

## Profile 2010

WORKS OF recent Alfred University BFA and MFA recipients were featured in an exhibition in Chelsea, New York City this summer, sponsored by Michele and Marty Cohen. Kevin Jacobs of the AU Career Development Center staff and Hope Zaccagni of the College of Ceramics staff, exhibit The Alfred Sun in front of the exhibit. Perhaps The Alfred Sun could be considered a weekly work of art?



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## AU to dedicate Miller Performing Arts Center

ALFRED--Alfred University will dedicate its newest building – the Miller Theater – in a ceremony at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15, in the new proscenium theater that is the heart of the new facility.

Presiding at the ceremony will be Peter Cuneo, chair of the board of trustees. The by-invitation-only ceremony will be followed by a performance of "MOTOR" by the Brian Brooks Moving Company, which is also by invitation only. The public may see the performance at 8 p.m. Saturday. Admission for the Saturday performance is free, but reservations are required.

Marlin Miller Jr., a 1954 alumnus of Alfred University, as well as a chairman emeritus and current member of the Board of Trustees, donated \$23 million – part of a \$35 million gift announced in 2006 – to build the new theater, which is connected to the Miller Performing Arts Center, which Miller also gave to the University and which opened in 1995.

The new building is "an exceptional facility that will showcase the work of our students in Performing Arts and enhance what we offer to the community," said President Charles M.

Edmondson. With the addition of the 498-seat theater, new costume shop, dressing rooms and choral rehearsal studio, all found in the new building, as well as the facilities in the original Miller Performing Arts Center, Alfred University will have a performing arts complex that "rivals anything found at much larger schools, and even theaters in major cities."

The new theater is housed in a 31,000-square-foot building connected – visually and physically – to the existing Miller Performing Arts Center. Architect Bruce Wood of Kallmann McKinnell & Wood Architects, Boston, designed the original structure with the addition of a theater in mind. The new building is located to the north of the original structure. Both are built of brick.

The theater completes the performing arts complex first envisioned by Miller in 1991.

At street level, the new building has a lobby, with a wall of glass that faces State Street and presents the public view of the new facility. At the time of the ground-breaking in 2008, Wood explained, "The new structure is designed to relate to phase one, but to also project a more public



THE MILLER PERFORMING ARTS CENTER at Alfred University will be dedicated at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15.

image." Inside is "effectively a single performance space, with support areas for performers and the public."

As Wood explained, the original building, which has won architectural awards, is "upside down," with the main spaces on the upper levels and the faculty offices on the lower levels. "The building has two scales: the large scale of the valley side, where the practice rooms overlook the open landscape, and the

small scale of the campus side, where individual rooms overlook the street." Rather than rising above the lobby level, the new building takes advantage of its hillside location, with most of it not visible from State Street.

The performance space is designed to accommodate music, dance and theater productions, with a key element being an orchestra pit that can easily be converted into an extension of the stage, bringing musicians

and dancers closer to the audience, Wood noted.

The stage itself is about 3,000 square feet. Moveable orchestra shells allow the stage opening to be adjusted, depending upon the size of the production. Acoustics are an important consideration in any performance space; the theater in Miller features unusual wood panels that enhance the acoustics. Lighting and sound systems are considered to be state-of-the-art.

## A-A school board appoints school nurse

By DAVID L. SNYDER  
Editor and Publisher

ALMOND--Meeting in a special session at 8 a.m. Friday, Sept. 24, the Alfred-Almond Central School Board of Education appointed Nicole Bordeaux as a 10-month 7-hours per day school nurse as a 26-week probationary position effective Oct. 4, 2010 and ending April 5, 2011. Her salary will be \$17/hour in accordance with the Alfred-Almond Support Staff Association contract.

At its regular monthly meeting, held at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 15 in the high school auditorium, the school board recognized long-time employees.

Recognized for having completed 25 years of service to the school district were Sally Allen, Ralph Rossman, Teresa Williams and Debbie Winters.

Recognized for having completed 20 years of service to the

school district were Mark Hall and Eloise Kernan.

The school board, at the Sept. 15 meeting, also approved a contract for natural gas with Vineyard Oil and Gas Co. from Nov. 1, 2010-Oct. 31, 2011. The contract will adopt the New York Mercantile Exchange (NYMEX) monthly settlement price determined on the final day of trading, plus a basis of \$0.72 per dth.

In other business, the school board:

...APPROVED the athlete recognition award costs not to exceed \$1,315.80.

...APPROVED the purchase of cookies for the open house on Sept. 22 in the amount of \$90.40.

...APPROVED change orders from Babcock for the 2010 Capital Project as presented.

...APPROVED the Student Transportation Cooperative

Agreement for Greater Southern Tier BOCES component schools for the period of July 1, 2010-July 30, 2011.

...APPROVED the Allegany Council on Alcoholism and Substance Abuse contract for the 2010-2011 school year at a cost of \$1,000.

...ACCEPTED the donation of \$1,000 from Wal-Mart from the Walmart Foundation's Teacher Rewards Program to help offset the estimated \$500 a year teachers spend out of their own pockets for classroom supplies.

...ACCEPTED the resignation of Krista Levey effective Sept. 15, 2010.

...ACCEPTED Greg Cook's letter of resignation as Modified Wrestling Coach, effective immediately. Todd Goho was appointed to serve in that capacity.

...ACCEPTED Tom Weller's letter of resignation as JV Boys' Basketball Coach, effective im-

mediately. A replacement has not yet been appointed.

...VOTED to correct minutes of the May 12, 2010 meeting on the appointment of Stephen Rech from a 3-year probationary appointment to a 2-year appointment. Mr. Rech submitted a letter from his previous employer granting tenure there. Probationary period is planned to be Sept. 7, 2010 to Sept. 6, 2012.

...APPROVED as substitute teachers Anne Elizabeth Unis, Jared Sherwin, Rhonda Morse, Amy Williamson, Karen Sweezy, Cari Begeal and Shana Sponholz as substitute teachers for the 2010-2011 school year, pending successful completion of their fingerprinting.

...APPROVED Paula Currie as a support staff substitute in the areas of teacher aide and cafeteria, pending successful completion of her fingerprinting.

...APPROVED Joseph Lisi as

a substitute bus driver for the 2010-2011 school year pending successful completion of all necessary training and submission of fingerprinting.

...APPOINTED Lindsay Bialecki and Bonnie Booman to the extracurricular position of 9th grade advisor for the 2010-2011 school year.

...APPROVED to have interscholastic athletic practices on national holidays, exclusive of Christmas day; and that practices are optional in nature and students will not be penalized if they are unable to attend due to a prior family commitment.

...HEARD that Sally Dieter had received a letter of commendation on meeting the qualifications necessary to achieve certification as a New York State Registered School Business Office Specialist under the NYS School Business Management Institute.



OBITUARIES



**PAULA J. MITCHELL**  
*West Almond resident*  
WEST ALMOND—Paula J Mitchell, 62, of 6912 Tucker Rd., West Almond, passed away unexpectedly Sunday, Sept. 26, 2010 at Olean General Hospital.

Born in Olean, Sept. 12, 1948, the daughter of Richard and Emogene Clark Davison, she had resided in West Almond for many years. Paula had been the West Almond town historian, and had sat on the election board, and had worked for the Village Market and Harris Grocery in Angelica.

She enjoyed traveling, genealogy and music. People that knew Paula, knew she was a mom to many, a caretaker to anybody in need, a good listener and had a open ear to anyone who was in need. Paula will be remembered most for her love of family, spending time with all of them, and even had a special day set a side for each of her grandchildren.

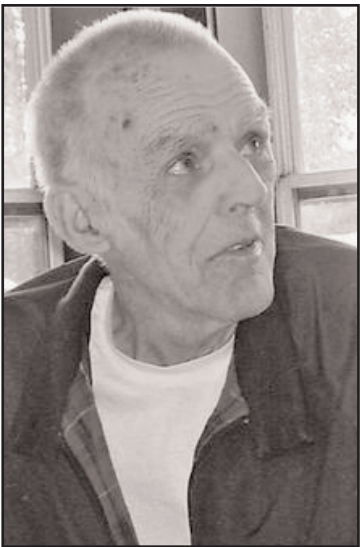
She was predeceased by her father, Richard Davison; her son, Chip Mitchell; her brother, Dale Davison; and mother-in-law, Etta Mitchell.

She is survived by her husband, Larry Elmer Mitchell; daughters, Kelly (Daniel) MacNaughton of Bishopville, Kerri Yates of West Almond, Kandi (Brent) Geibel of Hornell; grandchildren, Kaitlin and Kyle MacNaughton, Brooke and Erin Geibel, Dylan Gates; her mother, Emogene Davison of Bolivar; sisters, Linda Barkley, Marcia (Jeff) Robinson, Brenda (Terry) Witter, Donna (Jack) Emrick, Sheila Davison; brothers, Richard (June) Davison Jr., Daniel (Char) Davison, Ralph (Connie) Best; daughter-in-law, Tonya Mitchell Metatos; adopted son, Alex Ramos of Brazil; father-in-law, Robert Mitchell; and many nieces, nephews and extended

family.  
The family was present from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29 at the Brown & Powers Funeral Home, 101 West Ave., Angelica, where a funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. today (Thursday, Sept. 30) with the Rev. Rocky Mitchell officiating.

To send a remembrance visit [www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com). The family is being assisted by Chester A Gosper IV, director.

Friends may make memorial contributions to: Angelica Conservation Club or the Hornell Area Humane Society.



**RICHARD ANDERSON SR.**  
*Moved to area 25 years ago*  
ALMOND--Richard Anderson, Sr., 79, of 321 State Route 21, Town of Almond, passed away Friday, Sept. 24, 2010 at his home.

Born in Fairport, Aug. 18, 1931, the son of George and Olive Anderson, he had resided in the Rochester area until moving to Hornell about 25 years ago. While living in Rochester, he was employed as a landscaper for John Prouty Landscaping and Monroe Developmental Center. Richard served his country as a member of the United States Army.

He was predeceased by his parents, four brothers and one sister.

He is survived by his wife, Evelyn Craig Anderson; four daughters, Shirley (Joseph Crosson) Anderson of Canisteo, Bonnie (Thomas Sr.) DuBois of Cohocton, Tammy (Clifford Berry) Houghtaling of Cameron Mills, and Olive (Tom Bazil) Bradley of Atlanta; two sons, Richard Anderson Jr. of Hornell, and Billy Anderson of Wayland; his sister, Sylvia Skyner of Elmira; his brother, Donald "Jerry" (Turna) Anderson of Georgia; 19 grandchildren and 45 great-grandchildren.

To send a remembrance to the family, please visit [www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com). The family is being assisted by Gerald R. Brown, director.

The family was present to receive friends from 11 a.m.-noon on Wednesday, Sept. 29 at the Bender-Brown & Powers Funeral Home, 354 Canisteo St., Hornell, at which time military honors were accorded. Funeral service followed at 12:15 p.m. with Rev. Michael Gallant officiating.

Girl Scouts begin Cookie Sales October 15

HORSEHEADS Girl Scout Junior Troop 605 wanted to give back to those that protect our country.

Out of that, an idea was born. The girls decided to use the proceeds they earned from the Girl Scout Cookie Program to purchase items to be put together in a care package. They bought and packaged up a personal card from the girls, a bathroom accessory, paper and pens, and boxes of Girl Scout cookies and shipped them overseas to soldiers.

The troop plans to send out care packages again this year to a soldier from the area who is in Afghanistan.

Not only do Girl Scouts get to give back to the community by selling Girl Scout cookies during the cookie program, but girls get to launch their own businesses with this year's cookie program theme: "Starting Today." The countless exciting possibilities of tomorrow – from new business opportunities to a healthier planet to a more beautiful world – begin with the skills learned today. Girls will learn the important skills of: goal setting, decision making, money management, people skills, and business ethics.

Girl Scout cookies are \$3.50 per box and go on sale Oct. 15 with booth sales being held in

November. The varieties available this year are: Tagalongs, Thin Mints, Samoas, Trefoils, Do-Si-Dos, Lemon Chalet Cremes, Dulce De Leche, and Thank You Berry Munch.

The cookie program can lead to bigger things in business, in society, and in life.

For more information about the Girl Scouts or the Girl Scout Cookie Program, contact the Horseheads Service Center at (607) 796-6202, visit [www.gsnypenn.org](http://www.gsnypenn.org), become a fan of Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways, Inc. on Facebook, or follow @GSNYPENN on Twitter.



YOUTH OF the Union University Church are prepared to fill Larry Casey's truck with non-perishable food to donate to the Alfred Area Food Pantry, which is facing a desperate need for food.

Youth to fill Larry Casey's truck with donations for Food Pantry

ALFRED--The Alfred Area Food Bank is facing a desperate need for food.

"During the month of August alone, 66 families were served, 8 of whom were new" says Luan Ellis, food bank coordinator. Not only are food donations down but cash donations are down as well.

So far this year they have received \$3,800 in contributions and have had to spend \$7,000 - the extra was made possible because of reserves from the previous year.

The money is used to purchase eggs, chicken, and bread from Stearns Poultry at low cost.

In order to help alleviate the need, the Union University Church has decided to launch a blitz-like campaign to fill Larry Casey's truck with food for the Alfred Area Food Bank, and they are inviting community members to join in the challenge.

Beginning immediately and running until Sunday, Oct. 3, we

invite everyone to collect as much food as they can to see if we can fill the bed of Larry's truck to the brim. Spread the word – ask your friends and neighbors to join in the effort.

While all non-perishable food items are welcome, the following are most needed: cereal, protein (beans, tuna, etc.), boxed meals, pasta, soups, and canned fruits.

Bring food items to the foyer of the Union University Church Center, Church Street, Alfred, during weekday mornings. Questions may be directed to the Church Office, 587.9288 or Lana Meissner, 587.9469, [FMEISSNERL@ALFRED.EDU](mailto:FMEISSNERL@ALFRED.EDU).

On October 3, our youth will "fill that truck" and help haul it to the Food Pantry.

Alfred Police Report

The Alfred Police Department made the following arrests recently:

--Tyler D. Congdon, 18, of Arkport, was charged Saturday, Sept. 25 for failure to keep right, dazzling headlights, driving while intoxicated, and blood alcohol content greater than .08% following a traffic stop on North Main Street in the Village of Alfred.

Congdon was released to a third party and is to answer the charges in Alfred Village Court at a later date.

For an emergency, dial 911.

Weather for the Week

Sept.	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
13	70	43	--	--
14	72	45	--	--
15	65	41	--	--
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17	55	41	Trace	--
18	74	53	--	--
19	66	39	--	--

By DENNIS SMITH  
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# I Am Alfred: a look at the people who call it home

By **ASHLEY KEHOE**  
*Alfred State College*  
*Director, Civic Engagement and Student Leadership Programs*  
As a new resident of Alfred and the Director of Civic Engagement and Student Leadership Programs at Alfred State College, it is my role to actively and intentionally engage students in community initiatives. Some of our student leaders and I have been coordinating the "I Am Alfred" Campaign. We

have been collecting photos and stories of Alfred residents, to demonstrate and celebrate the diversity of our community, which we are calling the "I am Alfred" campaign.  
I have gotten some truly stellar, inspiring, and interesting responses to our questions:  
**SHERYL VOLK**  
*Lecturer, Physical and Life Sciences, Alfred State College*  
**How long have you lived or worked in the Alfred commu-**

**nity?**  
I have lived in Alfred twice. I grew up here (and claim to be Alfred State's token native Alfredian, though I actually lived somewhere else until I was 3). Including my college years (AU), that was 22 years. Bob and I were married in Alfred, then moved to the Niagara Falls area for about 7 years. We returned to Alfred permanently in 1972, built the house we now live in and that we raised our children in.  
**What about living or working in this community brings you the most joy?**  
That's a very tough one, because there are so many things. The beauty of this gorgeous glacial valley. The changing seasons. The wonderfully safe and intellectual environment. The PEOPLE. The memories we have of our college romance, our wedding, the births of our 3 children and their marriages here, 2 of our kids and 2 in-laws graduating from Alfred State - which is the BEST place for a home-schooled kid to start college, my lifelong sweetheart and traveling companion lives and works here too....Incidentally, Alfred State itself has been a special joy these many recent years as I am able to walk to work, have an AWE-SOME department and other colleagues to work with, and wonderful students to enjoy. This has been my third best job - after being Bob's wife, and those 3 kids' mom and teacher.  
**What are your hobbies and pastimes?**  
I love to run and walk, do miles/day of one and/or the other; love to read, have 2 or



**BOB and SHERY VOLK**

more books going at a time, one on my Kindle; I love to "computer" (fiddle and play at the computer); GRANDKIDS; traveling; sewing; knitting, biking, canoeing....  
**Describe your favorite Alfred memory.**

Being introduced to my future husband by my boyfriend-at-the-time, then marrying Bob Volk. College is the BEST place to meet the love of one's life. It's not THE reason to attend, but it worked for me, 4 of my 5 siblings, and all 3 of our kids.

