

The Sun at rehearsal...

Kyle Merrifield and Jasper Wright pause during a rehearsal for *The Mystery of Edwin Drood* to read the *Alfred Sun*. Performances will be at 8 pm on Thursday, Friday and Saturday (April 10, 11 and 12). Reserve tickets at 871-2828 or online at alfred.edu/performing-arts. Ticket prices are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students and retirees (\$2 for AU students).



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Davis Gym demolition making way for museum

By PETER McCLAIN
Special to the Alfred Sun

ALFRED--Goodbye, Davis Gym. Hello, Ceramic Art Museum!

The Alfred Village Planning Board on Thursday, April 3 held a public informational session regarding the proposed construction of the Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art and Center for Ceramic Education on the site where Davis Gym currently resides on the Alfred University campus.

A presentation was made by Michael Neiderbach, Director of Capital Operations and Legal Counsel at Alfred University.

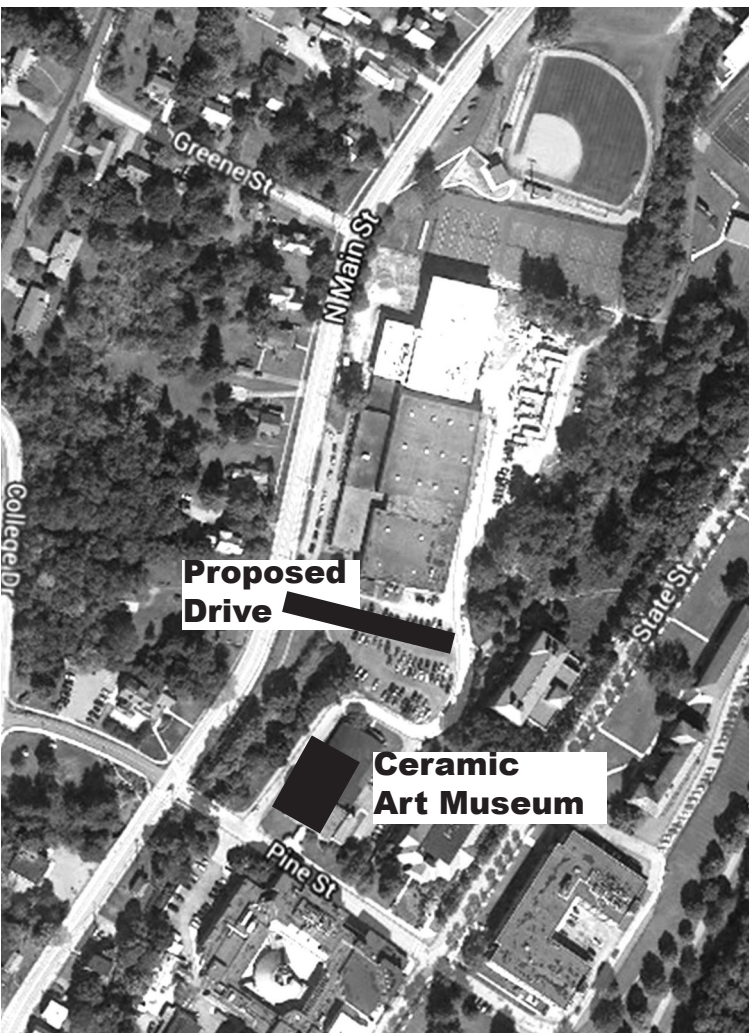
The approximately 20,000 square foot building will contain a gallery and classroom on the second floor with storage and a director's office located on the first floor. The building will be built to LEED standards, which is a sustainability rating measure applied to new construction projects.

Construction of the museum will begin in mid-May with planned completion in August, 2015.

In concert with the construction of the ceramic museum, Alfred University plans to alter the traffic pattern toward the museum and athletic complex by building a separate access road along the south side of McLane and returning the current driveway to green space.



GOODBYE, OLD FRIEND! Davis Gym, built as a "temporary" gymnasium for Alfred University students in the 1920s, is being demolished. The facility featured a wooden indoor track and was home to AU athletic events from the late 1920s until McLane Center was completed in 1971. Now only memories linger. (Norm Pollard Photo)



A 20,000 square foot two-story facility to house the Schein-Joseph Museum of Ceramic Art will be built on the site of Davis Gym. A current driveway that runs around Davis Gym will be converted to green space, while a new access road will be constructed at the south end of McLane Center, accessing the McLane and Scholes Library parking lots. (*Alfred Sun* graphic)



GOING FOR GOLD--(Back from left) Mick Caba, Nancy Driscoll, Kandi Geibel, Brandon Harrison, Julie Rose, Kathy Markel, and (front from left) Chris Bouknight, Tim Morgan (as Orvis), and Josh Simons. (Photographed by Elliot Maddox)

ASC admissions staff gets gold

ALFRED—The Alfred State Admissions Office showed their pioneer spirit recently, entering into College Fair Registry's national 2014 Admissions Staff Photo Contest and walking away with a first place win.

"This contest was a good opportunity for the office staff to be creative and to engage the campus community in supporting Alfred State in a fun way," said Associate Vice President for Enrollment Management Deborah Goodrich. "It was an honor to receive recognition for the college on the national 'stage.' In addition, as the admissions office seeks to explore new recruitment territories, access to the College Fair Registry will be a valuable tool we can employ."

College Fair Registry is an online, integrative scheduling community for college admissions

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OBITUARIES



DAVID J. STUDLEY
US Navy vet, truck driver

ALMOND - David J. Studley, 61, of 13 Main St., Almond, a U.S. Navy veteran who for nearly 40 years was employed as a truck driver for local businesses, died Monday afternoon (March 31, 2014) at his home, following a long illness.

Born in North Hornell on April 15, 1952, he was the son of Richard and Eileen (Alexander) Studley.

