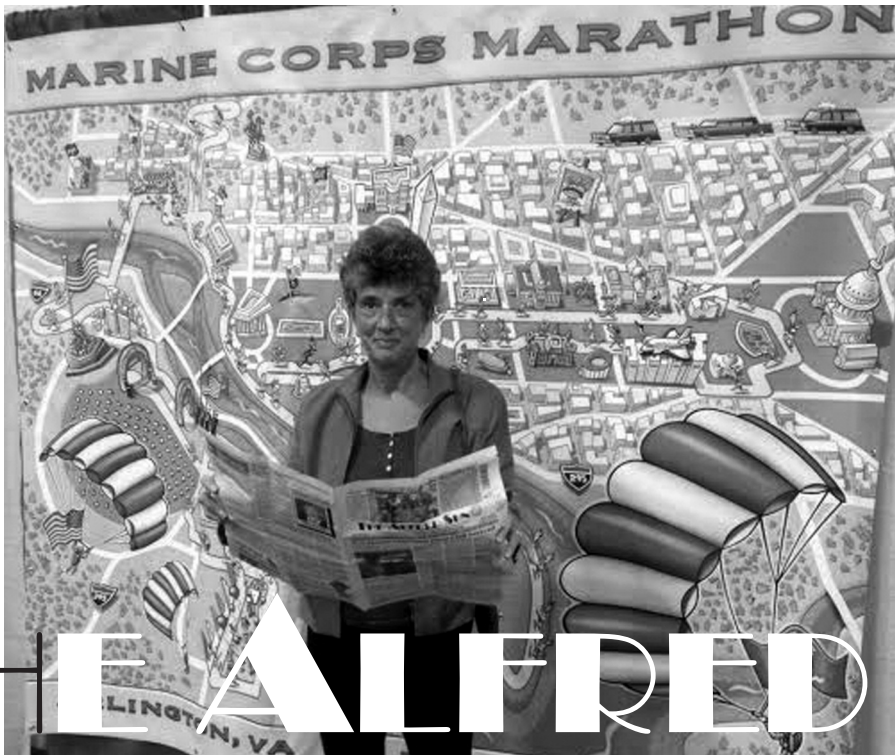


Sun at marathon

Stephanie (Lobdell) Landsman of Houston, TX psyches herself up by reading *The Alfred Sun* the day before running her fourth Marine Corps Marathon in Washington, DC. on Sunday. The *Sun* obviously worked, because Stephanie finished in her fastest time by 6 minutes! Stephanie runs this MCM in memory of her Dad, Alfred's beloved Leon Lobdell.



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AU RECOGNIZES GENEROSITY

McLane annex dedicated to honor Joyce, Walton

ALFRED—The newest building on the Alfred University campus recognizes the generosity of Charles P. Joyce, Sherry Walton and their family to the University and to the wider community.

The University dedicated the health and wellness center, adjacent to McLane Center, as the Joyce and Walton Center for Health and Wellness during the Board of Trustees' regular meeting on campus earlier this month.

The honor recognizes "more than just their dedication, commitment and service to this University," said Alfred University President Charles M. Edmondson. "Charlie, Sherry and their family have an extensive and remarkable record of generosity to a number of causes, large and small, in this area.

"It's a legacy that began with Charles H. and Lorraine Joyce, Charlie's parents, who believed wholeheartedly in helping people out. It continues with their children, and their children's children, people who are committed to this area and those who live and work here," said Ed-

mondson.

"Living here, we understand what Alfred University means to this region," said Joyce. A trustee of the University since 2001, Joyce said it "is really an honor to be a part" of the University, and to support it.

Charles P. Joyce is president of Otis Eastern Service of Wellsville, one of the nation's leading constructors of high-pressure pipelines to transport oil, natural gas, and petroleum products from producers to the market. As a trustee, Joyce is chair of the Statutory Affairs and Government Relations Committee, and a member of the Executive, Finance, Strategic Planning, and Student Affairs Committees, as well as the Trusteeship Subcommittee.

In addition to his service to AU, he is a past director of Jones Memorial Hospital; a member of the Income Impact Council of the Allegany County United Way; and a member of the Board of Education of Allegany/Cattaraugus Board of Cooperative Educational Services.

Walton is a 1980 alumna of Alfred University with a B.S.

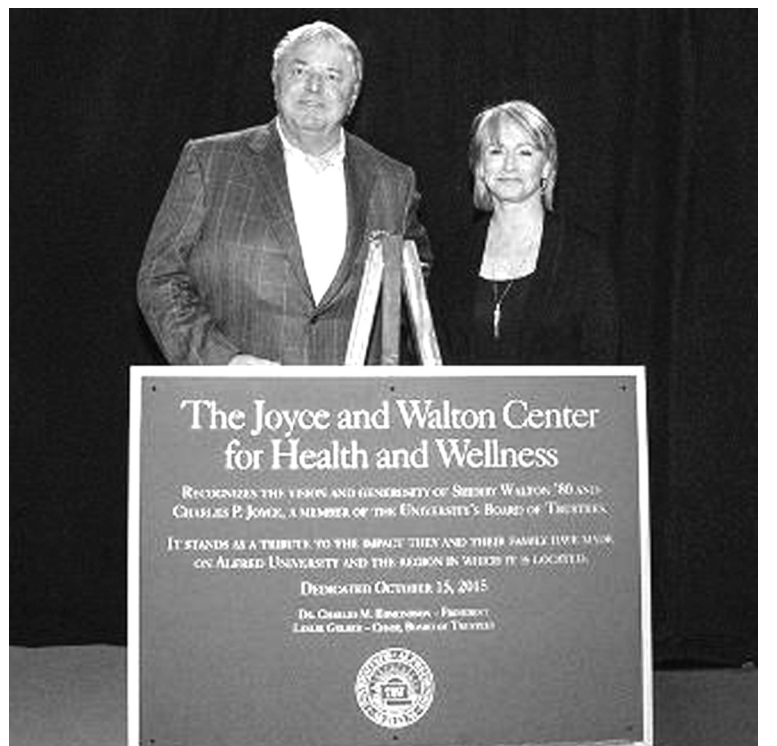
degree in business administration, and later earned a master's in education from AU. Walton returned to Alfred to serve as regional development coordinator for University Relations and then served as an adjunct professor in the School of Business.

Walton was a member of the Wellsville Central School Board of Education for nine years, serving as president for three years. Her volunteer work includes 15 years as a member of the Board of Directors for the Allegany County United Way for which she served as president, chair of the Community Impact Committee and now serves as chair of both the Income and Health Impact Councils. Walton is also a past member of the Board of Directors of the United Way of New York State.

As a current member of the board of directors of Steuben Trust Company, Walton is chair of the audit and examining committee and of the scholarship committee. She has worked with the New York State Special Olympics and at one time volunteered as a New York State cer-

tified negotiator and arbitrator for the NYS Better Business Bureau/Unified Court System. In 2000, the Wellsville Chamber of

Commerce recognized Walton for her community service by awarding her the Spirit of Wellsville Award.



CHARLES P. JOYCE and Sherry Walton pose with a plaque that commemorates the dedication of The Joyce and Walton Center for Health and Wellness at Alfred University.

CELEBRATE SERVICE, CELEBRATE ALLEGANY

'Make A Difference Day' draws 500 local students

HOUGHTON—Make a Difference Day: Celebrate Service, Celebrate Allegany kicked off its fourth year this past Saturday and proved to be a huge success as approximately 500 local college students and volunteers from Alfred University, Alfred State, and Houghton College came together to perform a day of community service projects throughout Allegany County.

Students from all three institutions gathered at their respective colleges at 8 a.m. and were transported to pre-arranged service locations throughout the county, returning home about 4 p.m.

Locations spread from the north side of Allegany County to the far south side in which the students performed service projects ranging from outdoor activities, such as painting and grounds work, to indoor projects, such as assisting food pantries with cleanup and organization and assembling aid packages.

"While it is true that the students are serving the local communities, this day is really much more than that," commented Marshall Green, public relations specialist for Houghton College. "The students not only give but also get something in return.... They get to engage with their

adoptive communities, meet with neighbors, business owners and other community volunteers. Most importantly, they get to see how, even in the small things, we have opportunities to make big impacts and create lasting relationships. My hope is that this will stick with them far past their college careers."

In year one, a total of 450 college students impacted the local communities of Allegany County with more than 2,500 hours of service. Over the combined four years, more than 1,700 students have participated, totaling more than 10,200 hours of service that have been provided to the local communities during just this annual day of service.

The impact of the day of service can go far beyond the single day. For the students, it is a way to illustrate and develop a culture and lifestyle of community service that they will hopefully carry with them throughout their tenure as students and into their lives post-education. For the local communities, it enables important tasks, projects, and events to get a jump-start, make significant progress or come to fruition.

The day of service also brings together students and the local community in a

way that is beyond the traditional consumer context. New relationships and synergies have also been cultivated between the colleges and local businesses/non-profits that have developed new projects and outreach beyond Make a Difference Day.

"We demonstrate, through this day of action, the importance of active citizenship through direct service and developing relationships with neighbors," commented Alfred State College's director of civic engagement, Jonathan Hilsher. "The impact of this day is measured not only in concrete ways, but through the connections and longer-term partnerships that develop."

The three institutions rely on donations to help pay for the needed supplies, T-shirts and transportation for the day of service. This year, financial support was provided in part by Otis Eastern Service, Leadership Allegany, The Greater Allegany Chamber of Commerce, Allegany County Area Foundation, Swain Ski Resort and Alfred Sports Center.

Four years ago, Leadership Allegany organized the inaugural local service day, which facilitated the original partnership between the three colleges.

Make a Difference Day, the largest national day of community service, has been impacting lives for more than 20 years. Millions of people around the world unite to volunteer their time and energy for those around them. USA Weekend magazine and Points of Light, sponsors of Make a Difference Day, say, "regardless of age, location, or resources, we can accomplish amazing things when we take on the problems we see in our community."

Corey Fecteau, Alfred University's service learning coordinator, summed up the day: "Hearing the stories that students tell about their service experiences is very rewarding. During this day of service, all the student participants learn more about Allegany County communities and the vital services that volunteer organizations provide within those communities. An unexpected benefit, however, is that the students also learn about themselves and the roles they can play in serving their neighbors."

For more information about Make a Difference Day: Celebrate Service, Celebrate Allegany, please visit www.celebrateallegany.com.

OBITUARIES

Kevin Doran, 77, had operated WLEA radio station



KEVIN PATRICK DORAN
long-time owner of WLEA

HORNELL—Kevin Patrick Doran, 77, of Hornell, died Wednesday, Oct. 21, 2015 at his home following a long illness, surrounded by his loving family.

A native and life-long resident of Hornell, he was born Dec. 27, 1937, to the late William and Molly Doran.

Doran was the longest running radio personality in the Hornell area. He started in broadcasting while still in high school at WLEA, doing odd jobs at the station just for the thrill of making a "station break." He was a 1955 graduate of Hornell High School.

Later he worked for WWHG in the Maple City and then moved south of Meridian, MS

and WMOX. From there he was sent by the owners to open a station (WNSL) in Laurel, MS. After a brief stint at WPGC in Washington, DC, Kevin returned to Laurel and was sent to open another station for the chain in Tuscaloosa, AL.

At this point, he decided to return to college at Loras College in Dubuque, IA. In Dubuque, he worked for KDTH and WDBQ. Returning to Hornell, Kevin taught history at Hornell High School for several years while also working as a reporter for The Evening Tribune. In 1972, he purchased WLEA from the late Charles D. Henderson. WCKR was added in 1981.

Doran had won several awards for excellence from the New York State Broadcasters

Association for his "Newsmakers Show" heard weekday mornings at 8:40 a.m. on WLEA.

Kevin was a life-long and active member of Our Lady of the Valley Parish and a communicant of St. Ann's Church. He was also an Oblate of St. Benedict Abbey in Still River, MA, where his son, Fr. James, is a monk.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Stanley Doran.

He was married to Mary Margaret (Gibbs) Doran, his wife of 49 years, on Feb. 19, 1966, who survives him. Also surviving are his five children: Brendan of Jersey City, NJ; Brian of Hornell; Fr. James (William), O.S.B., of Still River, MA; Maura (Thomas) Knoell of Phoenix, AZ; and Andrew (Aleksandra) of Rockville, MD; 7 grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Calling hours were held from 2 to 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 23 at the Dagon Funeral Home, 38 Church Street, Hornell. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 24, 2015 at St. Ann's Church in Hornell, with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery.

The Doran family wishes to thank the many people who assisted him in his final illness, especially the Hornell Fire Department, the staff at St. James Hospital and at Hornell Gardens, and the many nurses and aides who assisted in his care.

It was Kevin's wish that instead of sending flowers, family and friends request Masses celebrated for the repose of his soul.

Richard Kavesh, 75, had taught art history at AU

RICHARD D. KAVESH

Ceramic Art Museum Visionary
Richard D. Kavesh was born in Manhattan, New York. He died October 9, 2015 at Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, New York, at age 75.

Richard was predeceased by his beloved younger brother Jonathan Kavesh, his mother Sadie (Sally) Freundlich Kavesh and his father Barnet (Barney) Kavesh.