## Scene About Alfred

By **SHERY VOLK**  
An occasional column inviting readers to identify the scene and appear at Tinkertown Hardware with the correct answer, the first of whom will receive a monster cookie. The identity of the event or scene will appear in the next edition of the ALFRED SUN.



I wish you could see the colors in the blue-and-cotton-candy sky, as well as the variegations produced by weathering on this barn. This is out on a country road "near" Alfred. Does anyone recognize it?

## SUNNY SIDE UP

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



### Another recipe from 'A Very Small Island'

Another recipe from Martha and Linda Greenlaw's book *Recipes From A Very Small Island*. Martha says, "This is my favorite way to stuff tomatoes. It's especially good during the short time at the end of the summer when our Maine gardens are bursting with ripe tomatoes. I urge you to try it with garden-fresh tomatoes. The sausage makes it robust, more of a simple main course than a side dish. You will love it. It easily serves 6 as a light main course or more as a side dish."

#### Stuffed Tomatoes

- |                                |                                   |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 4 med., firm, ripe tomatoes    | 1 1/2 c. cooked long-grained rice |
| salt and freshly ground pepper | 3 T. pine nuts                    |
| 4 Italian sausage links        | 2 T. finely chopped parsley       |
| 1 T. olive oil                 | 1/4 c. grated parmesan cheese     |
| 1/2 c. finely chopped onion    | 1 lg. egg, slightly beaten        |
| 1 garlic clove, finely minced  |                                   |

Preheat oven to 375. Lightly oil a baking dish to hold tomato halves in a single layer. Split tomatoes in half and gently squeeze over a bowl so that seeds, juice, and pulp fall into it; reserve. Sprinkle each half with salt and pepper to taste and set aside. Remove sausage meat from casing. In a skillet, heat oil, add onion and garlic, and cook over med. heat for 2 min. till slightly softened. On med.-high heat add sausage meat and cook for 4-5 minutes. Add reserved seeds, juice, & pulp and cook for 5 min. until liquid evaporates. Remove from heat to cool slightly. Stir in rice, pine nuts, parsley basil, and half the cheese. Add the egg, stir well, and season to taste with salt and pepper. Let cool. Arrange tomato halves, cut side up, in the baking dish. Spoon the filling into and over the tops of the halves, piling and rounding with your fingers. Sprinkle with remaining cheese. Bake 30 min. Serve hot.

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To the Editor  
Alfred Sun

*"Only through the open and unhampered clash of contrary opinions can truth be found."*

—Glenn Frank

Village, Town Courts

Dear Editor,

Reading the Letter to the Editor regarding a defendant's unhappy and disappointing Court Appearance, I could not but feel a bit saddened by what had been mentioned about the situation. No court appearance can be truly a joyous event and oddly enough, it is not always all that "uplifting" for the sitting judge either. Well do I know it, for I served as Town and Village Magistrate myself, as many of our citizens will remember. I wore the black robe for 18 years in our community. There are some things which perhaps should be pointed out, should anyone care to think about it.

The Alfred Court(s) comprise the very busiest venues in the entire county. We are, remember, a University and College community. We have a great many young people who do the things that young people do: sometimes taking chances, pushing the envelope a bit, trying out new freedoms and new opportunities. For my own part, I always liked very much working with the students and with our own "year-round" citizens as well.

Sometimes the Assistant Dis-

trict Attorney, a Defense Attorney and myself would have to really work pretty hard to hammer out a deal by which a defendant would be able to address a problem, pay for his/her offense, without carrying a criminal record for the rest of his/her life, simply for having crossed a serious line at the age of 19 or 20.

I often thought to myself that I remain very happy indeed that I was not "nailed to the barn door" and given a criminal record for some lack of prudent thinking at that early age! All in all, the students here are fine young people and, as people will make mistakes which they might later regret. Knowing Judge Cameron, I have great respect for her in her fairness, her ability and willingness to interpret and uphold the law, and in her willingness to come to a humane, though sometimes strict, disposition of a matter. Frankly, I never knew Judge Cameron to be "led" through a case by any District Attorney. She just doesn't work that way!

Alfred is not a wealthy community. Far from it! Add up some time, if you feel up to it, just what the percentage is of taxable property we have within our Village and Township. We can no longer maintain even a half-time court clerk. When I was a judge, we had a court clerk in her office every Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and she was also in her office for the duration of both Court nights. The money simply is not there for those hours any

more. Add to that the fact that the State is taking a much greater percentage of Vehicle and Traffic and other fine monies than was once the case. The Albany crowd is not sending money our way for such expenses. We are cut off and alone, to establish and maintain these various venues, these out-posts of justice, throughout the State.

There are sometimes computer glitches between Police and Court computers. Now, who hasn't had that sort of thing happen? Some records have to be "sealed," especially if under-age defendants are involved. Leaks of such information would bring down the wrath of the Office of Court Administration in record time! There is so much more to serving a community as a local magistrate than simply wearing a robe and looking important. There is a lot of soul-searching, more confidentiality than one

might imagine, and a tremendous responsibility.

Now, as far as the arresting officer being unwilling to hear a rebuttal or look at evidence: He or she would be acting beyond his/her lawful competence! A police officer cannot weigh the merits of a case or a charge! It is absolutely forbidden...by the same rule of law of which the writer speaks.

There ARE countries where a police officer may look at evidence, lower the charge, make a decision based on personal belief, but I certainly would not wish to live in such a country. Some of us have seen such countries. Here, once the summons or the accusatory instrument has been written, it is to be submitted to a court of law. That is the way that we are required to do things in this country, a state of affairs for which I am very grateful.

Of course one can be greatly disturbed by situations where things do not work out as they

should be expected. Frankly, I get pretty peeved waiting for long times in the Doctor's office. Still, a bit of charity is needed here; a bit of understanding. In a world of human endeavors, sometimes things go awry. I recall that an article was written in a local paper in regards to a night in my own court. It was not a very flattering "write-up", and as a judge I was precluded from making a reply. I remember that night. Things did indeed move slowly and I have no doubt that some people were growing pretty tired. Still, you know what? That particular night we had been able to do some truly good things for some people who were basically good people. We had a lot of haggling to do. Even so, that particular night I had gone home thining: "What a great land this is! Sometimes, the Law can be bent just enough to provide some real JUSTICE!"

Respectfully submitted,  
William R. MacCrea,  
former Town & Village Justice

Sun Spots

Alls Well That Ends

This *isn't* what I *meant* to do –  
I really haven't time;  
It wasn't my intent to do  
Things void of reas'n or rhyme.

It's not that it's not *good* to do  
In normal circumstance;  
But it's something coulda stood to do  
Just when I had a chance.

And it's taking so much *time* to do  
This thing that none did ask,  
It feels like a crime to do  
This unimportant task.

The thing that I was *sent* to do  
I didn't mean to shun;  
No, this *isn't* what I *meant* to do....  
But look at that – it's done!

—Adone A. Mouse

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--David L. Snyder  
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# Andover Haunted House will open Friday, Oct. 1

*Special to the Alfred Sun*

ANDOVER--The Andover Haunted Attraction presents its 14th edition of the Haunted House at "The Brick" located at 5 West Greenwood Street behind the bank in Andover.

The Haunted House is open every Friday and Saturday night in October from 7 p.m. to midnight with admission \$10 per person.

Opening Friday, Oct. 1, every Friday night this year will be open mic from 8-10 p.m. under the tent out back for your enjoyment while you wait for your turn to enter the Haunted House. Also in addition while you wait there are characters, tarot card reading and outdoor actors for entertainment.

While there is not a whole house theme like the past couple of years there are individual room themes and some cool additions. We have a room theme from the Exorcist movie, witches, as well a new prop on each of the floors. The builders have been working hard to finish the biggest addition and it is finished and running smoothly. This year we looked to entertain you the entire time of your tour from start to finish the actors will keep you on edge.

The committee this year is hosting a different charity every Saturday during the month of October.

On the first Saturday, Oct. 2 is the second annual Haunted for Hooters 5K Walk. This is a fundraiser for breast cancer awareness and all money raised stays in Allegany County. To get a sponsor sheet you can print

one off the haunted house web site or they are available at Maier's Market. The first 75 participants that sign up with sponsors will receive a free t-shirt and all participants will get pizza and bread sticks donated by Pizza Hut of Wellsville. There are also hair cuts for \$10 from Hair It Is, and Hair Trivia of Andover and Hair Care of Alfred with all money also going to breast cancer.

Other charities for the month include a motorcycle dice run for AIS, a dinner and picture with your pet for the SPCA, a vampire blood drive by the suppliers who supply Jones Memorial Hospital, and non scary house tours for the Andover Lions Club.

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## 'Taste of Wellsville' Oct. 17

WELLSVILLE—Local eateries will once again participate in Alfred State College's fifth annual "Taste of Wellsville" this year, Sunday, Oct. 17, from 12:30-3:30 p.m. This year, the event is being held the same day as the first of Alfred State's two fall open houses and the Wellsville Ridge Walk and Run.

Restaurants and other food purveyors will showcase their tasty signature dishes in "miniature form" at stations around the Applied Technology Campus in Wellsville.

Participating eateries include: Case Catering, Hot Diggity Dogs, East Pearl Express, Giant Food, L'Italia, Ponderosa, Beef Haus, Tops Markets, Short's Grocery/Deli, Truly Scrumptious, and Papa Louie's—others may be added up until the day of the event. Tickets for the food (50 cents each—food costs may

range from one ticket to several although no food item will exceed \$3.50) may be purchased on the day of the event. Ten percent of the food ticket sales go to a local charity or organization. This year's designated organization is the Wellsville Volunteer Ambulance Corp.

In addition to the yummy "eats," the day will feature interactive curriculum demonstrations by Alfred State students who will introduce visitors to the programs and projects underway on the Applied Technology Campus. Last year's event included activities such as Excavator Bowling, Egg Scramble, Backhoe Softball, Tire Rolling, Robotic Control, Pumpkin Shooter, and much more! Tours of the campus also will be conducted.

Blood pressure testing will be performed by Alfred State nursing students throughout the day.

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Immediately following the event at 3:30 p.m., drawings will be held for various raffle items. Proceeds from the drawings will

benefit a scholarship fund for Applied Technology students. Raffle tickets will be available at the event; cost is \$1 each. You need not be present to win.

Additionally, the ASC Admissions Office will host its Open House program that day, beginning with registration at 8:30 a.m. in the Orvis Activities Center on the Alfred campus.

Prospective students and their families are invited to participate in a variety of programs, both formal and informal, designed to provide flexibility in visiting any area of interest to the student. Information tables and representatives from ACES (Auxiliary Campus Enterprises and Services) the campus food service/vending provider, Admissions, Athletics, Residential Life, Student Activities, the Center for Community Education and Training, Information Technology, Counseling Services, Career Development, Student Records and Financial Services, the Honors Program, and the Learning Center will be available.

Campus tours of both campuses will also be offered. Representatives from all academic areas will be present to provide tours and answer questions. Reservations are not necessary.

For additional information, contact the Alfred State College Admissions Office at 1-800-4-ALFRED or (607) 587-4215, or visit [www.alfredstate.edu](http://www.alfredstate.edu) and click on "visit us" at the top of the page.

## Wellsville Quilt Fest Saturday

WELLSVILLE--The Wellsville Quilt Fest will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 2 at the Shepherd of the Valley Church, 4229 Fassett Lane, Wellsville. This event is sponsored by St. John's Episcopal Church, Wellsville Schoolhouse Quilters and Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church.

Viewers Choice Awards will be presented to the best bed quilt, best lap or crib quilt, best wall hanging, and best other quilted item. Also, there will be a raffle for a beautiful quilt made and donated by Ruby Young. A bake sale and lunch will be available.

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#	School (1st votes)	Rec	Pts	Prev.
1	UW-Whitewater (22)	3-0	622	1
2	Mount Union (3)	3-0	603	2
3	Wesley	4-0	565	3
4	St. Thomas	4-0	551	4
5	Mary Hardin-Baylor	3-0	529	5
6	Coe	4-0	465	9
7	Wittenberg	4-0	463	6
8	Ohio Northern	3-0	408	10
9	Central	3-1	383	7
10	North Central (Ill.)	3-0	340	11
11	Thomas More	3-0	337	12
12	Hardin-Simmons	3-1	324	8
13	Delaware Valley	2-1	322	13
14	Trine	3-0	271	14
15	Willamette	2-1	236	15
16	Linfield	1-1	215	16
17	Montclair State	3-0	186	19
18	UW-Eau Claire	2-1	174	17
19	St. John's	3-1	158	18
20	Wabash	3-0	137	20
21	Wheaton (Ill.)	3-0	122	22
22	Illinois Wesleyan	3-0	95	21
23	Cal Lutheran	1-1	77	24
24	St. John Fisher	4-0	75	--
25	Randolph-Macon	4-0	74	25
25	Alfred	3-0	74	23

Dropped out: None.

Others receiving votes: UW-Stevens Point 61, Hampden-Sydney 38, Ursinus 29, Wartburg 27, Case Western Reserve 25, UW-Oshkosh 24, Pacific Lutheran 23, Cortland State 17, DePauw 14, Washington and Jefferson 11, Johns Hopkins 11, Otterbein 9, Bethel 7, Franklin and Marshall 5, Carthage 4, Franklin 3, UW-Stout 3, Elmhurst 2, Baldwin-Wallace 2, Millikin 1.

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Doug's NFL Picks

WEEK FOUR

NJ Jets.....27..BILLS.....24

TITANS.....21..Denver.....20

FALCONS.....27..San Francisco.....14

SAINTS.....37..Carolina.....9

PACKERS.....30..Detroit.....14

Seattle.....24..RAMS.....21

Baltimore.....17..STEELERS.....16

Cincinnati.....20..BROWNS.....13

Houston.....27..RAIDERS.....17

CHARGERS.....27..Arizona.....13

Indianapolis.....34..JAGUARS.....9

EAGLES.....21..Washington.....20

GIANTS.....21..Chicago.....20

MONDAY

New England.....24..DOLPHINS.....23

(Open: Chiefs, Cowboys, Vikings, Bucs)

East Region Fan Poll-- Week Four (9/27/10)

# School (#1 votes) Record Pts.Prev. This Week

1. Delaware Valley (6) 2-1 95 1 vs. Lebanon Valley

2. St. John Fisher (4) 4-0 93 2 at #9 Utica

3. Montclair State 3-0 79 3 at Kean

4. Cortland State 3-0 66 4 at New Jersey

4. Alfred 3-0 66 7 vs. Frostburg State

6. Springfield 3-1 29 8 vs. Merchant Marine

7. Utica 4-0 23NR vs. #2 SJ Fisher

8. Ithaca 3-1 21 5 vs. Hartwick

9. Rowan 2-1 20 9 at Buffalo State

10.Hobart 2-1 19 6 at St. Lawrence

Dropped Out: #10 Curry Also Receiving Votes: Lycoming 15, Kean 10, Curry 9, Albright 2, Union 2, SUNY-Maritime 1.

Pigskin Picks Football Contest

GROGAN GETS SECOND WIN in WEEK 3

Bob Grogan of Canisteo, with 5 misses, won Week 3 honors, his second win in the contest's first three weeks. Christopher Yarnal of Almond, Floyd Farley of Hornell and Bob Kelley each had 6 misses, while Barb Welch of Arkport and Judy Marlatt of Almond each had 7 misses. SUN columnist Doug Lorow of Webster, Bill Pulos of Alfred and Brian Marlatt of Almond each had 8 misses.

All are invited to participate in *The Alfred Sun's* Pigskin Picks Football Contest. Each week during the football season, this newspaper awards the best entrant a \$10 prize and bragging rights. All readers are invited to enter. It's easy.

Pigskin Picks Entry Form

College Picks

Oct. 9 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.

