, the Saxon defense held Utica to just 25 percent (four of 16) on third down conversions and forced two turnovers. Utica came into the game averaging 197 yards rushing but against AU could manage just 74 yards on 30 carries.

Gavidia caught a school-record 13 passes for 207 yards, with 10 receptions (for 145 yards) coming in the first half alone. His nine-yard TD pass from junior quarterback Bryce Morrison (Kennedy/Randolph) with 20 seconds left in the opening quarter gave the Saxons a 7-0 lead. The three-play scoring drive came after AU took over at the Pioneer 16-yard line following a botched Utica punt.

Monk's field goal put the Saxons up 10-0 with 1:55 left in the half. Utica's Maki Medici booted a 22-yard field goal as the first half clock expired, making it 10-3, Alfred, at intermission.

The Saxons took a two-touchdown lead on their first drive of the second half. Backed up near their own end zone, Morrison connected with senior wideout Rodney Etienne (Spring Valley/Ramapo) for a 31-yard completion on third-and-five from the AU 12-yard line. On the next play, sophomore backup quarterback Casey Boston (Brooklyn/Midwood) found an opening off the right side and sprinted 57 yards for a touchdown to give AU a 17-3 lead.

Utica wouldn't go away, pulling to within a touchdown (17-10) on tailback Lindell Reed's 16-yard touchdown reception from Peyton Miller with 16 seconds left in the third quarter. Alfred responded on its ensuing possession, going 80 yards in 2:40 to take a two-touchdown lead. Senior tailback Maleke Fuentes (Olean) capped the seven-play drive with a 27-yard

touchdown run to put the Saxons up 24-10.

Utica scored late in the fourth to pull within a score but Gavidia recovered the Pioneers' on-side kick attempt. Morrison's one-yard run on fourth-and-one from the Utica 40 with less than a minute remaining sealed the game for the Saxons. But the officials had to deliberate to determine the result of the measurement. It was that close.

AU had 424 yards of offense, led by Gavidia's record game. The junior's 13 catches eclipsed the previous school record of 11, which was shared by three players (most recently by Trevor Bork against Ithaca in 2008), and his 207 receiving yards were just one off the school record of 208, set by Bork against Ithaca in 2008.

"Bryce and I have always had chemistry," Gavidia said, "we're good friends and roommates now."

"Jayden was fantastic today," Rankl commented. "He's an outstanding football player."

Morrison finished 19-of-34 for 269 yards and a touchdown and two INTs. Fuentes had 83 yards rushing and a score on 19 carries, while Boston ran for 71 yards and a TD on four carries. Etienne caught three passes for 43 yards and Fuentes had two receptions for 15 yards.

Senior linebacker A.J. LiCata (Lake View/Frontier) had a game-high 13 tackles (one sack) and junior linebacker Cole Reed (Gratz, PA/Upper Dauphin) had nine stops to lead the Saxon defense. Sophomore linebacker Nick Milgate (Hilton) had six tackles (one for loss) and junior free safety Eric Graham (Cheektowaga/Maryvale) and sophomore cornerback Kyle Moore (Roosevelt) each had an interception.

Alfred is in action at 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23, when the Saxons host the University of Rochester on Homecoming.

## ALFRED STATE ATHLETICS

# UR rally edges Pioneers, 14-7

### Football: 0-3

The University of Rochester put together two 4th quarter scoring drives to rally for a 14-7 victory over Alfred State on Saturday afternoon. The Yellow-jackets accumulated 149 yards in the final quarter.

Neither offenses could get much going in the 1st half. With the U of R driving late in the 2nd quarter, Michael Zimmerman (Canandaigua) intercepted a tipped pass on the Pioneer 14 and returned it 31 yards. After a personal foul the Pioneers moved the ball to the Rochester 40. Three plays later Hunter Evingham (Bolivar Richburg) connected with Jalen Long (Rochester/Bishop Kearney) on a 29-yard pass play with only six seconds left in the half. The Zack Goodwin (Poughkeepsie/F.D. Roosevelt) gave the Pioneers a 7-0 lead at the half.

The Pioneers had the best opportunity to score in the 3rd quarter when they put together a 13-play drive that was stopped inside the Rochester 10 yard line when Konner Oakes intercepted a pass. Following the interception, Rochester tied it up with 12:16 remaining in the contest when Emanuel Calmar rushed in from five yards out to cap a 11-play, 92-yard drive. After forcing a three and out, Rochester would put together a seven-play 62-yard drive that was capped by a tip-toe catch by Daniel Bronson in the back of the end-zone. The 24-yard pass from Matt Gallagher gave the Yellow-jackets a lead they wouldn't give back up.

The Pioneers had two more offensive chances. They drove the ball all the way down to the Rochester 28 but the drive was stopped with 3:28 remaining. After forcing a Rochester punt in the final seconds, the Pioneers tried for some last second magic but were only able to advance 22 yards before time expired.