He is survived by his loving wife Margaret Kavesh and sons Adrian and William (Nicole), his little sister Debra (Ted) Boccelli, cousins, 3 nieces, and 3 nephews.

Richard was a graduate of Washington Square College, New York University. He received his masters at The Institute of Fine Arts, New York University. In 1966 Richard moved upstate to the small college town of Alfred where he began his career as an Assistant Professor of Art History, College of Ceramics at Alfred University as the youngest member of the world renowned faculty.

In 1973 he was a founding committee member of The Gallery Association of New York State (GANYS). The Fossdick-Nelson Gallery opened in

the new Harder Hall building in 1973 where Richard was the first curator/director. He truly delighted in creating the gallery space, curating exhibitions and training student assistants. That same year Richard became Associate Professor of Art History.

From 1983-1990 Richard was the founder and chairman of the "History of Ceramics Lecture Series". He was chairman of the Department of Art History from 1986-1990.

With the collection of objects growing beyond the storage closet, in 1988 he managed the collection for the Ceramic Museum Project as the first Director of Collections under the Office of Development.

Richard was an exhibition organizer and catalog consultant on numerous projects during his career while being dedicated to teaching art history to the art students. He continually researched the arts in many cultures with an emphasis on American Arts, his passion for the arts did not diminish over time.

Richard began a new path in his career as owner and director of the Kavesh Gallery in Ketchum, Idaho in 1990. The gallery focused on his interest in the arts often merging 3-dimen-

sional and 2-dimensional work blending the areas with a theme. The gallery opened with a retrospective exhibit of Ceramics by Albert Green followed by: "Contemporary American Glass", "The West in Image and Objects", "The Artful Charger", "Black and White", "Trompe L'Oeil", "The Landscape: Alternative Prospects", "Northwest Glass Art", to name a selected few. Several Alfred artists were featured in exhibitions.

Richard continued to work privately as a consultant after closing the gallery until returning to western New York to retire. He was enthusiastic and dedicated in all of his endeavors from his professional career to his skills as a fine wood craftsman applying lessons learned from his father and grandfather. He restored two homes for his family and created bookcases and cabinets for his large collection of books. His family and friends will miss his humor and teasing, his keen wit and sharp intellect and fun nature.

Contributions may be made in memory of Richard D. Kavesh-Alfred Ceramic Art Museum, University Relations, 1 Saxon Dr., Alfred, New York 14802.

Milligan announces candidacy for Andover highway supt.

ANDOVER—Craig Milligan of Andover announces his campaign for the position of Town of Andover Highway Superintendent.



Craig is running to ensure safe roads, and to provide effective and efficient management of the town's highway department in a time of limited resources. Craig pledges to provide careful management and responsiveness to citizens and local government, which will allow the department to effectively maintain and improve the town's infrastructure.

Craig is a skilled welder and heavy equipment operator, and he is experienced in all aspects of basic road construction and repair. As well as his engineering skills, Craig will bring to the highway department his budget, personnel, and resource management skills that he learned in small business.

Craig Milligan is a lifelong resident of Andover. He graduated from Andover Central School and attended the Pennsylvania College of Technology in Williamsport. He and his wife Brooke have two sons.

Sunbeams



You know it's a small town when...Everyone knows the news before it's published; they just read the hometown paper to see whether the publisher got it right.

The Alfred Village Board has designated the hours of 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31 for Trick-or-Treating in the Village of Alfred. As always, motorists and pedestrians are asked to take extreme care during those hours when children are out and about in the village.

Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 1.

Doris Burzycki Aman (AU '74) from Webster will be the guest recitalist at the Davis Memorial Carillon this Saturday, Oct. 31.

Alfred Village residents are reminded that Leaf Pick-up in the village will take place from now through Nov. 13. Residents are asked to rake the leaves into the area between the street curb and the sidewalk from which the Village Crew will remove leaves. Please do not rake leaves into the street and leaves should not be placed in bags.

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Election Day ham dinner will help preserve church steeple

ANDOVER—Approaching Andover one sees steeples raising above the tree tops. The proceeds of an Election Day Ham Dinner will help preserve this beautiful part of the village’s architectural heritage.



The white steeple of the Presbyterian Church towers 100 feet above East Greenwood Street in Andover. Members of the congregation will offer the community a meal that has been a tradition in Andover for many years. Located just half a block from Andover’s polling place at the Town Hall and Community Center, the Presbyterians are continuing the practice of serving a ham dinner on Election Day that has been an institution of their former neighbors, the recently closed Andover Methodist Church.

The Presbyterian steeple has been painted repeatedly since 1868. The original cedar shingles have deteriorated and it is increasingly difficult and expensive to maintain and paint the 100 ft steeple. The church leadership has a proposal to replace the existing shingles with locking metal shingles that should last for a lifetime. Almost half the necessary money has already been raised, but an additional \$20,000 is needed.

Pastor Chris Mattison explains, “We will be recoating the sanctuary roof next spring. If we can have the same crew do the steeple at the same time, there will be a substantial savings in cost.” Steve Walker, a Presbyterian elder, adds, “The Election Day Ham Dinner is primarily a service to the community. We want to preserve this long standing Andover tradition. Any profit will help defray the cost of the steeple project, but that cost will be mostly paid by donations from our own members and from the generosity of other community members and friends.”

The Ham Dinner will be served beginning at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 3. The cost is \$8.00 per person. Polls are open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Elections are being held for Andover Town Highway Superintendent, Town Clerk, a number of County offices as well as State Supreme Court Judge.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist

Mrs. E.E. Reynolds’ Creamed Oysters

[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.]

The next few recipes are from a 1906 cookbook titled “A Friend in Knead,” tested recipes of Alfred ladies. Its cover has the following quote: All human history attests that happiness for man, the hungry sinner, since Eve ate apples, much depends on dinner.

Since the cookbook is so old I’m having a little trouble tracking down some of the ladies. Please bear with me if my facts are scanty or confused; the AU library historians have done their best to find me the information.

Mrs. E.E. Reynolds was the wife of C.D. Reynolds who ran the Allegany Cheese Factory in Alfred Station. Their house was the house where the McDowells live now. Mrs. Reynolds provided music for the church for years and was an avid flower gardener.

This is her recipe for Creamed Oysters, which we would probably call Oyster Stew.

Creamed Oysters

Wash and drain one quart of oysters; strain the liquid through cheesecloth and then set it to boil. When it boils, add 1/2 c. butter and 1/2 c. flour creamed together with 1 tsp. salt and a dash of paprika. Let boil 10 minutes then add one cup thick cream and the oysters. Rheate to eating temperature.

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Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist



On a perfect fall day, with the tangy scent of leaves in the brisk air, I came upon a perfect fall scene.

Apologies for the poor focus on this. I should have taken another. Devon Wallace and Nicholas Vincent, working for the Village of Alfred were "snurfing" up leaves on West University late one morning. They stopped briefly to give me their names.

Lions Club to hold Cuba Cheese sale

ALFRED—The Alfred Lions Club will hold its Cuba Cheese sale during November. From

Nov. 1-22, members will be taking orders for delivery around Dec. 11, just in time to send off for holiday gifts!

If you would like to support the club in its fundraising efforts see a Lion or order through Lions Beth and Peggy at Community Bank on Main Street in Alfred. All proceeds are returned to the local community through

the sponsorship of college scholarships and donations to area service enterprises like the Alfred Fire Department.

The Lions also collect eyeglasses, old cell phones and used ink cartridges with collection bins at the local banks. The club greatly appreciates the continued support of the Alfred community.

Gas prices fall another 2.3 cents/gal. in last week

Average retail gasoline prices in New York have fallen 2.3 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$2.34/g Monday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 6,118 gas outlets in New York. This compares with the national average that has fallen 5.2 cents per gallon in the last week to \$2.20/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com. Prices Monday were 105.4 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 10.1 cents per gallon lower than a month ago.

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Weather for the Week

	Oct. 20	Oct. 21	Oct. 22	Oct. 23	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Oct. 26
Hi	57	73	73	65	54	53	51
Lo	25	48	49	37	30	42	30
Precip.	0	Trace	.04"	0	0	.28"	.01"
Snow							

By JOHN BUCKWALTER
Alfred Area Weather Recorder

Kelly's Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

"No shade, no shine, no butterflies, no bees, No fruits, no flowers, no leaves, no birds; November!" —Thomas Hood

Thursday Oct. 29
AM SHOWERS/WIND
(HIGH 53– LOW 41)
Chance of precipitation.....40%

Friday Oct. 30
CLOUDY
(HIGH 46 – LOW 33)
Chance of precipitation.....20%

Saturday Oct. 31
PARTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 52 – LOW 40)
Chance of precipitation.....10%

Sunday Nov. 1
MOSTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 57 - LOW 49)
Chance of precipitation.....20%

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THAT TIME OF YEAR

As we ‘Fall Back’ be sure your home is adequately protected

(NEW YORK—October 27, 2015)—It’s that time of the year again! On Sunday, Nov. 1, Day-light Savings Time comes to an end and we “Fall Back” one hour. It’s the perfect time to make sure all smoke and carbon monoxide alarms are in proper working condition, and the Firemen’s Association of the State of New York (FASNY) urges all New Yorkers to make sure their homes are protected.

Smoke and CO alarms should be cleaned to remove any debris that could impede their function. Older alarms that have removable batteries should receive a fresh set. Many newer smoke

alarms feature longer lasting, sealed-in 10-year batteries. These alarms should still be tested and inspected regularly, but require far less maintenance than those with removable batteries, making a homeowner’s life both easier and safer.

“If working properly, smoke alarms can be the difference between life and death,” said FASNY President Robert McConville. “Often, firefighters respond to devastating fatal fires that could have been prevented if the home was equipped with working smoke alarms. Smoke alarms are, quite frankly, the most important appliance in your

home. Not only can they help to save your life and home, but also the lives of firefighters who are tasked with protecting the public.”

While many homes and businesses are equipped with smoke alarms, the simple truth is that many of these alarms are non-functioning. Firefighters frequently encounter smoke alarms that have been disabled or fallen into disrepair due to a lack of maintenance. FASNY is supporting state legislation that would require all battery powered smoke alarms sold in New York to come equipped with non-removable, sealed-in batteries capable of powering the device for at least 10 years. According to

the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), three of every five home fire deaths happen in a home with no smoke alarms or non-working smoke alarms. The 10-year smoke alarm bill directly addresses this critical problem. This legislation has passed both the State Senate and Assembly, and awaits Governor Andrew Cuomo’s action.

FASNY smoke & CO alarm tips:

- Test alarms at least once a month by using the test button.
- Check the batteries every six months, and change the batteries every year (if applicable). If a battery is starting to lose its power, the unit will usually chirp to warn you. DO NOT disable

the unit.

- Vacuum or blow out any dust that might accumulate in the unit.
- NEVER borrow a battery from an alarm to use somewhere else.
- NEVER paint a smoke or CO alarm.
- Install at least one smoke alarm on every floor of your home, including the basement, and in, or near each sleeping area.
- Smoke alarms should not be installed near a window because drafts could interfere with their operation.
- Smoke alarms should be completely replaced every ten years.
- Families should also develop and practice a home fire escape plan.

For more information on smoke alarms, carbon monoxide alarms and other information on fire safety and prevention, visit www.fasny.com and www.nfpa.org.

WE WELCOME LETTERS
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Toward goal of \$40,975 Community Chest drive at 22%

Dear Editor:

We are rapidly counting down the months to the end of 2015 and also the Alfred-Alfred Station Community Chest drive ... we need your support! Thus far we have received donations and pledges totaling \$9,052 which is 22% of our goal of \$40,975. As of this week we are slightly behind last year’s pledged percentage. We thank the many contributors who are helping to complete this year’s drive. We must persevere in order to help to replenish the local charities. Please join us in this very important community service.

Among the many organization to whom we continue to pledge funds is the Alfred Station Firemen. The Alfred Station Fire Company Association has been on our list of beneficiaries since the 1991 drive. They respond, with the A.E. Crandall Hook & Ladder Fire Company, to all fires in the township of Alfred. Only with the equipment and manpower of both companies can proper fire protection be provided to our township, village and colleges.

The Alfred Station Firemen, by contract, also provide fire protection to parts of the towns of Ward and Hartsville. In addition they own and maintain the Little League baseball field in Alfred Station and maintain the sheltered picnic area near the ball park, which is available for use by area residents and organizations.

The firemen conduct fund raising activities during the year, including their own auctions and numerous chicken barbecues. For many of us, the Mother’s Day chicken barbecue has become a family tradition. While they do receive financial support from the Town of Alfred each year, their capital needs are great. The Community Chest board, therefore, includes this group of hard-working citizens among the organizations we support. Your contribution will help provide the thanks from the whole community for their TIRELESS service. Our support is needed TODAY. AFTERWARDS is too late for this all important service.

We ask those of you who have not yet made a donation, or pledge, to join your friends and neighbors in making our drive a success. Many thanks to those who have been so generous already. If, for some reason, you did not receive a pledge card, donations may be left at the Alfred Pharmacy in Alfred, the Canacadea Country Store in Alfred Station, or may be mailed to Alfred-Alfred Station Community Chest, Box 603, Alfred, NY, 14802. We look forward to your support.