3. Write team next to number corresponding with games in ads on this form.

4.The person who picks the most games correctly wins. Tiebreaker determined by 1) best point spread; 2) closest total points scored.

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## Allegany Artisans have plenty of 'heart stories'

By ELAINE HARDMAN  
Alfred Sun Reporter

It's unexpected. One of us will be just standing at a show or in line at a bank and someone will walk up, take our hand and talk. Another day there will be a phone call, a card or an email telling a family story - what I call a heart story.

Artisans easily talk about their work but with a little tease they'll talk about these stories from their customers and customers turned friends. Their faces and voices show how important those stories are.

Jim Horn and HM Bateman said that a woman came into their booth stammering with excitement. "Oh, this is the pin booth!" she said.

She explained to them that several years ago, she had purchased a heart pin for her mother, who absolutely loved it. Sadly, the pin was lost. Enormously more sadly, her mother died of cancer. Now, in tears, the woman searched for a similar pin to replace it in memory of her mother.

Also in tears, HM just gave her one.

Bob Stadlander, a wood carver, said that an Israeli dentist who collects carved scenes for his office asked for a special piece. Even though this dentist had over 50 pieces in his collection, he was so impressed with

the work Bob did that he made a special shelf for it and then ordered more pieces. "It amazes me to think that my creations are half way around the world," said Bob.

Jen Acomb's work is likely around the world too. Jen works as Steve Walker's third year apprentice but also has her own silver studio. Jen said she brings work home to show her mother (her best customer) who will slip it on and take off to work at the hospital. On one occasion she was working with new parents and the mom commented on how much she liked a Celtic swan pendant.

Impressively, that new father paid attention to the conversation about jewelry while welcoming a new baby. Also impressively, he remembered and tracked down the jeweler to order a similar pendant for his wife.

Sue Johnson works on a long-arm quilting machine. During Sue's first studio tour a visitor from Virginia stopped by and was impressed. While Sue claimed to be a beginner with the machine the woman gave her 6 months to practice and then started sending work to Sue to have it quilted.

Sue said, "She tells me to do whatever I think because she trusts me and says she's loved everything I have done for her so far. To date she's sent 17."

Laurie Johnson is also a fiber artist. She designs and makes stuffed animals and Wear Bear Hats. Years ago she made stuffed dinosaurs for a family in Alfred Station. Those stuffed animals became almost family members.

The children had to have them to sleep. They rubbed the dino bellies until they wore through the cloth so their mom had to patch and patch them. As many of us know, special snuggly toys

become as alive as the Velveteen Rabbit and there is no "replacing" them. Only repair is allowed and sometimes that takes serious negotiation.

Most artisans have stories about people naming a bowl or saying that their favorite part of the day is evening tea in their special mug. Some handmade toys are passed down from generation to generation or kitchenware becomes a part of family

traditions or ceremonies. Handmade things, carefully made are what the Allegany Artisans offer during their annual Studio Tour.

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There are plenty of "heart stories" among this Wellsville group of artisans, part of the Allegany Artisans who will hold their 23rd Open Studio Tour Oct. 16-17. (Photo provided)

## Dance will open new Miller Theater

ALFRED--Alfred University will present a new piece by The Brian Brooks Moving Company for the opening of the new Miller Theater, part of the Miller Performing Arts Center.

The new theater will be dedicated Oct. 15, and the first performance open to the public will be held at 8 p.m. Oct. 16. The event is free of charge, but reservations are required; they may be made through the Performing Arts Division web site at <http://las.alfred.edu/per...> or by calling the Division of Performing Arts box office at 607.871.2828.

The New York City-based contemporary dance group will perform choreographer Brian Brooks' latest work, "MOTOR," an hour-long piece for seven dancers, set to an original score by composer Jonathan Pratt.

The Brian Brooks Moving Company was selected for the opening performance of the new theater because of an enduring relationship with the dance company, which D. Chase Angier, director of AU's dance program, first brought to campus in 2004, appropriately enough through the Marlin and Ginger Miller Dance Residency Program.

Marlin and Ginger Miller are the benefactors whose gifts have created the Miller Performing Arts Center at the University.

The first phase of the center was opened in 1995. The second phase is the new \$23 million building, which provides Alfred

University's Division of Performing Arts with a state-of-the-art theater.

The production of "MOTOR"

will make full use of the new theater's technical capabilities, Angier noted. Over two miles of cables will be stretched from the back of the stage to the farthest walls of the theater, creating a tunnel-like space that will encompass both audience and performers. Within the space, dancers will wrestle with themselves and one another in sequences that amplify the audience's linear perceptions of time and experience, Angier explained.

Structuring informal movement in a formal way, Brooks builds each of the dancers' movements off the previous one, creating a chain reaction that continues until the show's end.

Pratt, who is an acclaimed composer in the dance community, explores the same notions of continuum and perpetual motion that represent computer/neurological mechanics, and the larger sequence of space time, according to Angier.

New York Times reviewer Gia Kourlas called "MOTOR" "po-tent... as if the dancers were somehow the light at the end of a tunnel." The Times noted "Mr. Brooks is intrigued by the way repetition grows to create a machine of bodies," and that "Pointing their elbows, the dancers etched ornate patterns

onto the air with their arms and, later, hopped from one leg to the other in hypnotic shifts of weight."

"MOTOR" was created, in part, with sponsorship of The Field, with support and funding from the New York State Council on the Arts, and the Dianne and Daniel Vapnek Family Fund, as well as through residencies at Colorado's Green Box Festival and the Mt. Tremper Arts Festival.

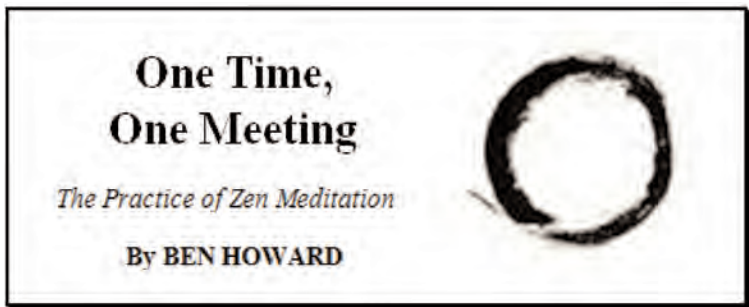
After its first successful residency at AU in 2004, Brian Brooks Moving Company returned in 2005, deepening the students' connection to the company's work through performances, workshops and dialogue.

In 2008, the dance company came back to Alfred, this time for an intensive two-week residency program that inspired Brooks to create his first dance film, "Rapid Still," which catches the choreographer in an illusion of flight. The stop-motion video premiered at the Brooklyn Museum before being launched on YouTube, offering free and unlimited access to a dance work. "Rapid Still" has recently been licensed to the Lincoln Center Institute for the Arts in Education as a work-of-art under study for national and international educators.



BRIAN BROOKS Moving Company will perform at AU.





If you have looked hard at a single object, you may have found that an image of the object lin-gers even after you've looked away.

Such is my experience every morning, when I drink green tea from a small porcelain cup. Sitting cross-legged in a dimly lit room, I pour the tea slowly into the cup. Looking down, I see the cup's white rim, which forms a perfect circle. Looking up, I see that same circle, now in black, projected against the bamboo rug. In its main features the image resembles the enso, or Zen circle—a symbol of enlightenment and absolute reality.

Not all images are so benign, nor is their duration so brief. The poet Ezra Pound famously defined the image as “an intellectual and emotional complex in an instant of time.” And if that image is laden with emotional content, it may be virtually ineradicable. In her poem “Quai d' Or-leans,” Elizabeth Bishop observes barges on the river Seine, comparing their wakes to giant oak leaves, which extinguish themselves on the sides of the quay. Deepening her analogy, Bishop contrasts the disappearance of the wakes with the endurance of human memories, especially memories of loss. “If what we see could forget us half as easily,” she reflects, “as it does itself—but for life we'll not be rid / of the leaves' fossils.”

Zen meditation is essentially a process of stopping and looking. Amidst the multiple dis-tractions of everyday life, the fossilized images in our psyches may well escape notice, but when we sit still, follow our breathing, and have a look at our interior lives, those images often return with a vengeance, bearing their cargo of memories and associations. How, if at all, should we re-pond to them? What, if anything, should we do?

Perhaps the most reflexive response is to pursue the image: to become absorbed in the past. Encountering the image of a barge, for example, I might recall the scenes of my childhood, when I sat for hours on the banks of the Mississippi River, watching the barges pass. Pushed by powerful “towboats,” those massive platforms transported steel, coal, and other freight north to-ward Lock and Dam 13. Viewed from a distance, the barges appeared to be moving slowly, as they rounded the bend and gradually disappeared. But in fact they were moving at a rapid, dan-gerous clip, and boaters were well advised to stay out of their way. Remembering their bulk and speed, I recall that one of my schoolmates, a third-grader named Michael Stone, drowned one night beneath a barge. A few days earlier, I had wrestled with him on the playground.

Such memories haunt us, and it is tempting to pursue them. But to do so is not the way of Zen meditation, whose aim is situate our minds and hearts, vividly and continuously, in the reali-ty of the present moment. The *Bhaddekaratta Sutta* (*Sutra on the Better Way of Living Alone*), a guiding text for Zen practitioners, states this aim directly:

*Do not pursue the past.  
Do not lose yourself in the future.  
The past no longer is.  
The future has not yet come.  
Looking deeply at life as it is  
in the very here and now,  
the practitioner dwells  
in stability and freedom.*

The sutra goes on to explain what is meant by “pursuing the past”:

*When someone thinks about the way his body was in the past, the way his feelings were in the past, the way his perceptions were in the past, the way his mental factors were in the past, the way his consciousness was in the past; when he thinks about these things and his mind is burdened by and attached to these things which belong to the past, then that person is pursuing the past.*

By contrast, when a person thinks about those same things but his mind is neither “enslaved by nor attached” to them, then that person is not “pursuing the past.”

To think about the past without being enslaved by it is a formidable challenge, but there are ways of meeting that challenge. Jack Kornfield, a clinical psychologist and renowned Vipas-sana teacher, advises us to heal the wounds in our psyches by bringing meditative awareness—“that which knows”—to our painful memories. Similarly, Zen master Thich Nhat Hanh urges us to review the past and “observe it deeply” while “standing firmly in the present.” In that way our destructive memories can be transformed into something constructive. In either case, the method is first to ground ourselves in the present, and second, to cultivate a generous, clear awareness, in which images from the past, however troubling or enticing, arrive and last for a while but do not become objects of obsessive thought. Like freighted barges observed from a river bank, they in-terest but do not overwhelm us.

*Ben Howard is Emeritus Professor of English at Alfred University and leader of the Falling Leaf Sangha, a Zen practice group in Alfred. The Falling Leaf Sangha meets every Sunday from 7:30-8:45 pm in room 301 of the Miller Performing Arts Center on the Alfred University campus. Newcomers are welcome. For further information, see [www.fallingleavesangha.blogspot.com](http://www.fallingleavesangha.blogspot.com).*

## Tastings, Treasures, Tunes 2

ALFRED--Tastings, Treasures, and Tunes 2? Yes!

Friends of the Alfred Box of Books Library are offering a repeat of last year's enjoyable gathering for wine tasting, silent auction, and music. The event will be held from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 9 at the Alfred Village Hall Theater.

DeAnna Harriss, of West Side Wines and Spirits, will be on hand not only to pour wine, but also to make suggestions of pairing food with wines. For those not interested in tasting wines, soft drinks will be available. Hors d'oeuvres and savories from the kitchens of several Alfred gourmet cooks will complement the drinks, and Alfred University's Peter O'Connor will provide music.

The silent auction will offer numerous donated items to bid on. Every item will provide a “buy-it-now” price.

Many generous donors have contributed items for the silent auction. Among the very exciting offerings are four black and white lithographs, three of which are of Native American scenes by artist Ira Moskowitz. Always inspired by themes of community and ritual, Moskowitz lived and worked for many years in Taos, New Mexico. One of the most powerful of his lithographs was awarded the First Purchase Prize by the Library of Congress in 1945.

Also included is another lithograph, a race horse print by Mel Hunter. His career in art included magazine, book, and science illustrations, gallery commissions, and lithography, and his work appears in many corporate collections.

Bakelite knives, a gourmet dinner, coupons from various area businesses, jewelry, an architectural consultation, two sculptures, and framed photos are among other contributions as well as ceramics and glass art work from local artists, and various silver items.

This event is a major fundraiser for our local library and will benefit various services provided by the Box of Books. Tickets, which are \$20 per person, are available at the Box of Books Library or from any member of Friends of the Box of Books Library. They also will be sold every Thursday at the Powell Campus Center of Alfred University from 11:30 to 1:30.



## NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

By ELIZA ORDWAY  
Interim Library Director

This year to again save paper and costs the Annual Report to the Community will be provided in a number of formats: a summery report is provided below, with the full report available in pdf format on the Alfred Box of Books Library web page ([www.alfredboxof-bookslibrary.org](http://www.alfredboxof-bookslibrary.org)) and a limited number of printed copies will be available at the library.

### Box of Books Library Summary Report to the Community

2009 proved to be a successful year of steady growth in services. The program sessions offered over the course of the year have increased by almost 10% and program attendance was up by 7%. Adult program attendance has more than doubled in 2009. Circulation of library materials has increased by 19%, and interlibrary loan borrowing increased by an amazing 37%.

### Resource Highlights

- Checked out 19,282 items to library users.
- Registered 128 new library users.
- Provided weekly story times and activities every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, including outreach to the Alfred Montessori School and the Homeschooled Community.
- Provided 1,924 hours of service to the community.
- Encouraged use of the Children's Room as a social gathering place by sponsoring special events, activities, movies, and Wii gaming.
- Added 1,036 items to the collection.
- Processed 432 gifts-in-kind added to the collection.
- Provided a steady stream of popular fiction and non-fiction through the McNaughton leasing service (both hard cover and audio formats) provided by Brodart.

### Program and Service Highlights

- Utilized a Facebook page and a Website for the library to promote events and services.
  - Chosen as one of 3 libraries in Allegany County to participate in the state Library initiative to designate a group of 25-28 libraries as public computing/video conference centers.
  - Approved for Phase I of Gates Broadband Grant; increasing our Broadband width significantly with no increase in cost to member libraries.
  - Increased library hours from 35 to 39 hours per week during the academic year.
- Provided quality library service and programming through the year.
- Conducted 206 programs and story times attended by 1735 area children, youth, and adults.
  - Hosted numerous community events throughout the year.
  - Offered 46 summer program sessions attended by 719 children, youth, and adults.

### BOOK SALE AND YARD SALE UPDATE

What could make a beautiful fall day even better? A fabulously successful book sale. We would like to thank all of the hardworking volunteers who made the book sale a great success. The table movers, the book movers, the book sorters, the cashiers, the break down crew and everyone else who helped with the book sale; we could not have done it with out all of you. The volunteers from Alfred State who helped sort books a few weeks back and helped move and set up on Saturday were amazing and made the sale run so smoothly. Those who donated books we would like to thank you all because with out your donations we would not have much to offer at a sale. I personally want to thank you all again! Eliza Ordway

The Friends of the Box of Books would like to thank Tinkertown Hardware for donating the tent for their yard sale. They would also like to thank all the volunteers who helped to set up, run and breakdown the sale. The items donated were amazing and were much more than last years, so a thanks to all who donated items as well. Overall Saturday proved to be a very good day for the Box of Books and we are very thankful for the support.

### YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

The current state of our work force and economy has left our area in hard times. This is very evident at our local food pantry located in Alfred Station, they are in dire need of food for the shelves. The Box of Books is hoping to help them in their efforts to supply the area families with food for their cabinets, we will be collecting food at the library for the next 2 weeks. Please drop off any canned or boxed goods to the Box of Books during normal business hours. Lets see how much food the Box of Books can donate on October 15th. Monetary donations can also be made to help purchase eggs, milk and bread for the food pantry, made payable to Alfred Area Food Pantry.

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# AU staging 'Betty's Summer Vacation'

ALFRED--"Betty's Summer Vacation," a play by Christopher Durang, will be presented by the Alfred University Division of Performing Arts as the first offering of the 2010-11 theater season.

Winner of four Obie Awards, including best playwriting, "Betty's" has been called a "fierce" comedy which focuses on the tabloid-ization of American culture and is considered by many to be Durang's best play. The play focuses on human nature's interest in horror and gossip.