Evingham was 15 for 32 for 177 yards and a score. Long led the receivers with three catches for 75 yards while Chris Mead-

ows (New Rochelle) led the rushing attack with 61 yards on 17 carries.

John Lauretti (Seaford) had a monster day on the defensive side of the ball for the Pioneers. He recorded 13 tackles (11 solo), a sack, and forced a fumble. Justin Espinal (Beacon) record seven tackles while Jamal Little (Brooklyn/Thomas Jefferson) and Austin Parker (Port Byron) each had six.

### Cross Country: Men 5th, Women 7th at Oswego Invitational

The men's cross country team finished 5th while the women finished 7th at the Oswego Invitational on Saturday afternoon.

Jacob Hanss (East Rochester) led the men's team in the 8k race. He finished 9th in a time of 27:12.8. Shawn Rutledge (Watkins Glen) was 36th in 28:31.2, and Eric Hulbert (Mexico) was 51st in 29:34.6. The Pioneers were 5th in the team standings with 149 points and finished ahead of six other teams that scored. A total 126 runners competed in race.

Lindsey Thiel (Liverpool) led the women's team with a 21st place finish on the 5k course. She crossed the finish line in 21:16.8. Olivia Leonti (Port Byron) was 41st in 22:04.2 and Katherine Frascella was 77th in 24:31.7. The Pioneer women finished the event with a score of 184. 110 runners representing 14 teams completed the 5k course.

### Men's Soccer: 1-4-1

The blue & gold were 0-1-1 this past week in a pair of tight contests. They tied Pitt Bradford 3-3 on Wednesday and lost 2-1 on Friday night following a late goal by D'Youville.

Brandon Holley (Livonia) scored a pair of goals in a back and forth affair at Pitt Bradford. The Pioneers had to rally from a one-goal deficit three times in the contest. Holley's second goal of the game with just over five minutes left in the contest tied it for good. Ryan Johnson (Sodus) also scored in the game while Vinny Biancuzzo (Genesee Val-

ley) made six saves in net.

D'Youville scored in the 6th minute to take an early lead on Friday night but the Pioneers tied it up in the 80th minute on a goal by Abdou Mbaye (Bronx/Bayard Rustin). Mbaye scored after getting a lead pass from Holley. The Spartans scored the game winner with 2:49 remaining when Josh Hammer scored on a header off a corner kick by Alf Egge.

### Women's Soccer: 4-2

The Pioneers won two of three in a busy week of action. The blue & gold defeated SUNY Poly 1-0 and Christendom 7-1 but lost a 1-0 decision at Penn State Abington.

Melissa Mineti (Livonia) scored the lone goal of the contest vs. SUNY Poly in the 11th minute. The Pioneers kept the Wildcats off the board the rest of way.

Michalya Salatel (Geneseo) scored twice and had an assist in the victory over Christendom. Mineti, Darien Hooker (Canisio Greenwood), and Sarah Williams (Cal Mum) all had a goal and an assist while Chloe Cox (Tucson, AZ) and Karley Trotta (Massapequa/Plainedge) both netted a goal.

Versus Abington, the blue & gold held a 14 to 8 shot advantage but could not score. A Lion goal in the 66th minute was the game-winner.

Allison Danielak (Brockport) was 2-1 and made 12 saves in net for the team in 225 minutes of action.

### Volleyball 3-4

The volleyball team defeated Medaille 25-23, 25-23, and 25-19 in their only action of the week. In both of the first two sets, the Pioneers had to rally before winning while in the 3rd set the team led throughout.

Bryanna Godfrey (Tioga) led the Pioneers with 15 kills and five digs.

**Garcia's Top Cut Player of the Week:** John Lauretti (Football) and Melissa Mineti (Soccer)



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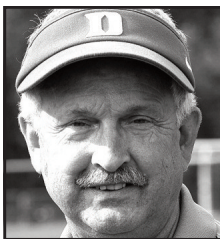
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## The Dugout

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The leaves, they are a-changing ... and quickly! It was a great weekend trip past thru the Hudson Valley down to Cooperstown and then onward to the Adirondack's. And while it was mid-September, someone forgot to tell the colors of the leaves as it looked like late September or early October. If you plan on going to the ADK's to see the beautiful foilage, better move your time-frame up!

Departing from Webster early Friday morning as it was time for some golf with Bob Montana at the Stadium Golf Club in Schenectady. Beautiful, old tree-lined course, but my game wasn't as pretty. Actually, overall not too bad, but holes #9-18 did me in. Both finishing par 5's. The former Union College men's basketball coach and I have golfed together the last three years on my "wandering around" trips, the first time at this course. In the previous two we played at the Municipal GC, just up the road. Enjoyable afternoon as the hot-putting Montana prevailed with a solid back nine, 94-102. Always good hooking up, catching up with Montana and today would be more of the same.

