

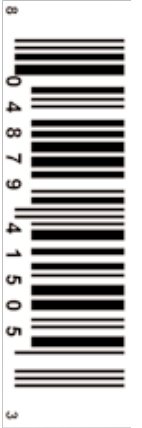
Matt and Zoe Walk

People honoring Matt Mueller and Zoe Coombs gathered at the bus stop on Sat. Sept. 15, to walk the Village of Alfred and pick up trash, redeemables, and recyclables. Of course we took a break to read The Alfred Sun. At least \$70 was raised for the Box of Books in the fine tradition of these two ladies and their daily walks. (Vicky Westacott Photo)



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Thursday, September 20, 2018

Fiery Crash on Waterwells

Vehicle pierced by guard rail; driver escapes major harm

ALFRED—Alfred Police Chief Paul Griffith reported a violent one-car motor vehicle crash occurred at just after 8 p.m. Thursday night, Sept. 13 on Waterwells Road in the Town of Alfred.

Griffith reported that a car driven by Zachary Mower, 22, of Warsaw at a high rate of speed crossed the center line and struck a guard rail on the other side of the roadway, causing the guard rail to penetrate the vehicle from the front.

The vehicle continued along the guard rail until the guard rail came out through the trunk. The vehicle then caught on fire.

"Mower was able to get out of the car and was pulled to safety by a citizen that lived nearby," Griffith said, who added that Alfred Police Department personnel were soon at the scene.

Remarkably, Mower suffered no major injuries in the crash, the guard rail that pierced the vehicle just grazing his right hip.

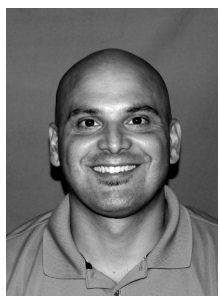
Mower was ticketed for driving while intoxicated, failure to keep right and speed not reasonable nor prudent. He is to appear in Alfred Town Court at a later date to answer the charges.

Fire personnel extinguished the burning vehicle.



At left, front of vehicle was penetrated by guard rail, completely piercing the vehicle, coming out the trunk (right).

ALFRED-ALMOND CENTRAL SCHOOL



Dusinberre



Brubaker



Booman-Amico



Snyder



Hartnett



Moore



Harris



Fawley

New elementary principal welcomes students

By DAVID L. SNYDER

Editor, Publisher & Janitor

ALMOND—When Alfred-Almond Central School students arrived for their first day of classes on Thursday, Sept. 6, there were plenty of new faces to greet them.

Foremost among the new faces was Elementary Principal Brett Dusinberre, who was named Elementary Principal following the resignation of Bob Woughter, who has taken a position as principal at a small school in the Adirondacks,

Keene Central School District.

Mr. Dusinberre comes to A-A from Bolivar-Richburg Central School where he has served as elementary principal. But, in truth, he's "come home," since he lives in the Alfred-Almond Central School District, where his wife, Casey, is employed as a third grade teacher.

While the Buffalo Bills are off to an 0-2 start, that does not deter Mr. Dusinberre from wearing his gaudy Buffalo Bills suit-coat on Fridays. He's not alone as a Bills fan at A-A.

But back to the new faces.

Teaching fifth grade this year is Miss Ashleigh Brubaker, who holds an initial certificate in early childhood education (Birth-Grade 2) and an initial certificate in childhood education (Grades 1-6).

Miss Maya Booman-Amico, meanwhile, will be teaching sixth grade. She too holds an initial certificate in early childhood education (B-2) and childhood education (Grades 1-6) in addition to an initial certificate for Students with Disabilities

(Grades 1-6).

Mrs. Jami Snyder has joined the A-A faculty as a reading teacher. She holds a professional certificate in English Language Arts 7-12.

Miss Becky Hartnett will teach 7th and 8th grade science, while James Dineen has been appointed as a social studies teacher.

Jacob Moore has joined the staff as a teaching assistant, while Mrs. Holly Harris, Mrs. Meagan Fawley and Miss Dawn Provorse are new teacher aides.

Mrs. Margaret Porter is serving as a bus aide and cafeteria aide, while Laura Smith is also a cafeteria aide.

Matt Getman, meanwhile, has joined the staff as both a bus driver and cleaner.

A familiar face in a different place is the story of Diane Mix, who resigned her position as elementary teacher in order to accept a new position of art teacher. Mrs. Mix holds a professional certificate in visual arts.

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OBITUARIES

Pauline M. Gath Yorton, 103, worked at AU



PAULINE M. GATH YORTON

Centenarian rode bike to work
ST. AUGUSTINE, FL—Pauline M. Gath (Croyle) Yorton passed away Friday, August 31, 2018 at the age of 103 at the home of her grandson Steven VanVooren and his wife Lanny where she resided in St. Augus-

tine, Florida.

Pauline was born on June 28, 1915 in Cheektowaga to Ora and Charles Gath. The Gath family settled in Andover, on Chestnut Street where they raised their seven children.

Pauline is survived by her daughter Laura (Croyle) VanVooren who lived with her in St. Petersburg and St. Augustine Florida; two grandsons, Steven VanVooren and wife Lanny and Arthur Berard and wife Janet; four great grandchildren, Kayla Mandeville and husband David, Derek Berard and wife Sarah, Jesse Bertolof, and Amber Bertolof Seal and husband Pat; one great great grandson Tyler James Berard, age 3; and several nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents Ora and Charles Gath; her first husband John Croyle and her second husband Clyde Yorton; six brothers, Lawrence Gath, George Gath, Walter Gath,

Howard Gath, Kenneth Gath, and Charles Gath; and a granddaughter Janet VanVooren Berard.

Pauline was active in the United Methodist Church in Andover playing the organ at church services until retiring to Florida. She continued playing for church services in Florida for many years. Pauline also played piano for the Minstrel Shows that performed for many years in Andover. She maintained an active life working at Alfred University in Alfred as well as in Florida until the age of 102. You would often see her riding her bike to work.

A graveside service for the burial of her ashes will be at Valley Brook Cemetery in Andover in the spring of 2019.

Local arrangements are under the direction of Baker-Swan Funeral Home in Andover. Online condolences may be offered at www.baker-swan.com.

Carol D. Falzoi, 78, Hornell, worked at Alfred State 20 years

CAROL D. FALZOI

Worked at Alfred State 20 years

HORNELL—Carol D. Falzoi, 78, of Cemetery Hill Road, Hornell, passed away late Friday afternoon, Sept. 7, 2018 at Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester, after a brief illness.

Born in Presque Isle, Maine on Aug. 20, 1940, she was the daughter of the late Roy and Reta (Harris) Dunham. Besides her parents, she was also predeceased by her four brothers, Murray, Edwin Harley and Alden Dunham, and her sister, Nora MacFarlane.

A resident of the Arkport and Hornell area for most of her life, Carol was a graduate of Arkport Central School and attended Alfred State College.

Before her retirement, she was employed for about 20 years at Alfred State College.

Carol enjoyed taking trips to the Casinos and also especially enjoyed watching the NY Yankees and Syracuse college basketball on television.

Her loving family includes her husband of 57 years, John F. Falzoi, who she married in Arkport on Feb. 11, 1961; her three children, Wendy Falzoi of Wayne, Stephen Falzoi of Rochester, and Seth Falzoi of Hornell; her three grandchildren, Sean Soper, David (Danielle) Soper and Benjamin Soper; her two great-grandchildren, Andrew and Lincoln; also, her brother, Roger Dunham of Binghamton.

The Bishop & Johnson Funeral Home, Inc. in Hornell is honored to serve the family of Carol D. Falzoi.

There were no calling hours. A Time of Remembrance and Sharing Memories of Carol was held at 1 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 13, 2018 at the Bishop & Johnson Funeral Home, Inc., 285 Main St., Hornell. Interment was in Heritage Hill Cemetery, Arkport.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing may contribute in her memory to the Hornell Public Library, 64 Genesee St., Hornell, N.Y. 14843. Envelopes for memorial contributions were available at the funeral home.

Post online condolences and/or remembrances of Carol at www.bishopandjohnsonfuneralhome.com.

Rev. David Taylor, 73, Seventh Day Baptist pastor



REV. DAVID TAYLOR

Seventh Day Baptist Pastor
BOWIE, MD—Reverend David Taylor 73, of Bowie, Maryland, passed away on July 19, 2018 after a 10-month battle with cancer.

He was born in Franklinville on Jan 28, 1945 to the late Glenn Taylor and Lillian Enderle. On May 16, 1964 he married Margaret Cartwright, who survives.

David graduated from Richburg Central School in 1962. He served in the Army from July 1963-1966 and was based in Korea and then in Fort Bliss, TX where he was honorably discharged. David worked for Acme Electric and Colley TV before entering the ministry.

David began pastoring Seventh Day Baptist churches in 1976. He completed his Bachelors and Masters of Theology degrees at Andersonville Baptist College while in active ministry. He was the pastor at the Seventh Day Baptist Church in Mitchellville, MD since 2007 until he became ill.

David had a deep love for music. He played the accordion, bass guitar and keyboards, and had a beautiful singing voice. In his younger years, he played in a country rock band with his brother and friends.

Surviving in addition to his

wife, are his children: Dana (Sally) Taylor of Watertown, Dina Mills of Tennessee and Duane (Desiree) Taylor of Rhode Island; six grandchildren and six great grandchildren; his siblings: Allan (Carol) Taylor of Friendship, Stephen (Sandra) Taylor of Hinsdale, Raymond (Rosalie) Taylor of Angelica, Lois (Gary) Fancher of Black Creek, and Sue Taylor of Cuba; and many nieces and nephews.

A memorial service was to be announced. Interment will be at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Friendship.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks donations be sent to the Central Seventh Day Baptist Church, 1100 Enterprise Rd, Mitchellville, MD 20721. All funds will be given directly to the leadership training program in the US and Brazil, that meant so much to David.

Laverne A. Dickerson, 87, Corning Glass tinsmith



LAVERNE A. DICKERSON

Tinsmith at Corning Glass
ADDISON—Laverne A. Dickerson, 87, of Cty. Rte. 119 passed away Monday, Sept. 10, at Robert Packer Hospital in Sayre, Pennsylvania following a brief illness.

Laverne was born February 20, 1931 in Canisteo to the late Welford and Hazel (Rowley)

Dickerson. He married the former Greta (Smith) Starkey who predeceased him in November 2008. He was also predeceased by two step-sons, Gordon Starkey and Richard "Skip" Starkey and two sisters, Gloria Carmalita Teribury and Opal McMindes.

Laverne was a tinsmith for Corning Glass for 38 years working in fabrication and installation. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy serving our country proudly from 1955-57 and was a member of the Addison American Legion Post #730.

Laverne was a former member of the Addison Volunteer Fire Dept. where he served as fire chief for 11 years. He also served on the ambulance crew and as an auxiliary policeman. He was one of the founding members of the "Twin Rivers CB Club" in Addison, a member of the Civil Defense Board and served on the Addison Town Board for two years. Laverne also maintained several apart-

ments in the village of Addison.

Laverne is survived by three daughters, Sharon Taft of Bakersfield, CA., Linda (Timothy) Horton of Savona and Judy (Thomas) Watkins of Campbell, one son Charles (Tami) Dickerson of Addison, step-son, Donald (Carol) Starkey of Honeyoe, step daughter-in-law, Audrey Starkey of Addison and several grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Calling hours were from 6-8 pm Friday, Sept. 14 at the H.P. Smith & Son, Inc. Funeral Home, 29 East Main St. in Canisteo where funeral and committal services were held following calling hours at 8 p.m. with Rev. Scott Green officiating. A celebration of life, with a meal, followed at 1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 16 at the Addison American Legion. Burial was in Hillside Cemetery in Canisteo.

Memorial contributions may be made to either the Addison Vol. Fire Dept. or to the Addison American Legion.

Patricia Gabriel, 56, A-A alum



PATRICIA GABRIEL

Alfred-Almond alum

TARPON SPRINGS, FL—Word has been received of the passing of Patricia Gabriel, 56, **Puzzles on Page 10**

SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Segment; 2. Linger;
3. Snide; 4. Retain

Today's Word

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— King Crossword —

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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Alfred-Hornell chapter AAUW will hold book sale Saturday

ALFRED—The Alfred-Hornell chapter of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) has some coming events this month.

A Scholarship Fund Drive Book Sale will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 at the corner of Main and Church Streets in Alfred.

Come join us during this Alfred University Homecoming/Parents Weekend and help support our scholarships for local high school senior girls.

Alfred-Hornell AAUW members will attend a meet and greet at 1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23 at Kanisteo Historical Society Museum, 23 Main Street, Canisteo. Present will be Mrs. Marlies Adams DiFante, a lady who lived in Germany as a child during World War II. Moving to the Canisteo American Legion Hall on Rt. 36 at 2 p.m., Mrs. DiFante will share her story. Everyone is invited to attend and there is no charge. A donation jar will be available for contributions to cover expenses. She will also have copies of her book for sale at the event.

As always, the Alfred-Hornell chapter invites women from the area to attend and learn about AAUW.

Student Leadership Conference to be held Sept. 29 at Alfred State

ALFRED—The 2018 Western New York Student Leadership Conference will take place on Saturday, Sept. 29 in the Student Leadership Center at Alfred State College.

This conference is designed to bring together students from various colleges and universities throughout western New York to explore how they as students can demonstrate leadership and make change in both their campus and local communities. Students will engage in a highly interactive experience where they will meet others and learn valuable tools to take back to their home institutions.

Registration for the conference costs \$20 and must be completed by Friday, Sept. 21. For more information, contact Troy Morehouse, director of Student Engagement, at 607-587-4081 or morehotw@alfredstate.edu.

‘Harry Potter’ theme of Farmer’s Market

ALFRED—The Alfred Farmers Market presents a Harry Potter Themed Market on Sunday, Sept. 23 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Village Bandstand on the corner of Main Street and Saxon Drive.

Felicity Mattison from Bolivar will perform music on her Ukulele and sing from 11:30 until 12:30. An open mic will take place from 12:30 until 3 p.m.

There will be Wand Making and other crafts in the Children’s Tent. Market President Cassandra Bull, will whip up Butter Beer and serve it as part of the festival, and the AU Quidditch Team will set the stage for Witchcraft and Wizardry. Local vendors and crafters will be selling their wares.

A food truck will be on site for

Dr. Gabrielle Gaustad to speak at Environmental Studies Series

ALFRED—Alfred University alumnus Gabrielle Gaustad, associate professor at RIT and dean designate of AU’s Inamori School of Engineering, will speak on “Secondary and Byproduct Sources of Rare Earth Metals” at the next talk in the Environmental Studies Speakers Series at 12:20 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28 in Roon Lecture Hall of the Science Center on the Alfred University campus. All are welcome and refreshments will be served.

Dr. Gaustad is a 2004 Alfred University graduate who has been on the faculty at Rochester Institute of Technology for the past ten years, currently an associate professor and program coordinator for the master’s degree program of the Golisano Institute for Sustainability.

Dr. Gaustad is a strong advocate for increasing opportunities for women in engineering. She conducts research exploring the environmental and economic trade-offs of recycling. Having earned a degree in ceramic engineering at AU, she holds a master’s degree and Ph.D. in materials science and engineering from Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

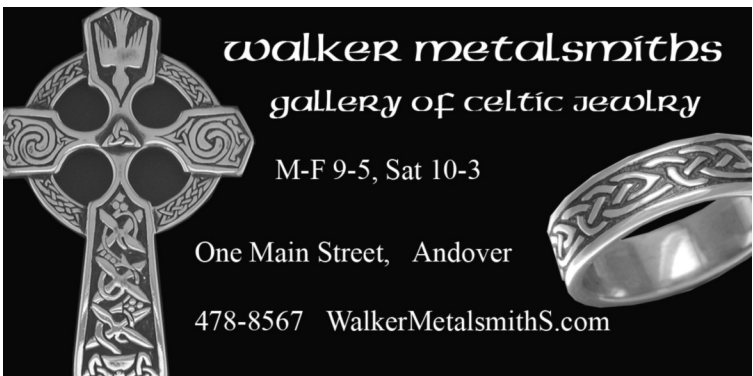
Free pH clinic set

ALFRED STATION—A free pH clinic will be hosted by Tinkertown Hardware in Alfred Station from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29. Two soil samples are offered for free; additional samples will cost \$3 each.

Bring your “dirt” and questions for the Allegany County Volunteer Master Gardeners Mary Lu, Mary, Paul and Steve.