Dave grew up in Almond and attended Alfred-Almond Central School. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving his country from 1969-71 and again from 1973-75. While in the U.S. Navy, he was stationed in Naples, Italy, running supplies to Navy ships in the Mediterranean Sea.

He worked for a time on the "rail gangs" at the former Erie Lackawanna Railroad and Conrail, as an electrician at Alfred University, and for Steuben County Buildings and Grounds. For nearly 40 years, Dave was employed as a truck driver for several local businesses, including Crowley's Dairy, Covered Wagon, Southern Tier Concrete, Giles Trucking, Wegmans Express and AL Blades.

Dave was a life member and past commander of Hornell AMVETS, where he served as a representative for Veterans Association of Volunteer Services. He was also a former member of the Arkport American Legion and the Hornell Eagles Club.

For many years, Dave enjoyed bowling, golfing and hunting. He also was a NASCAR fan and enjoyed camping.

He was married to the former Laurel Woolgar-Turner who survives. Also surviving are one daughter, Rebecca (Barb Collette) Studley of Popular Bluff, MO; one son, Michael (Brittany) Studley of Almond; three stepsons, Thomas (Tonya) Turner of Hornell, Jason (Michelle Magallanes) Turner of Almond, and Sean (Jenalee) Turner of Howard; one sister, Cheryl McDaniel of Almond; 12 grandchildren, Tom IV, Joshua, Zachary, Chloe, Kayla, Kade, Nicholas, Alyssa, Carson, Emmy, Adelaide and Meredith; and several nieces and nephews.

The family of David J. Studley received friends from 4-7 p.m. Saturday, April 5 at the Dagon Funeral Home, 38 Church St., Hornell, where funeral and committal services with full military honors were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 6 with Pastor Steve Dygert officiating. Burial was in the Bath National Cemetery, Bath.

Dave's family requests that memorial contributions in his name be made to the AMVETS, Broadway Mall, Hornell, NY 14843. Memorial forms will be available at the Dagon Funeral Home.

In recognition of Dave's service to his country, the American flag at the Dagon Funeral Home was flown at half-staff. To leave an online condolence or print a memorial form, visit www.dagonfuneralhome.com.



CHARLES R. HOWLAND
Pipeline testing expert

ANDOVER-Charles R. Howland of Bines Hill Road, Andover, a celebrated Andover Central School athlete who went on to have a distinguished career in the oil pipeline industry, passed from this life on Sunday (March 30, 2014). He was born on Dec. 27, 1937, to Clifford and Anna (Lynch) Howland. On Aug. 27, 1960, he married Sandra Joyce, who predeceased him on March 28, 2006.

Charlie was a graduate of Andover Central School and Alfred Ag Tech. He began his career at Clark Brothers, Inc. in Olean. He traveled the world for Clark Brothers, including a lengthy project in Saudi Arabia, where he helped ARAMCO develop the world's largest oil reserves. He later joined his brothers-in-law James, Charles, and Donald, at Joyce Western Corp. During this time he became one of the country's leading experts on the hydrostatic testing of pipelines and initiated many technical procedures still used in the industry today. He then became Vice President of Joyce Corp. In 1990, he joined Otis Eastern Services Inc., where he was an integral part of the company's growth and success, serving as General Superintendent and Chief Estimator.

He is survived by his two daughters, Lisa (Mark) McCraith of Hannibal, and Linda (Tim) Lehman of Marietta, GA; five grandchildren, Charles, Samuel and Katherine McCraith, Hayden and Raegan Lehman; two brothers, Patrick (Alice) Howland, Keith (Ann) Howland; two sisters, Charity (Paul) McCormick and Mary Theresa Howland; two sisters-in-law, Mary Anne Davis and Lorraine Joyce; and many nieces, nephews, cousins and life-long friends.

He was predeceased by Brothers- and Sisters-In-Law, James V. and Helma Joyce, W. Donald and Marianne Joyce, Joanne C. (Joyce) and Merle Dibble,

Charles H. Joyce, Everett (Abe) Davis and nephew, Michael J. Howland.

Charlie was a great high school athlete. He was a member of the first and only Section V Andover Boy's Basketball Championship Team and the battery mate of future minor league pitcher Marty Smith on their championship baseball team. A lifelong Notre Dame Football and Cleveland Indians fan, he also followed the exploits of local teams and those of his nieces, nephews and grandchildren.

Charlie loved spending time with his family and his grandchildren are his pride and joy.

Visiting hours were held at the former home of James V. Joyce, 839 State Route 417 in Andover from, 6-8 p.m. Thursday, April 3 and 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Friday, April 4. A Mass of Christian Burial was held at Blessed Sacrament Church in Andover at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 5 with Rev. Thomas Roman as celebrant. Burial followed in Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Andover Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 726, Andover N.Y., or the Andover Lions Club, PO Box 772, Andover, NY 14806.

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

GLADYS M. WILLIAMS
Lifelong Arkport resident

ARKPORT - Gladys M. Williams, 98, formerly of Cream Hill Road, Arkport, passed away Monday (March 31, 2014) at the Hornell Gardens.

Born in Fremont, May 24, 1915, the son of George and Lotie Apgar Gottschall, she had resided all her life in the Arkport area. Gladys attended the Arkport Methodist Church.

She was predeceased by her husband, Clarence Williams; one son, Charles Williams; three sisters, Thelma Changose, Helen McClary and Florence Akins Buck; and one brother, Glenn Gottschall.

She is survived by one daughter, Lorraine (Gerald) Torrence of Almond; one son, Nelson Williams of Hornell; a daughter-in-law, Annette Williams of Canisteo; a sister-in-law, Mary Louise Gottschall of Fremont; seven grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

To send a remembrance or to light a candle in Gladys' memory please visit www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com. The family is being assisted by Adam E. DuBois, director at the Bender-Brown & Powers Funeral Home of Hornell.