Sincerely,
William Carlson
For the Community Chest Board
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FROM THE DESK
OF DAVID PULLEN
By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator

THE HEALTH INSURANCE CONUNDRUM

Over the past several weeks I have spent a significant portion of my time dealing with health insurance issues. I have listened to presidential candidates offer their views on what is right and wrong with Obamacare, participated in collective bargaining negotiations with labor unions representing county employees, advised private individuals about options for their personal insurance coverage, advised private employers about legal mandates and options for health insurance, and counseled retirees about their medical insurance needs.

On a daily basis I wear many different hats. I am a private attorney, a legislator, an employer, a consumer, and a voter. This means I have to look at health insurance and health care issues from many different perspectives. Here are some thoughts and viewpoints about this important issue:

—Health insurance is a major issue and concern for almost everyone. There is little agreement about the best way to deal with it, but everyone has an opinion about it. For better or worse that means that the government is going to be involved in the debate about it.

—Health care and health insurance has gotten extraordinarily expensive. America is spending about 19% of its Gross National Product (“GNP”) on health care. No other nation spends more than 12% of its GNP on health care. Despite spending 37% more per capita on health care, America ranks 28th in health outcomes.

—Although everyone wants health care coverage, almost no one thinks that they should have to personally pay for it. However, there is wide disagreement about who should pay for it. The most commonly suggested candidates for paying include: the government, employers, and “the rich.”

—Obamacare, or “The Affordable Care Act” (its official name) got the name, but almost nothing else, right. Today health insurance is not affordable in New York State, or in most of America. The cost of health insurance has continued to skyrocket beyond the reach of almost all working individuals and families.

—Under Obamacare the number of people en-

rolled in Medicaid has exploded. The federal government controls what medical care providers get paid for care rendered to Medicaid patients, and has set those rates very low. That means that the rest of us are subsidizing the care provided to Medicaid recipients.

—Medicare (the health care program for most retirees over age 65) provides much more limited coverage than Medicaid. It is offensive to me that those who have never worked or contributed to their own care get better coverage than those who have worked and contributed throughout their working lives.

Here are some suggestions for possible changes in how America approaches health care issues. Some seem like simple commonsense, while others are more controversial. They are:


•Everyone should have some “skin in the game.” Everyone, including those on Medicaid, should have to pay something for their health care and coverage. Experience has shown that we don’t value what we don’t pay for. Even a modest co-pay or deductible would have a dramatic impact on usage.

•Federal law should be changed to require that Medicaid benefits be no more generous than Medicare benefits. We should protect and reward those who have worked and contributed to our nation’s prosperity.

•Perhaps Medicaid should be limited to critical care, rather than providing Cadillac coverage, as it does at present. I refer to Medicaid as “the best insurance coverage that money can’t buy.” That’s because anyone who has any money can’t qualify for Medicaid. That doesn’t make any sense.

•Something needs to be done to rein in the huge increases in health care costs. Those costs have simply outstripped the ability of most of us to pay. For example, I recently met with a senior citizen whose annual medicine costs exceed \$50,000. That is several times greater than her annual income.

I am frustrated by the current debate, with its name-calling and accusations. It isn’t providing any viable solutions. I think we need open dialogue about both problems and solutions. Everything should be on the table. What do you think?



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ALFRED UNIVERSITY PERFORMING ARTS

AU serves up evening of family life in 'Dining Room'

ALFRED—Alfred University's Performing Arts Division presents its fall theater production, "The Dining Room," a play by A.R. Gurney, Friday Oct. 30 through Monday Nov. 2 at 7:30 p.m. each evening in Miller Theater at the Miller Performing Arts Center on campus.

Tickets for the production are \$10 each for general admission and \$5 for senior citizens and non-Alfred University students and may be reserved by calling 607.871.2828 or emailing performs@alfred.edu.

Participants will enter "The Dining Room" for a true buffet of characters and scenes centering on the traditions of American family life and the changing customs of dining.

The production offers more than a century of social encounter and people, some of whom have had good times in a dining room, some who have not, and all of whom contribute to but do not complete the domestic fabric of life in middle and upper middle class America.

The play moves through many scenes, some raucous, some funny, some sad, and others nostalgic. The dialogue sparkles like champagne and the multiple miniature plots are like a dinner of many courses that makes good memories and feeds body and soul.

Becky Prophet, professor of theater, is directing the performances. She relies on memories of Thanksgiving dinners at homes of great aunts and her understanding of many households around the nation, as well as her own penchant for giving dinner

parties.

She explains "The Dining Room Details": "Set in the quintessential dining room, the play begins in the early morning light of a realtor and client considering the advantages of the place. By the end of Act I we have seen scenes of family life in very different decades and, in the 'quintessential day,' time has passed into mid-afternoon.

"In Act II the same actors in the mythic dining room, on no particular day, progress from late afternoon with two girls coming home from high school to raid the liquor cabinet. By the end of the act, we arrive mid-evening with a dinner party that celebrates all who have ever gathered around a table to join with family and friends to share a meal and the joy of one another's company."

"Pull up a chair and join the actors in this tour de force of social commentary and family life through a day in any and many dining rooms!" invites Prophet.

The Dining Room is an 18-scene, 52-character production with 15 cast members, so students each play three to four very different individuals.

These actors are Nathaniel Yard, a senior engineering major from Quakertown, PA; Cassandra Bull, senior art and design major and an agricultural technology major at Alfred State College from Saratoga Springs; Abigail Hurley, junior theater major, Barrington, RI; Hannah West, freshman art and design major, Vernon Center; Joshua Benham, first-year mechanical engineering major, Buffalo;



The Dining Room

By A.R. Gurney

Directed by Becky Prophet

THE DINING ROOM will be staged at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Oct. 30-Nov. 2 at Alfred University's Miller Theater at the Miller Performing Arts Center on campus.

Meredith Laubert, senior materials science and engineering major, May's Landing, NJ; Delaney O'Hare, sophomore theater major, Wallkill; Abigail Smith, first-year art history and theory major, Saint Albans, Maine; Derek Chester, freshman, early childhood-childhood education major, Amherst; Danny Gray, senior art major from Madison, WI; Nickolette Jones, junior theater major from Muncy, PA; Andrew Hazer, senior theater major from Brooklyn.

Stage managers are Grace Beekman, sophomore psychology major, Middleburgh; Kathryn Fitch, first-year student, Fairport; and Sean Heverin, sophomore art and design major, Merrick. Costumes are designed by Cassidy Teagle,

senior theater major, Garrison. Jason Dearing, a senior art major from Whitehall, PA is props master and manager, seeking out just the right piece for dining or decorating over the century of the play. Nasim Kourgli, a senior from Alfred, is coordinating sound.

Tatyana Wild, visiting assistant professor of performance design, designed the scenery that invites all to partake of the play's offerings. Debbie MacCrea, Costume Shop manager and her team of stitchers coordinate, alter, and accessorize the costumes. Zachary Hamm, technical director, turns all of the drawings of designers into visual realities.

Prophet is an alumna of Alfred University, holding a bachelor of

arts degree in English. She received a master of arts degree and Ph.D. from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Having spent nearly three decades working and teaching in theater, she has acted, directed, and taught in Massachusetts, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Georgia.

Prophet enjoys directing plays that challenge students and audiences and favors theater that presses for social and political change. She is highly active in the Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival and Association for Theatre in Higher Education, and has created an intensive directing institute for students, presents numerous workshops and papers, and directs new plays at every conference.

Elena Hurd captures youth reining championship

COLUMBUS, OH—Alfred University Interscholastic Equestrian Association (IEA) rider Elena Hurd recently won the youth reining class at the All-American Quarter Horse Congress in Columbus, Ohio, the largest single-breed horse show in the world.

On average, there are 21,000 entries to the show and it attracts 650,000 people every year. Reining is a style of Western riding based on the athleticism and willingness of the horse and includes complicated maneuvers such as

sliding stops, fast but precise spins and circles.

Elena is the daughter of Mark and Maria Hurd of Wilmington, DE and granddaughter of Alice and Harry Hurd of Cuba and Patricia Hurd of Almond.

Elena competed in the youth reining class against 55 other 14-18 year old riders Saturday, Oct. 17 and placed third with her horse CC Enterprise, or "Joker."

On Sunday, Oct. 18, she went into her class determined to improve on her previous score, and ended the day with a win on

Joker and seventh place with her other horse, "It's All About Bud" otherwise known as "Bud" (or, if when misbehaving, "Bad Bud").

Her victory this year is made even more special by the fact that her older sister, Amanda, earned the same title last year on her spectacular horse Whale of a Whiz ("Montana")—both sisters are proud to have been back to back winners at the Congress.

Elena grew up riding with her grandfather, who before recently retiring from judging, was in past years on the Congress panel of

judges. Elena, along with Amanda, regularly showed at the Allegany County Fair and other local horse shows.

She and her sister also competed at the New York State Fair and placed first and second in the

reining class, respectively, in 2014. A high school senior at Tatnall School in Wilmington, Delaware, Elena plans to ride on Texas Christian University's NCAA division one equestrian team next year.



ELENA HURD won the youth reining class at the All-American Quarter Horse Congress.

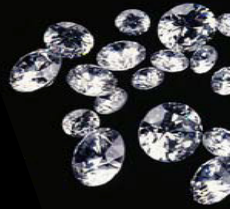


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Tickets are \$25 each and are available at the JMH Gift Shop, Hamilton's Shoe Store, the Wellsville Office of Steuben Trust Company, the JMH Administration Office, and at the door.



Cultural Arts Calendar



Music
BANDS/DJs/RECITALS

Alfred Village Band offers summer concerts of popular music and marches at the Alfred Village Bandstand. Concerts are scheduled at 7:15 p.m. each Wednesday in July. The band is directed by Dr. Christopher Foster. Come and bring a friend and enjoy an evening of music on the Alfred Village Green.

Alfred University Jazz Band in concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 21, Miller Theater, AU campus. Free admission.

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open every day for lunch; dinner and live acoustic music on week-ends; now serving breakfast – call for details. **Acoustic Open Mic Night** 1st Thursday of month 7-10 pm. Music Schedule: Oct. 9- Miché Fambro. Oct. 16-Ghosts of the American Road. Oct. 17-Pat Kane. Oct. 23-Laurie Smalley. Oct. 24-Curt Osgood and Rob Siegers. Oct. 30-Leslie Lee and Steve Gretz. Oct. 31-Java. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

Hornell Area Wind Ensemble Rehearsals Tuesday evenings at Hornell Intermediate School. New members are always welcome. Sunday, Oct. 25 - concert at 3 p.m. (Adventure) at the Intermediate School. For further information, call Nancy Luger at 587-9449 or call 545-8603.

Maple City Bowl, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. Following the show: Live Rock-n-Bowl with Frank and Rich's Timeline. DJ/Karaokeevery Friday night 9 pm to 1 a.m. Come sing the night away with Our DJ! They are here every Friday bringing you your favorite tunes!! For updates,

check www.maplecitybowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

Messiah. This beloved oratorio by Handel will be performed by the AU Chorus, Chamber Singers and the AU Orchestra at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 22 at St. Ann's Church in Hornell. Free admission.

Susquehanna String Band in concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24, Miller Theater, AU campus. The band with help from AU Chamber Singers will present an evening of foot-stomping traditional American music. Free admission.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24-The Mike Miz Trio. Saturday, Nov. 7-David Michael Miller. Future performances TBA. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

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

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:00 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.

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

COFFEEHOUSES
Coffeehouse live entertainment

periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred.

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. Saturdays at 4 p.m. except August. Guest Recitalist: Oct. 3-Doris Burzycki Aman. Laurel Buckwalter, AU Carillonneur.

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



Theater & Dance

COMEDY
Watch for comedians to perform at Alfred University this semester in Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

DANCE
Let's Dance Club offers occasional dances. For more information, contact president Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Eisenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Charlie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carrier at (607) 324-5821.

Contra/Square Dance with the Susquehanna String Band, 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 23 at the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater in Alfred Village Hall. Support the Box of

Books and enjoy an evening of live music and dancing. Tickets available from the Box of Books Library, S. Main Street, Alfred.

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

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

PERFORMANCES
"Spoken Word" Poetry Night -- Tuesday, Nov. 17, 7 p.m., a lively and entertaining evening of poetry performance, hosted by Christopher Clow at Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

The Dining Room, by A.R. Gurney. Friday-Saturday-Sunday-Monday, Oct. 30-31-Nov. 1-2, 7:30 p.m., C.D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. A whirl and tumble of twenty-two scenes moves the audience to the heart of American family life with eloquence, poignancy and hilarity. Tickets required.

Death Do Us Part (Xi-Jiao) by the Jingju Theater Company from Beijing, China. Friday, Nov. 6, 7:30 p.m. This four act Chinese opera of love and betrayal is based on the classic Chinese novel Shui hu zhuan (Outlaws of March or Water Margin). Sponsored by the Confucius Institute. Free admission. Miller Theater.

Informal Dance Showing, 7 p.m. Thurs.-Fri., Dec. 3-4, CD Smith III Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. Free admission.

Art/
Galleries

INSTRUCTION/GROUPS
Allegany Artisans. The Allegany Artisans, local artists and craftspeople working together to host an annual studio tour set for Oct. 17-18) in October, invite artists to apply. New for 2015! Friday Night Reception 5-8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 16. Work is juried. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or www.alleganyartisans.com.