The production — for mature audiences only — opens Wednesday, Sept. 29 and runs through Saturday, Oct. 2, in the C.D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center. Show times are at 8 p.m.

Cost of admission is \$5 for the general public, \$3 for students and senior citizens, and \$1 for AU students with ID. For tickets and reservations, please call the Division of Performing Arts Ticket hotline at 607.871.2828 or order online at <http://las.alfred.edu/per...> This event is not advisable for children.

Stephen Crosby, professor of theater at AU, is director of "Betty's Summer Vacation." Other members of the production team include Marketa Fantova, assistant professor of theater design, and Tyler Cummins, a senior theater major.

The cast consists of nine Alfred University students: Melanie Baker, a senior theater and English major as Betty; Brit McKinley, a freshman undeclared major as Trudy; Ned Allen, a psychology and communication studies major as Keith; Wayne Cadet, a sopho-

more undeclared major as Buck; Dana Harris, a freshman undeclared major as Mrs. Siezma-graff; and Justin Pietropaolo, a senior English major as Mr. Vanislaw.

Also, three of the cast members will be "voices" for the play: Javier Pritchard, Katie Barlow, and John Hamolsky, all senior theater majors.

An Equity actor, director, and writer, Crosby has worked professionally in New York, Los Angeles, and in regional theaters. In the last few years he has returned to the stage as an actor, playing the role of Scrooge in "A Christmas Carol," and performing and touring Alaska with the Fairbanks Shakespeare Festival. He holds a master of fine

arts degree from Florida State University.

Fantova has a bachelor's degree in scenography from DAMU Theatre Academy of Music Arts, Prague, and a master of fine arts degree in scene design from Wayne State University, Detroit.

Durang is relentlessly entertaining. His plays arouse audiences with hilarity as no subject is sacred, whether it be organized religion, homophobia, psychoanalysis, or parenthood. His imagination, inventiveness, courage and audacity infuse his work with originality which provides audiences with unruly laughter and outlandish amusement.

## Open Mic Oct. 7 in Angelica

ANGELICA--Don and Karen Ash of Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café welcome musicians of all ages and experience levels to a monthly "Acoustic Open Mic" night hosted by Bob and Gena Decker of Belmont.

The monthly event is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 7, and takes place on the "first Thursday" of every month. The café doors open at 6 p.m. for light meals, desserts and espresso drinks. Music will begin at 7 p.m. as Bob and Gena kick off the evening playing a few songs. They'll then introduce other performers in the order in which they signed in. These players will be invited to perform up to three songs of their own. There is no fee to participate and no cover charge. The café will close at 10 p.m.

According to the Deckers, "We have been absolutely blown away every month by the variety of talents that are displayed at the Black-Eyed Susan Open Mic Nights. Not only are the performers diverse in what they bring, the people that come just to listen are extremely polite and responsive, making the performers feel like they're in their own living room. We hope that more and more varieties of acts continue to show up and make Black Eyed Susan the place to be on the first Thursday of each month. AND, there is no place that serves such a fantastic menu...Black-Eyed Susan brings the best in music, comfort and fine cuisine."

For more information, please visit [www.black-eyed-susan.com](http://www.black-eyed-susan.com) or phone 585-466-3399.



**PETER COLLIN of Portageville plays high-energy acoustic guitar in the style of Michael Hedges and Leo Kottke on Sat., Oct 2nd at Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café.**

## Peter Collin of Portageville to play at Angelica cafe

ANGELICA--Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café welcomes Peter Collin of Portageville on Saturday, Oct 2 at 7:30 p.m.

Pete's virtuoso guitar work on both 6- and 12-string instruments has earned him praise as one of the finest finger pickers in the area. Influenced by such artists as Michael Hedges and Leo Kottke, Peter's style combines the best of acoustic rock, folk, blues, and popular contemporary music.

Don Ash of Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café comments, "Pete says he likes to add pretty songs to his repertoire. He handles those sweet melodies with a very gentle touch. One of my favorites is his take on Norah Jones' 'Don't Know Why'. Lest you think he's a lightweight be advised that he also excels at work by Leo Kottke, Michael Hedges, John Fahey and J. S. Bach. Pete is a well-rounded guitar player!"

Black-Eyed Susan is open all day Saturday, from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. for lunch, dinner, specialty coffees and desserts, with music beginning at 6 p.m. There is no cover charge, but guests are expected to contribute to the musician's tip jar. Reservations for dinner -- while never necessary -- are strongly encouraged.

### Coming Events at Black-Eyed Susan:

**THURSDAY, October 7, 2010**

**ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC NIGHT** hosted by Bob & Gena Decker. 7:00-10:00 p.m. All are welcome. Free admission. Café will open at 6:00 for light meals, espresso, desserts. Come out to hear some of the finest acoustic music Allegany County has to offer, in a casual, welcoming atmosphere.

**SATURDAY, October 9, 2010**

Swing and folk music by MARIA GILLARD 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Maria's compelling voice draws you into the lyrics which, when combined with memorable melodies, head straight for the heart. Her music has been described as soul stirring, evocative, contagious, lively and energizing.

Black-Eyed Susan is located at 22 West Main Street in Angelica's Park Circle National Historic District. Guests can dine in with a beautiful view of Park Circle, al fresco on one of the porches, or have a meal delivered to their home or workplace. Menus are posted on-line.

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café seats 90 and is fully handicapped-accessible, making it a perfect place for business meetings, showers, private dinners and other events. For more information call 585-466-3399 or visit [www.black-eyed-susan.com](http://www.black-eyed-susan.com).

# Jim Page to perform in Wellsville

WELLSVILLE--Jim Page will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 2, at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Come early for dinner (served 5-9 p.m.). Tickets are \$12 advance purchase/\$14 at door. Member tickets are \$10 advance purchase/\$12 at door. Jim will also be holding a Songwriter's Workshop in the afternoon from 3 - 4:30. Cost is \$25 (which includes a ticket to the evening show). Tickets may be purchased online at [www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com) or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000.

Born and raised in California, Jim Page began his singing and songwriting career in the 1970s on the streets of Seattle, creating topical, sometimes satirical songs that provoke thought and action among his listeners. Page, a youthful 60, has been compared to Bob Dylan and Woody Guthrie. Early in his busking career, he received a ticket for singing on the streets of Seattle, a watershed event that led to his campaign to get busking legalized in Seattle.

Jim has been on the scene for more than twenty years and his reputation continues to grow. Often cited for his biting political pieces he is in constant demand by the social movements of the day. Over the years, Page has shared stages with Emmylou Harris, J.J. Cale, Bonnie Raitt, John Hammond and many other musicians.

"Jim's been writing great topical songs for as long as I can remember, bringing his acute wit and wry humor to a host of subjects that can really use



both. In the tradition of Woody and Dylan, he cuts right to the heart with music you actually enjoy listening to. I'm a longtime admirer."

-- Bonnie Raitt

"More reminiscent of the Woody Guthrie I heard as a boy than anyone I've listened to in the intervening years."

- Philip Elwood, San Francisco Examiner  
"Jim Page's songs get right to the point. He looks at the world clearly and reports what he sees with compassion, humor and a biting sense of irony. And boy! can he sing and play. If you're ever going to get the message, this is the messenger to get it from."

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Music

**BANDS/DJs**  
**Alfred Village Band** offers concerts at 7:15 p.m. Wednesdays during July at the Alfred Village Bandstand. First rehearsal for the band will be at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 16 in the Andover Central School Band Room, with Michael Shoales directing. For any questions or concerns, please e-mail Nancy Luger at: lugerna@yahoo.com or call her at 607-587-9449.

**Angelica Sweet Shop** 44 West Main St., Angelica. Angelica Sweet Shop open Mon.-Wed. 10-2, Thurs-Fri. 10 a.m.-9 pm; Sat.-Sun. 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Scrabble played Thurs. evenings 6-9 p.m. Live music out front 4-6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 29 featuring Dark Road Duo (Blues, bluegrass, folk and old-time country) For more info, call 585-466-7070 or e-mail info@angelicasweetshop.com

**Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe** 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open Mon.-Fri. 11-2 for lunch, parties, espresso, desserts; Saturdays 4:30-11 pm with music, dinner, espresso & desserts. Aug. 28--Talia Segal; Sept. 4--Jim Clare. **Acoustic Open Mic Night** Thursday, Sept. 2 (1st Thursday of every month from 7-10 pm; Cafe opens for light meals at 6 pm). For more info, call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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

**Maple City Bowl**, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday Night 9 pm-1 a.m.; Saturday night bands from 9 pm-1

a.m. Aug. 28--Lucky #. For updates, check www.maplecity-bowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Sept. 25--Gurf Morlix; Oct. 2--Jim Page; Oct. 22--Guy Davis; Nov. 6--Bill Kirchen Band Hammer of the Honkey-Tonk Gods For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

**Wellsville Performing Arts Orchestra.** Musicians and music lovers who want to be patrons are invited to call Judith Belin at 585-593-0118 or Elsie Swarts at 607-478-8319 for more information.

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

**Genesee Valley Chorus.** Weekly rehearsals 7 pm Tuesdays at Shepherd of the Valley Church on Fasset Lane, Wellsville. New members welcome. For further information, call 716-593-3173.

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

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

**COFFEEHOUSES**  
Coffeehouse live entertainment periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred. Open Mic Night Wednesdays.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays, Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays, Open Mic Night on Thursdays. For more info, visit:

www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

**CONCERTS/RECITALS**  
**The Cool Kids** in concert 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 3 at Davis Gym. \$5 admission. Sponsored by AU SAC.

**Dez Cordas** will be in concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 19 in Howell Hall on the AU campus.

**Joe Driscoll** will be in concert at 10 p.m. Friday, Oct. 1 at the Knight Club, PCC, AU campus.

**Three Sopranos and a Pianist.** Sopranos Christine McMasters, Luanne Crosby, Laurie Tramuta and pianist Adam Potter offer an evening of trios, duets, solo vocal works from opera to musical theater at 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 27 in Howell Hall, AU campus.

**The Underscore Orkestra** will be in concert at 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 4 in Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall, AU campus. Free.

**Zeus** will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 11 in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center.

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

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



Theater & Dance

**COMEDY**  
**Comedian Andrew Kennedy** will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, August 28 at Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall.

Comedian Hasan Minhaj will

perform at 10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 17 in Knight Club, PCC, AU campus.

**Comedian Nore Davis** will perform Friday, Nov. 5 on the AU campus. Time and place to be announced.

**Friday Night Live.** AU student comedy troupe. Performances scheduled Friday, Sept. 24 and Friday, Nov. 12. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

**Pirate Theater.** AU student comedy troupe. Performances scheduled Sept. 11 and Oct. 23. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

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

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

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

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

**Alfred Community Theatre** (ACT). Organized to revive summer theater in Alfred and to help in the restoration of the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater. ACT is now preparing for its annual Pantomime to be performed in January. For more info, call Dave Snyder at 587-8110.

**PERFORMANCES**  
**Knight Owls: Dance Club** 12 a.m.-3 a.m. Friday night, Sept. 3 at Knight Club, PCC, AU campus. \$2 admission. Must present AU ID for admission. No entry or

re-entry after 1 a.m.

**Betty's Summer Vacation** will be staged by AU Performing Arts students 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29 thru Saturday, Oct. 2 in the CD Smith Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center.

**Alfred Community Theatre** will present its annual British pantomime at a date to be determined in January 2011. Read the SUN for updates.



Art/Galleries

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

**Allegany Arts Association Summer Arts Festival.** Free to youth in Allegany County. To register for any of the following, call 585-808-0385. ages 8&up.

**Artist Knot.** 36 Main Street, Andover. Current Exhibit: "A I See It" Art works by A. Thomas O'Grady going on now till October 28th Free Admission. Gallery Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10 am -5 pm, Thursday 10am - 7 pm & Saturday 10 am - 3 pm Closed Sundays, Mondays and Holidays. (607) 478-5100.

**Fountain Arts Center,** 48 Schuyler St., Belmont.

**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.

**Southern Tier Fiberarts Guild,** founded in 1983, meets at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville, on the first Saturday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. except months of July and

Sept. The group welcomes spinners (and wannabes), quilters, knitters, crocheters, embroiderers, weavers, dyers, basket makers, hookers (rug hookers, that is) and everyone with a creative mind and an interest in fibers. For more information, call Debbie MacCrea at 607-587-9270, Carol Wood at 607-587-9519 or T.C. Gary at 585-593-4799.

**MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS**  
**Americana Manse.** Tours at the Americana Manse, Whitney-Halsey Mansion, Inc. in Belmont. Call 585-268-5130. Tours for groups at special rate. \$4.00 adults.

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

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

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

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

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

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**The Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art at Alfred.** Due to nearby construction, the SJIMCA gallery space is currently closed. For information about scheduling a small group tour, please visit our website or call. For more information, call the Museum at 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: [www.ceramicsmuseum.alfred.edu](http://www.ceramicsmuseum.alfred.edu)

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## Lectures/Readings

**Alfred Lions Club** Monthly Programs. 8 to 8:45 p.m. 2nd and 4th Thursdays at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse. No reservations needed. Public invited to attend, free of

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**AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series.** Held at 12:10 p.m. Fridays in Roon Lecture Hall of Science Center, AU campus, during fall semester when classes are in session.

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

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

**Baker's Bridge Historical Association.** Meets 7:30 p.m. third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. 2010-11 Programs include: Oct. 18--Betsy Brooks "Birding in Allegany County"; Nov. 15--Sherry Volk, "Letter Box Project"; Dec. 13--Elliott & Jessen Case, "Kinfolk Natural Foods"; Jan. 17--Crystal Dodge, "Pet-Sitting Adventures"; Feb. 21--Matt Mueller, "Life During World War II"; March 21--Craig Braack, "Underground Railroad"; and April 18--Mark Voorheis, "Ethan Lanphear." For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Historian Susan Greene at 587-9488. Visit: [www.bakersbridge.org](http://www.bakersbridge.org)

**Bergren Forum.** 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus, when classes in session. Sept. 23--Heather Zimble-DeLorenzo, "Botswana as a model for a short-term study." Sept. 30--Heather Yanda, "Because Everyone Has A Story to Tell." Oct. 7--Scott Moerschbacher, TBA. Oct. 14--Robert Kruckeberg, "The French Royal Lottery (1776-1793) and the French Revolution: The Rise of Financial Capitalism and Modern Political Culture." Oct. 21--Erin Redmond, "1930s Hollywood and Argentine Literature: Melodrama in Manuel Puig's *Betrayed* by Rita Hayworth." Oct. 28--Brian Arnold, "Lempad, Gamelan, and the West:

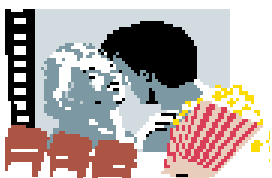
A Study of Modernism and Indonesian Art." Nov. 4--Melissa Ryan, "Enskymnt, Enwildment, Emplacement: In Search of an Authentic Relationship to the Natural World." Nov. 11--Mary McGee, "The Changing American Religions Landscape: Hindu Communities and Temples in the U.S." Nov. 18--Steve Crosby, "A Costa Rica Sabbatical: A Journey of Discoveries." Nov. 25--Thanksgiving. Dec. 2--Stephanie McMahon, "Contemporary Abstract Painting." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea available.

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

**Maple City Garden Club.** Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program follows: Oct. 13--Fall field trip including noon lunch at a restaurant TBA. Nov. 10--"Welcome bats and toads to your garden" with Mary Lu Wells. Dec. 8--"Florida Birds" with John and Sue Babbitt. Jan. 12--"Care of House Plants" with Patsy Flaitz. Feb. 9--TBA with Rick Martin, master gardener. March 9--TBA. April 13--Field trip to Hornell with noon lunch at Country Kitchen and a "behind-the-scenes" visit to Bennett's Greenhouse. May 11--Field trip to Almond with noon lunch at Muhleisen's followed by a visit to Living Acre Farm (CSA). June 8--Plant auction and planning the 2011-2012 program. For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

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

**William B. Hoyt II Visitor Center at Mt. Morris Dam Winter Lecture Series.** All lectures in Visitor Center Atrium at 1 p.m. Saturdays. Free admission. The visitor center is located about 1.7 miles from Mount Morris and 11 miles from Nunda, off State Route 408. For information call 585-658-4790.