Honoring Gladys' wishes, there were no calling or services. Burial was in Fremont Cemetery.

Friends wishing may make memorial contributions to the Fremont Volunteer Fire Department, Route 21 and Cream Hill Road, Arkport, NY 14807 or to the Fremont Cemetery, 8562 co Route 46 Arkport NY 14807.

Tinkertown Hardware topic of Baker's Bridge meeting

ALFRED STATION--Bakers's Bridge Association April meeting will begin at 7:30 pm on Monday, April 21.

Guest speakers will be Bob and Sherry Volk who will discuss the History of Tinkertown Hardware which advertises itself as being a place "for all your do-it-yourself projects" as well as being a provider of resources and supplies to contractors and other businesses. Wikipedia defines Tinkertown as "a location northeast of Alfred village on Rte. 244 known for its strip of stores and houses in a tight valley."

And Bob Volk sends this message: "Of Nuts and Bolts: Stanlee to Tinkertown Hardware, and beyond. Bob may go nuts: Please don't bolt!" So--please join us for what will no doubt be an interesting evening. All who are interested in the topic or the history of this area are invited to join us at our Meeting House at 5071 Hamilton Hill Road in Alfred Station.

On Hot Dog Day, Saturday April 26, the Association will have a homemade pie sale in conjunction with the Alfred Lions Club chicken barbecue. Those donating pies should please deliver them to the Union University Church Center at 11:30 a.m. on that Saturday morning.

Admissions staff gets gold

(Continued from front page)

departments looking to take their recruitment efforts to the next level by facilitating communication between admissions counselors and high school counselors as they plan and schedule upcoming school visits and college fairs across the nation.

The service allows colleges to expand their recruitment schedule when traveling around the country.

College Fair Registry's annual Admission Staff Photo Contest is one more way colleges can increase their exposure and spark engagement with high school counselors, potential students, and the public—primarily through social media.

At the end of the voting period, Alfred State took home the gold with 111 votes. This winning photo was taken by Alfred State digital media and animation student Elliot Maddox, of Islip.

"Votes were tabulated on Facebook with each person allowed one vote per day. This year we had eight colleges enter the contest to vie for a free membership. After five days of voting, in a last minute dash to the finish line, Alfred State prevailed as the winner of the 2014 Best Admission Staff Photo Contest. Their 2014 Sochi Olympics theme, 'Alfred State Shoots for the Gold,' was perfect timing for the contest and demonstrated the unique creativity of the staff."

ALFRED
Weather for the Week
April 1-April 7

April	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
1	49	22	0	
2	66	22	0	
3	59	21	0	
4	49	21	0.20"	0
5	44	31	0.29"	Trace
6	34	17	Trace	Trace
7	56	17	0	

By GARTH GRANTIER,
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A-A budget to be presented to public May 6

ALMOND--Alfred-Almond Central School Superintendent Rich Calkins was scheduled to make a final budget presentation to board members at the Wednesday, April 9 board meeting. An increase in state aid to the school district has been reported to be in the recently ap-

proved state budget. The Alfred-Almond annual budget presentation will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 6 in the high school auditorium. Voter registration will be held from 2 to 8 p.m. the same day. The annual vote is scheduled from 1 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, May

20. Deadline for petitions for prospective candidates for the board of education is Monday April 21. District residents interested in obtaining petitions should contact the district clerk's office.

Josh Deichmann advances to State Dairy Bowl

YORKSHIRE—Allegany County 4-H has attended District Dairy Bowl for the past several years. This year the team consisted of the following 4-H members: Megan Jozwiak (14, Hinsdale), Elana Emerson (14, Cuba), Molly Emerson (17, Cuba), Lily McGovern (17, Belmont), Josh Deichmann (18, Belmont), Michael Deichmann

(17, Belmont), Alyssa Santangelo (17, Cuba), Elizabeth Burrows (18, Cuba), Logan Torrey (11, Angelica), Noah Santangelo (13, Cuba), Kyla Jozwiak (10, Hinsdale), Alexis Deichmann (11, Belmont), Zach Deichmann (14, Belmont), Josie (13, Rushford) and Kimmi Litchner (14, Rushford). This year's District contest

had a total of six counties participating; Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, Niagara and Wyoming County. There were a total of 20 teams competing at three levels (Novice, Junior Senior). Allegany County teams placed as follows: senior team no. 1 – 9th, senior team no. 2 – 6th, and junior team no. 1-7th, and junior team no. 2 - 8th.

Allegany County had two senior individuals that placed in the top ten. They were Josh Deichmann placed 4th and Lily McGovern placed 8th. Josh is eligible to go onto the State Contest at Cornell this month.

Last, but absolutely not least, 4-H would also like to thank its dedicated volunteer coaches, Nicole Santangelo, Carly Neumann, Margaret Jefferds, Vickie Santangelo and Dawn Santangelo. Without them, their dedication and determination, this event would not be what it is today. For more information about 4-H, call 585.268.7644 x. 26, Tom Parmenter, Dairy Educator.

'Postal History' topic at annual Almond Grange booster night

ALMOND—Postal history will be the topic for the annual Almond Grange booster night program at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 12. Everyone is welcome to attend this fun-filled and informative event. County Historian Craig Braack who always presents an informative and entertaining program, will be the keynote speaker. The Grange has a long history of advocating for rural Americans, and the advent of Rural Free Delivery (RFD) is accredited to concerted efforts of Grangers. Craig is an Almond native, a Granger himself, and never boring. He brings history alive and has firsthand knowledge of postal history and a host of other topics. Please help us welcome him to our meeting hall on School Street in Almond. Refreshments will be provided and enjoyed as well.