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Artist Knot. 36 Main Street, Andover. Gallery Hours by appointment. (607) 478-5100.

Cohen Center for the Arts. 55 N. Main Street, Alfred. Gallery open 11-5 Thurs.-Fridays. "Pattern Recognition: New Work by The White Page Collective" Alanah Luger-Guillaume, Kathryn Sheldon, Alexis Stiteler and Rebecca Spangenthal. Sept. 5–Oct. 2, 2015.

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

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

Southern Tier Fiberarts Guild, founded in 1983, meets at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville, on the first Saturday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. except months of July and Sept. The group welcomes spinners (and wannabes), quilters, knitters, crocheters, embroiders, 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
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.

Inamori Kyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics. The newly constructed museum focuses on fine ceramics used in technical and bio-medical applications. Open 10-4 Wed.-Fri. Free admission.

20th Century Club plans a busy Election Day

ALMOND-The Almond Library 20th Century Club is planning a busy Election Day on Tuesday, Nov. 3, 2015. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. featuring our famous homemade vegetable-beef soup, sandwiches, home-baked pie, and beverages. Take-outs are available.

A new highlight is 10 minute chair massages given by Jen Stuart, a licensed massage therapist, between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

The annual raffle offers a beautiful quilt in beige, rust, and green, Log Cabin pattern, extra-long queen size. The winning

ticket will be drawn at 4 p.m.

Baskets are on now display in the library for the basket auction to be held from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. The winning tickets will be drawn at 6 p.m. You do not need to be present to win. Baskets and gift certificates have been generously donated by community businesses and club members.

The event also includes a sale of books, plants, gently-used jewelry, and greeting cards.

All proceeds go to the library.

This Election Day event is an important fundraiser for library materials and programs. The lift entryway makes the library ac-

cessible to all. For more information, please call (607) 276-6311.

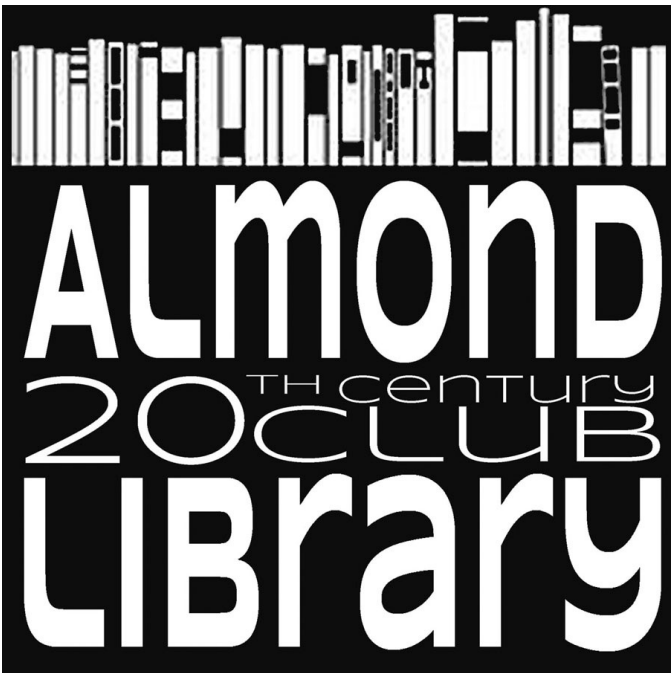
Deadline Nov. 15 for winter clothing drive

ALFRED—The Annual Alfred Area Winter Clothing drive to benefit the Cameron Community Ministries in Rochester is now underway, collecting all kinds of winter clothing including coats, blankets, mittens, hats and scarves. Deadline for dropping off bagged items is Saturday, Nov. 15.

Area residents who wish to donate may drop off the warm clothing at the Union University Church Center on Church Street, Hair Care at 15 N. Main Street, or at Community Bank at N. Main Street, all in Alfred.

Or, area residents may take donated clothing to the Alfred Lions Club meeting between 6 and 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 12 upstairs at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse.

The Winter Clothing Drive is sponsored by the Union University Church in cooperation with the Alfred Lions Club, the Alfred S.D.B. Church Op Shop, and the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church.



What's Happening at Almond Library
By CECILY HARDY

Halloween has descended on the library, and things are definitely getting spooky! Our annual Halloween bash is this Saturday, and is not to be missed! Fun and games galore starting at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31! Donuts and cider will be back by popular demand, as well as other festive treats--plus candy grab bags to give you a head start on your trick-or-treating. Included in the fun is a costume contest (judging at 2 p.m.), complete with prizes!

Election day is coming! After you vote, stop by the library on Tuesday, Nov. 3 for the Library's annual fundraising event, put on by our own Twentieth Century Club! A soup-and-sandwich lunch will be served from 11 a.m. til 2 p.m., and a basket auction will be held from 11 a.m.-6 p.m., along with much more!

As always, join us for Mother Goose on the Loose, a fun-filled early literacy program for kids 0-3 and their caregivers, every Friday at 10:30 a.m. There will be NO yoga this week (Oct. 29), but weekly classes (all skill levels welcome, ages 14 & up) will resume on Nov. 5 at their regularly scheduled 5:45 p.m.

Feel free to contact the library with any questions you might have about our upcoming programs or anything else!

Contact: Phone-607-276-6311 Email- almondlibrary@gmail.com Address- P.O. Box D Almond, NY 14804

Hours: Sunday & Monday: Closed; Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 2-7 pm; Friday & Saturday: 10am-2 pm.



NOTES from the
BOX OF BOOKS

By MELANIE MILLER
Alfred Box of Books Director

Story time is every Wednesday at 11a.m. In the month of November we will be celebrating Dr. Seuss. Be sure to join us for stories, songs and more!

This year the Box of Books was at the farmer's market once a month to sign people up for summer reading program, to promote items in our collection, to hold story time, to advertise programs and to make potions. We are incredibly grateful to the Alfred Farmer's Market for allowing us to participate and encourage community collaborations.

Box of Books Library Hours: Sun. 12-4, Mon 10-6, Tues 12-6, Wed 10-6, Thurs 12-6, Fri. 10-5, Saturday Closed.

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Alfred Ceramic Art Museum. Located on the top floor of Binns-Merrill Hall, AU campus, Alfred. Open 10-4 Wed. thru Fri. Free Admission. For information call the Museum at 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: www.ceramic-smuseum.alfred.edu.

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

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

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



Lectures/Readings

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

Allegany County Bird Club. Meetings held at the First Congregational 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 2015.

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. Website: www.bakersbridge.org. 2015-16 Program: Sept. 21-Early milking history (Martha Roberts); Oct. 19-Gov. Higgins, early years in Rushford (Ronnie Beverly); Nov. 16-Stories from Nature (Steve Jakobi); Dec. 14-Overview on the Amish (Craig Braack); Jan. 18-Local Geological History (MaryLu Wells); Feb. 15-Steinheim Museum at Alfred University (Laurie McFadden); March 21-Women's Suffrage: NYS & Allegany County (Rusty Tobin); April 18-The Life of Frederick Douglass (Bill Heaney); May-TBD: Field Trip to the Rushford Museums. For more information, contact President 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. Oct. 15-Gary Ostrower, "Hearts of Darkness: The Congo, Hiroshima, Auschwitz"; Oct. 22-John Cusack, PhD, "What Do We Mean By Sustainability?"; Oct. 29-Vicki Eaklor, "Women and Jazz"; Nov. 5-Barry Gan, "The Limitations of Civil Resistance: A Critique of Nonviolence as a Political Tool"; Nov. 12-D. Chase Angier, "Deepening Connections: People, Place, and Planet"; Nov. 19-Emrys Westacott, "The Beatles: Here, There, and Everywhere"; Nov. 26-Thanksgiving; Dec. 3-Karen Donnellan, "The Circle Extends to the Tips of the Fingers." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

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

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

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



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

Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament at 8 pm on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. The next tournaments will be held at 8 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 8...you get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str8-eight.com



Special Events

Kent Farms Pumpkin Patch. Thru Oct. 31 at Kent Farms, Jones Road, Andover. For more info and directions, visit: www.kentfarms.us

Cuba First Baptist Church Harvest Dinner Thursday, Nov. 12. Turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, and all the trimmings... including pie! Take outs available 4-5pm - \$8.50 adults, \$4.50 children. Eat-in 5:30-6:30pm - \$8.00 adults, \$4.00 children. Call 585-968-1173 for reservations. Proceeds benefit American Baptist Women's Ministries (ABWM) at Cuba First Baptist.

Bake Sale! Wed., Nov. 11 (Veterans Day), 8:30-4:30 at Alfred State Student Activities Center on the School of Applied Technology campus in Wellsville. By seniors in culinary arts: baking, production and management program. To benefit: LEEK Hunting and Mountain Preserve for disabled veterans. For more information: Debra Burch, associate professor in the Culinary Arts Department, at 607-587-3119.

Support Groups

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Afternoon Grief Support Group. Meets second Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. in the McAuley Manor Chapel on the 2nd floor. For info, Chaplain Astuti Bijlefeld or Deacon Bob McCormick at St. James Mercy Hospital Spiritual Care Office at 607-324-8153.

Evening Grief Support Group. "Good Grief Group" meets second and fourth Monday of every month at 7 p.m. in the hospital Chapel, on the ground floor. For more info, contact Deacon Bob McCormick at bmccormick@sjmh.org or call the Spiritual Care Office at 607-324-8153.

Homeschool Support Group - Allegany-Steuken 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 10 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Center Streets, Hornell. For more info, call 324-6266.

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group. Meets first Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. at Friendly's. For more info, contact Roberta Staub at 607-661-6640 or Kevin Johnson at 607-661-3397.

OLD SALTS BREAKFAST CLUB, a gathering of veterans, meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 8 a.m. at JC's Cafe at the corner of Canisteo and Crosby Streets, Hornell. All Navy vets and Marines are invited, plus any others who can tell stories about their services, from World War II until the present time. We have vets from all over the area. For more info, call "Old Navy" Bob Tripp at 607-295-7753.

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

Etcetera

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

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

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

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

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, Nov. 2

Pickled Beets, Breaded Fish w/Tartar Sauce, Parslied Potatoes, Stewed Tomatoes, Wheat Bread, Fruit Cocktail, Diabetic-Fruit Cocktail.

Tuesday, Nov. 3
Tossed Salad w/ Ranch Dressing, Italian Sausage, Pasta Casserole, Spinach, Garlic Bread, Apple Crisp. Diabetic-Applesauce.

Wednesday, Nov. 4
Applesauce, Boiled Dinner, Petite Peas, Corn Bread, Tapioca Pudding. Diabetic-Pudding.

Thursday, Nov. 5
Carrot Raisin Salad, Pepper Steak, Brown Rice, California Blend Vegetables, Banana Bread, Fresh Fruit. Diabetic-Fresh Fruit.

Friday, Nov. 6
Tropical Fruit Salad, Broccoli Cheese Soup, Sloppy Joe on a Bun, Mixed Vegetables, Gingerbread w/Lemon Sauce. Diabetic-Pears.

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

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE
Union University Church Center, 12 noon
Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118.
Monday—Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30-11:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon. "National Deviled Egg Day."
Wednesday—Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30-11:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon. "National Candy Day."
Thursday—Lunch 12 noon. "Celebrating Nacho Day."

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.
Call Eileen Kane at 585-808-1472
Tuesday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Reminiscing."
Thursday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Boost Your Vocabulary."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE
Fire Hall 12 noon
Call Cheryl Johnson at 585-808-5640
Monday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon.
Wednesday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon.
Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE
Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.

Tuesday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Bingo." Lunch at 12 noon. Cards/Games at 1 p.m.

Thursday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Comics." Lunch at 12 noon. Games/Cards at 1 p.m.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE
AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
Call Paul Young at 585 610-2220
Monday—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. "Reminiscing About Comics."
Tuesday—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "John Phillip Sousa's Biography."

Wednesday—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzle. Lunch at noon. "Current Topics."
Thursday—Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Boost Your Vocabulary."

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.
Thursday—10:30 "Growing Stronger" Exercises, Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon
Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650
Tuesday—10:45 Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m.

WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE
YMCA, Riverwalk Plaza, 12 noon
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.
Monday—Bingo at 10 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Euchre at 1 p.m.
Wednesday—Games at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Euchre at 1 p.m.
Thursday—Stretch at 9:30 a.m., Bingo at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Accord Angel Action—Edna Elling
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WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Linda Haggerty at 585-296-3800.
Monday—10:45 Growing Stronger Exercises. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "The Comics."

Tuesday—Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. Coffee Hour. "Three of the Same."

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At the Movies

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"The Martian" (PG013)
"Goosebumps" (PG)
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The DIY Farmer's Wife Approach

By KRISTINA SNYDER
Alfred Sun Columnist

FIVE WAYS TO USE COFFEE GROUNDS

Sleepless nights with baby means we have a lot of coffee around the house. Composting the grounds is a great way to recycle but I couldn't help thinking there must be more I can do with this awesome smelling substance. After a few hours of research and testing I've discovered five ways to use coffee and grounds, besides in a cup.