ALFRED				
Weather for the Week				
Sept.	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
11	59	48	0.90”	
12	67	59	0.01”	
13	68	61	0.01”	
14	77	64	0.02”	
15	76	60	0	
16	81	56	0	
17	80	56	0	
By JOHN BUCKWALTER				
Alfred Area Weather Recorder				

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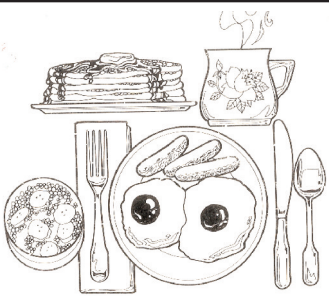
A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist



For three evening hours on Sunday, Sept. 16, 2018, your hard-working and dedicated volunteer Fire/EMS personnel of Alfred’s A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder Company reviewed skills, received updates on alcohol and drug use and abuse, practiced scenarios with members posing as patients, and learned about equipment on our ambulances. In the photo; Jane Cochran, Ambulance Captain and Bob Pipal, President of A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder, Alfred’s fire department, demonstrate capnography (monitors respiratory carbon dioxide) with Bob Rees, Critical Care EMT, as the patient.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist



Elsie Binns used currents for a real treat

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

Elsie Binns was closely identified with Alfred University and the College of Ceramics for 77 years. She came to Alfred in 1900. She was the daughter of Charles Fergus Binns, the first director of the New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University. Elsie attended the College of Ceramics and later the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts. She taught pottery, sculpture and art history to several generations of students at the University and the State College. She retired in 1956, but continued to sculpt, paint and write in her own studio.

In awarding her an honorary degree of doctor of fine arts in 1976, John McMahon, a former dean of the College of Ceramics, said that she inspired a multitude of students and brought brilliance to their lives. She was known for her kindly wit, her quickness of thought and her aptness with words in verse and plays.

Elsie’s daughter, Elizabeth Linville, sent me this recipe. She remembers they had current bushes in their yard at 2 Sayles Street in Alfred and says this was a welcome treat on a hot day.

Current Shrub

1 quart red currents 2 1/2 cups water
2/3 c. sugar 1 egg white

Wash currents. Add water and sugar and cook for 10 minutes. Remove from heat and strain through a fine sieve. Pour into a freezer tray and partially freeze. Remove to a chilled bowl; beat until fluffy, adding stiffly beaten egg white. Return to tray and finish freezing.



Kelly’s Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

“All at once, summer collapsed into fall...”
—Oscar Wilde

Thursday, Sept. 20
MOSTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 76– LOW 67)
Chance of precipitation.....20%

Friday, Sept. 21
PM THUNDERSTORMS
(HIGH 78 – LOW 57)
Chance of precipitation.....50%

Saturday, Sept. 22
MOSTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 66 – LOW 53)
Chance of precipitation.....20%

Sunday, Sept. 23
SHOWERS
(HIGH 63 LOW 50)
Chance of precipitation.....60%

Monday, Sept. 24
CLOUDY
(HIGH 61 - LOW 45)
Chance of precipitation.....20%

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EDITORIAL PAGE

Are there any readers out there ready for some good news?

By DR. MARK HENDRICKSON
We are constantly bombarded with bad news. There are disasters, dangers, challenges, and woes. On the political scene, we find perpetual discord peppered with lurid denunciations and shrill condemnations. Media reports are alternately dismaying, disappointing, distressing, disgusting, or depressing. But despair not, friends: All is not lost!

Here let me serve you a heaping helping of good news: The world is more prosperous and more peaceful than it has ever been before.

To those of us who came of age in the '60s, the two most pressing problems in the world were poverty and war. Fifty years later — Voila! — there is a lot less of those two blights on human life.

Let's start with poverty: In the mid-1970s, there were approximately 3-1/2 billion people on Earth and two billion of them were poor and hungry. Forty years later, there were 7.3 billion people and 767 million in severe poverty. In less than two full generations, the proportion of severely poor humans has plummeted from five in nine to one in nine. Nothing remotely similar to this massive economic progress has ever happened before.

Look at poverty in a longer-term context: In 1820, near the dawn of the Age of Capitalism, 94% of people were poor. Indeed, throughout all of human history before then, only a tiny elite prospered while over 90% of humanity barely subsisted. At the end of World War II, there had been significant progress, but over 70% of the people alive were severely poor. Then look: in 1981, 44% of humans were severely poor; in 1990, 37%; 2010, 16%; 2013, 10.7%. This is an astonishing achievement. To see it graphically, click here.

Here let me interject a cautionary note: While we are on a trend to potentially eliminate severe poverty entirely by 2030, don't count on that happening. Flawed humans have an amazing capacity to mess things up. Just look at Venezuela today. In 1950, Venezuela had the fourth-highest per capita GDP in the world. Today, crippled by socialist policies, Venezuela has been reduced to an economic basket case with people starving to death. (Americans enthralled by Bernie Sanders, take note.)

Now, back to the good news: More people are enjoying peace and prosperity than ever before. Poverty has receded to the degree that governments around the world abandoned socialistic policies and unleashed market forces. Billions of people gained greater freedom and opportunity to work, invest, produce, profit, and trade with each other, both domestically and internationally.

Indeed, an under-appreciated aspect of market liberalization (i.e., the freeing of economic activity from government controls) has been the increased freedom to trade across national borders. After two world wars with a trade war/depression sandwiched in between, enlightened statesmen in the 1940s (with Americans taking the lead) worked diligently to craft a more peaceful, prosperous world by lowering trade barriers and strengthening commercial ties.

The underlying economics is simple: Every time the social division of labor is expanded through the inclusion of more people in the marketplace, the greater the range of talents and products available to consumers and the more competition, specialization, efficiency, comparative advantages, and economies of scale impel producers to improve quality and lower

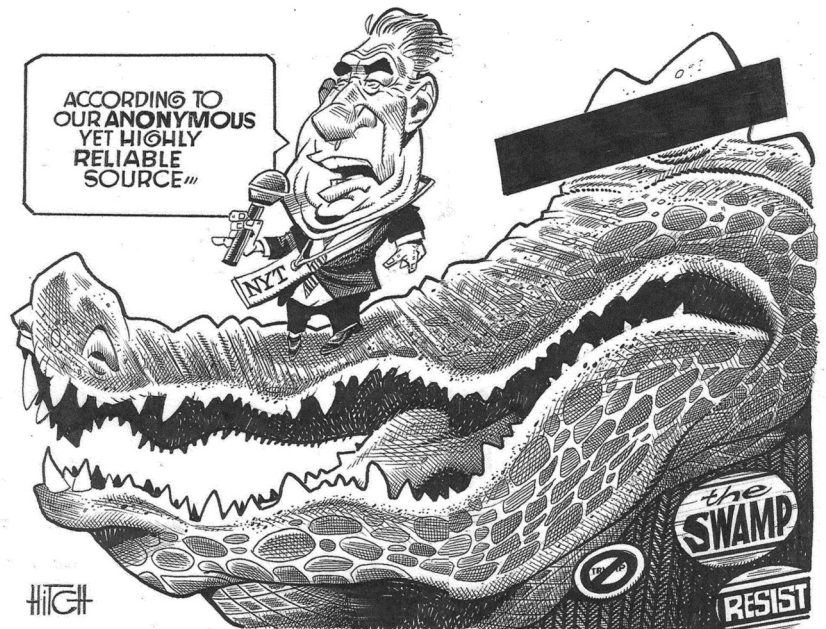
prices. In short, more trade leads to more prosperity. And as greater international commerce demonstrates that trade increases prosperity, people realize that it is self-defeating to wage war against the very people who are supplying things we want.

The theory that trade conduces to peace has been borne out in practice. As international trade has expanded greatly since WWII, the incidence of war has plummeted. By one calculation, the number of wars was ten times greater in the century before 1950 than in the 50 years after. Harvard scholar Steven Pinker avers, "the world is less violent now than at any time in history." Let us be grateful.

The post-WWII order — more trade, more prosperity, and more peace — is worth preserving. We should celebrate

the amazing progress against the twin scourges of poverty and war, even as we continue to aim for their eventual elimination. Let us urge our leaders to remove the remaining barriers to trade. True, current trade rules are not always fair. They need to be improved, as President Trump is trying, but let's not allow the perfect to be the enemy of the good and collapse the post-WWII order of trade and peace. Our unprecedentedly peaceful and prosperous world is a whole lot better than a world of national isolation, lower standards of living, and war.

— Dr. Mark W. Hendrickson is an adjunct faculty member, economist, and fellow for economic and social policy with The Center for Vision & Values at Grove City College.



Sun Spots



When You're All Wet, You're...
Well, I Can't Say It, But It Begins With M
Or,
I Can Just Hear Trump Saying,
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Moist is a word that some people can't stand,
But those people I just don't get:
It describes well what Florence just did to our land,
Which many will not soon forget.

She made everything moist, it's abundantly clear—
Yea, many a Carolinian floor joist.
Yes, moist is a word that some can't stand to hear;
But those people—well, they're all moist.

—Anon A. Moist

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Allegany County's History Awareness Week

A ribbon cutting ceremony will open Allegany County's History Awareness Week at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 24 in the Exhibition Room at the David A. Howe Public Library on Main Street in Wellsville. Theme for this year's weeklong events is "Allegany County in World Wars I and II."

The Exhibition Room will feature historic displays centered around Allegany County's contributions to the world wars. The exhibit will be available for public view during regular library hours.

(Not so) Retired Allegany County Historian Craig Braack will jump right into World War II by focusing his talk on Pearl Harbor, to be presented at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25 in the Nancy Howe Auditorium at the library.

Steven Appleby of the Eldred World War II Museum in nearby Eldred, PA, will speak at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26. Steve's is a familiar face to Alfred area residents involved in the Baker's Bridge Historical Association and has plenty of stories to tell, particularly about World War II.

Appleby is a self-described "World War II nut" and has been since he was in third grade. His life goal was to become a soldier. He spent 28 years in the army, is a Vietnam veteran, and now has two sons in military service.

During an April 2018 talk at a Baker's Bridge Historic Association meeting, Appleby, curator, educator and program director for the World War II Museum in Eldred, explained that the museum is located in Eldred because the building was a munitions plant during WWII. Having previously been a production facility for petroleum explosives, during the war, some 1500 persons were employed at the munitions plant during the war, most of them women and young girls.

Next speaker in the week of historic chats will be Earl McElfresh, who will speak at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27 on the War in the South Pacific.

Bill Burt will speak about the Railroads' Contributions to World War II during his 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28 talk.

The week of historic awareness will conclude with a closing event at the Palmer Opera House in Cuba on Sunday, Sept. 30. It will feature first person reenactments of local historic personalities pertaining to this year's theme.

Some interesting tidbits regarding Allegany County's involvement in World War II, as excerpted from *Allegany County In the 20th Century: Stories of Change*, published by the Allegany County Tourism Council and edited by County Historian Craig Braack:

- The *Andover News* reported in their January 15, 1942 edition that the Allegany County Home Bureau was taking a survey of homes in the county that could take in evacuees from New York City in the event of an attack.

- In May of 1942, the *Andover News* reported that the county had ordered a blackout from 10:00 p.m. until 10:30 p.m., with all lights to be out, traffic stopped, all persons off the streets and people were not to use the telephone.

- The *Belmont Dispatch* of August 20, 1942, stated the cannons (Civil War era) from the Belfast Park were taken to Buffalo to be melted down for the war effort. The cannons from Belmont went as well.

- In September 1942, members of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority held a fashion show on the steps of the David Howe Library in Wellsville and initiated the wearing of "warsages" made of war savings stamps.

- On February 5, 1943, the *Wellsville Daily Reporter* quoted Lou Burton, county 4-H agent, telling the County Board of Supervisors in his annual report that "crops of the Victory Garden Program had a cash value of over \$100,000 last year." Victory gardens sprouted everywhere.

- The *Alfred Sun* reported on October 28, 1943, that fifty-six hundred acres of potatoes were harvested in Allegany County by over one thousand boys and girls who had been released from school for that purpose.

- The *Northern Allegany County Observer* reported that in 1944, children were urged to collect milkweed pods as the milkweed floss was an ideal substitute for kapok, which was used in life preservers and linings in aviators' flying suits. One child alone in Fillmore collected over fifty bags. Enough milkweed pods were picked in New York State in 1944 to make life saving jackets to float 125,000 fighting men.

Take some time next week and learn some local history!

ALLEGANY COUNTY NEWS

‘Turn the Towns Teal’ to combat Ovarian Cancer

CENTERVILLE—If you’re seeing teal ribbons around trees and lamp posts in Western New York this month, it’s all a part of “Turn the Towns Teal” – a national volunteer campaign to raise awareness among women AND men about ovarian cancer, its subtle symptoms and risk factors.

Volunteers in all 50 states as well as Canada and Bermuda tie biodegradable Teal ribbons (made in the USA!) in their towns, at their businesses, places of worship, and neighborhoods as well as on their private residences. They also distribute symptom cards and use other materials to increase ovarian cancer awareness. This all occurs in September which is National Ovarian Cancer Awareness month.

Local businesswoman Debbie Hackett of Centerville was diagnosed with this deadly disease in November 2017. While undergoing treatment, she has dedicated herself to raising awareness in our area and has brought the “Turn the Towns Teal” project to Franklinville

and Lime Lake in Cattaraugus County; Angelica, Fillmore, and Friendship in Allegany County;



Debbie Hackett appreciates seeing a teal ribbon.

Allegany Co. Health Dept. schedules flu vaccine clinics

BELMONT—The Allegany County Department of Health reminds area residents that flu season is right around the corner. The Center for Disease Control states that flu virus is most common during the fall and winter months. Getting an annual flu vaccine is the first and best way to protect yourself and your family from the flu.

The vaccination is recommended for everyone 6 months or older. Children younger than 6 months are not able to receive the vaccine, so it is especially important for caregivers of these children to be vaccinated each year. If possible, the Centers for Disease Control suggests getting the vaccination by the end of October.

All are welcome to receive the flu shot at the Allegany County Department of Health Flu Clinic with dates and locations as follows:

Friday, Sept. 21: Cuba Cultural Center, 38 E. Main Street, Cuba, 1-3 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 24: Alfred University Powell Campus Center McNamara Room, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 1: Immaculate Conception School, 24 Maple Ave., Wellsville, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 1: Union University Church Center, Church Street, Alfred, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

Thursday, Oct. 4: Canaseraga Fire Hall, Rt. 70, Canaseraga, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

Thursday, Oct. 4: Fillmore Central School, 104 W. Main

Street, Fillmore, 5-7 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 9: Belmont Legion, 29 Schuyler Street, Belmont, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 11: Fillmore Fire Hall, Rt. 19, Fillmore, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 12: Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main Street, Wellsville, 1:30-5 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 17: Cuba A.A. Arnold Center, Main and Green Streets, Cuba, 11 a.m.-12 noon and 1:30-5 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 18: Wellsville Senior Center, YMCA, 133 Bolivar Road, Wellsville, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

Monday, Oct. 22: Houghton College Student Center, Houghton, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 23: Whitesville Fire Hall, Main Street, Whitesville, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

Wednesday, Oct. 24: Bolivar Fire Hall, Main Street, Bolivar, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

Thursday, Oct. 25: Friendship Senior Center, Island Park, Water Street, Friendship, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

Bring insurance cards so it can be billed to insurance. There is a sliding fee scale for those without insurance. Ages 6 months and up are welcome. Anyone less than 18 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Please wear short sleeves. No appointment necessary. For clinic information call the health department at 585-268-9250 or visit our website alleganycountyny.com.

Arcade in Wyoming County; and Holland In Erie County.

Debbie, says, “A Pap test does NOT detect ovarian cancer. If you or a woman you know experiences one or more of the following symptoms for ten days to two weeks, consult your gynecologist, physician, or preferably a gynecological oncologist.”

Potential symptoms of Ovarian Cancer include:

- Bloating
- Pelvic or abdominal pain
- Vague but persistent gastrointestinal upsets such as gas, nausea, or indigestion
- Difficulty eating OR feeling full quickly
- Urinary symptoms (urgency or frequency)

- Unexplained changes in bowel habits
- Unexplained weight gain/loss
- Ongoing unusual fatigue
- Back Pain
- Menstrual changes
- Pain during intimacy

Like many diseases, there are risk factors for ovarian cancer as well, putting women with these indicators into a higher risk category.

- Genetic predisposition (BRCA1/ BRCA2 gene)
- Personal or family history of breast, ovarian or colon cancer
- Increasing age
- Reproductive history and infertility
- Hormone replacement therapy

Debbie concludes, “Talking with other women going through treatment, and with survivors, is an amazing healing opportunity.”

She said that whether one is a warrior like her, a survivor, or just a person who loves the women in their life, tell every amazing lady she is looking for OV-CA (ovarian cancer) women in Allegany, Cattaraugus and Wyoming counties to get an official local support group started.

Call 585-322-2394 or email debhackett2394@gmail.com

For more information, consult a health care professional and visit: www.turnthetownsteal.org www.wnyovariancancerproject.org

OES chapter holds very last meeting

ALMOND—Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, OES, held its very last meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2018 in Fraternities Hall, Karr Valley Road, Almond. At this meeting we had a quorum of seven members so we could conduct our business and present Norma Preston-Rossman of Almond with her 50 year pin and Life Membership Award in Eastern Star.