This annual program also recognizes membership milestones with members being recognized for years of service. Almond Grange has been a fixture in the community for close to a century, encouraging our residents, advocating for their safety and well-being, and making a difference where possible. We provide scholarships to deserving seniors at AACs, support the local food pantries, and assist families in need.

To make this happen, the Grange encourages the community to support our fundraisers, barbecues, chicken and biscuit dinners, and Cuba cheese sale, and the occasional yard sale.

A yard sale will be held the same day as our booster night program, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.. Saturday, April 12 at the Grange Hall. Thanks for your support.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist

Pineapple cheese ball for entertaining

By DONNA ROGERS
Guest Columnist

Easter is fast approaching so this recipe is great for an appetizer. When we have our whole gang together (twenty of us now) the grandkids get restless about an hour before the big holiday meal. One by one they come in and ask "Grammy, when is dinner going to be ready?" So, I put out a huge platter of cut fresh veggies, ranch dip, apple slices, crackers and usually a cheese ball. This one is my favorites and I've served it for receptions too. It's easy to make and tastes better the day after it's made.

Pineapple Cheese Ball

- 2 pkgs. (8 oz. each) softened cream cheese
- ½ of a 20 oz. can crushed pineapple, well drained
- 1 cup chopped pecans or walnuts (I toast them for more flavor)
- ¼ cup finely chopped green pepper (at Christmas I use red and green pepper)
- 2 tsp finely minced onion
- 2 tsp. seasoning salt

In a mixer bowl beat cream cheese until smooth. Stir in crushed drained pineapple, nuts, pepper, onion, and seasoned salt.

Chill for a bit then shape into a ball and roll into more chopped nuts if desired. Wrap well in plastic wrap and store in the refrigerator. I've found if I just put it into a nice serving bowl and sprinkle a few nuts on top I don't need to make a ball, it disappears just as fast. Enjoy!

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Empire State info session

ALFRED--The Alfred Unit of SUNY Empire State College will hold a free Information Session from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Monday, April 21, at the Unit Office. For directions to the Alfred Unit office, and to make a reservation for the Information Session, call Staff Assistant, Jennifer Hakes, at 607-587-4140.

Empire State College is a part of the State University of New York system and offers a flexible, individualized learning environment ideally suited to the lives of busy adults.

CAMPUS NOTES

ROCHESTER--Samuel Jonathan Huang, a senior majoring in neuroscience and psychology at the University of Rochester, has been named to the Dean's List for academic achievement for the fall 2013 semester. Huang, a resident of Alfred, is the son of Wilfred V. and Yenfen I. Huang, and a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School in Almond.

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Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist



As we crossed the mighty Mississippi River to Natchez, MS, the bridge structures thrilled us. From beautiful atop-the-bluff Riverfront Park, the scalloped superstructure of the twin spans is visible.

As to the park itself, where we spent most of a day: After walking Natchez in 1852, the celebrated landscape architect Frederick Law Olmsted wrote,

"But the grand feature of Natchez is the bluff, terminating in an abrupt precipice over the river, with the public garden upon it...on the very edge of a stupendous cliff."

Loess, a windblown glacial sediment, comprises the bluff and underlies much of the area...for miles. We were astounded at the scale and extent of this very fine soil. The soil's instability has caused slides and slumps in the area, requiring, especially at the riverfront, huge stabilizing measures. At the edge of the river, in Natchez, the visitors' center informant told us that the city never floods, as it sits atop the 200 foot high prominence.



Gets Broadway position

Alfred native Shaminda Amarakoon, A-A and Alfred University grad, who Studied Technical Design & Production at Yale School of Drama, was recently appointed to the staff Lincoln Center Theater in New York City as their Associate Production Manager.

Kelly's Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

The Sun will come out tomorrow... or today.

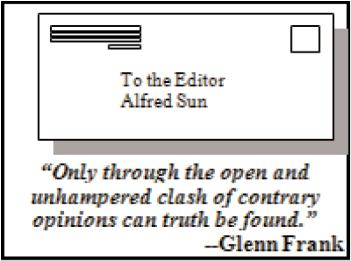
Thursday April 10
WINDY/PARTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 62 – LOW 42)
Chance of precipitation..... 10%

Friday April 11
MOSTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 56 – LOW 33)
Chance of precipitation..... 10%

Saturday April 12
SUNSHINE
(HIGH 60 – LOW 39)
Chance of precipitation..... 0%

Sunday April 13
PARTLY CLOUDY
(HIGH 62 – LOW 41)
Chance of precipitation..... 0%

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



Cars need extra care

Dear Editor,

Many vehicles were neglected during the recent brutal winter months and could use a little extra care by now. The Car Care Council recommends that motorists follow three simple steps during National Car Care Month in April to get vehicles ready for the spring and summer driving season.

Keep your vehicle clean. Regular car washes and waxes protect the paint and body of your car from corrosive debris. In parts of the country where salt is used on the roads, regularly washing is especially important.

Keep your car on schedule. Every vehicle has a manufacturer recommended maintenance schedule. Whether you choose to do your own maintenance or patronize a local repair shop, following a routine service schedule is essential to keeping your car in safe and dependable working order.

Keep an eye on the little things. Your windshield wipers aren't cleaning as well as they should? Your gas tank is missing its cap? There's a warning light on your dashboard? When you see your car needs attention, don't delay. Repairing small things now can help avoid more

costly problems down the road and add years of useful vehicle life.

The Car Care Council offers many free tools on its website to help consumers drive smart, save money and be car care aware, including the popular 60-page Car Care Guide and a custom service schedule and email reminder service.

Sincerely,
Rich White
Executive Director
Car Care Council

Taste of Allegany Co.

To the Editor:

As March as Red Cross month has passed, I would like to take this opportunity to thank those who helped make out Savor the Flavor – A Taste of Allegany County a success. There is much that goes on behind the scenes that helps us put on this wonderful event for our community. I am happy to announce that the Red Cross was able to raise over \$8,500 for programs and services right here in Allegany County because of this event.