1. Hide scratches in wood- make a paste with grounds and cooking oil. Gently rub onto furniture or on your floor, wipe off excess.
2. Houseplant food- Grounds are high in nitrogen so give your plants a boost once a month by sprinkling some on top of the soil.
3. Eliminate odors- fill a cup with grounds and place in a musty closet or a stinky fridge. Coffee grounds can actually absorb odors better than baking soda!
4. Repel slugs- sprinkle a strip around your garden of coffee grounds. Slugs don't like to crawl over rough surfaces.
5. Woodstove/fireplace cleaning-When you are cleaning your fireplace or wood stove, sprinkle damp coffee grounds over everything first. It keeps the dust down, and absorbs some of the heavy odors.

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

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Doug's NFL Picks

WEEK EIGHT	
THURSDAY	
PATRIOTS.....	30 Miami.....24
SUNDAY	
Detroit.....	24 CHIEFS.....20*
RAIJS.....	24 San Francisco.....17
SAINTS.....	27 NJ Giants.....20
BEARS.....	23 Minnesota.....20
Tennessee.....	9 TEXANS.....6
FALCONS.....	34 Tampa Bay.....17
Arizona.....	30 BROWNS.....10
San Diego.....	27 RAVENS.....20
STEELERS.....	21 Cincinnati.....20
RAIDERS.....	24 NJ Jets.....20
Seattle.....	24 COWBOYS.....13
Green Bay.....	23 BRONCOS.....20
MONDAY	
PANTHERS.....	23 Indianapolis.....21
(byes: Bills, Jags, Eagles, Redskins)	
* game in London	

D3football.com Top 25, Week 8

#	School (1st votes)	Rec	Pts	Prev.
1	Mount Union (19)	7-0	619	1
2	Linfield (6)	6-0	599	2
3	Mary Hardin-Baylor	7-0	572	3
4	Wesley	7-0	537	4
5	UW-Oshkosh	6-1	513	5
6	St. Thomas	7-0	473	7
7	UW-Whitewater	6-1	469	6
8	Wheaton (Ill.)	7-0	467	8
9	Wabash	7-0	440	9
10	Johns Hopkins	7-0	393	10
11	Thomas More	8-0	389	11
12	St. John's	6-1	346	13
13	Hardin-Simmons	7-0	320	14
14	Concordia-Moorhead	7-1	231	17
15	Illinois Wesleyan	7-0	229	19
16	UW-Platteville	5-2	217	12
17	John Carroll	6-1	180	18
18	Salisbury	5-1	168	23
19	North Central (Ill.)	4-3	141	16
20	Cortland State	7-1	120	--
21	Wartburg	6-1	97	22
22	Washington and Lee	7-0	82	--
23	Case Western Reserve	6-1	57	--
24	Delaware Valley	6-1	56	--
25	Texas Lutheran	5-2	55	24

Dropped out: No. 15 Washington and Jefferson; No. 20 Albright; No. 21 Rowan; No. 25 Whitworth.

Others receiving votes: Rowan 51; Whitworth 51; Franklin 33; Washington and Jefferson 32; St. Lawrence 31; Dubuque 25; Albright 25; Berry 22; Hampden-Sydney 16; Framingham State 10; Western New England 10; Gustavus Adolphus 8; Guilford 6; Ohio Northern 6; Amherst 5; DePauw 5; Olivet 5; Huntingdon 2; Monmouth 2.

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

Pigskin Picks Football Contest

BOB BAKER wins Week 8

Bob Baker of Alfred was the clear winner in Week Eight of Pigskin Picks with only 4 misses. Tied for second place with 6 misses each were Christopher Yarnal of Almond, Tim Rosell of Hornell, and Doug Lorow of Webster, while finishing with 7 misses were Robert Grogan of Canisteo, Barb Welch of Arkport (who included a happy face in successfully picking her alma mater Morrisville State to upset Ithaca), Judy Marlatt of Almond and Floyd Patrick Farley of Hornell.

Betsy Brooks, back from bird banding at Brad-dock Bay, says she will now have more time to focus on football, so watch out! She finished Week 8 with

11 misses.

Each week, the best entry receives \$10. At season's end, an entry will be pulled to award a \$50 cash prize.

It's easy to participate! Enter your guesses of winners of the 20 football games (found in the ads on these pages) and predict the score of the MNF game as the tiebreaker in the form below. Enter today! The entry form below is due by **5 p.m. Friday, NOV. 6.**

Send entries to: **Pigskin Picks, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802** or take to the ALFRED SUN mailbox on the porch of the home office located at 764 Route 244 in Tinkertown. Good luck!

Pigskin Picks Entry Form

College Picks Nov. 7 Games

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6. All entries included in \$50 cash drawing at season's end.
7. Contest is open to all.

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Growing Up in Alfred

By JUDE FRECHETTE
Special to the Alfred Sun

Derck's Cow



My brother Derck made his career choice early in life - he would be a farmer. To that end, he bought some live chicks from the GLF feed store in Alfred Station, where the Old Mill is now. Doc Scofield and Rod Brown, friends of my parents, built a chicken coop on the back of our barn to house them.

Derck raised them with tender loving care, and before long they were supplying our family of seven with all the fresh eggs we could eat.

The project was such a success that Derck decided to take the next step and get a calf to raise. Though he was only ten or eleven years old, he'd been hanging around the Ag Tech's dairy herd and the Saunders' farm on West University since he was old enough to walk, helping with the chores and learning all he could. He was ready for a cow of his own.

At that time, Mom had a lady coming in once a week to help her with the cleaning and ironing. Florence Blank was a lovely woman, motherly, patient, and perpetually cheerful. She and her husband had a dairy farm (in Phillips Creek, I think) where they raised a dozen or more foster children over the years. They had a runt calf they weren't planning to keep, so Derck bought her for \$25 of his hard-earned work money.

The naming of this animal came with a twist - literally. It happened at one of the cocktail parties that were fashionable in the fifties. Dad sometimes claimed the right to name our pets, and this was one of those times.

He, Doc Scofield, and Rod Brown were joking around, martinis in hand, when they decided the calf should be called "Margie," after Doc's first wife. (I suspect that the woman would not have been flattered!)

So Margie became part of our family. Derck built a lean-to shelter for her, and strung barbed

wire around our lower woods and a postage-stamp field for a pasture. She looked enormous to me, since I was just a toddler, and I was very impressed that my big brother could handle her.

Every morning and evening, no matter the weather, he went out to feed and groom Margie, along with caring for the chickens. He took animal husbandry very seriously, and never asked anyone to do his chores for him, though he allowed my sister and me to gather the eggs when we wanted to.

There was just one problem with Margie. Cows are herd animals, and she was lonely. When the wind blew from the southwest, she could smell Frank and Harold Snyder's dairy herds. When it came from the north, the aroma of the Tech barns reached her, and if out of the west, the Saunders' farm. She was surrounded by bovines, yet still alone.

The fence has never been built that Margie couldn't break out of, so off she'd go in search of her sisters. This caused poor Derck no end of embarrassment.

We'd get a phone-call from Chief Rounds (our only policeman) or one of the local storekeepers, saying that Margie was downtown again, and Derck would have to go after her. She rarely made it past the village green, where she was bound to encounter University students. They were mostly city kids who found it hugely amusing to try to catch and ride her, or drive her back and forth by pelting her with snowballs.

Dan Foreman, a student who rented our apartment, once tried to help bring her home. He grabbed her by the tail, and got dragged all over downtown for his pains. Another time, Derck was in school when Margie went for a stroll. Mom went down and managed to get a halter on her, but halfway up South Main, the animal set her heels and refused to budge. Mom finally gave up,

tied her to a fire hydrant, and flagged down the school bus as it came through. Derck had to get off, with all the kids yelling and laughing, and lead her the rest of the way.

Margie was with us for three years. In spite of the efforts of Saunders' bull, she never "freshened," so like any good farmer, Derck made the hard decision to send her to the butcher.

We ate extremely well for quite a while after that. And Derck got a beautiful furry rug for his bedroom floor. Soon after, he discovered sports and left farming behind forever.

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Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

50 Years Ago, October 28, 1965

Dr. Edward E. Mueller, dean of State University College of Ceramics at Alfred University, will speak at the 18th Pacific Coast Regional meeting of the American Ceramic Society to be held in Los Angeles, Oct. 27-29...

The Alfred Town Board approved a \$47,000 budget for 1966 at a special meeting Friday night. The largest single item in the budget, which was adopted without opposition, is \$30,065 for highway construction and maintenance. This is an increase in highway expense of slightly more than \$4,000 over 1965...

George L. Ploetz of Scotia, center of Alfred University's undefeated football team of 1940, is one of the 64 candidates, selected from across the nation, for this year's *Sports Illustrated* Silver Anniversary All-America Awards. The men have been nominated for their exceptional success in life in the 25 years since their senior collegiate football season of 1940...A native of Ellicottville, Ploetz is Supervisor of Ceramic Development at Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory of General Electric Company in Schenectady. He is involved in the development of ceramic materials and processes having application for naval nuclear propulsion systems...

Campfire Girls—Mrs. Snyder's Gropu. We had election of officers: President, Sandy Snyder; vice president, Vaune Trautlein; secretary, Lisa Smith; treasurer, Amy Tuttle. Our group got our Camp Fire books. We chose our Indian names and our symbols. Scribe, Lisa Smith.

Eight children received the sacrament of baptism at the Sunday morning service at the Union of Churches in Almond. The Rev. J. Henry Rood, pastor, assisted by Elder Donald S. Burdett, officiated at the baptism of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rossman of Almond, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence of Alfred Station. The children included Cheryl Sue, Christine Marie, Susan Lynn, and Scott Duane Rossman; and Jay, Mark, Dianne and Gail Lawrence.

Alfredians—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jacox of Almond had as their guests last weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Darling and two children of Hudson, Ohio. Mrs. Ernest Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pierce joined them for dinner Saturday...Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stoneham and three children of Rochester spent the weekend with John W. Jacox...Mr. and Mrs. Les Goble and five children of Waverly were Homecoming guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder and family...Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hitchcock and family of Bath spent Saturday with Mrs. R.O. Hitchcock...Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Foster were guests over the weekend of Dr. and Mrs. Phillips Foster and family at College Park, Md...Mrs. Jay McWilliams of Hudson, Ohio, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Stopper...

The Harlem Astronauts will face a team of Alfred-Almond faculty and alumni in a basketball game Monday night, Nov. 1, at 8 p.m. in the AACCS gym...The local team will be comprised of Coach James McEvoy, Richard Kennell, Glenn Patton, Dale Lorow, Paul Johnson, Floyd Farley, Alan Vanderhoef and Ernest Stuart.

Almond—Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Prentice Stillman were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stillman and children of Niagara Falls...Miss Jan Burdett spent the weekend at her home. She has completed her practice teaching at Greene and returned Sunday to complete her senior year at Oneonta State...Seaman Leslie Kellogg arrived home Tuesday. He will return to Key West, Fla., Nov. 8, for further training...Richard Braack, clerk, and Paul Powers and Mrs. Sue Turner, members of the AACCS school board attended the New York State School Boards Association meetings at Syracuse, Sunday through Tuesday...Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dexter, Miss Pauline Sanford, Mrs. Richard Braack, and George Fuhr attended a service at Houghton Sunday, at which Joe Blincoe, a Billy Graham associate, spoke...

The Saxons of Alfred today are in a position where they must win two of their last three games to finish above .500. In losing to Rochester 6-0 the Saxons did just about everything they could without scoring. They drove 70 yards to the Rochester 3-yard-line in the opening period and failed. They fumbled on the Rochester 33 in the second period. They moved 59 yards on 12 plays to the Rochester 11-yard line in the third period and gave up the ball. They had the ball on the 1-yard line, but were set back by a penalty. And they missed on a pass in the end zone on the next to last play of the game. Alfred now is all even at 3-3. The Saxons go against Ursinus Saturday at Collegeville, Pa. They they will be playing C.W. Post at Brookville, L.I., and close out at home on Nov. 13 against Upsala...

25 Years Ago, November 1, 1990

Richard Hoffman was recently honored by the Alfred Lions Club as its 1990 Citizen of the Year. Rich was selected for his outstanding record of service to the Alfred community. Rich served eight years as fire chief of the A.E. Crandall Hook & Ladder Company. He is president of the board of directors of FARMEDIC, Inc., an organization dedicated to teaching emergency service personnel techniques for the handling of farm-related accidents. He is an associate professor of plant and animal science at the SUNY College of Technology at Alfred. Rich is known in the Alfred area for his saying "It's great to be here!" He and his wife Mary live on Waterwells Road in Alfred Station.

Alfred University last week launched its largest fund-raising campaign ever, a five-year, \$41 million comprehensive campaign designed to "prepare the university for the challenges and opportunities of the 21st century," according to University President Edward G. Coll Jr. "The Campaign for Alfred University," announced at the Newcomen Society dinner honoring AU in Rochester doay (Oct. 25), is more than triple the size of the \$12 million Heritage Campaign of the 1980s, the university's largest campaign to date...

Dr. S. Gene Odle, provost emeritus of Alfred University, died Wednesday, Oct. 24, 1990 at St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell after a long illness. Alfred University President Edward G. Coll Jr., honored the man who had been his second-in-command at the University for more than six years, saying, "His contributions to our institution have been monumental, and his name will be long-remembered in the history of Alfred University." Dr. Odle was born on June 20, 1926 in Caldwell, Idaho, where he completed his secondary school education followed immediately by military service...