The chapter had recently received word from the NY Order of Eastern Star Grand Chapter that the new By-Laws for the combined Chapters of Kanakadea-McArthur #242 of Almond and McKee Chapter #212 of Cuba had been approved.

This new chapter will be named McKee Tri-Star Chapter #242 of Cuba, and will now meet at 7 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings in the Chapter Room in the Friendship-Cuba Masonic Building on 3 Main Street, Cuba.

The consolidation will become effective after the Eastern Star Convention to be held Oct. 10-14 in Binghamton.

Although this last meeting was a bitter-sweet affair to leave Fraternities Hall in Almond, it had become necessary, due to low attendance, to merge with another Chapter in the Allegany (County) District. This will leave only two Chapters in the Allegany District, Star of the East #109 in Bolivar and this consolidated Chapter in Cuba.

After the meeting, refreshments of a dessert smorgasbord were enjoyed by the eight members present by Gloria Griffin and her committee.



Allegany District Officer in Charge David Palmiter presents 50-year pin and Life Membership Certificate in the Order of the Eastern Star to Norma Rossman of Almond.

ALLEGANY ARTISANS SPOTLIGHT

Allegany Artisan wins double honors at Colorscape Chenango Arts Festival

By SUSAN BECKHORN

Special to the Alfred Sun

WHITESVILLE—Marsha Van Vlack of Van Vlack Clayworks in Whitesville, took home both Best of Show and First Place for Ceramics awards at the Sept. 8-9 “Colorscape Chenango Arts Festival” in Norwich, showing her new line of art pottery and sculpture using naked raku and saggar firing techniques.

Both methods of firing are ancient, but Van Vlack uses some modern adaptations, working with a propane fired “trash can kiln” in her back yard. Naked raku uses a temporary glaze mask to create a crackling effect that allows smoke to penetrate to the surface of the pot. The glaze pops off during the cleaning process, revealing the patterns left by the smoke.

For saggar firing, each pot is wrapped in a packet of aluminum foil along with organic matter such as bird feathers, leaves, sawdust, Miracle-Gro, copper wire, etc. The fumes created by this matter during the firing are absorbed into the clay in random patterns and color variations from purples and pinks to oranges, browns and blacks. Once cooled, scrubbed, and polished with wax, the pottery mimics agate or similar stone polished by moving water.

For the artist, the moment of unveiling each unique piece, colored and patterned by factors beyond her control, is one of de-

light and surprise. She frequently utilizes found objects such as driftwood, metal, and glass beads to create sculptures. Never intentionally aiming for a realistic image, she is inspired by the flow of natural form. Many of her sculptures have an earth-goddess-like, feminine character.

Throughout the year, Van Vlack offers saggar and naked raku workshops at her studio, and teaches classes at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center.

Van Vlack and forty other area artists will showcase work in clay, wood, metal, fiber, jewelry, paint, wood, and other media, during the 31st annual Allegany Artisans open-studio tour Oct. 13-14, with select studios open Friday evening, Oct. 12. Artists welcome visitors during what has become an iconic county-wide event and one of the oldest studio tours in the east. For more information and for a free brochure, go to www.allegany-artisans.com.



Allegany Artisan Marsha Van Vlack displays her winnings from the recent Chenango Arts Festival show in Norwich.

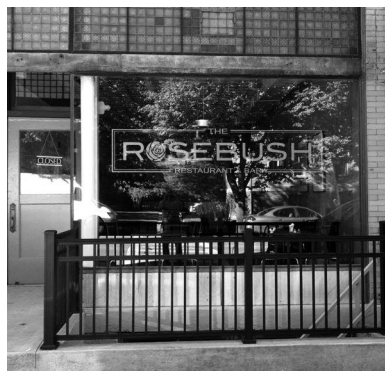
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SOLAR POWER IN NIGERIA

Alfred State's Jeffrey Stevens trains Nigerian solar installers

ALFRED—With solar power becoming an increasingly important energy source in Nigeria, the demand for skilled solar installers in that country has never been higher.

That's why Alfred State College's own Jeffrey Stevens teamed up with other groups this summer to organize and deliver an installation training program to develop a critical mass of highly skilled solar energy systems installers in Nigeria. Along with Stevens, who is the interim dean of the School of Applied Technology, support hailed from Cornell University, the State University of New York (SUNY), TellCo Europe-Nigeria, Orun Ododo Power Company Limited (OOPCL), and the National Agency for Science and Engineering Infrastructure (NASENI).

For two weeks, Stevens trained installers in Abuja, Nigeria on photovoltaic systems. Though the original plan was to train 20 people, the project was expanded, and a total of 53 participants were trained. The project was made possible thanks to a \$10,000 grant from Cornell University's Institute for African Development (IAD) Students Summer Project Fund and support from Alfred State College.

According to the final report on the project, the trainees were

first taught the theoretical aspects of solar energy and installation for a week, and then exposed to practical field experience for another week. During the field work portion, they were involved in the installation of a solar-powered borehole water supply system in Toko Village, a rural community in Karu Local Government Area, Nasawara State, at the outskirts of the Federal Capital Territory in Abuja.

The village is home to more than 600 members who previously had to walk a significant distance to service and obtain water for daily use. Now as a result of the project, the resource is located in the village center and has been infused to be the focal point of the community.

After the two-week training was completed as a way to encourage long term growth, the organizers began mentoring the 53 successful trainees and will continue to coach them for six months in their quest to becoming solar energy entrepreneurs and service providers, the final report states. Monitoring and evaluation exercises were also expected to take place for six months on the installed water supply system at Toko Village to ensure continuous operation and to measure the impact of the project.

Stevens brought with him ex-

tensive solar energy experience that includes serving as the consultant and lead for solar installation projects in a number of places, including county parks in Arlington, VA; the National Arboretum in Washington, DC; and the New York State Parks Department in Niagara Falls. He described the trip as "an incred-

ible experience of sharing and teaching."

"I found it an honor to share with Nigerian professionals the foundational knowledge and skills that Alfred State has been integrating into the School of Applied Technology's skilled trades programs," he said. "The demand for skilled tradesmen

and women in the workforce is one that knows no borders. The workforce shortage is one that Alfred State recognizes and is serious about addressing. We are proud to be part of the solution to training the next generation of renewable energy and skilled trade leaders."



Alfred State College Interim Dean of the School of Applied Technology Jeffrey Stevens, far right, provides solar energy training to a group of installers in Nigeria.

Community Table cooking, dining venue in grand opening

ALFRED—Community Table, the cooking and dining venue in Alfred University's Powell Campus Center, hosted a grand opening ceremony Thursday afternoon celebrating the facility's new fresh look.

Community Table opened last fall as a unique venue for members of the University community to gather and prepare and eat meals in a warm. Over the course of the year, a large hand-crafted wooden table and chairs were added to the unique lighting fixture that features globes made by Angus Powers, professor of glass. Food-themed photographs and a mural depicting the Community Table logo adorns the wall; and locally-made pottery has been dis-

played.

The result: an inviting atmosphere that will be a year-round

gathering place for the entire Alfred community. On Thursday, the public was invited to see the



Visitors to Community Table enjoy food and refreshments at Thursday's grand opening.

Community Table, located on the second floor of Powell and operated by AU Fresh (the University's dining services), in space formerly occupied by Li'l Alf Café. Light food and refreshments were served.

Among the activities planned for Community Table are cooking classes, coffee hours, and the occasional "pop-up meal," in which simple and quick-to-prepare meals — like a taco or fajita bar; or soup and sandwiches for example -- will be offered periodically. Upcoming events at Community Table include:

AU Fresh Forum, Sept. 26, 6 p.m. The AU Fresh management team will discuss the dining program at Alfred University. Refreshments will be served.

Cooking classes, taught by AU Fresh chefs, select Tuesdays, 5-7 p.m.: Sept. 25, "Knife Skills"; Oct. 2, "Make the Perfect Wrap"; Oct. 23, "Halloween Cupcake Decorating." Sign up by the Monday before each class by calling 607-871-2247 or emailing snyderhj@alfred.edu. Class sizes are limited. Cost is \$8.

Faculty and Staff Coffee Hour: The following Thursdays, from 8:30-9:30 a.m.: Sept. 20, Oct. 4 and 18; Nov. 1, 15 and 29. The following Fridays, from 3-4 p.m.: Sept. 28; Oct. 12 and 26; Nov. 9; and Dec. 7.

ALFRED STATE POLICE ACADEMY

Richardson named session director of Police Academy

ALFRED—The Center for Community Education and Training (CCET) at Alfred State College is pleased to announce that Officer Scott Richardson has been named the session director of the school's new police academy.

Richardson brings with him more than 30 years of experience in law enforcement, having served as a police officer for the city of Hornell, the village of North Hornell, the village of Andover, and the village of Alfred. He also served as chief of the village of Alfred police and is a retired criminal justice instructor who taught at the Greater Southern Tier BOCES Coopers Plains campus for 12 years. In addition to his current police officer duties in North Hornell, Richardson is also a commissioner of the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety.

A 1978 graduate of Andover Central School, he holds a Bachelor of Arts in criminal justice from Keuka College, is a graduate of the Southern Tier Law Enforcement Academy, and has earned a Public School Teacher Certificate through the University of the State of New York Education Department.

Wendy Dresser-Recktenwald, senior director of Human Resources and

CCET, welcomed Richardson and said that Alfred State College intends to provide comprehensive police officer training that is relevant for today's officer.

"We want to be the 'police academy of choice' for local law enforcement agencies, and we believe under Scott's leadership we can do just that," she said. "By bringing in Lt. Grossman on Oct. 24, an internationally recognized educator for law enforcement and military, to speak about 'combat' for police officers, we are showing that we intend to lead the charge and train not only new recruits but seasoned officers."

She added, "Scott's academic background and his unique experiences as an officer, investigator, and an educator are a great match for Alfred State. The fact that Scott knows our local law enforcement is helpful, and will help us keep a pulse on what local law enforcement training needs are. Between Scott's appointment and our Police Academy Advisory Board, we are confident in our program going forward."

Gregory Sammons, vice president for Student Affairs, said, "We're excited to have Scott Richardson join us as the director of the Alfred State Po-

lice Academy. Scott brings an extensive background in both policing and as a law enforcement educator. His vision for in-service and other law enforcement courses will complement the basic course and academy class set to kick off in May of 2019."

Richardson said, "I am very excited to be named session director of the Alfred State Police Academy. I think that it is imperative that we provide our future police officers with all the education and tools necessary to make them the best police officers that they can be and that is exactly what we intend to do here at Alfred State. I look forward to 'hitting the ground running' so that our future police officers can 'hit the streets running.'"

The Alfred State Police Academy's inaugural Basic Course for Police Officers is set to launch May 14, 2019. The academy will serve recruits in both pre-employment (Phase I) and those employed (Phase II) stages. Graduates will earn either the Pre-Employment Certificate (Phase I) or the Basic Course for Police Officers Certificate (Phase II).

For more information on the police academy, please contact CCET at 607-587-4015 or CCET@alfred-state.edu.



Officer Scott Richardson has been named the session director of the Alfred State Police Academy.

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AU CERAMIC ART MUSEUM

World-renowned tableware designer to open show

ALFRED—Alfred University is preparing for a visit by alumnus Chunmao Huang, a world-renowned designer of ceramic tableware whose work has graced the tables of state banquets attended by international leaders.

Huang, who earned a Master of Fine Arts degree from Alfred University in 2003, will have an exhibition of his work in the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum and will deliver an on-campus lecture the week of its opening. Two other events – a guzheng performance by Daisy Wu and the 16th Perkins Lecture – are being organized by the museum and held in conjunction with Huang's visit.

The exhibition, "Reclaiming Splendor: Ceramic Design by Chunmao Huang," will be shown in the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum Sept. 20 through Dec. 20.

An opening reception for Huang's exhibition will be held Thursday, Sept. 20, from 5-8 p.m. at the Alfred Ceramic Museum. During the reception, Daisy Wu, associate director of the Confucius Institute at Alfred University and a visiting professor of music at the University, will give a short concert on guzheng. Wu's concert on guzheng, a traditional Chinese stringed instrument, will be at 7 p.m.

His exhibition will feature banquet ware created in 2016 for China's First Lady, Pen Liyuan. The porcelain banquet ware was designed by Huang at the First Lady's request for the 2016 G20 Summit, held in Hangzhou, China. This will mark the first time the porce-

lain tableware has been seen in the United States.

Huang is chief designer for Yong Feng Yuan Co., Ltd., a leading manufacturer of china founded in 1795. He is lead faculty for the ceramic design program at the Central Academy of Fine Arts (CAFA), regarded as China's number one art school, and currently serves as chair of the ALFRED-CAFA Ceramic Design for Industry Program, a collaborative educational initiative between Alfred University and the Central Academy of Fine Arts, Beijing.

On Sept. 21 at 4:30 p.m. in Room C, Binns-Merrill Hall 106, Huang will give a lecture titled "Chunmao Huang: Rediscovering Traditional Chinese Culture."

The 16th Perkins Lecture will be given by Denise Patry Leidy, the Ruth and Bruce Dayton Curator of Asian Art at the Yale University Art Gallery. The lecture, "Back-and-Forth: Chinese and Global Clay, 17th-21st Century," will be presented on Oct. 10, at 4:30 p.m. in Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center. The lecture is being held in recognition of Global Day of Clay (Oct. 10) and National Clay Week (Oct. 8-14) and will be live streamed to a global audience.

The Alfred Ceramic Art Museum established the Dorothy Wilson Perkins Ceramic History Lecture Series in 1998, thanks to a generous endowment gift to the Museum by Dr. Lyle Perkins (B.F.A. Alfred '39; M.F.A. Alfred '47) in memory of his wife, Dr. Dorothy Wilson Perkins (B.F.A. Alfred '39).



Alfred University alumnus Chunmao Huang, a world-renowned designer of ceramic tableware, has an exhibition of his work that opens today at the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum. An opening reception will be held 5-8 p.m. today (Thursday, Sept. 20).

The Absolute Moment

One Sunday morning, a lifetime ago, I sat with my family in the First Methodist Church in Clinton, Iowa. The pew was hard, as if designed to punish us for our sins. Our black-frocked minister was well into his latest long-winded sermon, but I wasn't listening. My attention was riveted on the elderly man in the pew ahead of me.

On the nape of his leathery neck, deep creases had etched an elongated "X." Whenever he bowed his head, the creases would recede. When he looked up again, they would re-emerge. As the service continued, these marks of age and experience exhibited various degrees of depth and prominence. During the responsive readings, they nearly vanished. During the singing of the Doxology, which he probably knew by heart, they stood out boldly, like furrows in a freshly ploughed field.

Why that memory has stayed with me is anybody's guess. And why the experience in which it played a part has survived the depredations of time is a mystery too complex to fathom. I suspect, however, that the longevity of the memory has something to do with the quality of my attention at the time. To be sure, the object of my contemplation was other than it was supposed to be, but my engagement must have been wholehearted. "What you look hard at," wrote the poet-priest Gerard Manley Hopkins, "seems to look hard at you." And those experiences in which we've been most fully engaged are the ones we're most likely to remember.

In everyday life, such full engagement is more the exception than the rule. It's no secret that many of us spend a large proportion of our waking lives daydreaming about the past or future or losing ourselves in speculative thought. And even when we imagine that we are "being present" or "living in the moment," we may



One Time, One Meeting

By BEN HOWARD

be experiencing the present moment as a stepping-stone toward something else, an instrument in the service of a desired outcome. In Zen teachings, this habitual (and often competitive) focus on a goal is known as a "gaining idea." A deeply conditioned habit of mind, it inclines us to perceive any one moment or event as a point on a linear progression. That the same moment or event might possess its own inherent value is farthest from our minds. The present moment is seen and felt as relative, which is to say, as a means toward a finite end.

Fortunately, there is another way of experiencing our daily lives, one that we may cultivate at any time. Pointing us in that direction, Eihei Dogen (1200-1253), founder of the Soto Zen tradition, offers this admonition:

Firewood becomes ashes, it does not become wood again. Don't think that wood is first, ashes after. Your understanding must penetrate that although firewood is firewood, it has a before and after; that having this before, this after, it is free of these. . . . Life is life, death is death and are each in their own place like winter and spring. Winter does not become spring, spring does not become winter. What Dogen is urging us to recognize is the "suchness" of firewood, its unique and perfect nature, independent of its past and future states. Rather than think of firewood as "post-beech-tree" or "pre-

ashes," we are to regard it as a thing in itself, with its own place in the natural order. In the language of Zen, a stick of firewood has its own "Dharma position" or phenomenal expression.