## Films

**Alfred Programming Board** Movies held 5:30 & 8 p.m at Pioneer Lounge, ASC campus.

**AU Alternative Cinema**—8 p.m. Saturdays when college is in session.

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**Walk-a-Thon** 9-11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 11 in Downtown Hornell as part of Hornell's "Walk-a-Mile-in-Their-Shoes." For more info, call 871-2175.

**Alfred Century Bicycle Tour.** Saturday, Oct. 2. Registration begins at 7 a.m., ride starts at 8 a.m. at Almond Municipal Building. Historic reenactment of 1895 Bicycle Ride of 100 miles. \$20 to participate. All proceeds benefit Genesee Valley Habitat for Humanity and AU Habitat. For more info, call Dave Snyder at 607-871-2823.

**Roller Skating & Mini Golf.** 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 24 in Davis Gym, AU campus. Skates provided. (No outside skates, please). AU student organizations will create golf holes that reflect their mission and purpose.

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## Support Groups

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

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

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

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

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

**Diabetes Support Group.** Meets fourth Tuesday of the month. Meetings from 3-4:30 p.m. and 6:30-8

p.m. in the meeting room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, North Hornell. For more info, call Judy Griffith at 324-8139.

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

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

**Gastric Bypass Support Group.** Third Wed. of each month 7-8:30 p.m. in Memorial Conference Room, St. James Mercy Hospital. For more info, call Kim Gardner at 776-1146.

**Grief Support Group.** Meets second Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. in the St. James Mercy Hospital Cafeteria Annex. For info, call Brian Diffenbacher at 324-8153.

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

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

**Multiple Sclerosis Support Group.** Meets third Tuesday of each month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Adult Day Care room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, Hornell. For more info, call St. James Mercy Health at 324-8147.

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

## WHAT'S COOKIN'?

**Allegany County Office for the Aging**  
**Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu**  
**Monday, Oct. 4**

Cabbage pineapple salad, Beef Stroganoff over noodles, carrots, banana bread, pudding, diabetic pudding.

**Tuesday, Oct. 5**  
Mandarin orange gelatin salad, meatloaf w/gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, wheat bread, peach kuchen, diabetic peaches.

**Wednesday, Oct. 6**  
Cranberry gelatin salad, roast turkey w/gravy, stuffing, winter squash, dinner roll, frosted pumpkin bars, diabetic pumpkin pudding.

**Thursday, Oct. 7**  
Tossed salad/dressing, lasagna, broccoli, garlic bread, applesauce cake, diabetic applesauce.

**Friday, Oct. 8**  
Chilled juice, macaroni & cheese, stewed tomatoes, green beans, rye bread, lemon mousse, diabetic lemon mousse.  
*For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous day.*

**ALFRED NUTRITION SITE**  
Union University Church Center, 12 noon  
Call Cindy Berry at 607-382-4918.  
**Monday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. Chicken BBQ.  
**Wednesday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon.  
**Thursday**—Lunch at noon.

**BELMONT NUTRITION SITE**  
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.  
Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.  
**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Carry A Tune". Amy Bump--Wellsville Manor Care Center Services.  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Show and Tell."

**BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE**  
Fire Hall 12 noon  
Call Carolyn Hackett at 585-928-2672  
**Monday**—Exercises at 11 a.m., lunch at noon.  
**Wednesday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. Chicken BBQ. Information & Assistance--Erica Blake.  
**Thursday**—Lunch at noon.

**CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE**  
Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.  
**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "TV Theme Songs." Cheryl Czworka--Super Easy, Healthy

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**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at noon. "Tune Trivia." Blood pressure clinic.

**CUBA NUTRITION SITE**  
AAArnold Community Center, 12 noon  
Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397  
**Monday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 11 a.m. Lunch at noon. "Fall Bulletin Board."  
**Tuesday**—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "TV Theme Songs."  
**Wednesday**—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzle at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon. "Current Topics."  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at noon. "Who Are These Girls?"

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

**FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE**  
Community Center, 12 noon  
Call Office for the Aging 585-268-9390  
**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at noon. Crafts at 1:00  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at noon, Crafts at 1:00. Cheryl Czworka--Super Easy, Healthy Meals.

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

**WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE**  
Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Voni Mattison at 315-878-2507.  
**Monday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., lunch at noon. "Dorothy's Puzzle."  
**Tuesday**—Lunch at noon. "Quilt Exhibit Day."  
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# Amandine Club to revisit AU Welcome Center

ALFRED--The first meeting of the Amandine Club will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 7.

Janet Marble, Executive Assistant to the Vice-President of University Relations, will give a history and tour of the home [Alfred University Fasano Alumni Welcome Center] after a brief Welcome and Meeting. The Welcome Center is at the Intersection of Alfred University and SUNY Alfred, at the stop light.

Ladies of the surrounding areas, in Allegany and Steuben Counties, are welcome to come to this function. Hostesses will be Mary Huntington and Amanda Snyder.

Officers for the year 2010-2011 are President Linda Butts, Vice-President Mary Huntington, Secretary Sandy McGraw, and Treasurer Amanda Snyder. Dues for the year are \$10.00.

Amandine Club, named for Amanda Burdick (Mrs. W. C. Burdick) organized a number of ladies in her home (Fasano Alumni Welcome House) for reading and mental improvement.

A Reading Club was organized February 1894 with the name "Amandine" (worthy to be loved) chosen to honor Amanda Burdick. In 1936 Amandine united with the Allen Civic Club.

The Forceythe-Willson Club, formed in 1909, was united with Allen Civic-Amandine Club in 2000. This club will meet Nov 3, Dec 2, 2010, Feb 3, March 3, and April 3, 2011 in the Parish House of the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church. The May 5 meeting will be a luncheon at the newly renovated Belmont Hotel at 1 pm.

## Commander Cody Band to play in Wellsville Oct. 9

WELLSVILLE--The Commander Cody Band will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 9 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Come early for dinner (served 5-9 pm).

Tickets are \$20 advance purchase/\$22 at door. Member tickets are \$18 advance purchase/\$20 at door. Tickets may be purchased online, in advance, at [www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com) or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000.

Look in any book on the History of Rock and Roll and you will find Commander Cody and His Lost Planet Airmen.

The band's founder and leader, George Frayne, took on the stage name Commander Cody as they toured non-stop to a legion of dedicated fans across the globe and back and recorded seven original albums before breaking up in 1977.

"Hot Rod Lincoln" was a Top Ten hit and their album, "Live From Deep in the Heart of Texas" was featured in Rolling Stone Magazine as one of the best 100 albums of all time.

Other classic Commander Cody songs include "Smoke, Smoke, Smoke (That Cigarette)," "Lost in the Ozone", "Rock That Boogie", "Seeds and Stems" and "Too Much Fun."

The band's history could cover pages as could a list of the musicians that moved through it's ranks.

Today's incarnation consists of Steve Barbuto (drums/vocals), Mark Emrick (lead guitar and vocals), Chris "Tiny" Olson (pedal steel), Randy Bramwell (bass) and features the old Commander himself behind the piano, leading the musical mayhem and controlled chaos, and sporting his legendary antics and ability to spark up even the toughest crowds.

This new edition of the band harks back to the instrumental virtuosity and spontaneity of the original band, and the response from critics and crowds has been overwhelmingly positive.

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THE LATE EVELYN THOMAS (left) is shown here with Janet Marble and a photograph of early Amandine Club members and a membership list in front of the William Burdick residence, now the Alfred University Welcome Center at the Fasano House. The photo was taken during a tour of the house in October 2007. The club will visit again for their first meeting Oct. 7.

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*Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher*

**FIFTY YEARS AGO, SEPTEMBER 28, 1960**

**Approximately 50 Scouts**, parents and friends were present at a Court of Honor held at the Alfred Rod and Gun Club Monday evening, as 20 Scouts of Troop 19 were awarded advancement in rank. The ceremonies were conducted by Scoutmaster Warren Bouck, assisted by Neighborhood Scout Commissioner George Gregory, and William Woodruff, a member of the Scout Advancement Committee. Senior Patrol Leader Lynn Bouck performed the Investiture Ceremony for Tenderfoot Scouts with Greg Rounds and Carl Norton being formally received into the Troop. Gary Briggs and Jeff Smith who have also completed the requirements were unable to be present...

**For the first time** in two years, they were celebrating a football victory at Alfred today as the Saxons looked to their meeting with Union, Saturday, at Schenectady. The famine—it had extended over 11 games since the third contest of the 1958 season—ended last Saturday when the Saxons spotted Cortland a first period touchdown and then came on to win, 20-7...

**The congregation** of the Phillips Creek Methodist Church held its annual Homecoming Day and 110th anniversary on Sunday, September 25th with about 150 persons attending. The program in the church consisted of a re-enactment of a wedding which had taken place in the church in 1905. Members of the congregation took the parts in the wedding as follows: Robert Allen as the Rev. Mr. Sweeten; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walters as Andrew White and Gertrude Harding, the bride and groom. George Allen as Lester Harding, father of the bride; John Saxton as Lester Harding Jr., Best Man; Vicki Ide, as Lula Easton, maid of honor; Bridesmaid was Roberta Webster; Ring Bearer, Paul Decker; Flower Girl, Barbara Ide; Usher, Joseph Decker Jr.; Mrs. Beverley Saxton soloist, sang "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Audrey Decker sang "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms." A brief history of the church and village was read by Mrs. Jean Decker...

**Alfredians**—Alfred residents who attended the Phillips Creek Methodist Church homecoming Sunday were Mrs. Sadie Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Phillips, Mrs. Ernest Snyder, Mrs. Esther Sadler, Miss Flora Burdick, Clarence Jacox, Mrs. Evea Potter and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snyder...Mrs. Nellie Turck returned from Bethesda Hospital, Saturday. She had been a patient there for several days...Mrs. Raymond O. Hitchcock is recovering from a recent injury to her foot, incurred while on a recent visit. She is still confined to her home...Dr. and Mrs. Winfield F. Randolph and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haswell at Syracuse...In a recent dog show at Watertown, "Zsa-Zsa," a standard poodle owned by Mrs. Richard Fenner, placed third in the obedience trial.

**Almond News**—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hadsell spent Sunday evening with her mother Mrs. Ella Clarke of Alfred Station...Mrs. Mable McIntosh spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Makeley in Karr Valley...Mrs. Ellareen Rigby entertained at her home on Saturday in honor of her twin daughters' birthdays. The guests of honor were Mrs. Robert Newman and Mrs. Robert Lewis. Other guests present were Robert Lewis and family of Arkport, Robert New and family, Mrs. Hazel Willey of Hornell, Mrs. Edith Mack of Dansville, Mrs. Beth Stephens and daughters of Hornell, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rigby and daughter Debbie of Almond...Mrs. Kenneth Stuart, Michael Stuart, Linda Brownell, Sandra Francisco, Janice Burdett attended a planning conference and overnight retreat for the Steuben-Elmira Presbytery held at Camp Whitman on Seneca Lake last Friday and Saturday...Kathy Stuart was a Friday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brownell while her mother was away...The Misses Beverly Allen, Virginia Gillette, of Almond, Joyce Claire and Mig Pierce of Alfred attended the Cortland-Alfred football game at Cortland, Saturday.

**Alfred Station**—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis and family were dinner guests Saturday of the Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Fatato and children at Little Genesee...Mrs. Arthur Burdick and Norma spent the weekend at their cottage on Lake Demmon...Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Burdick were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cook and family at Wellsville Saturday...Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ormsby and children spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs.

Weldon Cook and family at Wellsville Saturday...Burr Woodruff of Canton, Pa. was a Wednesday overnight guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Woodruff...

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, SEPT. 26, 1985**

**Alfred-Almond Central School** has been notified by National Merit Scholarship Corporation that five students have been designated Commended Students in the 1986 Merit Program. Secondary Principal Richard Nicol announced today that Steven L. Conde, Ann F. Dropers, Amy L. Gignac, Jason W. Rausch and Alan R. Weaver will each receive a Letter of Commendation in honor of outstanding academic promise, demonstrated by placing in the top 5% of more than one million participants in the 31st annual National Merit Scholarship Program...

**Buddy Rich and his Band** with the "big band sound" will highlight Parents' Weekend at Alfred University Saturday, Sept. 28 at McLane Center. The internationally-acclaimed musician has been a star since the age of 18 months when he appeared in his parents' vaudeville act...

**The late Howard W. Gunlocke** received a posthumous honor from the American Library Trustee Association for his lifelong commitment to libraries during a ceremony Sept. 18 at the annual meeting of the Southern Tier Library System in Corning. Gunlocke was president for 37 years of the W.H. Gunlocke Chair Co., Wayland, a firm founded by his father. After retiring in 1971, he devoted much of his energy toward constructing a library building in Wayland and also toward bolstering campus libraries at Alfred University and Georgetown University. The award was given to Gunlocke's son, William H. Gunlocke of Cleveland, OH. In turn, William presented plaques to representatives from the three libraries which most benefited from his father's generosity. Accepting the award for Alfred University was June E. Brown, librarian, Herrick Memorial Library. In 1979 Gunlocke's contribution to Herrick Memorial Library helped to develop and complete the classical American authors collection...Gunlocke served as an Alfred University trustee for 18 years, from 1954-1972. He was recipient of an honorary doctor of laws degree from Alfred University.

**(Photo) Receiving plaques** at the annual meeting of the Southern Tier Library System in Corning were June E. Brown, librarian, Herrick Memorial Library at Alfred University, Joseph Jeffs, director of the Joseph Mark Lauinger Memorial Library at Georgetown University; and Agnes Mazzola of Wayland Free Library.

**Rev. David Jones**, founder of the Harvest Center in Prattsburg, died August 22, 1985 at a nursing home in Lynchburg, VA. In 1980 he helped form the Faith Chapel Baptist Church in Corning. And while in this area, he was state-wide chaplain for migrant workers. The Harvest Center, located in his home in Prattsburg, became food and clothing distribution center for migrants who were left nearly destitute after potato growing was abandoned in that area...

**Dr. William L. Downey**, 56, of Camp Hill, PA., died Thursday, Sept. 12, 1985 in Harrisburg, PA. Dr. Downey was the Northeast Regional Epidemiologist for Brucellosis for the United States Department of Agriculture for 30 years...He was instrumental in the eradication of the Avian Influenza outbreak in 1984 and was awarded a certificate of merit. He is survived by his wife Judith Burdick, Camp Hill; two sons, Thomas of Hagerstown, MD and Michael, at home; two sisters, Mary Wilby and Patricia Forand of Enfield, CT; two brothers, Laurence Downey and Eugene Downey, also of Enfield. He is also survived by a grandson, Brian Patrick, of Hagerstown, MD...

**Alfredians**—Dr. and Mrs. Winfield Randolph have returned from a summer spent at their Augur Lake camp...Amy Wenslow is a junior at the Philadelphia College of Art. She is majoring in metals and jewelry design...Barrett G. "B.G." Potter (AU '85) is now at the University of Florida where he is working toward a master's degree. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Barrett and Beverly Potter...Elizabeth S. Goodridge is the editor-in-chief of the FIAT LUX, the campus newspaper at Alfred University. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lyndon Goodridge of Alfred...John Spyralatos (AU '85) left for Greece on Sept. 2. He will be attending the University of Silongs, where he will study economics and the Greek language. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alekos Spyralatos...Rev. Russell Johnson of Verona is the new

president of the S.D.B. General Conference. He is a former pastor of the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church...

**Nuts About Almond**—Doug Petric is now working as librarian at the Watkins Glen Middle School... Rev. and Mrs. Henry Rood have returned from a pleasant trip out West. In Bozeman, Montana, they visited Mrs. Rood's nephew, Steve Wheeler, who traveled with them to Yellowstone Park and Lewis and Clark Caverns. In Boulder, CO they visited Mr. Rood's son, David Rood, his wife, and their six-month-old daughter, Jennifer. There they also went to the National Center for Atmospheric Research and learned about such phenomena as sun dogs and double rainbows.