Robert M. Mason, 72, of Main Sstreet, Almond, died Wednesday, Oct. 24, 1990 at his home. Born Feb. 17, 1918, in Amsterdam, son of Robert and Agnes Shepard Mason, he was married to the former Marjorie Oliver, who died in 1988. A resident of Almond most of his life, he was a graduate of Almond High School and also Fenn College in Cleveland. He worked for several years for Mason Typewriters in Almond, a family business started by his father. He also was employed as a sales representative for Lee Schultheis of Arkport...

More than 25 artisans will welcome the public to the third annual Allegany Artisans Studio Tour and Sale Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 3-4. Among the eight new exhibitors this year are four craftswomen in Alfred. Hillbottom Weaving, at 588 Main Street in Alfred Station will display the handwoven wearable art of Susan Greene. This is also the address of Hillbottom Pottery, the studio of Susan's husband Bruce who will also be displaying his work. Two jewelry artists, Joan Nye of 77 Pine Hill Drive and Dorothy Odle of 110 West University Street as well as Teddy Bear maker Joanne Wietgreffe of 451 Pleasant Valley Road, will also be welcoming visitors...

Sunbeams—Heidi Meacham is a freshman at Alfred University where she is studying pre-law in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. A graduate of Mount Mainsfield Union High School, VT, she is the daughter of Mrs. Susan Meacham of Alfred...Carla Miller has been appointed assistant director of Annual Giving for Alfred University...Roland D. Hale, director of the Alfred Institute for Applied Technology and Professional Development and the Alfred Analytical Laboratory, has been appointed chairperson of the state Environmental Laboratory Approval Program (ELAP) Advisory Board by state Health Commissioner David Axelrod, MD>. George and Chickie Herrick of Scotch Hill Farm, Alfred Station, have returned from a motor trip to New Mexico. While there they attended a family 50th wedding anniversary banquet and the Balloon Fiesta. They also toured Santa Fe and other nearby areas...

(Photo) Alfred University Women's Club officers for 1990-91 recently posed for a photo. Front from left are Ellen Baker, Linda Doerschug (treasurer), Caroline White, Savithri Amarakoon, Pat Douglass, and Anne Acton (co-president). In back are Terry Schlosser, Yvonne Cassidy (secretary), Carole Coll (honorary president), Pat Spriggs (co-president) and Joan Bowden (vice-president).

(Photo) Sharing the honor when Greg Connors, a cornerback on the A.U. Saxons' football team, was named "Defensive Player of the Week," were his parents, Toni and William Connors. The Hornell family has made Alfred University football a tradition since Greg, a junior political science major, enrolled at the University in September 1988.

10 Years Ago, October 27, 2005

Alfred State College will continue to play a critically important role in local economic development, but the college must forge an even stronger partnership with the public and private sectors if inherent obstacles to growth are to be overcome. That was one of the major themes to emerge Oct. 21 as Alfred State hosted its Legislators' Day 2005 activities...

Conner L. Stephens, 86, of 4868 Route 21, Alfred Station, died Monday, Oct. 24, 2005 in Wellsville Manor Care Center, Wellsville, where he had resided for the past month. Born August 14, 1919 in Albion, he was the son of Leon M. and Ruby Hall Stephens. He was married Aug. 27, 1949 in Batavia to Lyla Arlene Mullen, who died in 2001. Besides his wife, he was predeceased by a son Timothy in 2003, and two sisters, Janette Seaman and Frances Dinda. A graduate of Farmingdale High School, Conner received his bachelor of science degree from Cornell University and a masters degree in education from Alfred University. He was an assistant professor of agricultural engineering from 1956-1966 at Alfred State College. He then taught conservation and heavy equipment operation at Steuben-Allegany BOCES, Wildwood Campus, in Hornell from 1966 until he retired in 1978. He had a great love of tennis and, following retirement, became the high school tennis coach at Alfred-Almond Central School and the women's tennis coach at Alfred University, and offered private tennis lessons...Conner was an avid hunter, conservationist and naturalist. He served aboard the USS Santa Fe with the U.S. Navy in the Pacific Theater of World War II...

David W. More of Alfred Station, was among the more than 400 students who participated in the "Goon Squad" in August as part of Syracuse Welcome 2005: A Slice of SU Life, Syracuse University's signature orientation program for new students. More is a sophomore in SU's L.C. College of Engineering and Computer Science and is a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School...

Hands-on science helps to motivate and engage students in the learning process and the teachers at Alfred-Almond Central School encourage their students to actively participate in fun, educational experiences to promote their understanding...First graders in Mrs. Woughter's class learned about using their five senses to process information about the world around them. After deciding that they often depend on their sight the most, students attempted to recognize different fruits by using other senses...taste, touch, smell and even hearing. "Apples crunch when you bite them," pointed out Madison McCormick, as she took a big bite from her apple.

Coach Dave Murray's Alfred University football team (6-1, 4-0 Empire 8) dominated play in a 14-0 wet win over host Case Western Reserve Saturday afternoon in the rain in Cleveland, OH. The Saxon defense gave up only 69 yards of offense, including minus -6 on the ground, in notching the team's first shutout of the season. Last year, AU held Case to 50 yards of offense (minus -12 rushing) in a 35-3 victory at Merrill Field. Senior linebacker/ running back Brenton Brady (Rochester/Marshall) stood out on both sides of the ball for AU, logging a team-high 10 tackles (nine solo), including two for loss. Brady had 44 yards rushing on 11 carries and scored on a pair of second-quarter touchdown runs, his seventh and eighth of the season...

The Dugout—On a typical Sunday morning during football season, with a steamin' cup of coffee via Dunkin Donuts at hand, it is time to dig thru the sports pages of the Rochester Democrat & Chronicle to check on various scores. Always head to the area college section first to see how Alfred did, then others in Division III around NYS and finally to see how bad UB got beat. Then I check on the score for Mount Union in Ohio, a perennial power on the gridiron in D3 play. The Purple Raiders are usually thumping somebody, 55-10 or in that ballpark. Well on Sunday past the paper had it: Baldwin-Wallace 23, Mount Union 10. That, I would find out later, was the wrong school they played and the wrong score but Mount Union did indeed lose! A rarity in regular season play. Not sure how "rare" that was as I remember various defeats in the Division III post season of late but none came to mind immediately for a regular season loss. Well, the loss by the Purple Raiders...to Ohio Northern, 21-14, snapped a 99-game conference winning streak and a 110-game home streak in regular season action! Pretty impressive. The last loss by Mount Union in OAC league play was in 1994 to B-W and by that previously reported, 23-10 score... [Editor's Note: The domination continues in 2015. Mount Union has not lost a regular season game since this loss to Ohio Northern, winning 100 consecutive regular season games.]

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THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, October 29

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"Our great want is a revival which shall bring these young men to Christ. We poor sinners need to come back from our wanderings to seek pardon through the all-sufficient merits of our Redeemer. And we need to pray earnestly for the power of the Holy Spirit to give us a precious revival in our hearts and among the unconverted."

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For the Birds...

By BETSY BROOKS
Alfred Sun Columnist



Fall banding season a bit frustrating

The Fall banding season at Braddock Bay Bird Observatory was a bit frustrating. The station operated every day (except for a few rainy days) from mid-July until now, for six hours starting at sunrise. Usually during a fall season, we have several days where we band over 200 birds and sometimes a day or two when we band over 300 birds. But this year, during that period, we never had a day with over 147 birds.

Our tally isn't quite up-to-date, but from July 14 to October 24, we had banded just over 4,000 birds. The last few days have been particularly interesting with a nice selection of 'winter finches' in the nets, including Pine Siskin, American Goldfinch, and Common Redpoll. But more and more, our emphasis has been on education and conservation rather than on numbers of birds banded.

We decided to keep better track of how many people visit the banding station every year and where they come from. We did this because when we apply for grants, we need to quantify how many visitors we have during a year.

Up until last weekend we recorded 830 people who visited the station this year alone. They included guests from six foreign countries: Canada, Cuba, England, France, Italy, and Japan as well as visitors from 14 states: California, Connecticut, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, and West Virginia.

We taught 18 students in three different bander training classes, and hosted banding demonstrations and other programs for classes from seven area colleges. Other visiting groups included Cornell's Spring Field Ornithology Adult Education class, a high school class from Vermont, the Harley School from Rochester, and the Rochester Brainery group as well as birding groups from the Bedford, NY Audubon Society, Braddock Bay Raptor Research's Bird of Prey Days, the Chemung Valley Audubon Club, Kirkland Bird Club, Rochester Birding Association, and a birding club from SUNY ESF.

Three local garden clubs had tours of the banding station as well as visitors from the Chili Senior Citizens, the Town of Greece hiking and exploration program, Genesee Land Trust, Girls Scouts of Pittsford, the Hickok Center for Brain Injury, the Sisters of St. Joseph, and members of Temple Sinai.

The outreach and education about migration, stopover ecology and conservation is the important part of the reason we band. But I was thrilled to receive notice from the Bird Banding Lab this past weekend that a second-year male Sharp-shinned Hawk I banded at Braddock Bay in May 2007 was recaptured and released alive by fellow bander, David Okines, at Prince Edward Point (near Kingston, Ontario) on October 14, 2015! This makes that Sharpie still alive and well in its ninth year, very unusual for a small hawk.

The banding information about that bird was easily accessed by David going on-line to the website of the Bird Banding Lab. The timing of the recapture of the Sharpie was particularly good, because David had some "higher up Canadian Wildlife Service officials around that day and they were pretty excited about that bird, its age and origins." It's always good to keep the boss happy!

Now I am enjoying some 'guilty pleasure' backyard banding in Alfred... mostly of chickadees and juncos. I'm hoping some of those winter finches (redpolls and siskins in particular) that are flying along the Lake Ontario shoreline will drop south to Alfred before the snow flies!



Young male Sharp-shinned Hawk

All Pooped Out!

Feel bad about looking forward to winter and a break from the garden?

By CAROL SITARSKI
Master Gardener

Cornell Cooperative Extension
Well summer is gone and fall is upon us again. I can't believe winter will be here soon. In a way, I am glad that the gardens are fading away. Don't get me wrong I am a gardener in my heart and soul, however, it seems that by this time of the year I am gardened out and looking forward to a winters rest.

Gardening can be a long process, if you wish or a not so long process; it all depends on how much time and effort you want to put into it. That's what makes gardening so fun, the amount of effort is up to you. For me it is a long process that I greatly enjoy.

It begins with the winter seed catalogs, planning what you are going to grow where, starting seeds indoors to get a jump start on the growing season, preparing the garden beds for planting, actually planting, then watering, pulling weeds, and mulching.

Yikes! I am exhausted just typing all this so I'm going to take a nap in my hammock, wake me up in an hour... Next you get to enjoy watching your plants grow veggies and flowers. Nothing tastes better than home grown vegetables or fruit and the flowers are always more beautiful cut from your own gar-

den. Hopefully, everything goes well and you do get some downtime to enjoy all the fruits of your labors.

Before you know, it is late September/October and time to start removing dead or dying plants to get ready for next year's plantings or even planting bulbs. Usually I am up to it, but for some reason this year I keep putting it off. When we had that nice warm week in September what did I do? I read a book all week long!

I have done some things but not near as much as I should this fall which means next spring there will be more to do. Am the only one feeling this way? Several other gardeners have told me they feel the same as I do this year. Maybe a lazy bug bit me and infected me with a Gardener's Virus called "All Pooped Out."

Yes, this past gardening year I did do more than usual setting up raised vegetable beds, arranging other vegetable rows to be more accessible, putting down lots of mulch including lining rows with tarps to prevent weeds, and putting up three large hoop trellises for gourds. All the extra work will pay off next year, so maybe I shouldn't beat myself up about taking a small break to read and my eagerness for some winter down-time.

The weatherman said next week should be above freezing during the days, so I will trudge outside and do some work and hopefully will be done before the snow really falls. Then I can turn my attention to all my house plants, make some herbal tea and read some good books until it is time to start all over again.



It's time to remove dead or dying plants.

Photo by Carol Sitariski

Local teams advance in Section V soccer

(Continued from back page) earlier this season with the Panthers prevailing in overtime, 2-1. The winner of Tuesday's game will play the winner of the #1 CG Finney vs. #6 Prattsburgh game. Prattsburgh upset #3 seed Belfast, 3-1.

#6 A-A girls upset #3 HAC
#3 seed Harley-Allendale-Columbia had no answer for Caitlin Cook as the A-A senior scored a hat trick and the Eagles upset host HAC 3-1 in a quarter-final clash in Rochester.

Cook opened the scoring just 5 minutes into the game with Elizabeth Allen assisting. Cook added a second goal late in the first half and her third in the second half to give A-A, the #6 seed, the 3-1 win over the host Braves.

The Eagles are on a roll, having dominated #11 J-T in their Section V Class D1 first round 4-0 win.

Nora Looney opened the scoring with an unassisted goal, followed by Cook's goal a few minutes later with Lindsey Allen assisting. Cook assisted Mariah Hann on the Eagles' third goal to give A-A a 3-0 halftime lead. Cook added an unassisted goal early in the second half. A-A goalkeeper Lily Cook made 7 saves in the shutout.