Commenting on Dogen's observation, the Zen teacher Shohaku Okumura likens the independent status of firewood to that of the present moment:

As Dogen discusses in "Genjokoan," the moment when firewood dwells in the Dharma position of firewood is a perfect moment. The before and after of the moment is cut off, and both past and future are reflected in that moment. The next moment is the same. Each moment is an absolute and independent moment, is discontinuous and disconnected like a stone woman. And yet, the stone woman gives birth, the discontinuous moment brings about the next moment.

Each moment of our experience, in other words, is both absolute and relative. In its absolute dimension, it is discontinuous and independent; in its relative dimension, it is connected to the past and future.

The relative and absolute dimensions of our lives are not mutually exclusive. On the contrary, they are complementary. My experience of watching an old man's neck wrinkles come and go, an experience that gave birth to a lasting memory, occurred in linear time. In its relative, historical dimension, it is continuous with both my upbringing and my present life. But in its ultimate, absolute dimension, that same experience transcended the conditions that brought it into being. A time-bound moment in which I was fully absorbed, it has become, paradoxically, a timeless presence, a bright remembered buoy in the onrushing river of time.



Stacked Beechwood in Stillachtal, Bavaria, Germany." (Photo by Franzfoto.)

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

Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

BANDS/DJs/RECITALS
Hornell Area Wind Ensemble "Salute to America" Concert: 8 p.m. May 26 featuring Lt. Col John Clanton, Ret., Guest Conductor with Baritone soloist SGM Robert McDonald. Rehearsals Tuesday evenings at Hornell Intermediate School. New members are always welcome. For further information, call Nancy Luger at 587-9449 or call 545-6603.

MostArts Festival: Plan to enjoy Summer Music & Art, Sunday, July 8-14, 2018 featuring the 2018 Piano Competition ages 13-18, workshops, pop-up restaurant, music under the stars, Art Walk. visit: www.MostArts.alfred.edu for more information.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music some evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. For tickets, visit: www.Wellsville-CreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-3000.

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

Genesee Valley Chorus. The Genesee Valley Chorus has started fall concert rehearsals and welcomes new members. Singers meet every Tuesday at 7 P.M. at the Grace United Church, North Main Street, Wellsville (formerly Congregational Church). The chorus is directed by Norma Bartlett. For further information, call 585-593-3173.

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:00 p.m. Mondays at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St

Ext., near Webbs Crossing Road, Hornell. New members welcome. Call 607-698-4690 for info.

The Orpheus Chorale is a local chorale that performs concerts periodically. For more info, visit: orpheuschorale.org or call 607-324-5147.

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

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

CONCERTS/RECITALS
Davis Memorial Carillon Recitals, AU campus. There is currently no weekly recital.

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on Tuesdays during the month of July. July 10 at 6 pm: Tatiana Lukyanova; July 17 at 7 pm: James Fackenthal; July 24 at 7 pm: Gordon Slater; and July 31 at 7 pm: Carlo von Ulf. The Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series honors Dr. Ray Winthrop Wingate, a professor of music at Alfred University for 56 years.



Theater & Dance

DANCE
International Folk Dancing Tuesday evenings from 8:30-10:30 p.m. We learn and do a variety of International Dances,

many from the Balkans, Israel, Armenia, etc. Everyone is welcome, no partner or experience necessary! Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus.

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

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

PERFORMANCES
Young Sisters, an acoustic duo who sing tight harmonies, in concert at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 14 in Nancy Howe Auditorium, David A. Howe Public Library, Wellsville.



Art/Galleries

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

Allegany Arts Association, regular board meetings open to public, 10 a.m. 2nd Tuesday monthly, at the David A. Howe Library, Wellsville.

Angelica Ink Letterpress Located at 20 Allegany Avenue, Angelica, NY. 585.466.7040

Angelica Sweet Shop 44 W. Main in Angelica's Park Circle National Historic District. Open daily 8 am–5 pm For more info: 585-466-7070 or www.angelicasweetshop.com.

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

Wellsville Art Association. For informationcall Karen Dickerson, 585-593-3579.

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

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

MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS
The Andover House, exhibiting the best of Alfred connected Ceramic Art and 2 dimensional art. Historical and contemporary. Open 11am to 4pm on Saturdays. At 21 North Main Street, Andover New York. For visits by appointment call 585 593 3947 or 607 478 5014 : E-mail: Johnfdolan@yahoo.com.

Fountain Arts Center, 42 Schuyler Street, Belmont. For info or group arrangements, call 585-268-5951 or visit our website at: www.thefountainartscenter.org

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

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

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.

Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery, Alfred State College Campus. Open during library hours, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays and 3-9 p.m. Sundays. For more information, call the library at 607-587-4313.

Hornell Erie Depot Museum, 111 Loder St., Hornell is open Wed. & Thurs. from 6-8 pm, Fri. from 4-8 pm and Sat from 12:30-3 pm.

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



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

Alfred Art Walk. A collaborative monthly opening by galleries in the Village of Alfred and on the campuses of Alfred University and Alfred State College. For a complete and up to date listing of venues, please visit alfredartwalk.org. To add your event to Alfred Art Walk email: submit.alfredartwalk@gmail.com

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

The Pioneer Oil Museum in Bolivar will induct Henry Lindquist, Jim Beckwith, Don Miller, and Arthur Yahn, Sr. into the New York State Oil Producers' Association—Wall of Fame, which is located at the Hahn & Schaffner site of the Pioneer Oil Museum. Each man will be honored for his contributions to the local oil and natural gas industry with a plaque in his honor. Induction ceremonies will take place at 6 p.m. Friday, June 22, immediately before the Wine-And-Cheese Tasting from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. at the Hahn & Schaffner Site. Tickets are \$17 and available May 20. Checks may be made payable to: Pioneer Oil Museum of New York PO Box 332, Bolivar, NY 14715, Museum will open following Memorial Day Weekend. For more information and updates, visit: www.pioneeroilmuseum.com

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

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

World War II Museum, 201 Main Street, Eldred, Pennsylvania. Coming programs include: Saturday, Nov. 11—Veterans Day. Presentation honoring area veterans; Saturday, Dec. 16—Battle of the Bulge: director Steve Appleby will share the story of the local National Guard unit and its heroic stand during the largest land battle of the European War. For more information, visit: <http://eldredpawwiiimuseum.com/> or call: 814-225-2220.

CHUNMAO HUANG EXHIBITION

Daisy Wu to play guzheng at Ceramic Art Museum reception

ALFRED—Daisy Wu, associate director of the Confucius Institute at Alfred University and a visiting professor of music at the

University, will give a short concert on guzheng during today's 5 to 8 p.m. opening reception for an exhibition featuring work by

renowned ceramic tableware designer Chunmao Huang. Wu's concert on guzheng, a traditional Chinese stringed in-

strument, will be at 7 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 20 in the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum on the Alfred University campus. The performance is part of the opening reception of the exhibition

"Reclaiming Splendor: Ceramic Design by Chunmao Huang."

His exhibition will feature banquet ware created in 2016 for China's First Lady, Pen Liyuan.



Nutrition in a Nutshell

By MARIA ADAM
Nutritional Therapy Practitioner
and Alfred Sun Columnist

Building a Thriving Lifestyle: Exercise

Movement is critical to a healthy lifestyle. If you look back through history, over the last couple centuries it is evident how we have become drastically more and more sedentary as human beings. We experience so many modern conveniences that demand less of our physical bodies. However, even a couple centuries ago, when most of the hours of the day consisted of physical work, individuals benefited from exercise that was distinctly set apart from their daily grind. So, if you do have a physically demanding job, exercise still has a place in your life. Join me as we look at tips and benefits for various levels of exercise as well as the importance of stretching.

First of all, exercise is defined as "activity requiring physical effort, carried out to sustain and improve health and fitness." [1] If we don't move our bodies, we naturally become weaker--less fit and agile. This is why we need a lifestyle of exercise. By engaging in intentional exercise that challenges our muscles, we become stronger--more fit and agile. No matter how active your job, chores, or hobbies require you to be, it is important to engage in physical activity that challenges your body to grow stronger. This will also enhance your ability to do your work! I have personally found that regular exercise outside of my more physical work activities of cleaning, gardening, stacking wood, etc. allows me to do those very tasks with greater efficiency and ease.

Besides making us stronger, exercise helps to support several aspects of mental health: improves mood, reduces anxiety, improves sleep and mental clarity! When we exercise, we use stored glucose in our cells which allows insulin to work more efficiently. This pampering to our blood sugar handling system improves our ability to handle stress and regulates sleep. Additionally, exercise stimulates the release of those wonderful feel-good hormones called endorphins. Endorphins "bind to the brain's opiate receptors, reducing the perception of pain and triggering feelings of euphoria." [2] It is amazing that we have been naturally designed to experience these pleasures! Rather than turning to a substance that produces these feelings with negative consequences, with exercise we can stew-

ard our health to enjoy the pure benefits.

In order to determine the best exercise for you, ask yourself what form of exercise will challenge your body without adding unhealthy stress. It is important to be aware that any healthy habit needs to be in balance. Over-exercising is just as unhealthy and stressful as no exercise.

If your lifestyle is very sedentary, begin regular walks and slowly increase their length and speed. If your work requires you to be on your feet all day or engaged in heavy lifting, for exercise, try short intervals of cardio workouts that get your muscles warmed up but don't demand additional hours of your day. Also, don't forget to stretch and warm up your muscles! Although so often neglected, this is equally as important as the exercise itself.

Ideally, first do light exercises for 5-10 minutes that warm up your muscles. Then stretch for another 5-10 minutes. By using a resource that guides you through various stretches, you can learn proper techniques that will prevent injury, increase flexibility and movement of the muscles, as well as improve mental health as you practice intentional breathing. Included below is an online resource for a great warm up and stretch routine.

In conclusion, exercise is a habit (much like eating healthy foods) that is really hard to start or restart. Thus, the initial motivation to begin must be strong until we begin to experience those wonderful benefits. It is important to find an exercise that you can love and will support your goals.

Also, a clearly defined goal is easier to execute with an accountability partner such as a lifestyle coach, workout buddy, or fitness trainer. No matter the level of exercise in which you engage, keep it fun and refreshing. This will equip you to experience the wonderful benefits of a sustainable exercise routine.

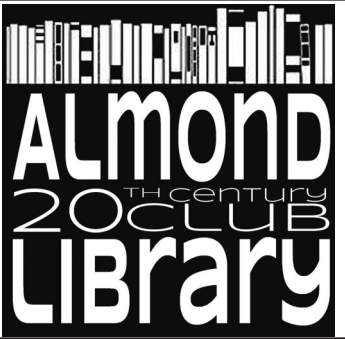
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[2] <https://www.medicalnewstoday.com/articles/319157.php>
Online Resource:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gOXGO6HNPeY>

If you have questions or comments for Nutritional Therapy Practitioner, Maria Adam, contact her at thrivinghealthNY.com.



DAISY WU will give a short concert on guzheng at the opening reception of the Chunmao Huang Exhibition at the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum at 7 p.m. tonight (Thursday, Sept. 20).

What's Happening at Almond Library



Tech help, homework help offered

ALMOND—Almond 20th Century Club Library is featuring a TECH drop-in time for Seniors, defined as those 55 and up. This is every Wednesday from 4 to 6 p.m. Bring in your e-readers or tablets and staff can help you download books and more.

With the advent of the school year, the Library is also featuring Homework Help for youth on Thursdays and Fridays from 3 to 5pm. Personal assistance is available! Don't forget Storytime at 11am on Saturdays.



Lectures/Readings

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

AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series. Talks are 12:20 to 1:10 Fridays in Science Center Room 247. Sept. 21-Stewart A.W. Diemont, "What Do Indigenous and Local Cultures Tell Us About Conserving and Restoring Ecosystems?"; Sept. 28-Gabrielle Gaustad (AU '04), "Secondary and Byproduct Sources of Rare Earth Metals"; Oct. 5-George McGraw, "Meet the Americans Who Still Don't Have Clean, Running Water"; Oct. 12-Mid-semester Break; Oct. 19-John Cusack, "Business Sustainability: Essential Key to Creating Value and Future Business Success"; Oct. 26-Garrett Stephens, "Trees Are for Cutting"; Nov. 2-Henry Adams, "Life and Death of Trees on the Dry Forest Edge"; Nov. 9-Jane Herndon, "Environmental Issues at Airports"; Nov. 16-Arunas Chesonis, "How Do We Stop Using Petroleum?"; Nov. 23-Thanksgiving Break. Nov. 30-Joe Henderson, "Climate Change, Partisan Politics and the Future of the Adirondacks." All are welcome; refreshments will be served.

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

Baker's Bridge Historical Association. Meets 7:30 pm, third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. All programs free and open to the public. Oct. 15-Doug Clarke, "MacCrea Home"; Nov. 12-Linda Huey, "Randolph Road"; Dec. 10-Chris Romanchock, "Flu! (of 2018)" at Alfred Station SDB Church with dish to share at 6:30 p.m.; Jan. 21-Laurie Lounsbury, "Albert Potter"; Feb. 18-Jim Ninos, "Helen Cottrell"; March 18-TBD; April 15-TBD; May Field Trip to Richburg Museum. Website: www.bakersbridge.org. For more information, contact President Jim Ninos, 607-587-9018, jninos@gmail.com. For a tour of the building contact our Collections Manager, Laurie McFadden (607-382-7276, mcfadden@alfred.edu).

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus when classes are in session. Sept. 20-Steve Shank and panel, "Equestrians in Ireland"; Sept. 27-Beristain-Kendall, "SN Refsdal: The Supernova that Wouldn't Go Away"; Oct. 4- David DeGraff, "The Interstellar Scout"; Oct. 11-John Simmins, "Augmented Reality"; Oct. 18-Lydia McCarthy, "Alternative Art Spaces and A Psychedelic Goddess Cult"; Oct. 25-Kate Dimitrova, "The Year of Eclipses Learning, Experiencing and Creating during my Sabbatical Year"; Nov. 1-Kat Blake, "Dead Men Do Tell Tales"; Nov. 8-Robert Myers, "Culture and Climate Change in Svalbard, Norway: Coal Yields to Tourists and Science in the High Arctic"; Nov. 15-Jennifer McQuiston, "Love in the Time of Ebola"; Nov. 22-Thanksgiving Break; Nov. 29-Meghan Dwyer, "Confessions of a Bad Mom and Other Fun Stuff"; Dec. 6-Holly Shulman, "Hands on Materials Science." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

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

Nunda Historical Society. Ques-

tions: see www.nundahistory.org or call 585-476-2354 or 585-465-0971.



Films

GRAND THEATRE 585-593-6899 Main Street, Wellsville. Now featuring certified 3D!

SPOTLIGHT THEATER. 191 Main Street, Hornell. www.thespottlighttheaters.com (607) 661-4685

DAVID A. HOWE LIBRARY Nancy Howe Auditorium 155 N. Main Street, Wellsville Monday Movie: Dinosaur (2000) PG, Monday, May 21 at 3:30 pm Senior Matinees at the Howe The David A. Howe Library presents a special matinee screening for Senior Citizens the fourth Tuesday of each month starting at 2:00 pm including: Sept. 25: From Here to Eternity (1943) NR; Oct. 23 Blackbeard's Ghost (1968); Nov. 27 The Grass Harp (1996) PG; Dec. 18* A Christmas Story (1983) PG

Fun-n-Games

STAR GAZING

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

BOWLING

Maple City Bowl, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday night 9 pm to 1 a.m. Come sing the night away with Our DJ! They are here every Friday bringing your favorite tunes! For updates, check www.maplecitybowl.net Or call

607-324-1011.

BRIDGE

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

DAVID A. HOWE LIBRARY

Nancy Howe Auditorium Events 155 N. Main Street, Wellsville **Concerts:** "Casual Reply" concert at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20; Genesee Valley Chorus concert at 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 26 and 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 28; "Hungrytown" concert at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 30; Creek Bend Band* concert at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 30. **Special Event:** Spirits of New York, a fun and spooky presentation by Cris Johnson at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 10.

Str8 Eight Tournament Saturday, Sept. 8 at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. Next Tournament: Monday, Oct. 8. Monthly Str8 Eight tournaments on the 8th day of each month at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse starting at 8 p.m. (unless otherwise noted). You get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str8-eight.com



Special Events

Allegany County History Awareness Week Sept. 24-30. The third annual Allegany County History Awareness Week will take place in Wellsville at the David A. Howe Public Library Sept. 25-30 with a closing presentation in Cuba at the Palmer Opera House. Theme is World War I and World War II. Events follow: Sept. 24- Ribbon cutting ceremony. Sept. 25-29 - Exhibits open to the public at David A. Howe Public Library. Guest Speakers at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25-Craig Braack on Pearl

Harbor; Wednesday, Sept. 26 - Steven Appleby of the Eldred WWII Museum; Thursday, Sept. 27-Earl McElfresh on War in the South Pacific; Friday, Sept. 28-Bill Burt on the Railroads' Contributions to WWII. Sunday, Sept. 30-Closing at Palmer Opera House, Cuba, with first person enactments of local historic personalities related to this years theme.