**THE DUGOUT**—Top Five USFL Candidates: 1) Buffalo 2) Tampa Bay 3) Atlanta 4) New Orleans 5) Philadelphia.

**TEN YEARS AGO, SEPTEMBER 28, 2000**

**From Alfred Sun Sept. 28, 1950**—Ninos Buys Collegiate. Mike Ninos, 57, Alfred restaurateur, will add a third restaurant tomorrow to the local "chain" of two which he already controls. The owner of the University Diner here since April 1949, Ninos has purchased the Collegiate Restaurant, less than a block away. On Sept. 16 he took over the management of the cafeteria at the New York State Agricultural and Technical Institute. Ninos bought the business and equipment of the Collegiate from Nicholas Moraitis, who had run it for many years. The purchase price was not announced. Moraitis said that he sold because of failing health and said he expects to go south for a rest. "After that my plans are not definite," he added. John Ninos, 22, will become the manager of the Collegiate, leaving the management of the Diner to his brother, William, age 30. The father has taken over as head of the Ag-Tech cafeteria. "We thought we had all we could handle at the Diner," John commented, "But we got good offers and we took them." The Ninos and Moraitis families were very close friends on the Island of Milos, Greece, their native country. The senior Ninos has been in this country 22 years, most of it spent in the restaurant business. He was joined by his son William 12 years ago and by John three and a half years ago. Moraitis has been in American about 40 years.

**Dr. John Anderson**, vice president for academic affairs at Alfred State College, has announced the addition of several new faculty members to his division...Dexter J. Davis...Bruce E. Fuller...Dr. Frank Atuahene...Loren Gibson...Benjamin Richards...Susan Betz Jitomir.

**As Y2K marches** into autumn, preparations are underway for the 13th Annual Allegany Artisans Open Studio Tour to be held Oct. 14-15 from 10 to 5. Twenty-two artisans this year will hold open houses at their studios scattered throughout Allegany County...

**The town of Almond** has probably noticed a lovely black Labrador Retriever sporting a bright blue jacket around town for the past 18 months. This puppy is a potential guide dog from Guiding Eyes for the Blind in Yorktown Heights. Mimmi is being raised by the Bill Baker family in what is called a puppy raising program. The Bakers picked up Mimmi from Guiding Eyes for the Blind when she was only eight weeks old. They have taught her house manners, socialized her and done obedience training with her...

**(Photo) Alfred Bikers** trying to decide whether to view the Washington Monument or read their favorite newspaper. Can you locate or identify Bill and Pat LaCourse, Bob and Barb Baker and Jon and Therese LeGro?

**The Schein-Joseph** International Museum of Ceramic Art at Alfred University will present a special exhibition titled Glidden Pottery that will feature the unique stoneware bodied dinnerware and artware that was produced in Alfred, New York from 1940 to 1957. The exhibition, curated by Dr. Margaret Carney, director of the museum, will be on view April 12-Sept. 27. The Museum is located in the Ceramic Corridor Innovation Center on Route 244 just north of the village of Alfred. Glidden Parker, founder of the highly successful pottery, was a resident in the summer school program at the New York State College of Ceramics in Alfred from 1937-1939 where he studied under the designer Don Schreckengost. While many attributed the success of Glidden Pottery to the genius of Glidden Parker alone, the true genius lay in his ability to select colleagues to work with who served as designers, mold makers and decorators...



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# Alfred Station SDB Church cancels Sabbath services

ALFRED STATION--There is no Sabbath School; There is no Worship Service at the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "A 3 C church: Connect - Care - Community" this Sabbath (Saturday) Oct. 2. "What did you say.?" That's correct NO Services.

This Sabbath our congregation moves its services to join our brothers and sisters at the Fall meeting of the Seventh Day Baptist Churches of the Allegheny Association.

This meeting is being held at the First Seventh Day Baptist

Church of Hebron, Hebron, PA. Coming together in these meetings will be congregants from the First Seventh Day Baptist Church of Hebron, First Seventh Day Baptist Church of Toronto, First Seventh Day Baptist Church of Genesee, First Seventh Day Baptist Church of Alfred and our own Alfred Station Seventh Day Church. These meetings are open to the public and you are invited to join us.

Foe further information you may call the church office at 607-587-9176.

## THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, September 30

Abraham Lincoln has been called "the theologian of American anguish," and surely no one wrestled with the spiritual aspects of the dreadful conflict more than he--as this private meditation, written on this day in 1862, attests:

"The will of God prevails. In great contests each party claims to act in accordance with the will of God. Both may be, and one must be, wrong. God cannot be for and against the same thing at the same time. In the present civil war, it is quite possible that GOD's purpose is something different from the purpose of either party; and yet the human instrumentalities, working just as they do, are of the best adaptation to effect His purpose."

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By AIMEE STECKOWSKI  
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Fall is upon us and as you pull out your boxes and totes of fall decorations and fall clothing and prepare for the cooler weather and the leaves changing - start

sorting out the fall dishes, fall decoration items, clothing, accessories and more to consign at Julie's.

They are now accepting new consignors. Currently being accepted is: fall and winter clothing, jewelry, scarves, purses, hats, holiday décor items, household wares and small pieces of furniture. You can call Julie at: 585-610-2199 for an appointment.

## Alfred Area Church Directory

**ALFRED-ALMOND AREA**  
**HORNELL ALFRED UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY**--Meets twice monthly on Saturday afternoons. For more information, call 478-8676 or 698-4508.  
**ALFRED-ALMOND BIBLE CHURCH**--Rt. 21, Almond. Pastor John Prince, Pastor Charlie Emerson. Sunday School 9:30 am, Sunday Worship 10:30 am. Sunday Evening 6 pm. Mid-week Home Groups 7:30 pm. Phone 607-533-2500. www.aabible.org.  
**ALFRED ASSEMBLY OF CHRISTIANS**--Remembrance of the Lord in the Breaking of Bread, Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Family Bible Hour at 11; Gothic Chapel, corner of Ford & Sayles, Alfred. Bible Study 8 p.m. Fridays in Almond. Call 276-6380 or e-mail lookup@frontiernet.net for more information.  
**ALFRED RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (QUAKERS)**--6 W. University St., Alfred, (a sign will be present in front of the building during meetings). Worship 10:30 a.m. Classes for children during worship. Child-care available. For more information, phone 607-587-9454, visit our website: www.alfredfriends.org or write: info@AlfredFriends.com  
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**ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES**--Rt. 21, Almond. Pastor Everett Hasper. Sunday 10 am & 6:30 pm. 324-4850.  
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**ALMOND UNION OF CHURCHES**--11 Main St., Almond. Rev. G. Stephen Dyger, Pastor. A joyful, welcoming and compassionate multi-denominational church seeking God's truths for today's world. Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 11a.m. Prayer Group Wednesday 9 am at 39 Main St., Almond. Call 276-6151 for more information.  
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**HILLEL AT ALFRED**--Friday night services 6:30 pm at Melvin Bernstein Hillel House, 18 S. Main St., when AU is in session. Add'l services & programs throughout the year. For more info, contact Larry Greil (871-2215 work or 587-8694 home) or Barbara Greil (587-4313 work).  
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**ANDOVER UNITED METHODIST**--33 E. Greenwood St. Pastor Peggy Knopf. Worship service 11 am, Sunday School 9:45 am.  
**BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH**--1 Church St., Andover. Father Sean DiMaria, Pastor. Weekend Mass Sunday 9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass Tuesday, 9:00 a.m. Office phone: 607-478-8885; Rectory phone 607-276-5304.  
**CHENUNDA CREEK FELLOWSHIP**--Mennonite congregation of believers in the Town of Independence, five miles south of Andover. Sunday School 9:30, Worship 10:45 a.m. Pastor Stephen Richard 585-610-0166. Church phone 478-5277.  
**CHRISTIAN TEMPLE**--99 Maple Ave., Wellsville, Rev. Anna Shirey, Pastor. Worship 10:45 a.m., Sunday School Pre K-Adult 9:30 a.m.  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**--Corner of Elm & Church Streets. Pastor Frank Troutman. Sunday School 9:45 am, Morning Worship 11 am.  
**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**--E. Greenwood St., Andover. Worship Service 10 am. Rev. Dean R. Bembow, Pastor.  
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Clothing drop-off of tagged items will begin Sept. 28 - Oct. 16. Sale dates for Newborn - Size 5 & Maternity will be: Oct. 6-9. Sizes 6 - 16: Oct. 13-16. For pricing information, consignment guidelines and more, check their website at: www.juliesconsignment.com, stop by the store during open hours or call Julie at: 585-610-2199.

**November Event: Book Swap**  
Julie's Cottage will host a Book Swap! Between Nov. 3-12, you can drop off up to 30 books to be set up for the Saturday, Nov. 13 swap date. There will be no money exchanged during this swap, but they do request that each attendee bring canned goods to be donated to the local Food Pantry and Well-spring Ministries of Angelica. Julie's Consignment Cottage is open 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday- Friday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays. Be sure to check their brand new website out for more details and upcoming events: www.juliesconsignment.com.

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# Alfred University engineering professor to receive professional achievement award

ALFRED - Olivia Graeve, associate professor of materials science and engineering in the Kazuo Inamori School of Engineering at Alfred University, has been selected to receive the Karl Schwartzwalder-Professional Achievement in Ceramic Engineering Award at the upcoming Materials Science & Technology Conference in Houston, Texas, Oct. 17-19.

Graeve earned a bachelor of

science degree in structural engineering from the University of California-San Diego and a Ph.D. in materials science engineering from the University of California-Davis.

Her current research focuses on the design and fundamental understanding of new synthesis and sintering processes that have the potential for delivering nanostructured materials. These materials can be used in a vari-

ety of engineering applications, including both structured and functional.

Graeve has served on numerous committees. As a member of the American Ceramic Society she served as treasurer of the Northern California section from 2000-08, chairman of the Annual Poster Competition and Dinner Meeting for Northern California (2003-05) and is currently co-chair of programming of the Basic Science Division. She is also a member of the Materials Research Society, Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers, and the Sociedad Mexicana de Materiales, A.C.

Some of Graeve's recognitions include the Best Paper Award from the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers in 2009, the CAREER Award from the National Science Foundation in 2007, and the Hispanic Educator of the Year Award presented by the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers in 2006.

## Environmental Studies Seminar continues with David Patrick talk

ALFRED—David Patrick, director of the Center for Adirondack Biodiversity and assistant professor of fisheries and wildlife science in the School of Natural Resources at Paul Smith's College, will host the next Environmental Studies Seminar at Alfred University with a discussion titled "Why We Find What We Find Where We Find It: Scale and Applied Ecology."

The lecture will take place on Friday Oct. 1, at 12:20 p.m. in Roon Lecture Hall (Room 247), the Science Center, on the Alfred University Campus. The public is invited; admission is free.

Patrick's research and teaching focuses on conservation biology and wildlife management with a focus on population biology and landscape ecology. He is particularly interested in un-

derstanding the effects of habitat change on populations of biodiversity, and developing realistic approaches to mitigation through collaborating with stakeholders.

His current research projects include understanding the effects of climate change on a cold-adapted amphibian, the mink frog, and developing education and outreach programs as a part of the Adirondack All-Taxa Biodiversity Inventory. He is also part of a group sponsored by National Geographic working to understand the effects of harvesting on endemic chameleons in the Tanzanian rainforest.

The Environmental Studies Seminar series at Alfred University is held every Friday during the fall semester when the University is in session.

## Influenza Clinics underway throughout various Allegany County locations

BELMONT--The Allegany County Department of Health will be holding Seasonal Influenza Clinics starting Tuesday, Sept. 28 at various sites throughout Allegany County. Remember you cannot get influenza from the flu shot. The vaccine is made from killed or inactivated influenza viruses, which render it incapable of causing infection.

WHO: All people 6 months of age and older should get the influenza vaccine. It is important to REMEMBER that:

- Influenza is spread by coughing, sneezing, direct physical contact (e.g., handshakes), contact with objects such as doorknobs, hand rails, and telephones.
- Individuals are contagious for 1-4 days before the onset of symptoms and about 5 days after the first symptoms.
- About 50% of infected individuals do not have any symptoms but are still contagious.
- Good health habits are extremely important in the prevention of respiratory illnesses. To prevent the spread of germs:
  - Avoid close contact with people who are sick
  - Stay home from work or school when sick
  - Cover your mouth/nose with a tissue when coughing/sneezing
  - Wash hands frequently
  - Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth
  - Practice good health habits:
    - o Get plenty of sleep
    - o Be physically active
    - o Manage stress
    - o Drink plenty of fluids
    - o Eat nutritious meals
- If you are moderately or severely ill when you are scheduled to receive the vaccine, your health care provider may suggest that you delay receiving the flu vaccine. Should this happen, do not forget to get your vaccine as soon as you are healthy.
- The fee for the vaccine this year will remain at thirty three dollars (\$33.00) per person. However, for those who are eligible, Medicare – Part B will cover this cost.
- All insurances will be billed (please bring insurance cards); sliding scale available if uninsured or underinsured

### WHEN and WHERE

SITE	DATE	TIME
Whitesville Fire Hall	Tuesday, Sept. 28	10am-1 pm
Houghton College	Wednesday, Oct. 6	11am-3 pm
Canaseraga Fire Hall	Thursday, Oct. 7	10am-1pm
Belmont American Legion	Tuesday, Oct. 12	10am-1pm
Alfred Union Univ ChurchCtr	Wednesday, Oct. 13	10am – 1pm
Fillmore Fire Hall	Thursday, Oct. 14	10am-Noon
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# Sunbeams



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Bethany Mix, daughter of Craig and Diane Mix of Almond, is moving to Washington, D.C. to start a new job in graphic design. She will begin in late October. She is the granddaughter of Kay Chapman of Alfred Station and a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School and

James Madison University in Harrisonburg, VA.

Brittany Behling of Hornell attended the Alfred University Summer Institute "How to Get into A Top Art School." Behling is a senior at Alfred-Almond Central School. She is a daughter of William Behling of Hornell and Mrs. Stacy Evans of East Aurora. During the five-day intensive program, students focused on establishing preparation for applying to art school. Topics covered included building a strong portfolio and learning about careers in the arts. The program included portfolio reviews, drawing sessions, a trip to a professional artist's studio and a presentation on different artists' career paths.

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Houghton College has been ranked 102nd out of 252 liberal arts colleges nationwide in The 2010 Washington Monthly College Guide. Among those top colleges and universities located in New York State, Houghton boasts the eighth place spot following institutions such as Colgate, Hamilton College, Vassar College, Barnard College, Skidmore College and others.

With the hormonal and physical changes going on during pregnancy, many pregnant or postpartum women experience back and pelvic pain. The good news is that women do not necessarily have to suffer from this pain. The better news is that help is available at Jones Memorial Hospital. JMH Rehab Services now include enhanced physical therapy services for pregnant and postpartum women. Shanna Winters PT, DPT, has been part of the JMH Rehab team for eight years and has successfully treated a wide variety of patients. The services for postpartum and pregnant women will be expanded to include a special exercise and health education program for women and their infants. For more information on these new services, please contact Shanna Winters PT, DPT at 585-596-4011.

## Fall rabies clinic Saturday, Oct. 2

BELMONT--The Allegany County Department of Health, in conjunction with the Allegany County SPCA, will hold a FREE RABIES CLINIC on Saturday, Oct. 2, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

The rabies clinic will be held at the Belmont Fire Hall on Schuyler Street in Belmont. Only dogs, ferrets, and cats three months and older will be immunized. Please leash your dog and bring your cat or ferret in a pet carrier and/or harness and leash.

You will need to bring your pet's previous rabies vaccination certificate to receive a three-year certificate. If you do not have a previous certificate with you or your pet has not had a previous rabies vaccination, only a one-year vaccination certificate will be given. Please be prepared to clean up after your pets.

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# Codispotis ride Pine Valley Rail Trail in PA

By PAT CODISPOTI  
*Special to the Alfred Sun*

I can’t remember the exact year that my husband and I began riding mountain bikes.

I do know that we were close to 50 and are much older now. We have taken many day trips on bike trails throughout New York, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, DC, and PA but the most exciting are those off road trails that require a couple days or more to complete.

Our first “overnight trip” was on the Erie Canal Trail beginning in Lockport. We rode to Rochester and picked up the Greenway trail heading south to Mt Morris where we ended this trip.

Our second trip was on the Ohio Erie Canal trail from Bolivar, Ohio north to Cleveland, a three day 100 mile trip. The 184 Mile Chesapeake & Ohio Canal trail was our third adventure. We started in Cumberland, Maryland and finished our 4-day trip in Georgetown. The fourth overnight trip was the Allegheny Highlands Trail from Cumberland to just south of Pittsburgh, PA (121 miles). This trail now connects to the C&O Trail but was not open the year before.