I would once again like to thank the individuals and companies that sponsored our event this year. Our platinum sponsors Nick and Liz Abraham, Otis Eastern Services and National Grid; gold sponsors Beth and Bob Shook; silver sponsors Empire Cheese Inc./Great Lakes Cheese Co. Inc., and Van Rensselaer and Son Funeral Home; bronze sponsors Brian and Libby Loucks, First Citizens National Bank, LC Whitford, Inc., and the Wellsville Lions; and our supporting patrons the Belfast Lions,

Jim and Sandra Keough, Kate Plants and Rinker Oil Corporation. Special thanks to Sally Marsh who provided music for the event.

Our vendors provided wonderful food and beverages this year for those who attended to sample. We thank Ace's County Cupboard, the Alfred State College Culinary Arts Department, Allegheny Hills Golf Course and Restaurant, Cakes & Curios, Cattaraugus Community Action, Charlie's Treats, Cuba Cheese Shoppe, Cuba Liquors, Angelica Winery, Keuka Springs Vineyard, Winery of Ellicottville, Giant Food Mart, Moonwinks Restaurant & Lounge, Sanzo's Beverages, The Kopper Keg, Tops Markets, and Torrey James and Bakery.

Our volunteers were so important to making our event run smoothly. Thank you to Brian King, Daniel Boyce, Jim and Kelli Braley, Darci Ladabouche, Bert LeMaire, Lynne Perry, Beth and Bob Shook, and Leah Vooyo. Whether it was helping with setup, helping to collect Chinese auction items, or volunteering at the event, you assisted in putting on a great event! Our appreciation also goes to the Cuba VFW who hosted our event again this year.

Most of all, thank you to everyone who attended our event. The proceeds of Savor the Flavor – A Taste of Allegany County help our friends and neighbors right here in Allegany County. It could be a family displaced by fire in the middle of the night, or a family needing to contact a member of the Armed Forces, or possibly a community group receiving a free Preparedness Education presentation... all of these services and more are provided thanks to you.

Kathy Burch
Assistant Executive Director
American Red Cross of
Southwestern New York



Snyde remarks

By DAVID L. SNYDER
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Friday's keynote speaker at the New York Press Association's Spring Convention in Saratoga Springs clearly put all things in perspective. Morley L. Piper, who served 45 years as executive director of the New England Newspaper Association, told of his experience with the U.S. Army during the Normandy Invasion on D-Day, June 6, 1944.

One could have heard a pin drop as some 500 representatives in attendance in the ballroom at the Gideon Putnam Hotel listened attentively as Piper told of the devastation around him as his unit somehow advanced. As he told of the gunfire and blasts, one of the decorative balloons popped--causing many to jump.

Piper quipped, "I even brought the sound effects."

For many years unable to speak of the traumatic experience on the beaches of Normandy, Piper was asked by a friend to write down his experience. He did. And as his story became more widely known,

he began speaking in public of his experience.

It was most awkward for NYPA Executive Director Michelle Rea to segue from Piper's story to the presentation of Better Newspaper Contest

awards that followed his story, which garnered a standing ovation.

As hoped, the *Alfred Sun* came home with a couple of awards. Receiving second place for "Art Photo" was the Sun's entry of a photo by Alfred University student Elliott Severn of a spring thun-

derstorm on the AU campus. The judges commented, "A beautiful image capturing lightning during a spring storm." Congratulations to Elliott!

Also receiving second place (and for the second year in a row) was a Big Dipper ad, "On your mark, get set, LICK!" Judges said, "Very strong ad! No mistaking what they are selling. It's visually appealing with a dominant piece of art but good, clear copy as well."

I can't wait until the Big Dipper opens again....watch for the date in the *Alfred Sun*!



Spring storms electrify skies of Alfred

PHOTO was taken in Alfred Tuesday afternoon, April 8 by Elliott Severn, a senior at Alfred University. Severn is president of AU's Astronomy Club and serves as guide at the Friday night open houses at the University's Staff Observatory. Severn says, "I've been into astronomy since I was a kid and started experimenting with astrophotography when I was 11. Astronomy got me into photography and recently I've been getting involved in space flight photography. He's actually covering the inaugural launch of a new rocket this week at Wallops Island, Va. A new private Astute rocket, built by the Dallas-based Orbital Sciences Corp., was slated to blast off from NASA's Wallops Flight Facility at 7 p.m. EDT Wednesday, April 17. If all goes well, the test flight will pave the way for the future unmanned cargo deliveries to the International Space Station.

Sun Spots



Sour Gripes

Don't you think it's funny
People spend a lot of money
Just to go someplace that's sunny?
I could.

And wouldn't it be grand
If they got a lot of sand
Somewhere other than they'd planned?
It would.

Or what if they got sunburned
And had little left that's unburned –
Maybe even got their buns burned?
They'd cuss.

But of course it would be better
If their days turned cold and wetter
And they had to wear a sweater
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FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator

SECOND CLASS CITIZENS

As of last Monday New York State has a new budget. For the 4th consecutive year it was adopted by the Constitutional deadline of April 1st. It also stayed within the 2% guideline that the State has imposed on local governments. To be fair, I must admit that there are some good provisions in the new Budget. However, the overwhelming impression that I get from this Budget is that Upstate New Yorkers are "second class citizens." There are multiple provisions that provide special (preferential) treatment for Downstate and New York City ("NYC").

According to Governor Cuomo, the highlight of this Budget is the "Property Tax Freeze." However, this provision isn't really a "freeze" at all. It basically allows local property taxes to go up 2% per year for the next 2 years, with the State then sending out a refund with your income tax refund check next year. According to a local school superintendent this will amount to \$20 or less for most homeowners. After 2 years the refunds end, but the tax increases still remain. Also, in the second year the refund is contingent upon the local government participating in a shared service program. If the local government doesn't meet the state criteria, then the taxpayer doesn't qualify for that year's refund.