The Eagles (14-4) were scheduled to play at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28 at Perry High School against #2 seed Naples (14-2-1), a team that advanced with a 1-0 win over Mt. Morris.

The winner of last night's game will play for a Section V Class D1 championship at 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31 at Houghton College against the

winner of the other semi-final matchup featuring #5 York and #8 Wheatland-Chili. York eliminated #4 Arkport/Canaseraga 1-0 while W-C (11-6-1) defeated previously undefeated and #1 seed Fillmore, 2-0.

Whitesville girls #1 in D2
Coach Aaron Rawady's #1 seeded Whitesville Bluejays advanced to the semi-finals with a 1-0 win over Allegany County rival Scio Saturday, Oct. 24.

Cassie Pensyl got the Whitesville goal just 10 minutes into the game and it was all the Bluejays needed. Meanwhile, #4 Belfast edged #5 Prattsburgh, 1-

0. Whitesville and Belfast were to meet at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28 at Wellsville in the semi-finals.

Meanwhile, #6 Andover (10-7-1) advanced to the Class D2 semi-finals by upsetting host #3 Northstar Academy, 1-0, Saturday in Rochester.

Andover was scheduled to play #2 seed CG Finney (11-5-1) at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28 at Perry High School.

The semi-final winners will meet at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31 at Houghton College for the Section V Class D2 title.



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ALFRED UNIVERSITY SPORTS ROUNDUP

Fuentes gets four TDs as AU routs Hartwick, 42-18

ALFRED—With his older brother Julio watching, junior wide receiver Maleke Fuentes (Olean) scored four touchdowns as the Alfred University football team hammered visiting Hartwick, 42-18, on a damp, cloudy chilly Saturday afternoon at Yunevich Stadium.

Long-time Saxon fans will remember Julio Fuentes who starred for AU in 2005 but suffered a spinal injury in the Saxons' season opener on Sept. 9, 2006. His kid brother Maleke was 12 years old at the time and was at that game.

The AU defense held Hartwick's vaunted passing attack in check for most of the game. Hawk quarterback John Garcia, who had thrown for more than 2,100 yards in six games coming in, was held to 86 in the first two quarters as the Saxons took a 35-10 lead into the halftime break.

Meanwhile, Alfred junior quarterback Tyler Johnson (East Syracuse-Minoa) threw for 270 yards and a pair of touchdowns, with 255 yards coming in the first half.

Fuentes rushed for 46 yards and three touchdowns and caught four passes for 58 yards and a score as AU improved to 5-2 overall and 3-2 in Empire 8 play. Hartwick falls to 2-5 and 0-5 in conference games.

Hartwick looked good early, taking the opening kickoff and driving 70 yards in seven plays, with Tito Pichardo scoring on a seven-yard run 4:13 into the game. After an AU interception, the Hawks drove inside the Alfred 5-yard line but AU junior free safety Shyheim Wingate (Jamaica/Holy Cross) forced a fumble and sophomore linebacker A.J. Licata (Lake View/ Frontier) recovered at the Saxon 6. Three plays later, on first-and-15 from the AU 28, Johnson passed to junior tight end Mike Brien (Victor) and Brien rumbled 72 yards for the tying TD with 5:39 left in the opening frame.

Alfred scored on its next five possessions to take command of the game. The Saxons tallied a pair of second-quarter TDs, the first on a six-yard run by freshman tailback Stephen Almond (West Schuyler/ Whitesboro) 2:32 into the period that capped a 10-play 69-yard drive and the second on a six-yard Fuentes run that ended a six-play 43-yard drive midway through the second.

Hartwick's Korey Jubie booted a 22-yard field goal to make it 21-10, but AU answered with two touchdowns in the

final two minutes to take a 35-10 lead into intermission.

With 1:46 left in the half, Fuentes scored on a two-yard run as the Saxons drove 75 yards in nine plays. Hartwick went three-and-out on its ensuing possession, giving Alfred the ball at the Hawk 41-yard line after a short punt. Five plays later, Fuentes scored on a 15-yard pass from Johnson with 20 seconds left in the frame.

Alfred went up 42-10 on a 12-yard Fuentes run on the Saxons' opening possession of the second half before Hartwick closed out the scoring with a TD pass from Garcia to Ron Richards with 13:20 left in the final quarter.

Alfred amassed 440 yards of total offense. Johnson completed 13 of 24 passes for 270 yards and two scores. Junior tailback Casey Bright (Pulaski), Johnson and Fuentes ran for 57, 48 and 46 yards, respectively, as the Saxons finished with 170 yards rushing.

Fuentes (58 yards) and freshman wide receiver Emile Frigon (East Syracuse-Minoa) (47 yards) each had four catches. Bright (53 yards) and junior wide receiver Brendan Buisch (Hornell) (40 yards) each caught two passes.

Garcia finished with 283 yards on 19-of-40 passing, with 150 coming in the fourth quarter after the game was well in hand for the Saxons. Wideout Carl Holmes (Cuba-Rushford) caught five passes for 55 yards and wide receiver Brad Garcia had three catches for 76 yards. Pichardo finished with 69 yards rushing on nine carries.

Sophomore end Toby Hale (Swampscott, MA) had five tackles (3 ½ for loss) with 2½ sacks and a forced fumble to pace the Saxon defense. Senior linebacker Corry Wallace (Mastic Beach/Longwood) had a game-high 10 tackles (2 ½ for loss); Licata had eight tackles; and Wingate had six tackles, two pass breakups, a forced fumble and an interception.

EXTRA POINTS: Alfred, still in the hunt for an Empire 8 title, is in action next on Saturday, Oct. 31, at 1 p.m. at E8 foe Brockport...the Saxons are tied with Buffalo State and St. John Fisher for second place with 3-2 records. Cortland State holds first place with a 5-1 mark with games remaining at Morrisville State (4-3, 3-3) and Ithaca (4-3, 3-3)...In other E8 games, Morrisville State shocked Ithaca, 24-12, while Buffalo

State defeated Utica, 28-16, and Cortland State defeated Brockport, 35-21...Saturday's game was Alfred University's 499th win in its football history that began in 1895. AU, now in its 117th season of football, has an overall record of 499-359-45.

Empire 8 Football Standings As of games played Oct. 17

	W	L
Cortland State (7-1)	5	1
Alfred (5-2)	3	2
Buffalo State (5-2)	3	2
St. John Fisher (4-3)	3	2
Morrisville State (4-3)	3	3
Utica (4-4)	3	3
Ithaca (4-3)	2	3
Brockport State (4-3)	2	3
Hartwick (2-5)	0	5

Saturday, Oct. 31

Alfred at Brockport State, 1 p.m.
Cortland State at Morrisville State, 1 p.m.
St. John Fisher at Ithaca, 1 p.m.
Buffalo State at Hartwick, 1 p.m.

Men's soccer drops two 2-1 games

The Alfred University men's soccer team (10-4-2, E8 3-2-1) dropped its second game in a row, falling to Empire 8 foe and Allegany County rival Houghton College 2-1 in overtime Saturday night at Yunevich Stadium AU had dropped a 2-1 game at a tough Union College team earlier last week.

In the first half both the Saxons and the Highlanders had three shots on goal. Houghton's shots all came in the first four minutes, with two shots on open net. Senior Kevin Powers (Syracuse/Cicero-North Syracuse) stopped both shots, racking up two defensive saves.

AU answered back with shots in the 12th, 15th, and 44th minutes. The most promising chance for the Saxons came in the 33rd minute when junior Richard Lander (Narrowsburg/Sullivan West) dropped a poetic free kick into the box that was headed by senior Nicholas Poindexter (Cornwall-on-the-Hudson/Cornwall) off the post and out of play. Neither team managed a goal in the opening 45 minutes of the match.

Finally in the 59th minute, junior Graeme Corrigan (Troy) ripped a powerful shot toward the goal, but teammate Omar Mohamed (Kukuma, Kenya/Edison Tech) stopped the ball with his chest, turned and wrapped a shot inside the right post past the diving keeper to break the scoreless tie.

Houghton knotted the game up again in the 67th minute when a ball was sent in

from the right side and tipped by Mitch Beattie past the AU keeper. The game remained scoreless for the remainder of regulation.

Just 2:14 into the first overtime period Houghton's Tyler Ashley slipped a through ball into the box, hitting Beattie in stride. Beattie quickly wrapped a soft shot around the diving keeper, ending the game, 2-1.

Sophomore Chris Gutierrez (Holbrook/Sachem East) played 93 minutes in goal for AU, stopping three shots on goal.

AU hosts Ithaca College at Yunevich Stadium at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31. It will be Senior Day.

Empire 8 Men's Soccer Standings

School	Conf	Overall	Pts
Ithaca	5-1-0	5-7-2	15
Stevens	4-0-2	12-2-2	14
Alfred	3-2-1	10-4-2	10
Houghton	3-2-1	7-6-2	10
Elmira	2-1-3	6-5-4	9
St. John Fisher	2-4-0	3-11-0	6
Utica	1-5-0	5-12-0	3
Nazareth	0-5-1	0-14-1	1

Saturday, Oct. 31

Nazareth at Stevens, 11 a.m.
Ithaca at Alfred, 1 p.m.
Utica at Houghton, 2 p.m.
St. John Fisher at Elmira, 3 p.m.

Spikers drop two matches

The Alfred University women's volleyball team dropped both of its matches during the Empire 8 Crossover held by the Saxons with Nazareth and Utica Colleges in attendance at the Terry S. Galanis Family Arena Saturday afternoon.

The Saxons (3-24, 0-8 Empire 8) managed to win the second set against the Pioneers of Utica College, but fell in four sets with a scoreline of 22-25, 25-17, 18-25 and 20-25. The Golden Flyers of Nazareth posted scores of 25-22, 25-12 and 25-18 to earn the three-set sweep over the hosts and then defeated Utica in the middle match, 25-18, 25-7, 25-23.

Runners compete at Rowan

The Alfred University men's cross country team competed Saturday at the Rowan University-hosted Border Battle 8-kilometer race.

There were no team scores. The Saxons' best runner on was sophomore Alex Hall (Caledonia-Mumford), who finished 26th in 25:24.72. Sophomore Kyle Gallo (Ontario/Wayne) was 71st in 26:09.61, and sophomore Matthew Roder (Orchard Park) was 103rd in 27:27.86.

AU is in action next on Saturday, Oct. 31, at the Empire 8 Conference championships, hosted by Houghton College.

ALFRED STATE SPORTS ROUNDUP

Pioneer men 6th, women 8th in NYS Championships

Cross Country: Men 6th, Women 8th at NYS Championships

The cross country team had a strong showing at the NYS Championships hosted by Hamilton College. The men's team was 6th while the women were 8th.

The men's team was led by Keith Johnson (Webster Thomas). He finished the 8k course in 7th place (25:57.1). Jacob Hanss (East Rochester) was 25th (27:06.2) and Eric Hulbert (Mexico) was 34th (27:21.6). A total of 96 runner from nine schools competed in the race. Hamilton took the title with 16 points while Alfred State scored 147. The Pioneers finished ahead of Nazareth, Cobleskill, and Ithaca.

Lindsey Thiel (Liverpool) led

the women with a 36th place finish in the 6k race. She crossed the finish line in 24:37.8. Kelly Healy (Maple Hill) was 61st (26:38.6) and Cassandra Ryan (Gloversville) was 68th (27:29.7). Nazareth took home the women's crown with 38 points. The Lady Pioneers scored a 243 on the day in the race that featured 86 finishers.

Football: 0-7

St. John Fisher scored on their first eight possessions as they raced to a 56-0 victory over Alfred State underneath the lights at Growney Stadium.

James Chambers and Steven Strumolo each scored three times in the 1st half as they both rushed for over 100 yards. Chambers scored from 37, 1, and 26 and Strumolo scored from 9, 64, and 22.

After being held to no first downs in the 1st half, the Pioneers collected 11 in the 2nd half and reached the red zone twice but could not get in the end zone. The blue & gold outgained the Cardinals 125 to 18 in the 2nd half.

Ben Wilkerson (Buffalo) was 14 for 35 for 95 yards. Romio Littlejohn (Brooklyn) led the offense with six catches for 31 yards.

John Lauretti (Seaford) led the defense with eight tackles while Chris Monteiro (Sachem East) and Calvin Felker (Clyde Savannah) chipped in seven tackles.

Men's Soccer: 4-10-2

The Pioneers had the week off and will conclude the 2015 season with a Tuesday match vs. Penn State Behrend.

Women's Soccer: 8-7-1, ranked #5 in the USCAA

The Lady Pioneers split a pair of home matches to wrap up the regular season. The Lady Pioneers fell 3-0 to Houghton and then rebounded for a 4-1 victory over Cazenovia on Senior Day. Morgan Schreiner (Spencer-

port) made 12 saves vs. Houghton but the Pioneers could not find the back of the net vs. the Highlanders.

Michayla Salatel (Geneseo) scored twice while Emily Wolf (Hornell) and Allison Vargeson (Addison) both passed out two assists in the victory over Cazenovia. Haley Russell (Keshequa) chipped in a goal and an assist while Haley Vosburg (Fillmore) scored once. Allison Danielak (Brockport) made six saves in the victory.

The Lady Pioneers now await the announcement of the field for the 2015 USCAA Championships. The official announcement is set for Tuesday at 5 p.m.