We also rode the Old Erie Canal Trail from Dewitt to Rome and back, (a 72 mile round trip) and last year (2009) we rode the Greenway from Genesee Valley Park in Rochester to Cuba, approximately 90 miles on and off the uncompleted trail.

The Pine Creek Trail is our 7th multi-day biking endeavor. About 15 years ago we took a day and rode the Grand Canyon of PA Trail 20 miles south and 20 miles back beginning and ending in Darling Run. To my knowledge this was the only portion of the Pine Creek Rail Trail completed at this time. I remember the trail being incredibly scenic and cringing at the many rattlesnake warning signs along the trail!

In 2001 this portion of the Pine Creek Trail was named as one of the top 10 bike trips in the WORLD by “USA Today”! I also remember being very tired after riding the 40 miles in one day.... Seems like a short trip since we just finished riding 62 miles the first day and 58 the second day on the now completed Pine Creek Rail Trail.

Our recent adventure on the now 62 mile long Pine Creek Rail Trail began in the middle at Slate Run Village. We drove to Slate Run in the morning (an adventure in itself since Slate Run is off the beaten path) and began our ride at about 9:00 AM north towards Wellsboro.

Since we would be riding back to our car, we were lightly

packed with rain gear, lunch, bike necessities, and our camel-backs loaded with water. Generally we carry overnight necessities, adding weight and making the trip a little more difficult.

Although we were actually riding uphill, the grade is only about 2% and barely noticeable. The surface, hard packed crushed gravel made for easy peddling. The morning was reasonably cool. We were enjoying the scenery and stopping to read the few signs along the trail.

**Riding past rattlesnakes**  
Our first stop was at the Rattlesnake Rock Access Area and Comfort Station. There are apparently a lot of rattlesnakes in this area and it was only a little further along the trail that we saw our one!

We actually rode right past a 3 footer resting along the side of the trail. We would not have seen one at all but for the fortune of meeting up with a DCNR worker who had spotted another rattlesnake up in the rocks. That snake was up too high to see well but we did get a good look at the skin he had just shed.

The DCNR worker told us that we had just passed another snake along the trail and walked us back about 50 feet. And there he was... a black timber rattler. If I can believe the warnings along the trail, the timber rattler is rather docile and will not attack unless provoked. Although I did get a picture, I did not venture too close!

**Grand Canyon of PA.**  
Once you get to Blackwell, this portion of the trail is called the Grand Canyon of PA. This is the portion that USA Today rated as one of the top 10 bike trips in the world. It must be breathtaking in the Fall. You are riding along Pine Creek with Mountains on both sides. There is NOTHING along this segment of the trail except remote campgrounds, hiking trails, and a few cabins along the side of the creek. On the way back, we did discover a bike rental in Blackwell where you could buy Gatorade and snacks but that was it!

We must have met 40 or more groups along the trail. Most were on bikes. We did see a few kayaks but in August the water level in the creek was low. We were pleased to see so many people enjoying the trail. This trail is the best constructed and maintained off-road trail that we have experienced.

The northern most terminus is at Wellsboro Junction. After Darling Run, however, the trail leaves Pine Creek and follows Marsh Creek. This portion is much less scenic so we actually turned around in the Village of

Asaph (we explored Asaph but nothing and nobody was around) to begin the trip back to Slate Run. By then we had ridden 31 miles and the temperature was in the low 80’s.

We stopped at Darling Run for a late lunch and rest. Darling Run is one of the better access areas with clean comfort stations, an information hut and plenty of parking. If you were just riding for the day, I would suggest that you begin here.

Between Darling Run and Blackwell there are several comfort stations but no access areas. As I stated previously, this area is isolated. There are no “real” roads coming in or out.

Cedar Run was one of several quick stops on the way back to Slate Run. The Cedar Run Inn was charming and would have also been a good option for our overnight stay. In Cedar Run, there are cabins along the creek, a beach area, a county store and the Inn. After Cedar Run it was only about 5 more miles to the Manor Hotel in Slate Run where we stayed the night. Hotel Manor is in the middle of nowhere but we had a comfortable room, a hot shower and a good meal on the deck of the restaurant overlooking Pine Creek....All the essentials after 62 miles on a bike!

**Morning ride to the south**  
The next morning after breakfast at the Hotel Manor, we headed south to Jersey Shore. The southern portion of the trail took us through more little villages but it is still quite remote. The trail continues along Pine Creek and runs adjacent to Route 414 and 44. There are a lot of seasonal homes and cabins along the creek. Some are surprisingly high-end with tennis courts in the back yard and beach areas along the creek.

Once again we met a lot of people (and dogs) enjoying the trail either on foot or bike. There are more access areas and comfort stations along the southern route but not a lot of opportunities to purchase food or water. Although we continued to search for rattlesnakes, we never saw one after the first day!

Our first major stop was at Waterville, the most populated village along the trail. We took a “coffee break” at the Waterville Inn. The Inn is actually a restaurant and bar but the innkeeper was kind enough to offer us coffee. We agreed to stop there on the way back for lunch. He indicated that they stay busy in the winter with snowmobilers and in the spring with fishermen as well as bikers and campers in the summer.

Once you are within about 5 miles of Jersey Shore, the trail once again leaves Pine Creek

## BIKE TRIP SYNOPSIS

### Day 1

--Arrived at Slate Run after a 2 ½ car ride from NYS  
--Readied our bikes and began our trip at 9:15  
--1st stop was at Rattlesnake Rock Access Area  
57 minutes of riding time  
10:20 AM – ave. speed 9.6 mph  
--Arrived at Darling Run Access Area at approximately 12:50  
--Ave. speed 9.4 mph- riding time 2hr 57 min- 27.8 miles  
--Continued North and turned around at the Village of Asap  
--Returned to Darling Run for rest and lunch at 1:45 PM  
--Ave. speed 9.3 mph-3hrs 40 min on bikes-34.24 miles  
--1st rest stop on return trip was a Tiadaghton. 42.25 miles  
4 hrs 23 minutes riding time – 3:00 PM  
--Stopped at Blackwell for rest and a snack at the bike shop  
5 hrs 13 min on bikes- 51 miles – 4 PM  
--Arrived at Manor Hotel to end our 1st day  
Ave. 9.8 mph-6 hrs 22 min on bikes-5:20 pm- 62.18 miles

### Day 2

--Started ride South to Jersey Shore at 9:00 AM  
--1st stop at Cammal (7.1miles) 69.2 miles-10AM-7hrs 9 min on bikes  
--Rest stop at Waterville-11:00 AM -8hrs 7 min on bikes-78.5 miles- (16.3 miles today)  
--Restarted ride at 11:30 arrived at Jersey Shore the Southern terminus at 12:45- 90.26 miles-ave. speed 9.8 mph – 9 hrs 14 minutes on bikes – 28.8 miles today – 3 hrs 45 minutes to reach Jersey Shore.  
--Started our return trip to Slate Run at 1:05 PM  
--ook a rest Stop at the Venture Inn just outside Jersey Shore – and continued on at 1:45 PM  
--Rest stop at Bonnell Flats comfort station-2:20 PM-on bikes for 10 hrs 3 minutes – 98.15 miles  
--Arrived back to Waterville for lunch at 2:50 Pm for a 35 min break- 101.9 miles- 10 hrs 27 min on bikes-back on the trail at approx. 3:30  
--At 4:25 PM stopped at Cammal Comfort station- 11 hrs 22 min on bikes-110.78 total miles – ave 9.8 mph – 7.1 miles to go!!  
--Arrived at Slate Run at 5:22 Pm – over the entire trip we averaged 9.8 mph – rode a total 118.29 miles and were on our bikes for 12 hours 11 min. during a two day trip that took a little over 16 hours to complete.

and is much less scenic but when you reach Jersey Shore, you are greeted with a state-of-the-art comfort station and other historical information on the development of Pine Creek Valley. We rested here for about 10 minutes and then began the most grueling part of the trip. By then, your seat is NOT comfortable (not that is ever is) and your legs are beginning to feel heavy.

We did stop for lunch in Waterville. We split a sandwich but honestly, neither of us was hungry. It was hot and we were getting tired! The iced tea was refreshing!

By the time we left Waterville,

we were counting down the miles between comfort stations. The last 20 miles was by far the most difficult.... We were saddle sore! But we were not wet (no rain) and no breakdowns!

When we arrived at Slate Run, we went into the Hotel Manor to say good bye and hopped in the car to head for home.... Never has a car seat been as welcomed! We rode 118 miles in 2 days. We were on our bikes for over 12 hours averaging a little less than 10 miles per hour! And I would do it again! Next on our list of is a trail in West Virginia and 200 mile one in Missouri.



## TASTINGS, TREASURES & TUNES TWO

The Friends of BOB (Box of Books library) are planning the second annual wine tasting and silent auction benefiting the library on Saturday evening, October 9, 2010. Alfred’s own Westside Wine and Spirits will provide the wine tasting. Your support last year created an event that was such fun and we hope to have your participation again this year for an equally successful evening.

Your contributions for the auction could take many forms. Below are some suggestions and we are open to any others:

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- A certificate for a scrumptious dessert or dinner to be held in the future
- A piece of china from Aunt Betty you never use
- A lesson in gardening, art, baking
- A weekend at your cottage or cabin
- A ride in a classic car
- A work of art or handcraft
- Sterling flatware or jewelry you hate to polish

We would like to collect these items during the month of September. Pat Edwards, Sharon Burdick and Carlyn Yanda will pick up/receive the donations. Call Pat at 587-8470, Sharon at 587-9344 or Carlyn at 247-4009

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# Timely TD lifts Saxons to 35-28 win at Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, MA--Soph tailback Chris Lopez (Rochester/Pittsford Sutherland) scored on a five-yard run with 38 seconds left to snap a 28-28 tie and give the 23rd-ranked football team (3-0, 1-0 Empire 8) a 35-28 win over host Springfield in the Saxons Empire 8 Conference opener Saturday afternoon.

The timely touchdown capped a nine-play 45-yard drive and helped AU stay unbeaten on the season and in pursuit of defense of its E8 championship.

The score was tied at 21-21 after three quarters before the Saxons took a 28-21 lead on a 10-yard touchdown run by freshman tailback Austin Dwyer (Hornell). Dwyer, who scored

three TDs on the day (two rushing, one receiving), ran for a career-high 168 yard on 22 carries. The Pride came right back on their ensuing possession, marching 61 yards on just four plays, with quarterback Josh Carter scoring on a four-yard run to cap a 1:33 drive.

Both teams exchanged punts before AU took possession at the Springfield 45-yard line with 4:21 left in the game. The Saxons converted a pair of crucial fourth down tries on the drive. Junior linebacker Nick Clark (Canisteo-Greenwood) rushed for three yards on a fourth-and-one play at the Springfield 35. Then, on fourth-and-10 at the Pride 35, junior quarterback

Tom Secky (Bemus Point/Maple Grove) completed a 28-yard pass to sophomore wideout Andre McCloud (Bath/Haverling) that put the ball at the Springfield 5-yard line. Lopez scored the winning touchdown on the next play.

Springfield had one last chance, moving the ball to the AU 25-yard line before a last-second toss was intercepted by AU senior wide receiver Ryan Thon (Victor) at the goal line on the game's final play.

Springfield took a 7-0 lead 2:20 into the game before Alfred answered with two straight touchdowns. On the Saxons' next possession, Dwyer scored on a 56-yard run on Alfred's first

play from scrimmage. With 2:22 left in the opening period, Secky hit freshman wide receiver Josh Phillips (Syracuse/West Genesee) with a 22-yard TD pass to cap a three-play 46-yard drive. The Pride knotted the game at 14-14 with 47 second left in the first half but AU regained the lead with 9:15 left in the third when Secky passed 10 yards to Dwyer to cap an 11-play 80-yard drive. A Pride TD with 5:18 left in the third made it 21-21.

Alfred put up 468 yards of offense (233 rushing, 235 passing) and had three turnovers. Lopez finished with 65 yards rushing on 11 carries with one touchdown. Secky completed 17 of 24 passes for 235 yards, two touchdowns and two interceptions. Phillips had four catches for 66 yards and Dwyer had three for 32 yards. Thon finished with two receptions for 34 yards.

Clark had team-high 11 tackles to pace the Saxon defense. Senior linebacker Chad Pieri (LeRoy/Caledonia-Mumford) had eight tackles (two for loss) and junior linebacker Brady Bonaquisti (LeRoy) had 10 tackles and a forced fumble. Junior end Marcellus Jones (Lancaster) had eight tackles (1 ½ for loss) and a fumble recovery and sophomore tackle Mike Raplee (Dundee) had nine tackles.

The Saxons will host Frostburg State Saturday during the Homecoming Weekend celebration, with kickoff at 1 p.m. on Merrill Field.

### Men's soccer team ties Wells

The men's soccer team (4-3-0, 0-1-0 Empire 8) played host Wells College to a scoreless double overtime draw Tuesday night, and lost to host Utica 6-0, in the Saxons Empire 8 Conference opener.

AU outshot Wells 21-12, and held an 8-2 advantage in shots on goal. Junior goalie Elliot Thorpe (Highlands Ranch, CO/Thunder Ridge) made four saves in net.

Against Utica, frosh Samuel Guy (Binghamton) started in goal and made six saves. Freshman Jacob Bird (Auburn/Skaneateles) played the second half, making four saves.

### Lady Saxons tie Keuka

The women's soccer team (2-3-2, 0-2-1 Empire 8) tied visiting Keuka College 0-0, in a double overtime Tuesday night. On Saturday Utica defeated Alfred 1-0, in the Empire 8 play.

In the Keuka game, senior goalie Shanna Ewoldt (Tuscon, AZ/Waubansie) made seven saves in net for AU. Against Utica, Ewoldt made 11 saves in the game for Alfred.

### Volleyball team drops six matches

The volleyball team (5-9, 0-4 Empire 8) lost six matches last week. The Saxons fell to host D'Youville, 3-2, and visiting Keuka, 3-1, before dropping four at the Empire 8 Tournament at RIT.

In the D'Youville match, the Lady Saxons lost a five-game match by scores of 16-25, 25-22, 21-25, 28-26, and 15-11. Junior Emily Crosby (Fairport) led Alfred with 15 kills, three service aces and 19 digs. Freshman Chelsea Hall (Grand Island) had five 13 kills, two aces, 11 digs and a pair of blocks; sophomore Kellie Hughson (Albion/Charles D'Amico) had five service aces and 22 digs; freshman Paige Jensen (Weiser, ID) had 10 kills and six digs; and freshman Tara

Barone (Derby/Lake Shore) had 45 assists and 10 digs. Against Keuka, AU lost by scores of 27-25, 25-15, 25-21, and 25-12. Crosby paced AU with nine kills, two service aces and 13 digs. Barone had 14 assists, while Hall (seven digs, two blocks), freshman Samantha Wood (Newfield) and Jensen (one block) each had six kills.

In the first day of action Saturday at the Empire 8 tournament, Alfred lost 3-1 to host RIT and 3-0 to Nazareth. AU lost to Elmira, 3-1 and St. John Fisher, 3-0, on Sunday at the conference tournament. In the Elmira match, Crosby had five kills and five digs. Barone had 15 assists and Hall had four kills and five digs. Hall added four kills and eight digs in the Fisher match. Barone had eight assists and senior Erika Huyck (Forestville) had 12 digs.

### Tennis team tops Keuka

The women's tennis team (3-7, 1-5 Empire 8) won the first match of the week 5-4 against host Keuka College, before dropping two Empire 8 matches to Nazareth, and Ithaca.

In the Keuka win, AU got singles wins from junior Griffin Currie (Erie, PA/Mercyhurst Prep), 6-2-6-1 in first singles; senior Autumn McLain (Oneida), 6-1, 6-2 in second singles; and sophomore Shannon Tovey (Chester, CT/Valley Regional), 6-1, 6-3 in fifth singles. The Saxons lost both Empire 8 matches 9-0.

### AU cross country teams race at Houghton

The men's and women's cross country teams ran in the Houghton College Highlander Invitational Saturday. The AU women placed 10th of 13 teams competing and the Alfred men were 12th out of 13.

Junior Elisabeth Phillips-Jones (Watertown, MA) led the AU women, finishing 18th with a time of 18:59.55. Senior Melissa Haahr (Owego/Tioga) was 42nd (20:09.84) and freshman Eliza Parker (Oswego) was 52nd (20:28.56).