In the Governor's original proposal the "freeze" was only going to last for 2 years, and then be replaced by a "circuit breaker" tax provision. When I wrote about this several weeks ago, I noted that this could provide some significant property tax relief for taxpayers. I was also nervous that this might be changed. My fears were justified. In the final Budget, the "circuit breaker" tax provision was deleted, but only for Upstate taxpayers. It was implemented for the next 2 years for NYC taxpayers. The "circuit breaker" provision has been adopted by several states, and has been a huge success in those states. Here is an example of how it works. If a taxpayer earns less than \$100,000, and

their property taxes exceed 4% of their income, the taxpayer would be entitled to a tax credit equal to 4.5% of the excess property taxes over that 4% threshold. If a household had total income of \$50,000, their threshold would be \$2,000 (\$50,000 times 4.0%). If that household paid \$4,000 in property taxes, the taxpayer would be entitled to a 4.5% refund on the \$2,000 excess, or \$90. Unfortunately this provision will only benefit taxpayers in NYC. Given the financial realities, most of the \$1 Billion of property tax relief is going to NYC, not Upstate. Real property in NYC is much more valuable than Upstate real property. The dollar amounts are larger, and that will skew the percentages in their favor. Also, each taxpayer qualifies on his/her own facts. Refunds are not tied to NYC cutting spending or becoming more efficient.

NYC has grabbed the tax surplus for itself. For example, the Budget proposal included a "Renter's Personal Income Tax Credit." That provision was dropped for Upstate, but remains for NYC renters. I guess Upstate renters don't matter. The new Budget includes \$340 million for universal pre-Kindergarten and After-School programs. However, \$300 million of that amount is specially earmarked for NYC. That leaves \$40 million (less than 12%) for the rest of the State. The new Budget provides \$81 million for Indigent Legal Defense Services, but earmarks only \$4 million (less than 5%) for Upstate caseload relief.

Why isn't there one standard that applies on a statewide basis? Shouldn't citizens be treated the same, regardless of where they live. Clearly our Governor and other State officials don't think so. They insist upon treating us the same when it works to their benefit. But they create special rules and provide special funding when it helps Downstate. Is it time to discuss secession? At a minimum we need to empower the concept of "municipal home rule." There are numerous state level elections this Fall. Please vote, and remember what our Governor and State Legislators did in this Budget.

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Audience is judge in 'Mystery of Edwin Drood'

ALFRED—For the first time in seven years, a musical will grace an Alfred University (AU) stage when the Performing Arts Division presents award-winning "The Mystery of Edwin Drood" Thursday-Saturday, April 10-12, at 8 p.m. in Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center.

The "playful comedic and risqué 'whodunit'" is the creation of Rupert Holmes, who wrote the book, music, lyrics, and full orchestrations for the show, his first musical.

Tickets are required for the performances; reservations are encouraged. To purchase tickets, visit the online Box Office at las.alfred.edu/performing-arts/events, or call 871-2582.

"The Mystery of Edwin Drood" is an adaptation of an unfinished novel, of the same name, by Charles Dickens. Dickens died while in the midst of writing and since the book was incomplete, no one knew what the ending was to be. To that end, "Drood" incorporates a convention which had never before been seen on Broadway -



audience members choose the ending.

Holmes took a big risk with this approach, but it was well worth it considering the enthusiastic raves that followed. The original 1985 production was nominated for 11 Tony awards and was winner of five, including Best Musical, Best Book, and Best Original Score.

using the untested and untried Miller Theater, but we're finally taking it on with all its challenges and discoveries - it has been quite the journey."

"Drood" is staged as a play-within-a-play with each Alfred performer portraying a fictional English actor from 1892, who in turn portrays a Dickens character from the novel. It tells the story of young Englishman Edwin Drood whose sudden disappearance throws the fictional townspeople of Cloisterham into a panic. Suspicions arise about who is responsible for Drood's vanishing, with fingers pointing every which way, including at the dashing but villainous John Jasper, Drood's fiancée Rosa Bud, opium den proprietor Princess Puffer, and mysterious siblings Helena and Neville Landless. As the investigation pushes forward, everyone who came into contact with Drood is included in the lineup of suspects.

Holmes' success with "Drood" was called "remarkable." He was a well-known popular songwriter, perhaps best known for "Escape" (the Pina Colada Song) and as a successful night club performer. Based on his inventiveness and talent, Holmes was encouraged to move forward with his interest in writing a musical by Joseph Papp, originator of the New York Shakespeare Festival. The result was "Drood."

The AU cast includes Dana Harris, a junior theater major from Alpine, as Miss Jane Throttle and Stage Manager; OJ Shepard, a junior sociology major from Rochester, as the Chairman and Mayor Sapsea; Rachel Romack, a junior psychology and theater major from Candor, as Edwin Drood; Paul Dingman, a

visiting assistant professor in human studies, as John Jasper; Jessica Antrobus, a senior English and communication studies major from Orange, Ohio, as Rosa Bud; Cassidy Teagle, a sophomore from New York, as Helena; Nathaniel Yard, a junior biomaterials engineering major from Quakertown, PA, as Neville; Lucas Rougeux, a freshman from Niagara Falls, as Crisparkle; Rebecca Hayes, a senior English and theater major from Manorville, as Princess Puffer; Daniel Gray, a junior art and design major from Madison, WI, as Durdles; Darren Palmer, a senior theater major from Wingdale, as Bazzard; and Marc Wideman, a freshman from Huntington, as Durdles Deputy.