Journey to Transformation:

Friday night community prayer for host, community and Allegany County churches, and beyond, are being held from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.: Biweekly Sunday night praise and worship and prayer time, with live music, are scheduled from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. to pray for prime county-wide concerns.

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

Faith Playbook, a conversation about life and faith with Carson Wentz, Nick Foles, and other superbowl champion Eagles, hosted by Dr. Paul Tripp. Hosted by Alfred-Almond Bible Church at 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28. There will be a tailgate party with free food. They share about winning the championship, suffering season-ending injuries, serving others, and why Jesus is more precious than anything the world has to offer. For more information, email: john.mcdermott13@yahoo.com

Support Groups

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

Al-Anon. 7pm Thursdays and

Sundays at the United Presbyterian Church, 150 Main Street, Hornell. Use the side entrance

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

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

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

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

Celebrate Recovery/Celebrate Victory Christian 12-Steps support for all types of hurts, hangups, habits and struggles of life, including common addictions. 7PM Saturdays at Knights Creek Evangelical Methodist Church, 2987 Knights Creek Road (County Road 9), Scio. www.facebook.com/KnightsCreekChurch, or Casey Jones at bps461@msn.com or (484) 435-0503 for information.

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

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

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

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, Sept. 24

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

Tuesday, Sept. 25
Spinach Mandarin Salad
Breaded Fish w/Tartar Sauce
Oven Browns
Stewed Tomatoes
Whole Wheat Bread
Lemon Mousse
Diabetic-Lemon Mousse

Wednesday, Sept. 26
Orange Juice
Meat Lovers Egg & Cheese Scramble
Hash Browns
Blueberry Muffins
Fresh Fruit
Diabetic-Fresh Fruit

Thursday, Sept. 27
Orange
Texas Hots w/Meat Sauce
Whole Wheat Bun
Cheesy Au Gratin Potatoes
Oriental Vegetables
Chocolate Pudding
Diabetic-Pudding

Friday, Sept. 28
Chilled Juice
Turkey Rice Casserole
Brussel Sprouts
Whole Wheat Bread
Pears
Diabetic-Pears
For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. previous day.

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE

Union University Church Center, 12 noon
Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118. **Monday**—10:30-11:30 a.m. Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon. Lunch at 12 noon. "Tickling the Ivories." **Tuesday**—10:30-11:30 a.m. Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon. Lunch at 12 noon. "World Pharmacist Day." **Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon. "World Tourism Day...Take a Hike!"

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE

American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.
Call Linda Trask at 716-208-9755 **Tuesday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "National Comic Book Day—Share Favorite Comic Books." **Thursday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Tami's Florist Demonstration."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE

Fire Hall 12 noon
Call Carrie Simon at 585-808-5640 **Monday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m. **Wednesday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Cards. "Johnny Appleseed Day." Blood Pressure Clinic. **Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m. "Crazy Hair Day." Karen Chamberlain, Issues & Answers.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE

Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Barb Welch at 607-270-4070. **Tuesday**—Exercises at 10 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "BINGO." Cards at 1:00. **Thursday**—Exercises at 10 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "3 and 3 = 6." Cards at 1 p.m.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE

AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
Call Judy Enders at 585 808-5201 **Monday**—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Missing Body Parts." *Call in reservations for Evening Meal! **Tuesday**—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "The Railroad." **Wednesday**—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Lunch at 12 noon. "Current Events." **Thursday**—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Lunch at 12 noon. "Evening Meal." Chris O'Connor, Issues & Answers.

FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE

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

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE

Community Center, 12 noon
Call Gail Bartas 585-973-2311 **Tuesday**—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1:00. **Thursday**—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1:00. Blood Pressure Clinic. Elaiza Cole-Neu, Issues & Answers.

WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE

Grace United Church, N. Main 12 noon
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665. **Monday**—Scrabble at 10 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Scrabble at 12:30 p.m. **Wednesday**—Games at 10 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Trivia. **Thursday**—Trivia, Canasta, Lunch at 12 noon. **Friday**—Scrabble at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Pinochle at 12:30 p.m. Chris O'Connor, Issues & Answers. **WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE** Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Barb Billings at 607-356-3390. **Monday**—Senior Center Library. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Famous Names and a Go-With." **Tuesday**—Senior Center Library. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Match Up." Blood Pressure Clinic. **Wednesday**—Senior Center Library. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Jigsaw Squares."



At the Movies

(Effective Sept. 21-Sept. 27)
GRAND THEATRE, Main St., Wellsville... 585-593-6899 Slender Man (PG-13)
The Nun (R)
SPOTLIGHT THEATER, 191 Main St, Hornell 607-661-4685
Peppermint (R)
The Nun (R)
The Predator (R)
Smallfoot (PG) starts Sept. 27

Sept. 21-Sept. 27
Peppermint (R)
Fri.-Sat. 12:30, 3:00, 5:45, 8:30
Sun. 1:30, 4:30, 7:30 Mon. 7:30
Tues. 12:30, 3:00, 5:45, 8:30
Wed. 1:30, 7:30
Thurs. 1:30, 4:30, 7:30

Sept. 21-Sept. 27
The Nun (R)
Fri.-Sat. 12:45, 3:30, 6:15, 9:00
Sun. 1:15, 4:15, 7:15 Mon. 7:15
Tues. 12:45, 3:30, 6:15, 9:00
Wed. 1:15, 7:15
Thurs. 1:15, 4:15

Sept. 21-Sept. 27
The Predator (R)
Fri.-Sat. 12:30, 3:15, 6:00, 8:45
Sun. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00 Mon. 7:00
Tues. 12:30, 3:15, 6:00, 8:45
Wed. 1:00, 7:00
Thurs. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00

Starts Thursday, Sept. 27
Smallfoot (PG)
7:15

Tuesday Bargain Day: Movies all day and evening \$7.00 plus FREE small popcorn with fountain drink purchase.

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What You Need:

*lots of hot peppers (or mild if you just want to capture flavor)
*dehydrator
*spice grinder or mill

Make a small slit in each pepper to let the moisture out. Place on trays of dehydrator and set to 12 hours at 120 degrees. Larger peppers may require additional time. You will know they are done when you can snap the top off and dump the seeds out. Grind in food mill or hand grinder and enjoy all winter long. NOTE: always use gloves and protective eye wear when handling hot peppers.

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

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2	Mary Hardin-Baylor (1)	2-0	597	2
3	St. Thomas	2-0	571	3
4	Brockport	3-0	520	4
5	North Central (Ill.)	2-0	509	5
6	Frostburg State	2-0	479	6
7	Wesley	2-0	465	7
8	Hardin-Simmons	2-0	440	8
9	St. John's	2-0	432	9
10	UW-Whitewater	2-0	412	10
11	Linfield	1-1	380	11
12	UW-Oshkosh	2-1	331	15
13	Washington and Jefferson	3-0	309	13
14	Wittenberg	2-0	292	14
15	John Carroll	2-0	252	20
16	Trine	3-0	219	17
17	Berry	3-0	187	18
18	Case Western Reserve	2-0	166	19
19	Illinois Wesleyan	1-1	117	--
20	RPI	3-0	109	21
21	Delaware Valley	2-1	107	22
22	Wheaton (Ill.)	1-1	91	12
23	UW-La Crosse	2-1	83	23
24	Franklin and Marshall	3-0	55	24
25	Ithaca	2-1	45	--

Dropped out: No. 16 UW-Platteville; No. 25 Springfield.

Others receiving votes: Wartburg 43; Ohio Northern 43; UW-Platteville 36; Cortland 29; Wabash 21; Union 20; Johns Hopkins 17; Centre 16; Millikin 15; Muhlenberg 14; Salisbury 14; Baldwin Wallace 14; Susquehanna 13; Monmouth 12; Whitworth 7; Carthage 5; Central 5; Concordia-Moorhead 3; Thomas More 2; Washington & Lee 2; Redlands 1; Trinity (Conn.) 1.

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

Pigskin Picks

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

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

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Doug's NFL Picks

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DOLPHINS23 Oakland (sadly)
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RAMS44 LA Chargers
Chicago17 ARIZONA
SEAHAWKS24 Dallas
New England30 LIONS
MONDAY	
Pittsburgh27 BUCS

Pigskin Picks Football Contest

Gary Moore wins Week 2 of Pigskin Picks!

Gary Moore of Geneseo edged Robert Grogan of Canisteo on the Monday Night Football tiebreaker to take Pigskin Picks Week 2 honors. Both finished with five misses in a difficult week during which one D3 game was cancelled by Hurricane Florence and one NFL game ended in a tie. (Perhaps the NFL should adopt NCAA overtime rules. NFL OT rules are not getting the job done!) On the tiebreaker, Moore picked Chicago to win, 20-16. Grogan went with Seattle to win, 17-10. Chicago won, 24-17.

Next best entry, with 7 misses, was from Lisa Pipitone of Lakeville while Christopher Yarnal of Almond, Jay Lawrence of Glenville and Bob Baker of Alfred each had 8 misses.

Jason Rawady of Charlotte, NC, Ruth Gau of Poughkeepsie, Mack Mullen of Canisteo and Nel-

son Snyder of Alfred Station each had 9 misses. Doug Loro of Webster missed 10, Art McLaughlin of Alfred Station missed 11.

It's easy to participate! Enter your guesses of winners of the 20 football games (found in the ads on these pages) and predict the score of the Monday Night Football game as the tiebreaker in the form below. Enter today! The entry form below is due by **5 p.m. Friday, SEPT. 28**. Send entries to: Pigskin Picks, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802 or take to the ALFRED SUN mailbox on the porch of the home office located at 764 Route 244 in Tinker-town. Good luck!

2018 Winners:

Week 1: Judy Marlatt of Almond
Week 2: Gary Moore of Geneseo

Pigskin Picks Entry Form

College Picks Sept. 29 Games

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Pigskin Picks Contest Rules
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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.
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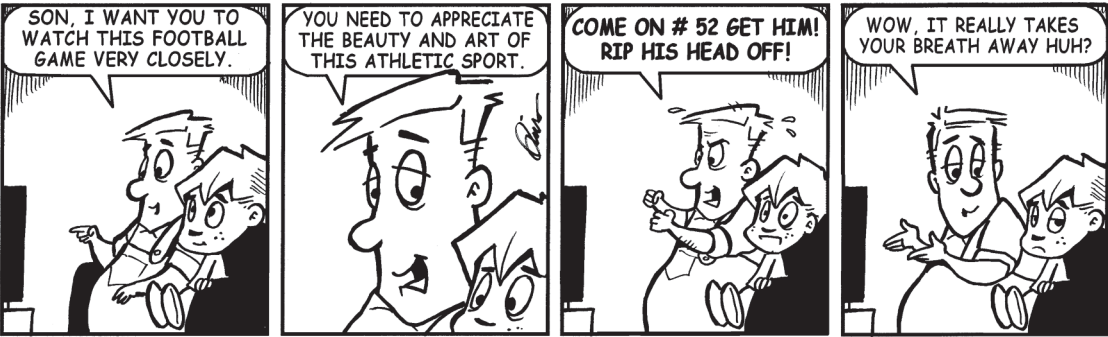


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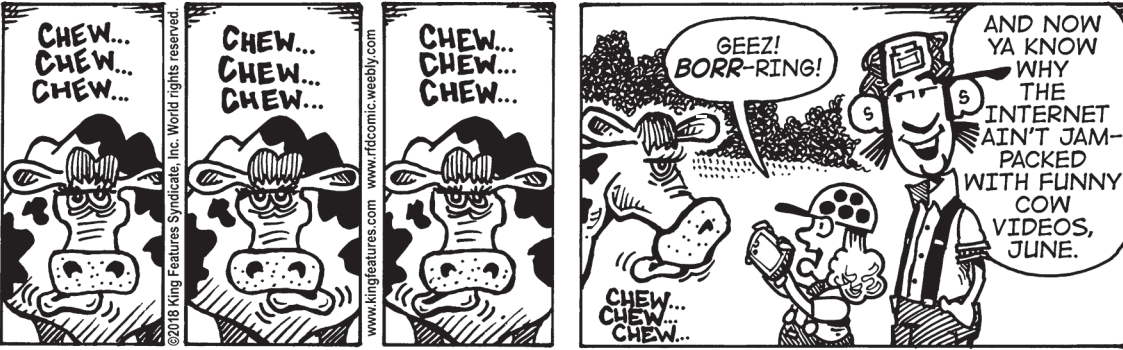
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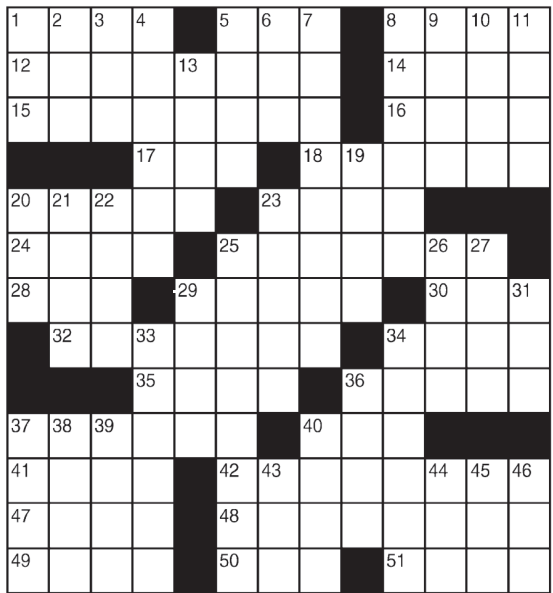
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- 1 — up (invigorates)
- 5 Alphabet start
- 8 "Pygmalion" writer
- 12 Spine component
- 14 Unadulterated
- 15 Language of Zagreb
- 16 Rod's partner
- 17 Cudgel
- 18 Wedding-related
- 20 Pirate flag symbol
- 23 Tempo
- 24 Grow weary
- 25 AT&T competitor
- 28 Coatrack piece
- 29 Oyster's gift
- 30 Mediterranean, for one
- 32 Porch
- 34 Blueprint
- 35 "Sad to say ..."
- 36 Combination of tones
- 37 Desert fox
- 40 — carte
- 41 Out of control
- 42 Exact
- 47 Streamlet
- 48 Taboo
- 49 A Great Lake



- 10 Neighbor-hood
- 11 Healthy
- 13 And others (Lat.)
- 19 Bar
- 20 Fuel additive brand
- 21 Capital of Ukraine
- 22 Incite
- 23 Rosary components
- 25 Large blood vessel
- 26 Capital of Norway
- 27 Approach
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- 31 Additionally
- 33 Irritate
- 34 Lighthouse of Alexandria
- 36 Organization
- 37 Passenger's payment
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Kent Beer Company, LLC, Articles of Organization filed with Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) 8/14/2018. Office in Allegany County. SSNY designated agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1693 Jones Rd. Andover, NY 14806, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 34-6b

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Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

50 Years Ago, Sept. 19, 1968

Alfred University has initiated discussion with the City of Winchester, England that may lead to faculty and student exchnages in the ancient Anglo-Saxon capital. Alfred President Leland Miles said today the talks are an outgrowth of a visit he and Mrs. Miles paid to Winchester's Lord Mayor, Stewart Green, a few weeks ago. Under consideration is a faculty interchange between Alfred University's art department and the Winchester School of Art, which offers university level work in painting, sculpture and textile design. Also being studied is the participation of Alfred students in a program of archaeological excavations at Winchester. The English city, once the seat of government of the medieval Saxon king Alfred the Great, is sponsoring the recovery of Saxon, Roman and Iron Age artifacts. About 100 students from a number of countries are now participating in the project. Tradition has it that the village of Alfred and Alfred University take their name from the ancient Saxon ruler. Lord Mayor Green of Winchester was the commencement speaker at Alfred University graduation ceremonies last June.

Miss Pamela Scofield, daughter of Era D. Scofield of Alfred, and Mrs. Hal Lasky of Puerto Rico, was married Saturday morning, Sept. 14, to Saylor Creswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Saylor Creswell Sr., of York, Pa. The double ring ceremony was held in The Gothic Chapel at Alfred...

An Ohio State University graduating class of 1,593 receive diplomas at summer commencement in St. John Arena on campus...Included among the graduates was Harold A. Simpson of Alfred who received his M.S. degree.

Loel Lusk, former resident of Railroad Valley, Alfred Station-Andover Road, died Sunday evening at Lawton, Oklahoma. He was formerly in the radio and television business in this area...

Luella E. Austin (AU '15) died Monday, Sept. 9, 1968 at the Methodist Hermitage, Alexandria, Va. Wife of the late James L. Austin (AU '16), she is survived by twin sons, Alfred E. (AU '42) of Worthington, Ohio and James S., of Arlington, Va.; and three grandsons...