Junior Ken Noll (Valatie/Ichabod Crane) took 38th in 27:25.58 to pace the Saxon men. Sophomore Eric Shormann (Batavia/Notre Dame) was 66th (29:45.63) and senior Eric Hudack (West Seneca/St. Francis) was 75th (31:38.27).

Last Week: Women, 10th of 13, Men, 12th of 13 at Houghton (9/25) This Week: Idle

### Dwyer and Phillips-Jones Named Saxons' Athletes of the Week

**Austin Dwyer:** The freshman running back from Hornell ran for 168 yards and scored three touchdowns (two rushing, one receiving) in the footballs team's 35-28 win over host Springfield. He finished the game with more than 200 all-purpose yards and was named Empire 8 Player of the Week. On Dwyer's first carry on Saturday at Springfield, he bounced out of a pile and split the secondary, racing 56 yards for a Saxon TD to tie the score at 7-7.

**Elisabeth Phillips-Jones:** The junior from Watertown, MA, was the women's cross country team's top runner at the Houghton College Highlander Invitational. She placed 18th of 146 runners competing, finishing the five-kilometer race in 18:59.55.

ALFRED--The football team gained 373 yards of offense and forced three turnovers en route to a 38-14 victory over Buffalo State JV in the rain on Monday afternoon.

Cody Scepaniak (Vestal) and Josh Griffin (Englewood, NJ) connected on a 9-yard scoring strike with 1:45 remaining in the 1st quarter to give the Pioneers a lead they would never lose. Scepaniak made it 14-0 when he dove in from two yards out with 5:42 remaining in the half and then found Griffin again for a 59-yard pass play to make it 21-0 three minutes later.

Masanari Yamamoto (Tokyo, Japan) made it 24-0 with 6:42 remaining when he booted a 43-yard field goal.

Buffalo State made a comeback putting together two scoring drives to cut the lead to 24-14 with 7:13 remaining in the contest.

Scepaniak answered right back again engineering a 45-yard drive capped off by his second scoring run (1 yard) with 3:47 remaining. Twenty seconds later Ben Zubal (Groton) put the seal on the game when he intercepted a Bengal pass and returned it 2-yards for another score.

Scepaniak finished 13 for 20 for 244 yards and two scores while Griffin finished with five catches for 145 yards. Sheldon Waller (Baltimore, MD) caught three passes for 70 yards. Xavier Makell (Baltimore, MD) led the rushing core with 62 yards on nine carries.

Kyle Ricks (Alexandria, VA) led the defense with seven tackles while Nick DePofi (Union Endicott) finished with six. Rory Spain (Tully) and Maurice Gibbs (Buffalo/McKinley) each had five tackles. Markese Pullium (Erie, PA/Strong Vincent), Brett Harrington (Rochester/Edison) and Zubal all picked off passes while Chadd Parker (Erie, PA/Fort Leboeuf) recorded the lone sack.

### Baseball: 4-10, 3-9 WNYAC

The Pioneers wrapped up the regular season portion of their 2010 fall season with a 1-5 week. They split a doubleheader at Penn College and were swept by Jamestown CC and Genesee CC.

Travis Fenstermaker (LeRoy) hit .500 (4 for 8) for the week with 2 RBI while Garrett Hoag (Dansville) was 6 for 16 with 3 RBI.

On the mound, Tyler Mann (Holland Patent) was 0-1 with a 1.17 ERA in 7.2 innings of work. Alex Lopez (Brooklyn/Juan Morel Campus) struck out 13 in 10.1 innings of work.

ASC will enter the WNYAC Tournament with the #7 seed and take on Niagara CCC in the first round.

### Cross Country: Men - Ranked #2, Women Ranked #9

The men's cross country team finished 6th out of 14 teams while the women were 11th out of 13 teams at the Houghton College Invitational on Saturday.

The men scored a 160 to earn 6th place. They trailed RIT's 44, Brockport's 64, Indiana Wesleyan's 64, Oswego's 135, and Houghton's 154. NJCAA schools FLCC scored a 302 and North Country CC did not run a full team. 146 total runners finished the course.

Ryan Demers (Mexico) led ASC with a 25th place finish. He crossed the 8k finish line in 26:47.63. Joe Seitz (Williamsville North) was 32nd (27:04.72), Frank Mastraccio (Rome Free) was 33rd (27:04.90), and Brandon Lewis (Red Creek) was 39th (27:16.78). Alex Farrell (N. Tonawanda) rounded out the top five with a 51st

place finish (27:23.00).

The Lady Pioneers scored a 317 to earn an 11th place finish. Abbey Benton (Frewsburg) was the top finisher. She finished 37th in 19:27.44. Tara Murphy (Rochester/Wilson) finished in 85th (20:41.81). 146 females finished the race.

### Men's Soccer: 2-3-2, 2-3-1 Region III Division III

The blue & gold were 1-2 this past week sandwiching a 2-1 victory over Broome CC in between a 3-1 loss to Genesee CC and a 2-1 overtime loss at Niagara CCC.

GCC jumped out to a 3-0 lead before Lucas Wales (Bath) scored the Pioneers lone goal on Tuesday. Tim Randall (Churchville Chili) was credited with the assist while Dan Krajcir (Gloversville) made nine saves in net.

Wales scored the game-winner with eight minutes remaining in the contest to lift ASC over Broome. Wales also assisted on Steven Hickey's (Aquinas) 1st half goal. Krajcir made 10 saves.

NCCC broke a 1-1 tie five minutes into overtime on Saturday to down the Pioneers. Ben Dezio (East Rochester) scored the blue & gold's lone goal, his first of his career, while Krajcir made seven saves.

### Women's Soccer: 4-3, 3-3 Region III Division III

The Lady Pioneers were 1-2 this past week falling to Genesee CC and Broome CC 2-1 before bouncing back for a 4-1 victory at Niagara CCC.

GCC scored with 22 minutes left in the 2nd half to break a 1-1 tie en route to the victory on Tuesday evening. Holli Pierce (Livonia) scored for ASC after getting a pass from Ginette Cornett (Potsdam). Mo Parks (Avoca) made 10 saves.

Broome jumped out to a 2-0 lead and held off the Lady Pioneers rallying efforts. Megan Votava (Alfred Almond) scored her first career goal to cut the lead in half but ASC couldn't get any closer. Parks made five saves.

Pierce scored two goals and passed out an assist while Danielle Hill (Addison) had a goal and an assist in the victory at NCCC. Jenna Lynn (York) scored the last goal after getting an assist from Tara Scholla (Genesee Valley). Tiffany Fox (Canisteo Greenwood) also picked up an assist on the day. Parks made 11 saves in net in recording the victory in net.

### Volleyball: 9-7, 9-5 Region III Division III

The Lady Pioneers were 3-3 this past week including a 3-2 mark at the Onondaga CC Cara Bryant Memorial Tournament.

In a WNYAC match on Tuesday, ASC fell in four (19-25, 25-16, 20-25, 21-25) at Niagara CCC. Meghan Kraus (Trumansburg) finished with 10 kills while Ashley Hulse (Hammondsport) added eight kills and two blocks. Kelley Dumbleton (Warsaw) chipped in six kills, six aces, and one block.

At the OCC Tournament, ASC was 3-1 in pool play downing Niagara CCC, SUNY Delhi, and Cayuga CC but falling 2-1 to Monroe CC. ASC advanced to the quarterfinals where they were tripped up by Jamestown CC 2-1.

Brittany Haines (Salamanca) was named to the All-Tournament team after passing out 85 assists and collecting 60 digs and 15 kills. Kraus added 43 kills, 16 digs, and 10 aces while Dumbleton had 31 kills, 30 digs, and six aces.

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# The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

**The Alfred Saxons** football team won a thrilling, clutch Empire Eight Conference game on Saturday past at Springfield (MA) as they downed the Pride, 35-28. The winning score came with 0:38 on the clock. It was the league opener for both programs as they entered the game undefeated. AU improves to (3-0) on the season and hosts Frostburg State this week at Merrill Field. With Springfield, Ithaca and SJ Fisher all set to collide in league play, the Saxons are now one-up early on. The Cardinals are at (4-0) overall as Ithaca was dropping a non-league tilt to Lycoming, 26-24. Shame. The Bombers are at SJ Fisher on 10/9.

**In high school football** action the Hornell Red Raiders continued to roll as they crushed Wellsville, 46-8. Coach Gene Mastin's squad is 4-0 on the season as the defending sectional and state champs appear ready to hold onto their "B" title.

**Syracuse beat Colgate** on the gridiron, 42-7. Colgate?  
**The Buffalo/Toronto Bills** came to life in New England as they dropped a 38-30 decision to Patriots. QB Ryan Fitzpatrick provided some spark the Bills desperately needed while still falling to (0-3) on the young NFL season.

**WR Braylon Edwards** of the NJ Jets ... about as clever as they get.

**Stephen Baker** and his UPenn soccer teammates had quite the exciting weekend past as they dropped a 1-0 contest to Adelphi. The lone goal came with 0:39 left on the clock. Ouch. Baker scored a late goal versus Richmond as the Quakers prevailed, 2-1. It was his 7th goal of the year, the team is now 6-2-0 and they are at Ithaca this Saturday nite to face Cornell.

**Tim Mead's** (Andover) Walsh Cavs men's topped Roberts Wesleyan on Saturday at Spencerport, 3-1 to push their overall mark to 5-3 on the year. The RW game was a conference tilt for the two schools.

**The Western Carolina** Catamounts women's soccer team fell to the Citadel, 2-1 over the weekend. Frosh Christy Kaznowski had three shots on goal in the loss. WCU is now 3-5-1 on the year.

**UMBC beat the Vermont** Catamounts in women's soccer action Saturday at UVM, 2-0. Had a chance to see Jess Herbst (Webster Schroeder) and Haley Marks (Penfied) play in the loss which was a conference game. Sat with Joe Herbst and Brian Marks as they made the trip up from Rochester. Had a chance to chat with Jess afterwards, her first game back from an ankle injury that has sidelined her. Game was at Centennial Field with bleachers about 100-years old! Vermont is now 1-9 on the year.

**Spotted a few** NYS vanity plates of late: TAXPAYOR, NANNY330, KNITTER, USN MM and OUTCASTS. Vermont: KITCHNZ and GOOBER.

**K-Rod of the Mets** ... still missing a few marbles.  
As **MLB heads** down the stretch, regular season play wraps up and the sport is vastly overlooked due to the NFL. The AL playoffs will have four evenly matched teams set for the post-season as the Rays-Yanks-Twins-Rangers are just about equal. Each with strengths, obviously, but with flaws as well. Minnesota is the hottest team in baseball. The Yanks and Rays will battle all the way to the end for the East title. Texas has Cliff Lee on the hill and he always beats the Yanks. In the NL it is all Philadelphia as the Phillies have the best pitching.

**Good weekend in Geneseo** past as the women's soccer team clobbered Potsdam, 4-0 and played a 0-0 tie with Plattsburgh in SUNYAC action. The game against the Cardinals from Plattsburgh was one of the best I have seen in the past couple of years! Two evenly matched teams. Geneseo won the PK shootout for league tiebreaker purposes. Played 18-holes prior to Saturday game with Dom Masotti at the Livingston CC. Great time. His daughter, Bella plays for Lady Knights as well. Team cookout after the game. Coach Wiley's troops are at Oneonta and New Platz this weekend. Geneseo is now (6-1-1) on the season and they have allowed only one goal. Not alot of time with 3L, busy weekend for her as she attended Geneseo Hall of Fame banquet.

**"Hilly" Moses** at the Alfred-Springfield Division III football game? [Editor's Note: Yes!]

**The once-legendary Kaz** at the Champions Tour golf event in Cary, NC?

**The Ryder Cup** is this weekend ... Team USA "over" Europe, 14-14 to retain cup.

# Century course changed for Saturday's Habitat fund-raiser

ALFRED—The course for the annual Alfred Century Bicycle Tour, set for 8 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 2, has been changed.

The ride course, which starts at the Almond Municipal Building, 1 Marvin Lane (just off Main Street, Route 21), Almond, traditionally follows McHenry Valley Road (County Rt. 11) but a bridge is presently out. Therefore, bicyclists will pedal from Almond to Alfred, then take Church Street to West University Street onto Waterwells Road, connecting with Vandermark Road (County Rt. 10).

A long portion of the historic ride that goes into Cattaraugus County, just south of Cuba, is being eliminated so that participants can instead travel through more Allegany County towns where services can be found.

This 100-mile, round-trip ride is run on lightly traveled, predominately flat paved roads. This year's course will go through Almond, Alfred, Scio, Belmont, Friendship, Cuba, Black Creek, Belfast, Angelica and back through Belmont, Scio, Alfred and finishing in Almond.

The course will be marked at various locations for 25-mile, 50-mile and 100K (62-mile) rides for those who don't want to pedal the full 100 miles. Food and drinks are available every 10 to 15 miles along the way from convenience stores and grocery stores.

"There are no services today on the route that bikers took in 1895 from Cuba to near Portville, which is a long stretch," a race organizer said. "We thought riding through a couple more villages in Allegany County would make the ride more enjoyable for bikers."

A registration form is available online at: <http://www.bicycleman.com/racing-touring-wny/century-ride.htm>.

Registration is also available the day of the event beginning at 7 a.m. Cost is \$20. Forms are also available at local bicycle shops or you may send check or money order for \$20 payable to "AU Habitat for Humanity" to-

gether with name, address, and phone number to: Alfred Century Bicycle Tour, c/o AU Habitat for Humanity, 2219 PCC, Alfred, NY 14802. For further information or for registration form, e-mail: [snyderd@alfred.edu](mailto:snyderd@alfred.edu) or call 607.871.2823.

The first Alfred Century Ride was run in 1895 when a group of bicycling enthusiasts decided to take the relatively flat trip to Olean and back. About 50 cyclists rode the same course in 1995, reviving the century tour on its 100th anniversary.

This year's trip will be the 16th modern ride. The tour is thought to be the longest-running century ride on a century-old course and is one of the longest running century rides to have had recumbents (that places the rider in a laid-back reclining position) entered each year since 1995.

Participants will wind through hillsides naturally adorned with colorful fall foliage, and rolling farmlands along tranquil streams on a course that in 1895 was described as "all in all, a first class run."

When 10 Alfred Cycling Club "wheelmen" completed a century (100 miles) bicycle ride one

Sunday in September 1895 little did they know they were setting a precedent for cyclists a century later. In 1895, before the automobile had woven its way into the America's cultural fabric, bicycling was the rage — a popular sport, both with men and women.

The modern century bicycle ride got its start when Don "Bart" Bartalo, century re-enactment originator and co-organizer, was researching a history project on growing up in the Alfred area in 1895. He came across an 1895 *Alfred Sun* article that reported a "very successful" century ride held by the Alfred Cycling Club on Sunday, Sept. 22, 1895.

Bartalo came up with the idea of an historical re-enactment. He contacted Peter Stull, owner of The Bicycle Man, Alfred Station; Peter contacted David Snyder, editor of the *Alfred Sun*; and the rest is history.

Organizers said the purpose of the Alfred Century Bicycle Tour is to generate interest in the history of Alfred and Allegany County, to promote healthy recreation, and to raise funds for Habitat for Humanity.



**ODD BALL** Old Dog Cycles will present its 6th annual Show & Ride in Belfast from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 2 one mile north of Waterways Resort Golf Course on Co. Rt. 26.

## Cycle ride Saturday in Belfast

BELFAST--Odd Ball Old Dog Cycles will present their 6th Annual Show & Ride in Belfast, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 2. The event will be located on County Road 26 in Belfast, 1 mile north of the Waterways Resort Golf Course. There is free entry, free parking and a BBQ starting at 11am.

The Annual Show & Ride has several unique events planned throughout the day for motorcycle enthusiasts and their families:

**Motorcycle Show:** It is free to set up your motorcycle in the show. If you are trying to sell one, come set it up and put a for sale sign on it. It's an excellent place to meet people with a common interest in older bikes, find more motorcycles and learn some history about the bikes.

**Slow Races:** Another free event — several slow races are set up to check your abilities, stamina, strength and skill. A fun event for the participants and for people to watch.

**Group Motorcycle Ride:** At 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. an organized group ride will take place led by Bob Harris through the back-grounds in Allegany County. You'll cross several bridges, enjoy the fall foliage and check out some great roads for riding on.

If you have any questions, contact Bob Harris by calling: 585-610-8721. Check out our new website at: [www.oddballolddog.net](http://www.oddballolddog.net)



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