Next stop was the Hickory Grove Motor Inn on Otsego Lake, about 5-6 miles north of Cooperstown. The "baseball town." Have stayed here four times now ... such a creature of habit, on my trips and just a nice spot overlooking a picturesque lake. Passed by the Otsego golf course on the way, where I'd play nine the next day, with some deer wandering around the grounds late in the afternoon/early evening. Weather as nice as we've had all summer!

Saturday morning it was off to Cooperstown on another really sharp morning as the morning mist/fog was rising above the lake. Passed by the Augie Busch mansion along the way, high on the hill overlooking Otsego and sure it is quite impressive. Stopped for breakfast at the Doubleday Cafe in the quaint village and then walked down to the Baseball Hall of Fame. Always a great tour, reading and viewing history. Not an actual "tour" as I wander around and check things out on my own.

Left the baseball shrine and took in the various stores in the village. FR Woods, which is a must stop. Others as well and then walked over to see Doubleday Field. Each year, it seems, there is always a men's league game going on. Sure Vernon VanSkiver and his Rochester team have been there! Time to leave Cooperstown and head back north, stopping at the Otsego course to play nine. One problem, they had a tournament going on. Back down the road, played 18-holes at the Meadow Links course. Before going out the manager of the place goes ... "there has been a bobcat sighting on the course, but he won't bother you in the day time." Oh, ok! Unique layout, par (58) and shot a decent 73. Hooked up with a local named, Phil for part of the round. Not "Phil" from Florida.

Time to head to the ADK's and a quick stop at Druther's (of course) in Saratoga. Place is bustling! Been there, gosh 6-7 times now and usually with daughter Lauren. Not overly crowded but many out enjoying the perfect "summer" day. Watched some of the Orioles-Yanks game on the tube, chatted with a couple who live in Delray Beach in Florida, both originally from Rochester and soon it was time to leave for Lake George.

Staying overnite at Lake George and unlike every other stop there, just a place to stay this nite. Heading to Ticonderoga the next day and LG a good area to relax. Didn't do much as got there later than I originally planned, so just watched the Clemson-Louisville college football game on the tube.

After another great breakfast at the Prospect Diner!, a drive to

## ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME

# Five to be inducted Saturday at AU

ALFRED—Five former star student-athletes will be inducted into the Alfred University Athletics Hall of Fame Saturday, Sept. 23.

The University announced that Laura (Carlin) Loehle '85 (women's swimming and diving), Sean McCartney '93 (men's basketball), Brenton Brady '06 (football), Bobby Linaberry '07 (men's soccer) and Brandon Striker '07 (men's swimming and diving), will make up the 2017 Hall of Fame class. The five will

be inducted during an on-campus ceremony Saturday, Sept. 23, during Homecoming Weekend.

"This is a tremendous Hall of Fame class with great depth of talent and outstanding accomplishments while wearing the Purple and Gold," said Paul Vecchio, AU director of athletics. "Representing five different sports here at AU, these men and women represented AU with great distinction and have gone on to be impactful alumni as

well. I am really excited to welcome them home and into our Hall of Fame this fall for their richly deserved honor."

The Hall of Fame reception and induction ceremony will be held beginning at 5:30 p.m. Saturday in the Knight Club and Nevins Theater (Powell Campus Center). Tickets for the event are \$25 per person; registration is required and is available online or by calling 607-871-2144.

## THE DUGOUT CONTINUED...

Ticonderoga was next on the agenda. Visited Fort Ticonderoga last fall and this year I'm headed to the Star Trek Museum.



Yes! Great tour as a replica of the original Star Trek series is there. It could be the set of Desilu Productions. Captian Kirk, Spock, Scotty, Bones and the crew. In my element and a photo in the captains chair. Glad I made this trip north.



Departing Ticonderoga, it was truly "wander time" as I would head towards Indian Lake with a stop in North Creek. Lauren, Jess Herbst, Brooke "Red" Easton and I stopped here many times after a brutal climb up Crane Mountain. The Tops grocery store and lunch to relax.

Next up, Indian Lake. Our one-week "summer home" for 3L and various friends at the Lone Birch Motel. No longer a motel as Bob and Becky McGill are not in that business anymore. Stopped and talked to the "caretaker" there now, expecting to chat with Becky and he filled me in on what is going on. It is also Antique Week in Indian Lake, but couldn't find Brad and Jan Burdick. Have actually hooked up with them twice before during this week, but they were nowhere to be found. The Pines store closed (early Sunday) which was a big disappointment.

The weekend is coming to a close and time to head south thru the ADK's on a road I've probably been on 20-times over the years. Indian Lake to Blue Mountain to Raquette Lake to Inlet and Old Forge. Our trip home after the Lone Birch Motel as Lauren and Jess are usually sound asleep. I stop in Inlet (always!) and have lunch at the Tamarack cafe. Inlet is hopping this afternoon.