Alfredians—Peter and Bob Randolph have returned to their respective colleges for the fall term, the University of Rochester and St. Lawrence University at Canton. Dr. and Mrs. Winfield Randolph and Susan took them back and were overnight guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield F. Randolph at Adams Center... Miss Linda Stearns returned last week to her college work at Ithaca College...Dr. and Mrs. Paul Saunders returned Thursday from a 5,000 mile, five-week trip to Colorado. They attended the SDB General Conference at Kearney, Neb., en route...Roger Van Horn has returned to college, this year at Cornell University where he is enrolled in the School of Hotel Management...Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Brown and daughter Margaret of Dansville were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown of Water Wells Road. ...James Eisenhardt, son

of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Eisenhardt, leaves today for the University of Rochester, where he plans to major in science...Miss Patricia Ann Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Palmer Jr., has begun her freshman year at Lasell Junior College for Women at Auburndale, Mass. She is studying medical technology...Once again Alfred comes alive with students from almost every state and many foreign countries. As the SUN goes to press, registration has not yet been tabulated, but it bids to be an all-time high. Many new staff members have also come to our friendly community. The welcome mat is out. We hope that you will like Alfred and that your presence here will be an added contribution to our population...

Photo: Two newcomers are greeted here Sunday at the season's first meeting of the Faculty Wives' Club at Alfred State College. From left are Mrs. Harold B. Hackett, club president; newcomers Mrs. John Merritt and Mrs. Gerald Davis; Mrs. David H. Huntington, wife of the college president and honorary club president; and pouring, Mrs. Roland Hale, a past president of the organization...

25 Years Ago, Sept. 16, 1993

Allegany County Court Judge Peter Sprague won the Republican Primary Tuesday, garnering 3,207 votes to challenger William W. Pulos' 2,044. Because the Democrats have no candidate, Sprague has virtually been re-elected...

The Alfred-Alfred Station Community Chest will kick off its 1993 drive during the next week. Following a budget meeting, the Community Chest Board has established a goal of \$25,200 for this year's campaign...

Exercise has been proven to help prevent disease as well as extend and improve the quality of life. With these goals in mind, the Allegany County Office for the Aging will sponsor a wellnness program for senior citizens coordinated by Faith Trotta of Alfred...

A local father and son team was honored by Nationwide Insurance at its annual President's Conference held recently in San Francisco. Lee A. Ryan of Almond was inducted into Nationwide's prestigious Hall of Fame, with son Jeff Ryan of Canisteo unveiling the plaque that hangs in the company's home office in Columbus, Ohio. As this year's only inductee into the Hall of Fame, Lee was honored because of attaining President's Conference for twenty years. It was a double honor since Jeff was also a conference qualifiers this year...

A 1978 Alfred-Almond Central School graduate who now heads his own small record company in Hollywood, CA is "on the verge" of releasing his first big hit recording. Michael Wenslow is president and chief executive officer of Ten Squared, Inc., the company that has the recording contract for none other than Dr. Geek. Anyone watching television would know that Dr. Geek is the rap artist who dies the commercial for Blublocker Sunglasses. "He's very recognizable," Mike told the Sun in a recent interview, "People know his face." Mike, the son of Anne Wenslow of Alfred, and Jim Wenslow of Wellsville, was "back home" in Alfred recently, visiting family for the first time in eight years. Dr. Geek's commercials for Blublocker helped the sunglasses manufacturer sell more than 20 million pairs worldwide. And Mike is hoping sales for a new pair of sunglasses, "Dr. Geek's Ghetto Blockers" are as successful because tentatively, a mail order form for Dr. Geek's release titled "Wordology 101: will be included with every pair of sunglasses the company ships...

Joseph G. Flynn, a Distinguished Service Professor at Alfred state College and co-director of the National Network of Faculty Senates, was the keynote speaker at a summer conference held to establish the Association of Faculty Senates for the public four-year colleges in Missouri...

Sunbeams—Berwyn Reid participated in the 1993 New York State Senior Games recently. Each person was limited to three events. In his three masters swimming events, Berwyn garnered a gold medal (first place) and two bronze medals (third place) in the 50 yard backstroke, 100 yard backstroke and 50 yard breast stroke, respectively...Firefighter Matthew J. Evans of the Almond Volunteer Fire Department recently attended and completed the Commanding the Initial Response course conducted by the Department of State, Office of Fire Prevention and Control at the New York State Academy

of Fire Science in Montour Falls... Ron and Luan Ellis enjoyed three weeks in Southern California in August, one of which was spent at Seventh Day Baptist General Conference. They assisted Terry and Kris Ellis in preparing for a move to Western New York during the other two weeks...Andrea Gill, associate professor of ceramic art in the School of Art and Design at the NYS College of Ceramics at Alfred University, recently served among the judges for the crafts competition in the Regional Fellowship Program offered by the Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation...Doris Simpson attended Old Home Day Sunday in Dalton, New York where she lived for several years and was a student in the school where her father was the principal. She also visited Mrs. Ethel Simpson Masters in Dalton...

A son, Jonathan Butler, was born Sunday, Sept. 5, 1993 to Mr. and Mrs. Craig Mix (Diane Butler) of Alfred Station at St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell. Paternal grandmother of the infant, who weighed 7 lb. 12 oz. at birth, is Mrs. Kay Chapman of Alfred Station. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler. Jonathan joins sisters Bethany 6 and Sara Beth 4 and brother Ethan 2, at home.

The Alfred Saxons' comeback fell just short at Frostburg State spoiled AU's home opener by taking an exciting 33-31 win Saturday night at Merrill Field...Two Max Freeman third quarter TDs on successive runs from scrimmage put the Saxons back into the game after the Bobcats had taken a 26-9 lead in the third quarter. His 1-yard TD run culminated a 10-play, 64-yard drive. The Bobcats bobbled a fake handoff on the ensuing kickoff and the Saxons recovered on the Frostburg 8. Freeman's 8-yard TD run and Mike Giancona's PAT made it 26-23...

10 Years Ago, September 18, 2008

Mayor Craig Clark opened the Alfred Village Board meeting on Tuesday evening, Sept. 9, with a report of results of the pre-study completed by Keith Pittman of Empire State Wind Corporation. The study showed that, in the mayor's words, "There is nothing to stop the project" in that there were no physical conditions found which would rule out the viability of wind energy production on the land owned by Alfred State College...

With the Pledge of Allegiance, a rousing singing of "America" and a solemn prayer in remembrance of 9/11, the Alfred Lions Club gathered recently, beginning their 42nd year of service under the leadership of new President Jim Moretti...Other Lions initiatives of note included a successful Almond Community Day auction that has raised over \$1200 for the Allegany County Office for the Aging. Sales of our community calendars will add \$700 for other worthwhile initiatives...

"Aha," you think. We know that the Town of Alfred Bicentennial Celebration ended in June. Well... true... mostly. On Monday, Sept. 15, 2008, the (briefly) reconstituted Bicentennial Celebration Committee crashed a meeting of the Baker's Bridge Historical Association to present to that sterling group a check for \$1400, which was received with gasps of surprise from the members and with a little impromptu dance by Laurie McFadden, President. The amount, acquired by fundraising efforts of the committee, was left over after all the bills were paid...

A new Lowe's is under way at the southeast corner of Highway 21 and Bethesda Drive in Hornell. The store is expected to open in the first quarter of 2009...

A daughter, Avery Faith, was born Tuesday, Sept. 2, 2008 to Mr. and Mrs. Kelly (Amanda Oiler) Palmer of Sagamore Hills, OH. Maternal grandparents of the infant, who weighed 9 lb. 11 oz. at birth, are Barry and Loreene Oiler, and Mike and Janet Ricciardi of Twinsburg, OH; paternal grandparents are Jim and Faith Palmer of Alfred Station.

Dr. Robyn Goodman, professor of communication studies at Alfred University, has been selected to attend a highly competitive faculty fellowship program to study the inner workings of entertainment TV in Hollywood, CA Nov. 11-15...

(Adv.) Chrystal Dodge will host a Book Signing Faith of a Spider: Memoirs of a Pet Sitter Saturday, Sept. 20 at 20th Century Club Library in Almond. This book can be purchased for \$20 at Hair Care, 15 N. Main St., Alfred, where a book signing will be held 9-4 Friday, oct. 3 and 10-1 Saturday, Oct. 4....



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THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, September 20

Learning that his friend and traveling companion, Ralph Earl, had suddenly died four days before, Andrew Jackson took his writing box out on the lawn of the Hermitage, along with his favorite rocker, and penned a letter to another old friend, dating it this day, 1838.

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Alfred Area Church Directory

ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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

ALFRED-ALMOND BIBLE CHURCH—Rt. 21, Almond. Associate Pastor Ken Shutt. Sunday School 9:30 am, Sunday Worship 10:30 am. EPIC (for teens) and Olympian Club (K - 6th grade) 5:30 pm Sundays (Sept. - May), and Adult Bible Study 6 pm Sundays. Mid-week Home Groups 7:30 pm. Alfred CRU meeting Wednesday nights at ASC room 408 at 7:30 pm. Phone 607-276-6700. 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@frontier.net for more information.

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

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

ALFRED UNITED METHODIST CHURCH—1389 Moland Road, Alfred. Sunday services at 9 a.m. Nursery care available. Join us for Small Group one Saturday a month at 7:00 pm. Pastor: Rev. Stephen Crowell. Pastor’s Number: 716-982-6469. Church Office Number: 607-587-8355. Service day and time: Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

ALMOND UNION OF CHURCHES—11 Main St., Almond. Charles Emerson, Pastor. A joyful, welcoming and compassionate multi-denominational church seeking God’s truths for today’s world. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Prayer Group Wednesdays 9 am. Call 276-6151 for more information.

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

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

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

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—Randolph Road, Alfred. Pastor Roger Gardner. Worship 10 am Sundays. Bible Study 7 pm Wednesdays on AU campus and ASC campus. Prayer Meeting 9 a.m. Saturdays. 607-587-9257.

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

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

ANDOVER AREA

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE—5 Rochambeau Ave. andoveralliance.com Rev. Philip Barner, Sunday School 9:00 AM, Worship Service 10:00 AM – Worship Team Coffee Fellowship time before and after Worship Service. Wednesday – Bible Study / Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM.

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

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—14Elm Street. Pastor Calvin Densmore. Sunday School 9:45 am, Morning Worship 11 am. Wed. night Bible Study 6 p.m. AWANA 6-7:30 p.m. Food Pantry available at Church. Clothing Closet Mon. 10-1 and 4-7 pm, Fri. 10-1.

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NATIONAL RECOVERY MONTH

Allegany County Celebrate Recovery joins two national awareness initiatives

WELLSVILLE—Three Allegany County Celebrate Recovery groups, the largest concentration in New York’s Southern Tier, are coming together to focus attention on two September national awareness efforts as they also prepare to welcome a fourth group in the northern part of the county.

A free county-wide familiarization, orientation and training opportunity about the ministry, including a light dinner, will be held from 2 to 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 at Knights Creek Church, 2987 Knights Creek Road (County Road 9) at Scio.

This will be followed the next evening by a separate Mission Genesee Valley twice-a-month rotating location prayer, praise and worship gathering from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23 at Yorks Corners Mennonite Church, 3350 County Road 29, Wellsville at which personal recovery and victory with the aid of Celebrate Recovery will be a focus.

Both churches facilitate Celebrate Recovery gatherings each week for individuals struggling with all types of hurts, hangups, habits and life issues and join together Tuesday nights to coordinate a Celebrate Recovery Inside group for inmates at Allegany County Jail.

A fourth group is in the preparation stage at Houghton Wesleyan Church, 9712 State Route 19, Houghton.

The groups are highlighting National Recovery Month, an annual observance to educate Americans that substance use treatment and mental health services can enable those with mental and/or substance use disorders to live a healthy productive life, and National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month, designed to share resources and stories that

‘Faith Playbook’ tailgate party set

ALMOND—Area residents are invited to a free “tailgate party” of pizza, wings and other munchies for a livestream presentation of “The Faith Playbook” from 6 to 9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28 at the Alfred-Almond Bible Church, 6751 State Route 21, Almond.

Super Bowl Champions Carson Wentz, Nick Foles and other Eagles will talk honestly about winning the championship, dealing with season-ending injuries, and their locker room bond that made national headlines.

Wentz, Foles, Trey Burton, Jordan Hicks and others share how their faith inspired them to work with excellence in all they do, serving others, and why Jesus is more precious to them than anything the world has to offer.

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shed light on this highly taboo and stigmatized topic.

Celebrate Recovery facilitators say that both of these issues, which they see along with many other life struggles such as grief due to the death of a loved one, separation or divorce, poverty, and adverse childhood experiences, carry much public misunderstanding and stigma, resulting in individuals not receiving the assistance needed to help them through difficult life situations.

The Saturday workshop, which requires pre-registration, is designed to encourage churches to consider adding Celebrate Recovery and other ministries, either individually or in concert with other churches, to aid those who are struggling.

Individuals wanting to learn more about how to assist family members or friends or for their own purposes, and those seeking to aid in such ministries also are invited to participate.

The afternoon workshop will be followed by dinner and a reg-

ular Celebrate Recovery meeting at which individuals will have an opportunity to see first-hand how the ministry works.

Sunday night's focus, in addition to prayer, praise and worship, with live music, will include personal testimonies as to how Celebrate Recovery has helped individuals to recover and achieve victory over their circumstances, along with information on how the ministry functions.

The U.S. Surgeon General has reported that one in five adults, along with children, experience a diagnosable mental illness, including depression, in any one year, with federal reports also indicating some 60 percent of adults and two-thirds of children go without treatment.

Pre-registration for the Saturday workshop is available from Casey Jones, Knights Creek cofacilitator, at bps461@msn.com or (484) 435-0503, more info at www.facebook.com/KnightsCreekChurch.



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ALFRED STATE'S HINKLE LIBRARY

Exhibit features Alfred Station artist Jeanne Ehmann

ALFRED—In honor of the long and outstanding career of local artist Jeanne Ehmann, the current exhibit at Alfred State College's Hinkle Memorial Library titled "Jeanne's Genes" features various pieces of her work from throughout a 75-year period.

The majority of the work on display, which spans from 1940 to 2015, consist of Jeanne's watercolors. Also included are a variety of paintings, drawings, sculptures, and ceramics.

The exhibit also features work by her daughters Constance Ehmann and Christine Ehmann; her granddaughters Annie Robrecht and Mae Vincenza

Backer; her great-grandchildren Abhainn Dobhran (Abby Bajus), Phin Bajus, Liam Bajus, Lydia Bajus, Ezi Backer, and Elli Backer; and local artist Glenn Zweygardt and Virginia artist Amber Erbschloe.

Kicking off the opening for the show was a reception that was held from 4-6 pm. Friday, Sept. 14 in the Hinkle Library Gallery. The exhibit will be on display until Oct. 26.

"We are a blessed family to have her in our lives and to see how her artistic legacy surfaces in each generation," said Constance Ehmann, an assistant professor in the Digital Media and Animation Department at Alfred

State College.

Jeanne Ehmann was born in 1920 and raised in Spencerport, but lived in many other areas of the United States throughout her adult life. She now resides in Alfred Station. As a young woman, Jeanne aspired to be an artist but her father, a farmer, and her mother, a nurse, insisted she be more pragmatic because in her father's words, "Any dang fool can draw."

She graduated from Keuka College with a Bachelor of Arts in 1941. She drew and painted while she raised her four children, taught elementary school, ran a business for 25 years, pursued a master's and later her

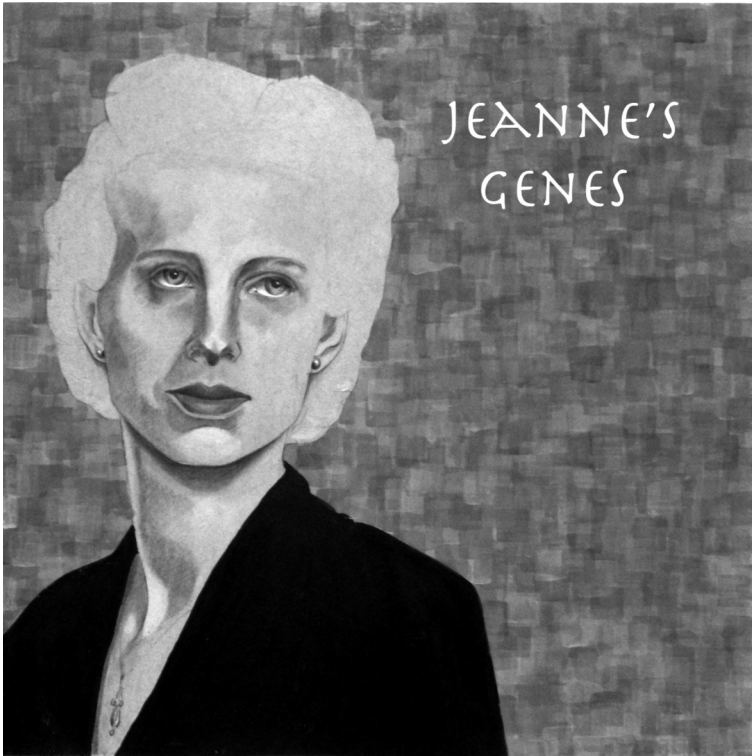
Doctorate in Linguistics, which she earned from SUNY Albany.