Swimming:

The swim team had the week off as they prepared for their next meet this weekend at Cobleskill.

Volleyball: 22-4, ranked #T3 in the USCAA

The Lady Spikers swept Penn College, Maine Fort Kent, and Delhi 3-0 this week but lost a five set thriller to SUNY Canton.

Janae Hamilton (Ellicottville) and Bryanna Godfrey (Tioga) led the blue & gold with 28 kills this week. Godfrey added 43 digs while Hamilton registered 13.5 blocks. Lera Braun (Waterloo) passed out 96 assists and recorded 11 aces, Jess Padley finished with 27 kills and 35 digs, and Madison Webster (Corning) chipped in a team high 55 digs.

The selection of the participants in the 2015 USCAA Championships will be held on Wednesday at 5 p.m. The Lady Pioneers are looking to make their 2nd straight trip to Nationals.



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The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

The Alfred Saxons football program (5-2) recorded a lopsided, 42-18 victory over the semi-hapless Hartwick Hawks on Saturday past at Yunevich Stadium in E8 action. The Saxons moved into a three-way tie in the conference standings one week after dropping a decision to the league-leading Cortland Red Dragons. Alfred is tied with Buffalo State and climbing SJ Fisher as they all have (3-2) league slates. Cortland (5-1) stands alone and they control their own path for an automatic NCAA berth. In conference results elsewhere, it was: Cortland stopping Brockport, Buffalo State halting Utica and Morrisville stunning Ithaca. The Cardinals of SJF blasted Alfred State in non-league play, 56-0. Tough scheduling these days for the Pioneers. The Saxons are at Brockport State this weekend.

In other Division III football games of note it was RPI nipping Hobart, 21-20 and the University of Rochester with a late rally to nip Union, 33-30. And St. Lawrence continued to impress as they beat the Springfield Pride.

In national D3 football play it was #1 Mount Union destroying Wilmington (Ohio), 69-0. Egads. The Purple Raiders (7-0) have now outscored their opponents by a gaudy, 405-31 with four shutouts and have now won 100 consecutive regular season games. In Wisconsin, one of the three nationally ranked teams fell by the wayside as Oshkosh (by gosh) drilled Platteville, 63-28. Defending champion UW-Whitewater prevailed and remains tied with Oshkosh in their league at the top but Oshkosh holds the tiebreaker. Have to believe both will make the NCAA's.

In big-time college football Utah was toppled by USC and fell out of the "Final Four" ranks, most likely. Would boil that list down at the moment to: Ohio State ... that should stick with J.T. Barrett at QB, Baylor/TCU, LSU/Bama, Stanford, Michigan State and Clemson. Baylor and TCU will play each other at the end of the year and eliminate one, same could be said for LSU and Alabama plus Ohio State-Michigan State. Watched some of the Washington-Stanford game on Saturday nite and am most impressed with the Cardinal.

Turning to soccer news now, the Alfred-Almond boys are indeed the #1 seed in the D1 tournament and they stopped Northstar Christian (Rochester) in their opener, 3-1. The Eagles will next take on HAC (Rochester) in the semi-finals which was played Tuesday past (10/27). Genesee Valley and J-T met in the other side of the bracket. Andover is the #1 seed in the D2 group and the Panthers beat Avoca in their first game with Friendship up next. Wellsville is the #1 seed in the B2 competition and the Lions beat Dansville first with Leroy on tap next.

It was a tough week for the Alfred University men's soccer squad (10-4-2) as they dropped decisions to Union and Houghton, 2-1 in each game. The Saxons have a key E8 outing versus Ithaca this Saturday at Yunevich Stadium. Right now the top four in the E8 standings are: Ithaca-Stevens-Houghton-Alfred, with Elmira lurking. So the Saxons and Bombers could play back-to-back games as league tourney action follows.

Coach Anne Gaisser Holmok (A-A) and her Alfred State College women's soccer team split a pair of games last week as they dropped a 3-0 decision to Houghton but beat Cazenovia, 4-1. The Pioneers (8-7-1) will next play in the USCAA Championships.

In other D3 women's soccer news, the SUNY Geneseo Knights finished up regular season play at (11-4-1) after splitting games "up north" against Plattsburgh and Potsdam. Geneseo finished third in the SUNYAC's and will host Oswego this Saturday in conference tourney play. The Knights won the conference championship last year and competed in the NCAA's.

Danielle McDonnell and her Wentworth women's soccer team is at (14-2-1) and winners of nine straight in the D3 New England region. Meanwhile, Coach Patrick O'Driscoll's PS-Behrend womens' soccer squad (10-7) is perhaps peaking at the right time as they have won 7-of-9 and have locked up the #2 seed in the AMCC playoffs. Really like to see his team play in the NCAA's.

Coach Gary "Doc" Moore (A-A) of Alfred State recently com-



Section V Soccer Tourney Roundup

A-A, Andover boys, girls advance

ALMOND-The Alfred-Almond boys soccer team defeated Northstar Academy 3-1 Friday night on the A-A pitch to advance to the Section V Class D1 semi-finals.

#1 seed A-A was scheduled to play #5 seed HAC, a 1-0 winner over #4 seed Arkport/Canaseraga, at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 27 at Cohocton.

Also meeting at Cohocton Tuesday night are #6 Jasper-Troupsburg and #2 Genesee Valley. The J-T Wildcats upset #3 seed Naples, 3-0, while the undefeated Jaguars were held to a 1-1 tie by #7 seed Wheatland-Chili but advanced on a penalty kick shootout.

The Eagles wasted little time

Friday night as Jake Johnston opened the scoring with a goal, assisted by Dustin Kinnaird 16 minutes into the game. Late in the first half, Noah Holmok drilled a shot past the Northstar goalie with Johnston assisting.

Midway through the second half, Evan Wood scored with Levi Bayus getting the assist, as the Eagles went up 3-0.

Northstar's Colton Hawkes, assisted by Adrian Mazur, got a goal with 4 minutes remaining to make the final score 3-1. It was the first goal scored on A-A goalkeeper Dylan Griffin since Sept. 24 when Tanner Berglund scored for Arkport/Canaseraga. That's 762 consecutive minutes that Griffin has been in goal

without letting the ball get by him.

Andover boys advance in D2

The #1 seeded Andover Panthers defeated Avoca, 2-1, Friday night to advance to the semi-finals in D2.

Brandon Valentin scored twice, assisted on both goals by Dakota Gavin, to lead Andover. Avoca, the #8 seed, got a goal from LaDre Stanford in the second half to make the game interesting.

Andover was scheduled to play #5 seed Friendship at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 27 at Wellsville. Friendship defeated #4 Whitesville, 2-1 to advance.

Friendship and Andover met
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The Dugout continued...

peted in the USATF Masters 5K Championships at the Saratoga Spa State Park and took eighth with a time of 19:23. His Genesee Valley squad was first overall. Have golfed with Drrippens at that park and daughter Lauren once ran in the Adirondack Ragnar race that went thru there.

Former Canisteo resident Mark Andrews, now living in Rochester, took fourth-place in the Scare Brain Cancer Away 5K over the weekend with a time of 16:05. Former Cortland All-American, Dansville native and one-time AU assistant, Heather Swarts Webster was third in the women's portion of the race with a 18:24 time.

Former Canisteo-Greenwood and Cedarville (Ohio) basketball star, Raegan Ryan is now the lead assistant for the Houghton women's hoop team in Allegany County. More on this in a later issue!

ESPN and the GameDay crew was at James Madison this past Friday-Saturday for college football as the Dukes were hosting the Richmond Spiders. The "Cage Man" from A-A played hoops with the crew on Friday evening. Of course he did! Donnie Mix, becoming a legend at the school and one where The Mixer graduated from. The Spiders stopped the previously undefeated JMU program, 59-49.

"The Traveling Sports Fan" was at the Cincinnati Bengals-Buffalo Bills NFL game a week ago Sunday at Ralph Wilson Stadium and providing the pre-game "trivia contest" for Stu, Waffle, "Rookie" Firster and others. Don't think he made it over to London as the Bills are starting to fade into oblivion with their injuries galore.

Some vanity plates spotted here and there around NYS: QUICK 2, XKLUSIVE, SAM MOE ... Moses in Almond, ICE MOM ... Barb at the foul line for ASC back in the day, BLITHE ... on a sweet old Rolls Royce and FLY SS ... Smitty Airlines!

The name of the place in Arlington, VA that Lauren and I ate at was the Rhodeside Grille. Aaron Codispoti ... you been there? We lucked out both times with awesome weather, April-September.

Stephanie Lobdell Landsman, from the great Class of 1970 at A-A, has had a busy month of October on the running circuit. On 10/11 she ran in the Space City (TX) 10-Miler and was 10th in her division of 18 with a personal best time for a 10-miler. On 10/17 Landsman ran in the Toughest 10K Galveston Bridge Run and was 5/35 in her division and 462/1153 overall for females with a personal best in this race as well. And then this past weekend in Washington, DC it was the 40th annual Marine Corps Marathon which was her fourth time and 13th marathon overall. The former Alfred Station resident finished with a time of 4:54:09, which is her best in the MCM by a whopping six-minutes! She was 30/164 in her division, 4493/10,428 overall for females and 12,130/23,196 overall in the race for all finishers. The Marine Corps Marathon is quite the event as 3L and I took it in two years ago as Carly Baker plus Ken Lindahl were running in it. "Congrats" to Stephanie.

Coach K of Duke has announced that the 2016 Olympics will be his last as head coach of the Team USA Men's hoop squad. Under his guidance they have won two Olympic gold medals and two World Championship gold medals. An overall mark of 75-1. Gregg Popovich of the San Antonio Spurs has been named to succeed him. An excellent choice. Down the road ... Brad Stevens of the Boston Celtics?

The World Series ... Royals over Mets in seven. Should be a great series.

NFL ... Patriots and Bengals in AFC, Packers and Panthers in NFC, four best teams.

Don Mattingly ... "Donnie Baseball" ... canned by the LA Dodgers? Ouch. My all-time favorite Yankee.

Aileen Sweeney (SUNY Geneseo) also ran in the Marine Corps Marathon on Sunday. She went to Nats game with Lauren, Borrino and me in DC last month.

3L up to 13-Half Marathons run now. Have been to eight of them. Missed four in NYC, one in NC.

It isn't often I get the opportunity to wish a 97-year old a "Happy Birthday!" A belated one from (10/26) to Audrey Connell of Almond.

Off to someplace on Saturday, as the AU Saxons are at Brockport in football, SUNY Geneseo has a conference women's soccer playoff game and (perhaps) the A-A Girls soccer team will be in the sectional finals that evening.

Took in my first-ever, Alfred-Almond girls soccer game on Saturday past as the Eagles were at Harley Allendale-Columbia (HA-C) in Rochester for a "D1" second-round, sectional game. The ladies were coming off a 4-0 victory over J-T and would be taking on the #3 Wolves as the #6 seed. Have wanted to see Caitlin Cook play for A-A for a number of years as I have seen her numerous times over the many summers on her travel teams. Never in blue & gold togs though. Obviously wanted to see A-A play as well, but have been friends with Cutter and Ann Cook for years so it was a great opportunity to see their daughter play not far from home for me.

Pulled into the lot past the HA-C school where the soccer field loomed and figured it would be a slow track this day. Grass field, little damp to start and the grass itself perhaps slightly longer than normal? Over a six-year period when Lauren and Jess Herbst were playing for "AA" Webster Schroeder I must have gone to about 100-games. Enjoyed many of them and was looking forward to this high school game as well.

Prior to the game, after hooking up with Ann Cook, had a chance to chat with Art and Esther Ormsby plus Al and Mary Ormsby. Had seen three of them numerous times over the years as they were "life-long" volunteers at the LPGA event in town. First time I had seen them since. Other than Cook I didn't know anyone on the team but Mary soon filled me in on whose kids or grand kids they were. Once she did that I (at least) had a rough idea of who some of them were. Tim Ormsby wandered by shortly after that.

The game began and found out that A-A started four frosh! Pretty impressive. Soccer is a funny game as one team can dominate and end up on the losing end of the contest. Saw that all too often at Schroeder and Geneseo when Lauren was playing. Not the case today with A-A as they took control early and pretty much continued that all afternoon. Cook scored early, after missing one golden opportunity and then she scored again before the home team got on the board. Up 2-1 late in the game, Cook tallied #3 on the afternoon to seal the win for A-A. Not all her this day though as the young ladies moved the ball very well, I thought and played some tough "D" when they had to. Was impressed with the young squad, the "wheels" on #11 (Nora Looney) and the defense of Hannah Kinnaird, plus others. Just didn't know the players well enough to single them out.

Enjoyable day with some rain mixed in, of course, it's soccer. After that went to Tully's in Henrietta with the Cook family for an early dinner as Kalista Calkins along, Ann's mom, Chris Cook in from UB and Courtney Cook was the hostess! Good seeing everyone and the game.

Alfred-Almond (14-4-0) took on #2 seeded Naples (14-2-1) on Wednesday nite past in one semi-final while York and Wheatland-Chili tangled in other bracket. Wheatland-Chili bounced #1 seed and previously undefeated Fillmore, 2-0 to advance. The winners will advance to Saturday's championship contest at Houghton College.

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