Additional students in the production include Elaine Temple, a sophomore art and design major from Hauppauge; Holly Durand, a senior theater major from Schenectady; Nick Labate, a freshman art and design major from Middleburg Heights, Ohio; Nathan Earley, a senior theater major from New Ipswich, NH; Julie Yendall, a freshman from Tonawanda; and McKenzie Murdock, a sophomore business administration major from Downingtown, PA. Additional voices in the production will come from Shannon Cirulnick, a sophomore from Ozone Park, and Trisha Fromm, a senior psychology major from Christiana, PA.

The stage management team includes Meredith Laubert, a junior material science and engineering major from Mays Landing, NJ, manager; Niki Kimball, a freshman theater and interdisciplinary art major from Farmington, assistant manager; and Chloe Theodosiou, a freshman arts and design major from Mahopac, assistant manager.



NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

By ELIZA ORDWAY

Box of Books Library Director

I spent Friday in White Plains, NY for the New York Library Associations conference for Youth Services Section. For those of you have been to work related conferences know that there is a lot to do in very little time; you have the work sessions, meals, speakers, trade shows and lots of networking. When I go to conferences I always leave with a very full brain and many "brilliant" ideas, and the weeks after are filled with lots of questions about making these things work or if they will work for our beautiful town and library.

So over the next few months I will look into implementing some new ideas for the library, mostly small that most won't notice but some hopefully on the larger scale that will benefit the community. I am filled with a renewed excitement for the possibilities at the Box of Books.

An exciting and somewhat scary upcoming event is that I have been chosen to present in September at The Association for Rural and Small Libraries conference in Tacoma, Washington. I am extremely excited to be representing our community on such a large scale, and am, I believe, understandably nervous about doing our library justice on this platform. I am presenting on getting the most from your staff, "The FUNDamentals of Fun; Getting the most from your library staff."

I am looking forward to attending the conference because it is geared towards small and rural libraries which sometimes when I return from NYLA I have to do a lot of adjusting of ideas to make them work for us. This is an outstanding opportunity for me and the library as a whole.

Coming events here at Box of Books:

Thursday 4/10/14 at 4 pm Basic Internet Safety. Learn how to make your home WiFi, computers, and devices for you and your family to use. This class will be taught by STLS's Deputy Director, Al Oliveras.

Friday, 4/11/13- Story Time at 11 am for age's birth and up. Stories, music and crafts for all ages.

Wednesday, 4/15/14 - Flowers and Showers at 4:30. Education Fieldwork will be presenting a spring themed program with decorating planters for your spring flowers.

Friday, 4/18/14 - Easter Egg Hunt at 3:30 this Annual event will be held at the Mike Kenyon Park again this year! We will be filling eggs in preparation this week. The eggs don't last long so come on time and bring something to hold those eggs! Donations of candy and eggs will be accepted! As a special surprise the Easter Bunny from Classic Hits/Oldies Radio WJQZ will be stopping by as he makes his rounds in local communities. His scheduled visit will also be quick as he hops along to visit others; bring your camera and join the community fun!

The play has since been on two national tours, a highly successful run on London's West End, and a 2012 Broadway revival. The AU production is one of the first since the closing of the revival and will be the first musical to be staged in Miller Theater.

AU's production is directed by Stephen Crosby, professor of theater. Dr. Luanne Crosby, professor of voice and chorus, is directing the vocals, and Dr. Christopher C. Foster, associate professor of music and director of bands, is leading the orchestra.

"AU students have been clamoring to do a musical for years," said Crosby. "In the past, the Division of Performing Arts aimed to do one (musical) every three years, so students would have the potential of working on at least one during their time in Alfred. We stayed on schedule up until a recent dry spell. The Division's hesitancy doing musicals in recent years has been in large part based on not knowing what obstacles might pop up

Hinkle Library exhibits artwork

ALFRED—The Hinkle Library at Alfred State is pleased to present a collection of student artwork from Haverling High School in Bath.

Students completed their work under the guidance of art teacher Steven Randall. The work exhibited will run throughout April and includes an array of projects from Randall's drawing, painting, photography, and studio in art classes.

Some of the projects on display include portraits drawn in charcoal, still life drawings, painted self-portraits, pastel drawings, scratchboard drawings of landscapes and animals, paper icosahedrons, and a variety of photographs. According to Mr. Randall, "This small sampling of work is a tiny sliver of what will be on display for our Spring Art Show scheduled for Tuesday, May 20, 2014, in the Bath Haverling High School gymnasium."

The Hinkle Library Gallery is open during regular library hours: Monday - Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Fridays, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturdays, 1-7 p.m.; and Sundays, 1-11 p.m.



Hinkle Library at Alfred State will display a collection of student artwork from Haverling High School in Bath this month.

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Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

BANDS/DJs/RECITALS

The AU Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Lisa Lantz, will perform the exquisite Mozart Piano Concerto #23 with guest pianist, Frank Mitchell Bush, at 7 p.m. Friday, April 25 in Miller Theater on the Alfred University campus.

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. For more information, call Nancy Luger at 607-587-9449 or email: lugerna@yahoo.com.

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. Café opens early for dinner, espresso, wine & beer, Scrabble & chess. **Music Schedule:** March 28—Dallas Lucore, March 29—Alex Leyva, April 3—Acoustic Open Mic, April 4—Tom Naples; April 5—Michael on Fire. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. Café open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for meals, espresso, beer, wine, desserts. Black-Eyed Susan will be CLOSED for renovations & rest from Jan. 1-Jan. 31, 2014. Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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

Maple City Bowl, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every

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

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, March 29—The Waymores. Saturday, April 5—Rockwood Ferry. Saturday, April 19—Roosevelt Dime; Friday, April 25—Woody Pines; Saturday, May 3—Farewell Drifters; Friday, May 9—Brother Sun. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

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

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:30 p.m. Mondays at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St. Ext., Hornell. New members welcome. Call 276-6835 for info.