When she retired from teaching and the family business, she began to devote more time to making jewelry and painting. Her focus narrowed to painting when she joined a watercolor club in Arizona.

The family gives special thanks to Ray Clement, a friend

of the family for 50 years and Constance's partner, and the Clement Frame Shop and Art Gallery in Troy for framing newly found images of Jeanne's.

Jeanne's Genes will be open for viewing during normal library hours. To inquire about exhibiting your work in the Hinkle Gallery, email library@alfred-state.edu or call 607-587-4313.



"Jeanne's Genes" an exhibit paying tribute to local artist Jeanne Ehmann, is on display at Alfred State's Hinkle Library Gallery from now until Oct. 26.

Renowned designer selects works from AU for show in Milan, Italy

ALFRED—Internationally renowned graphic designer Armando Milani recently announced four poster designs, originating from Alfred University, will be included in his forthcoming "Ubuntu Project" exhibition in Milan, Italy, in October.

One poster, in the professional category, was designed by Judy Livingston, associate professor of design at Alfred University's School of Art and Design. The other three, designed for the student category of the exhibition, were created by Alfred University fine arts majors: Maddison Brietze and Imani Graves, who earned B.F.A. degrees in 2018, and senior Tiffany Gannon. All three were students in the Design for Social Justice class, co-taught by Livingston and Dan Napolitano, assistant dean, School of Art and Design, in which the Ubuntu Project was introduced.

In April, Livingston organized

a visit by Milani to speak at Alfred University, critique students' works-in-progress, and encourage their submissions for the international exhibition.

The Ubuntu Project exhibition opens at the Rotoundo della Besana in Milan, Italy in October. "Ubuntu", Livingston explained, is a South African philosophy linked to loyalty and solidarity; it is an Nguni Bantu term meaning "humanity toward others."

Livingston's own poster illustration is inspired by the double helix structure of DNA. "The fact that all human beings share more than 99 percent of their DNA is testimony to the reality of our global community and the insignificance of our differences," Livingston said.

Milani, whose design clients have included the United Nations, created the Ubuntu Project as yet another effort to use art to promote peace. He has travelled to Cairo, Paris, London, Mexico City, Alfred, and throughout



Graphic designer Armando Milani (second from right) spoke to students of Judy Livingston (right).

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Italy conducting workshops and inviting designers to communicate the meaning of "Ubuntu." The exhibition showcases artwork from 23 countries, including 50 professional designers and 50 students.

Alfred University is home to the New York State College of Ceramics, which includes the School of Art and Design, where the division of expanded media is one of six divisions. Expanded media includes printmaking, design, digital interactive arts, video art and sonic art studios.

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ALFRED STATE COLLEGE

DMA students awarded for video made in Tokyo

ALFRED—"Mittashane," an animated video created by Alfred State College students while studying abroad in Tokyo, recently won "Best Animated Short" at the Western New York Film Arts and Music Event (FAME) held at Genesee Community College.

According to Jeremy Speed Schwartz, associate professor of Digital Media and Animation, Mittashane is a 5-minute music video for Castro House, a band based out of western Tokyo. It was created in 2016 by students within the Digital Media and Animation (DMA) Department who participated in Alfred

State's Studio Tokyo study-abroad offering.

Every other year, one of Alfred State's seasoned faculty members leads a group of digital media and animation students on this three-week winter program. While abroad, students explore Japanese art, cinema, animation, and digital media. They also create animation and digital media projects in collaboration with local artists, and expand upon their research of Japanese media and production methods through site visits to museums and production studios.

Castro House, according to Speed Schwartz, lists the Beatles

as one of its major influences, and the music video pulls from some of the psychedelic design ideas in the artwork surrounding Beatles films. The video, he added, was also influenced by the 2011 tsunami and resulting nuclear disaster in Fukushima, and the reaction many in Japan had to the continued use of nuclear power despite its dangers.

"The story is fairly loose," Speed Schwartz said. "A group of corporate fish build a giant spherical robot, and launch it into the sky where it devours the sun. They are accompanied by a troupe of dancing bunnies, a singing Capricorn, and a psyche-

delic guitar player."

Mittashane, Speed Schwartz said, was a collaborative production where each student had "ownership" of their shots. Within a few guidelines, students could design and animate their shots however they wanted, which created an eclectic feel to the overall piece.

Those involved with the video's creation included Ashley Adams, Nicole Barber, Ben Ceci, Brian Chu, Alex Ciolek, Amelia Fantasia, Eric Gonzalez, Alex Jermyn, Tim Morgan, Alexis Parker, Amelia Phillips, Danielle Roberts, Nia Seward, Jordan Williams, and Kevon Wyllie.

Most of these students have

since graduated, and many of them are still using Mittashane on their demo reels and putting it on their resume, Speed Schwartz said.

"I hope it continues to provide a good jumping-off point for their careers in animation, and this award certainly helps them stand out in a crowded field," he said. "For most of these students, Mittashane was their first publicly-screened animation. This film has been in film festivals for two years, which is a pretty long festival run. There's something about the bouncy energy of the song and the imagery of the film that really connects with people."



New faces at Alfred-Almond C.S.

(Continued from front page)

In recent months, the Alfred-Almond Board of Education made the following non-coaching assignments for the 2018-19 school year:

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- Stage Manager, Beth Acker
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- Odyssey of the Mind, Molly Turner
- Senior Class Advisor, Kate Carretto
- Junior Class Advisor, Tanya Lehman
- Sophomore Class Advisor, M. Turner, S. Murphy (co-advisors)

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- 9th Grade Class Advisor, T. Lehman, M. Backer (co-advisors)
- 8th Grade Class Advisor, Mike Levey
- 7th Grade Class Advisor, J. Bensley/K. Palmer (co-advisors)
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Pictured at the 2018 Western New York Film Arts and Music Event are Festival Director Rhonda Parker and Jeremy Speed Schwartz, associate professor of Digital Media and Animation at Alfred State College.

Star Watch

By ML'WELLS
Alfred Sun Columnist

Tired of this long, hot, muggy, grey, wet summer? Then, if the forecast calls for a clear sky at night, get up early, 5 a.m., and look up. There in the east, in the still dark sky you will see Orion and Sirius hanging in all their glory, stars of the winter sky.

The constellations are an ancient calendar and unlike this observer, always keep time. I meant to write this two months ago but...time got away from me.

The ancient Egyptians about 5000 years ago devised a celestial calendar. Their New Year began in July as the Nile began its annual rise, bringing a renewal of life. At the same time just before dawn, Sirius sat on the eastern horizon to mark the year's new beginning.

Due to physics (speed, distance and that old geometry 101), a star rises four minutes earlier each night - 120 or 2 hours each month. So Sirius and nearby Orion will be rising at 8 p.m. in November to cross our winter night sky.

Sirius, also called the dog star, spends the hot, dog days of summer high over head in July and August during the day. In winter, it is the brightest star in our sky. On a clear night with little moonlight and a good pair of eyes, look just below, your fist held at arm's length will find it - an open cluster (M41). Binoculars will then bring into focus the many young stars being born here.

In the daily chaos here on earth's surface, it is nice to know that up in the sky, the stars march on, keeping time to an ancient rhythm. Who needs a watch!? Just look up.

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ALFRED UNIVERSITY HALL OF FAME



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AU will induct four into Athletics Hall of Fame

ALFRED—Four former Alfred University student-athletes will be welcomed into the hallowed halls of the Alfred University Athletics Hall of Fame on Saturday, Sept. 22. The 46th Annual Alfred University Athletics Hall of Fame Induction will occur at 5:30 p.m. at Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center.

Inductees will be Jen Benson '01 (softball), Daniel Landrigan '95 (men's lacrosse), Don Miller '07 (football) and David Vail '04 (men's lacrosse).

They will be recognized at half time of the football game versus SUNY Cortland at Yunevich Stadium Saturday afternoon. An on-campus banquet at 5:30 pm in Nevins Theater in Powell Campus Center will follow, celebrating their induction.

"This is another outstanding group of Hall of Fame inductees who have represented the Purple and Gold in tremendous fashion, both during their years here at AU, and beyond," said Athletic Director Paul Vecchio. "I am truly looking forward to celebrating their accomplishments with their family and friends and Saxon community during Homecoming weekend."

Jen Benson was a four-year member of the AU softball team, serving as a trailblazer to one of AU's most successful programs. When Benson entered the program in 1998, it had only existed for four years and was hitting a pivotal time in its history. During her freshman campaign, the Saxons went 0-16 with only nine members on the team, but Benson shined, earning President's Athletic Conference Second Team honors after batting .373 on the season. Throughout the rest of her career, Benson and the Saxons went on to win 33 games and helped set the foundation for AU softball today.

Though she played more than over a decade ago, Benson still remains in the AU softball record book. After setting the career marks in runs and batting average during her tenure at AU, she still maintains her position in the top-10 in AU's history. She

currently ranks 10th all-time in runs at AU (84) and seventh in batting average (.379 on 108-of-285). She also holds onto the eighth position for batting average in a season after going 26-of-58 (.448) during the 1999 campaign.

Benson is one of AU softball's most decorated players, earning all-conference honors three times. She was named to the All-PAC Second Team during her first year on campus while earning Empire 8 Second and First Team honors in 2000 and 2001, respectively.

After moving on from Alfred University, Benson continued to play softball at a competitive level. While living in Bloomington, IL, she played with the "Rage" - a competitive travel ball team. She also competed in the Canada Cup during the International Softball Championships, playing against the Australian, Japanese and Chinese Taipei Olympic teams. Finally, after moving to California, Benson played with the "Goldrush" that pitted her against prominent Division I student-athletes. Benson graduated from AU with a Master of Science degree in ceramic engineering.

Daniel Landrigan was a four-year member of the men's lacrosse team at AU, who participated in three NCAA tournament appearances (1992, 1993, 1994) and helped AU win one ECAC Championship in 1995. During his senior campaign, he led AU to a 13-4 overall record as a captain while earning USILA All-America Honorable Mention recognition and a spot on the EAA/ICAC All-Conference First Team. Landrigan was selected to the prestigious USILA North-South All-Star game, pitting the best players in the nation against one another. Landrigan is one of 20 AU players to earn a spot in the North-South game in program history.

Landrigan came to AU at the height of the lacrosse program's most successful years in 1992. During his tenure, the Saxons posted a 50-14 overall record,

touting a .781 winning percentage. In his senior year the Saxons dominated the ECAC Upstate New York Tournament, crushing Oswego 15-5 in the semifinal and Union 18-7 in the finals. Landrigan scored 32 goals on 107 shots and dished out five assists for a total of 37 points in that year. Over four years, he amassed 46 goals and 14 assists for a total of 60 points.

Since departing AU, Landrigan earned his Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Phoenix while serving as a father of three. He has maintained his participation in the sport of the lacrosse, acting as a youth lacrosse coach in Canandaigua. He's also President of the Canandaigua Lacrosse Booster Club, President of the Canandaigua Sports Club and has organized fundraisers and tournaments to benefit local programs. Landrigan's sons, Zach and Kyle, are currently members of the AU men's lacrosse program.

Don Miller was four-year letter-winner for the Saxons and is one of the most decorated football players the nearly 125-year-old program. He was named to the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) All-America Team twice as a First Team member and Empire 8 All-Conference Team four times; once as an Honorable Mention, once as a Second Team honoree and twice as a First Team member. He also earned Associated Press All-America Third Team, D3Football.com All-East Region First Team and ECAC All-Northwest Region honors during his career.

Over the course of his four

years with the Saxons, Miller helped AU to a previously unprecedented 33-11 overall record and four ECAC Northeast Championships. He wrapped up his career with 222 tackles as a defensive tackle, including 24.5 tackles for a loss and 10.5 sacks. He also added 11 rushing touchdowns, stepping in on specialty goal line packages for the Saxons.

David Vail was a member of the AU men's lacrosse program for four years from 2001-04 as an attackman. While wearing the Purple and Gold, he piled up the hardware, earning USILA All-America Honorable Mention designation as well as being named to the Empire 8 First Team twice, Second Team once and Honorable Mention once. He capped off his career in 2004, participating in the USILA North-South game. He is the men's lacrosse program's most recent participant in the game barring the 2015 coaching staff of Jason Lockner, Adam Dupree and Jake Spadoni.

Playing at a time when the Saxons were revamping their program, Vail helped AU to 23 wins both as a goal-scorer and distributor. He completed his career with 234 points, which ranked second all-time in AU history prior to 2018 when Jake Lynch '18 surpassed him on the all-time list. Vail currently ranks seventh all-time in goals (104) and second all-time in assists (130). He also maintains two marks on the assists in a season list at AU, standing at sixth with 46 assists during 2004 and eighth with 33 assists during the 2002 season. He added 26 goals to his 46 assists in 2004, ranking

eighth in points in a season (72).

Upon graduation from Alfred University with a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration, Vail spent seven months living in Manchester, England playing lacrosse and serving as a youth instructor. After returning to the United States, Vail became a specialist on the New York Stock Exchange while working with children in hospitals diagnosed with Ewing's Sarcoma; a painful bone cancer most commonly associated with children. He spent the remainder of his days helping children cope with the pain of their disease as well as keeping them in good spirits until he, himself succumbed to Ewing's Sarcoma.

As said by teammate Anthony Fiorelli '04, "Dave was one of the most caring and compassionate individuals I have known. He was the guy who was always there to help you through the hard times and lift your spirits. He had an infectious laugh and was known for his charming smile. He truly knew the meaning of friendship and always treated friends and family with respect and empathy."

David passed away on July 1, 2016 at the age of 34.

The Alfred University Athletics Hall of Fame was created in 1973 to honor athletes, coaches, athletic administrators and friends of AU for outstanding achievement, involvement and service to Alfred University Athletics. Since its inception, 182 Alfred University student-athletes have been inducted into the Athletics Hall of Fame.

A-A girls roll to 4-0 victory

ALMOND—The Alfred-Almond girls varsity soccer team vanquished league opponent Avoca/Bradford on Sept. 14 with an impressive 4-0 win.

Senior Olivia Ormsby found the net first on an assist by Amy Evingham. Ormsby later assisted Maeve Looney making the score 2-0 at the half.

Second half scoring was led by Emily Agnello in a solo goal. Looney found the back of the net for her second score off an assist by Emily Agnello for the final score. A solid total team effort sealed the victory as the Eagles improve to 3-3 on the season.

A-A faced Addison at home on Sept. 17 and Jasper Troupsburg away on Sept. 19. The Eagles' next home game is 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 against Arkport. They appreciate fan support.

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ALFRED UNIVERSITY SPORTS

AU men's soccer team opens E8 play with win

UTICA—The Alfred University men's soccer team pulled out a thrilling overtime victory over Utica College on Saturday evening by a score of 1-0. The Saxons (2-5, 1-0 Empire 8) began conference play with a huge win over the Pioneers.

After a scoreless 90 minutes of play, the senior, Alexander Tostanoski (Corning/Painted Post) was the hero in overtime when he took advantage of a perfect setup from teammates Evan Merkey (Webster Schroeder) and Zachary Gloskin (New City/Clarkstown South) to head in a goal and give the Saxons the 1-0 advantage and the win in their first Empire 8 game of the season.

Joe Gonzalez (Marion) stood strong in goal for all 95 plus minutes of play to complete the shutout victory with four saves. Mason Sanborn (Wappingers Falls/Roy C. Ketcham) added two shots on goal for the Saxons.

"We played a hard fought E8 game at Utica. It was a fantastic advertisement for the conference. The Saxons put together nearly 100 minutes of solid teamwork and executed our game plan to the letter. A great team effort by the whole squad determined the game and the lads should be excited and proud

for the win. Everyone played their roles and responsibilities as needed to get the win," Head Coach Tracy Blake said.

The Saxons were back at Yunevich Stadium Tuesday for a non-conference matchup with the undefeated University of Rochester (5-0) team with kick-off at 7 p.m.

Then AU is off to Hoboken, NJ for a 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 match with E8 power Stevens (6-1). AU will host Cortland State at 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23 at Yunevich Stadium.

Saxons fall to Ithaca, 21-13

The AU football team (1-1, Empire 0-0) fell to nonconference opponent Ithaca College, 21-13, in Yunevich Stadium on Saturday afternoon despite taking a 13-0 lead into the half.