Great lunch and Utica is the next destination. Stay at the Red Roof Inn, pre-race stay for 3L and I prior to the 2016 Boilermaker 15K. Golf on tap for Monday nearby so a stop here works. Just a solid, pretty weekend with ideal weather conditions!

### HITS AND MISSES:

**The Alfred Saxons (2-0)** began defense of their E8 title, having their home football opener at Merrill Field after a "bye" week and emerged victorious over the Utica Pioneers, 24-17 on Saturday past. Alfred is now on a 12-game, regular season, undefeated run after a spectacular 2016 campaign. The Saxons should stretch that run out on Saturday at Yunevich Stadium as they host the University of Rochester on Homecoming Weekend. The Yellow Jackets eased by Alfred State this past Saturday, on their home turf, by a 14-7 tally.

**In other D3 football** games of note, around the state, it was: SJ Fisher (0-3) losing again as Brockport drilled them, Cortland nipped Hartwick, Buffalo State eased by Morrisville in a high-scoring affair, Ithaca grabbed their first win of the year as they beat St. Lawrence, Hobart walloped Shenandoah, RPI stopped Western NE and Union won over Gallaudet in DC. Nationally, it was Mount Union stomping Marietta, 69-3. Back to the E8, in the early going, it could be an Alfred-Brockport battle for the title on 11/4. Very early in the season!

**The Buffalo Bills (1-1)** didn't allow a touchdown in their game at Carolina ... and still lost, 9-3. Yikes. Solid defense, especially up front, but not sure

where Buffalo is going to generate enough offense to stay in many games? Do they even have a legitimate NFL wide receiver? Next up, Denver and their strong defense comes to New Era Field this Sunday.

**Top five teams** in the NFL: Atlanta, Kansas City, New England, Oakland and either Denver or Pittsburgh. Three from the AFC West alone!

**Worst five teams** in the NFL: Colts, Jags, Bungals, Jets and Bears. "Honorable mention" to the Bills.

**MLB heads down** the stretch run with two-weeks left before the playoffs. Beginning of the year, if I remember correctly, took Washington over the Cubs in the NL and Boston to beat Cleveland in the AL. Could still happen but as of right now, would go with the the 'Nats to beat the Dodgers in the NL and the sizzling Indians ... favorite team of the "Traveling Sports Fan," to top the Astros in the AL.

**The Yanks will most likely** host the AL wild card, one game sudden death outing, over Minnesota or the LA Angels of Anaheim and then get drilled by Cleveland. Not saying New York can't beat Cleveland, but wouldn't count on that.

**The Durham Bulls** (Rays) won the "AAA" International League championship as they beat the defending champion Scranton WB Railriders, 3-1 in games. Have no idea how the Yanks top farm team even competed with all the call-ups in New York?

**NYS vanity plates** spotted all over the place: WNDCHILL ... the "Big Chill" from AU days, MYLOON ... spotted in Inlet, RDSOXFAN ... shouldn't be allowed on a NYS plate!, HALF CUP ... Frank at Rays games with Jake and Scum, 1 DUKE 1 ... obviously, PAPA KEN, RIVERRAT ... Qua at campsite, AAA 1 ... would be Durham now, and on way home near Remsen, it was: MACS 56 ... on a sweet, red & white (Farley) Chevy!

**Solid week for Coach Anne Holmok's** (A-A) women's soccer team at Alfred State College as they took 2/3. The Pioneers beat SUNY POLY, blasted Christendom and then lost a tough one to PS-Abington, 1-0.

**Big win for Coach Wiley's** SUNY Geneseo women's soccer team as they beat #3 ranked nationally, William Smith, 1-0 last week. The Herons and Knights were ranked 1-2 in the East Region prior to the contest. Geneseo was tied at Farmingdale over the weekend, 1-1 and stand at (5-0-1) on the year. The Knights have allowed two goals all season as their SUNYAC schedule starts next.

**Our Man Frank**, Brownie, Jake Taft and Mr. Timmr took in the Red Sox-Rays baseball game on Saturday past at the 'Trop. The Rays fell, 3-1.

**It was NFL action** on Sunday in Tampa Bay as Brownie and Taft watched the Bucs stomp the Chicago Bears in 92-degree heat at Raymond James Stadium.

**The FedEx championship** on the PGA Tour will be held this weekend as points leader Jordan Spieth looks to grab his second trophy in this season-ending event. He has finished 2-T2-T7 in the three playoff tournaments leading up to the finale. Justin Thomas is the favorite to win Player of the Year honors but a Spieth win might just change that.

**Off to Alfred this weekend** with Leo Nealon, the former official photographer of the Saxons, to see the UR-AU football game. Go Saxons!

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