The Saxons, who went to the ground and pound during week one of the 2018 season, relied more on the passing game against Ithaca. Junior quarterback Ben Burk (Lakewood/Southwestern Central) played the entire game under center, throwing for 189 yards and two touchdowns on 17-of-37 (45.9%) passing. Both TDs were thrown to frosh Robert Smith Jr. (Rochester/Greece Athena) who accumulated 124 yards receiving.

Sophomore Nas Smith



(Auburn) and Burk paced AU on the ground with 36 and 28 yards rushing, respectively. The Saxons wrapped up the game with 70 yards rushing.

Defensively, Junior Nick Milgate (Hilton) and senior Cole Reed (Gratz, PA/Upper Dauphin Area) paced the Saxons with 18 tackles (eight solo; 10 assisted) and 17 tackles (seven solo; 10 assisted), respectively. Milgate is now tied for eighth all-time at AU for tackles in a game while Reed is ranked 10th all-time. John Hoosock '90 currently holds the record with 28 tackles in a game against Canisius in 1990. Reed added one interception, that he returned for 34 yards, and one pass break up.

Sophomore Raeqwon Greer

(Buffalo/Canisius) had a stand-out game on defense, racking up seven tackles and an interception, denying a Bomber touchdown. Senior Lewis Ortega (Bronx/Herbert H. Lehman) also had a great day in the secondary, breaking up two passes.

AU hosts Empire 8 foe Cortland for Homecoming with kick-off at 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 at Yunevich Stadium.

Women's tennis 3-0 in E8

The AU women's tennis team (4-2, Empire 3-0) picked up its third Empire 8 win of the season with a 9-0 sweep of the Pioneers of Utica College on Saturday.

The Saxons dominated doubles play, only conceding three sets over the course of three matches. Sophomore Lauren Boshart (Oswego) and senior Nurila Kamar (Almaty, Kazakhstan/Republic Physics and Mathematics School) waltzed through their win, 8-0 at #2 doubles. Senior Rachel Pera (Kenmore West) and junior Miranda Sakala (Olean) followed with an 8-1 win at #3 doubles before the senior duo of Tori Pellegrino (Whitesboro) and Inda Gillett (South Kortright/Delaware Academy Central) wrapped up the third win, 8-2.

Kamar continued on her tear against Empire 8 opponents, earning her third consecutive win at #4 singles 6-0, 6-1 while playing conference foes. Sakala also dominated at #5 singles, taking the match 6-0, 6-0 to seal

the victory for the Saxons.

However, AU was not done as Amber Smith (Prattsburgh) won 6-1, 6-0 at #6 singles. Pellegrino, Boshart and Gillett went on to win at #1, #3 and #2 singles to complete the sweep. Both Boshart and Gillett only allowed two sets to opponents.

The AU women's soccer team defeated the University of Pittsburgh at Bradford in a Saturday afternoon matchup, 2-0 on the road. The Saxons (5-1, 0-0 Empire 8) have now won four games in a row.

Both teams were slow out of the gate, with the game remaining 0-0 going into halftime. The Saxons were able to break through early in the second half with a goal from Amanda Guariglia (Valley Stream South) in the 54th minute. Guariglia then netted her second goal of the game off of a feed from Karah Landries (Angelica/Genesee Valley) in the 73rd minute to secure the 2-0 victory. Makenzie Cashmer (Weedville, PA/Elk County Catholic) played all 90 minutes in goal and notched five saves in the Saxon shutout.

"The team did a great job competing for 90 minutes. We were struggling to find the back of the net but we continued to be relentless going to goal," Head Coach Craig Yanni said.

AU will be back at home for its first Empire 8 matchup with Houghton College at 5 p.m. tonight (Thursday, Sept. 20) at Yunevich Stadium.

ALFRED STATE SPORTS

Pioneer rally falls short, 20-14

The Alfred State football team put together a 4th quarter comeback that fell just short as the University of Rochester defeated the Pioneers 20-14 on a sun drenched Saturday afternoon.

Rochester led 13-0 heading into the 4th quarter when the Pioneers put together their best drive of the game. On a 4th and goal, Dashawn Wilson (Bronx/DeWitt Clinton) connected with Jalen Long (Rochester/Bishop Kearney) on a four-yard scoring play. Ryan Shipherd's (Randolph) extra point made it 13-7.

Rochester answered with a score of their own only to have Ronnie Clark (Philadelphia/Indian River) made it 20-13 when he scored on a three-yard rush with 5:12 remaining in the game. The Pioneer defense forced Rochester to punt twice in the final 5:12 of the game but the Yellowjacket defense came up with two interceptions in the final two minutes of the game to seal the victory.

Clark led the Pioneers with 82 yards and a score on 15 carries. Kiegan Brown (Cortland) had 57 yards on seven rushes and caught one pass for 44 yards.

Michael Zimmerman (Canandaigua) had 11 tackles (2 for a loss) and an interception (ten of his tackles came in the 1st half). Brandon Davis (Lansing) had nine tackles, Owen Davis (Lansing) had eight, and Austin Parker (Port Byron) had seven. Steve Edwards (Rochester/East) and John Lauretti (Seaford) both recorded sacks.

Men's Soccer: 1-5

The Pioneers split a pair of matches this week versus AMCC opponents. They defeated D'Youville 2-1 but fell to Mt. Aloysius 4-1.

Chris Balys (Holley) scored with 47 seconds remaining to lift the Pioneers to the victory at D'Youville. Alfred State trailed 1-0 until the 77th minute when Ade Adesanya (Brooklyn/Progress) scored after a long pass into the box from Nathan Adamec (Lancaster). Balys scored the game-winner in the final minute when he connected on a header off a loose ball in the corner of the box. Nico Coria (Honeoye Falls Lima) earned his first victory in net by making eight saves.

Adesanya scored the lone goal, his second of the week, as the Pioneers saw the Mounties score three unanswered goals to earn the victory. Adesanya's goal tied the game up but the Alfred State offense couldn't get anything else past the Mt. Aloysius goalie.

Women's Soccer: 2-2-1

Potsdam broke a 1-1 tie with 4:59 remaining to lift Potsdam to a tight 2-1 victory over Alfred State on Saturday afternoon.

Michayla Salatel (Geneseo) gave the blue & gold an early lead 7:30 into the contest when she scored after getting a nice set-up pass from Abby King (Holland). With just under 10 minutes left in the 1st half, the Bears tied it up when Lexi Dean scored her 4th of the season after getting a pass



from Rylie Murray. The Bears continued to put pressure on the Pioneers in the 2nd half but the defense anchored by freshman goalie Madison Papaj (Holley) kept the game tied at 1-1 until Brooke Falsion's scored the game winner.

Papaj finished the night with 12 saves in net.

Volleyball: 4-4

The blue & gold were 1-2 this week. They were fell 3-0 to Penn State Behrend and Lancaster Bible but rebounded with a sweep of Penn College.

Madison Webster (Corning) led the team with 26 kills, 37 digs, and 12 service aces. Sarah Raichlin (Binghamton/Chenango Valley) passed out 70 assists, Kiara Perkins (Coudersport, PA) had 25 kills, and Jordan Stauffenecker (Lansing) chipped in 18 digs. The Pioneers collected 30 service aces on the week.

Cross Country:

The cross country team had the weekend off but returns to action this weekend at Roberts Wesleyan.

Athletes of the Week

Alfred State freshman goalie Madison Papaj (Holley) and junior safety Michael Zimmerman (Canandaigua) have been named the Alfred State Athletes of the Week.

Papaj led a defensive effort that kept the high scoring Potsdam offense in check for most of the game. Papaj made 12 saves, including several point blank opportunities, that kept Alfred State in a tight battle with the Bears. Papaj is 2-2-1 on the year with 23 saves.

Zimmerman was everywhere in the 1st half for the Pioneer football team as they battled Rochester. He recorded 10 of his 11 tackles in the contest in the 1st half. He also intercepted a pass to stop a Yellowjacket drive. Two of his tackles were for a loss and he punted five times for an average of 36.6 yards per punt.

Honor Roll: Ade Adesanya (men's soccer), Nico Coria (men's soccer), Madison Webster (volleyball)

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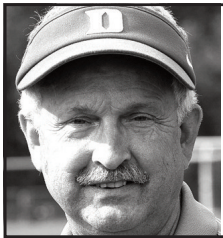
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The Dugout

By DOUG LOROW
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It was time to head to Alfred to watch the Saxons take on long time rival, Ithaca in Division III football action at Merrill Field. A non-conference tilt now after years and years of league play against each other. The Bombers bolted to the Liberty League a couple seasons back.

Former AU sports photographer, Leo Nealon and I departed from Irondequoit on a sunny, late summer-early fall morning and headed for the Country Kitchen in Hornell. Was telling Leo about my last stop at the famed diner, after the A-A alumni banquet and hoping to meet up with Audrey Connell and Robert H. Torrey. Place was packed that Sunday, Audrey unable to join us, so "Hair" and I off to the Texas Cafe instead. This day, we walk in and at a booth getting ready to depart were Connell ... closing in on 100-years old!, plus the "Traveling Sports Fan." In disguise with his new "Santa Claus" style beard. Good chatting with them before we sat down for out breakfast.



After another great breakfast, a quick stop at the Hornell Wegmans for some Salt Rising Bread from Angelica. Can't get it in the Rochester area so always look to grab some here and eventually take to Kentucky my next trip out!

Get to the Alfred University campus, park down by the crowded softball field area and search for some former Joker's Wild softball teammates in Pat "Spike" Milgate and Mike Budinski ... "Bud Man." Pat's brother, Dooby there as well. All down from the Hilton-Rochester area. Good seeing them again. Milgate's son, Nick is a tackling-machine for the Saxons.

Nealon and I work our way into Yunevich Stadium, I first spot Larry Walsh from Wellsville. He and Big Dale worked together many years ago at the Wellsville Big N. His "group" shrinking by the year as they attend AU games. A quick chat with AU athletic director, Paul Vecchio and time to head to our seats with some cold water ... which would become a rarity, for the start of the game.

Sit with the Milgate group, see former LPGA Volunteers in Rochester, Bill and Teddy Ormsby sitting way up on top. Spot the new "Codispoti Scoreboard" which is really sharp and hope for some cloud cover on this steamy afternoon. That didn't workout too well but the Saxons did on the field ... for one half. A quick bomb from QB Ben Burk to Robert Smith in the early going, the same connection in the second quarter and AU up 13-0 at the break. Penalties stopped two other Alfred touchdowns, on the same series!

Head down to the concession stand area at halftime for some shade and (non-cold) water. Get a chance to chat with Bill Argentieri, Stu Smith ... posing as Tommy LaSorda and Art Gaisser. Good seeing them all. Gaisser wanting to know if my "next stop was Anne's Alfred State soccer game?" Not this day.

The second half was all Ithaca, unfortunately. The Bombers made the plays when they needed to and Alfred's offense sputtered ... to say the least. Final tally was 21-13 as Alfred drops to (1-1) on the season with undefeated Cortland coming to town this Saturday.

HITS AND MISSES:

In D3 football action around the state it was: Brockport just blasting St. Lawrence, King's (Pa.) upending Hartwick in a wild one at 65-48, RPI nipping Utica in overtime, Union drilled Springfield, and Hobart had a crazy game with Shenandoah, winning 56-48. Alfred State (0-3) lost to UR and Coach Dave Murray's opener for Hamilton didn't go so well in a 29-2 loss to Tufts. And in some "crazy" scheduling ... Cortland, SJ Fisher, Morrisville and Buffalo State, all from the E8, all had a "bye" week on Saturday past ??

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THE DUGOUT CONTINUED...

Big win for the Syracuse Orange as they stopped Florida State, 30-7 in the 'Dome. This one week after smashing (Hawk) Wagner to warm-up for their ACC football opener. Didn't Alfred play Wagner not all that long ago?

In big-time college football it looks like Alabama, Georgia and Clemson will once more be in the final mix and perhaps joined by Oklahoma? Alabama and Georgia could meet in the SEC title game and in the National Championship contest as well. Obviously a long ways to go before any of this matters.

As the MLB season comes to a close in a couple of weeks, my "award predictions" of note: AL MVP - a tie between Boston teammates Mookie Betts and J.D. Martinez, Cy Young - Blake Snell of Tampa Bay, Manager - Kevin Cash of Tampa Bay. Over in the NL, for MVP - how about Javier Baez of the Cubs? A tough call for the Cy Young with Jacob deGrom of the Mets having an outstanding season with a mediocre team. He might get it with a losing record but will take Max Scherzer of the Nationals. Manager - Brian Snitker of the Atlanta Braves ... who I, quite frankly, have never heard of!

Our Man Frank, Scummer and Jake Taft were at the Oakland - Tampa game on Saturday at the 'Trop. Frank of "Unique Five" fame!

The Durham Bulls (Rays) claimed their second straight Governors Cup title in the "AAA" International League playoffs as they beat SWB (Yanks) in the finals, 3-2. Second straight year for the top farm clubs to meet after SWB won this title in 2016 over the Gwinnett Braves.

The NL wild card race should be quite interesting down-the-stretch with Milwaukee, the LA Dodgers and St. Louis all in the mix. The Yanks will probably still be in the AL wild card race but a trip to Oakland now is quite possible with their sluggish play of late! Catcher(?) Gary Sanchez is "AAA" worthy about now, Giancarlo Stanton is in a 5-80 slump or whatever and having CC Sabathia as a starting pitcher these days is a disaster. The Yanks might win the wild card game in the Bronx, but that is about it. Houston and Boston are much better teams this year.

The Buffalo Bills are (0-2) and with games coming up against the Vikings, Packers, Titans and Texans ... is 0-6 looming? Jim Stuart took in his 40th consecutive home opener this past Sunday at New Era Field and was probably joined by Waffle, maybe "Rookie" Firster and perhaps by his brother-in-law, Mike. 40-years ... whew!

Ex-Bills QB Ryan Fitzpatrick had another banner day for Tampa Bay as he was 27-31-1-402 yards and four touchdowns in a win over the defending Super Bowl champs from Philly. Not sure if he got NFC Player of the Week honors last week?, but maybe two in a row!

Birthday greetings go out this week to: former McQuaid /UPenn soccer player Stephen Baker in NYC, my Mom in Kentucky!, former Webster Schroeder/UVM soccer player Jess Herbst Benway and a very special #1 birthday to ... Quinn Lorow Larson in NYC!

Former Alfred State cager, Bill "Dish" Bowe was inducted into the Victor HS Hall of Fame recently. Perhaps the all-time assists leader at ASC when he left

the program under the guidance of head coach Tom Kaznowski and assistant coach, Bob W. Beyer.

Spotted some NYS vanity plates here and there: JAGUAROAR ... on way to Alfred, MR ELM ... speeding up route 390, SUZEECUE ... how are you?, WRONNG, IRISH 5 ... searching for that next men's NIT championship and FLYIN R ... Robert H. Torrey.

Mark S. Gaisser and his 55+ softball squad will compete in the Super Major Masters tournament this week in Las Vegas.

Might as well get a bunch of the Gaisers in this week as Anne Holmok and her Alfred State women's soccer team fell to Potsdam on Saturday, 2-1 and are at (2-2-1) on the season.

No game for Katie Kaznowski and her Guilford College women's soccer squad as Hurricane Florence cancelled their outing versus Methodist.

Heather Swarts Webster won the Ovarian & Gynecologic Cancers 5K in Rochester over the weekend past. The Dansville native, Cortland All-American and one-time assistant on the AU track & field staff.

The PGA Tour Championship is this week and still sticking with Justin Thomas to win it all. No Jordan Spieth in this finale. Yuk.

It'll be a "historic comeback" on Monday for Larry Caruso at Frito Lay in Rochester, after a six-month stint on the disabled list, returning to work as the oldest active route sales employee in WNY and probably NYS!

Was a solid, extended weekend past as Thursday was lunch at Trader Jacks in Sodus Bay with retired NYS Corrections Officer and ex-Enterprise employee, Sam Ronzo. Never been out there before, nice place! Stopped at the famed lighthouse



on the way back. Quite the view over Lake Ontario. Friday it was time for some golf in Dansville with the illustrious Smitty, an A-A classmate of mine. Haven't played at Brae Burn in probably 15-years and last outing was with Big Dale. No contest this day as Smitty left in the dust, 43-52. Excellent lunch afterwards at the Scovill's Grill. Saturday was the Alfred football game and Sunday I met Meg Verdino and her (now) fiancée, Josh Newman at Jay's Diner in Henrietta for breakfast. Monday morning golf was scheduled for Arrowhead GC in the Spencerport area with Nealon.



No huge plans this weekend upcoming. Want to watch golf on the tube and again next weekend for the Ryder Cup. Am planning on meeting Carmine and Laura Verdino in Geneseo for the women's soccer game on Friday versus Potsdam. Coach Wiley's squad at (3-2-1) after a loss to highly-ranked William Smith in Geneva and a win over Farmingdale State last week. The Knights open up SUNYAC play against Potsdam-Plattsburgh.

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