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

COFFEEHOUSES
Coffeehouse live entertainment periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred. 9 pm Thursday, April 3—Lily Virginia; 9 pm Thursday, April 17—Sun Club; 9 pm Thursday, April 24—Matt the Electrician (location TBA); 9 pm Thursday, May 1—Sam Kogan. Open Mic Night Wednesdays when colleges are in session.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays,

Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays. Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 9:30 p.m. For more info, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on the lawn 7-8 p.m. Tuesday evenings in July. 2013



Theater & Dance

COMEDY

AU SAB Mystery Comedian will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, April 12 at the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

Comedian Seaton Smith will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, May 3 at the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

DANCE

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

Let's Dance Club offers occasional dances. 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.

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
AU Performing Arts presents the musical, **"The Mystery of Edwin Drood"** at 8 pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 10-11-12 in Miller Theater, AU campus. This musical by Rupert Holmes, based on Charles Dickens' unfinished novel *The Mystery of Edwin Drood*, is a playful "whodunit" in which the audience gets to determine the guilty party. Winner of five Tony awards including best musical and set in a 19th century English music hall, *Drood* is a comedic, risqué romp following the tradition of British pantomimes. Tickets required; reservations recommended. General admission is \$5. Senior citizens \$3. AU students with ID \$1. To reserve tickets, call the box office at (607) 871-2828.

Art/Galleries

INSTRUCTION/GROUPS

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

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Artist Knot. 36 Main Street, An-

dover. Current Exhibit: "Karen Lang: Autumn Fireworks". Admission is always free. Gallery Hours by appointment. (607) 478-5100.

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

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

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

MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS
Americana Manse. Tours at the Americana Manse, Whitney-Halsey Mansion, Inc. in Belmont. Call 585-268-5130. Special Group Tour rates. \$4.00 adults.

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

The Corning Museum of Glass presents the most comprehensive glass collection in the world in "35 Centuries of Glassmaking." Including five new Art and History Galleries. For info, call 607-937-5371. Open daily 9-5.

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

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

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

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

Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery, Alfred State College Campus. Open during library hours, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays and 3-9 p.m. Sundays.

Inamori Kiyocera 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.

The Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art at Alfred. 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.ceramicsmuseum.alfred.edu

National Warplane Museum. Off I-86 in Big Flats. Call 607-739-8200 or stop by the museum for more information.

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, call 587-8358.

DAR to hear talk on 'Genesee River Wilds Project'

BELFAST--The April meeting for Catherine Schuyler Chapter NSDAR will be held Thursday, April 17 at Ace's Bed & Break-

fast on the Park Circle in Belfast. Please plan your arrival beginning at 12:30, the lunch buffet will begin promptly at 1 p.m.

Hostesses are Sheary Carr and Ronna Jordan.

The meeting will be followed by a program by Bill Hart on the "Genesee River Wilds Project".

Gas price unchanged

Average retail gasoline prices in Rochester have risen 0.6 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.73/g yesterday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 319 gas outlets in Rochester. This compares with the national average that has increased 1.3 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.55/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Rochester during the past week, prices yesterday were 9.1 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are unchanged versus a month ago.



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Almond 20th Century Club Library

New Happenings at the Almond Library

By SANDRA ROBINSON

Almond Twentieth Century Club Library Director

Not going south for Spring Break this year? Bring the kids to the library instead! It's Beach Week in Almond from April 14-17, so wear your shades and suntan lotion and join the fun...

Mon. 9:30-1pm: stop in to make "Beachy" crafts

Tues. 2 pm: movie, "Surf's Up"

Wed. 9:30-1: help decorate & make goodies for our party

Thur. 2pm: Beach Party!!! Wear your flip-flops and beach hat. Games, snacks, & fun for all, including (indoor) volleyball!

April's calendar:

It's National Poetry Month! Who is your favorite poet? Share with us on Facebook.

April 12: Scrabble Day celebrated. Scrabble marathon all day, and for all ages.

April 14 -17 (AA Spring Break): Beach Week!

April 16, 5:30pm: 20th Century Club Business Meeting and Dish to Pass. Speaker: Craig Braack. Everyone is welcome!

April 21, 5-6 pm: Book Club. April's selection is Silent Nights by Anne Perry

April 26, 12-5pm: See you at Hot Dog Day in Alfred!

April 28, 10 am: Community Coffee and Great Poetry Reading Day. Join our rollicking group for coffee and a guest poetry reading!

Mondays 10 am: Preschool Storytime. Stories, songs, and a craft. Look for our calendar on Facebook and our website, almondlibrary.org.

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Lectures/Readings

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

Allegany County Bird Club. Meetings held at the 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.

Baker's Bridge Historical Association. Meets 7:30 p.m. third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. Programs are as follows: Jan. 20--Laurie McFadden/ Thelma Palmeter, "Early Alfred Station in Photos"; Feb. 17--Brendan Heaney, "Visit With Moses VanCampen"; March 17--Craig Braack, "War of 1812"; April 21--Bob & Sherry Volk, "Tinkertown Hardware History." For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Collections Manager Amie Acton at 587-9119. Visit: www.bakersbridge.org

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. March 20--Scott Brackenridge, "The Zhuangzi We Know: How The Most Popular Work in Chinese Literature and Philosophy Came To Be The Way It Is"; March 27--Aesa Bjork, "Gaging the Void"; April 3--Dylan Sammut, "The Hour Is Getting Late: Musicians Unraveling an Apocalypse"; April 10--Antonio Causarano, "How to Introduce Di-

versity Through Children's Literature"; April 17--Roger Loucks, "Uncertainty Not Curiosity Killed the Cat! How Quantum Mechanics Actually Works"; April 24--Sarah Blood, "Light Matter"; May 1--Gregory Pac, "Electricity Prices and County Economic Growth." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

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

Maple City Garden Club. Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program follows: April 9--"Master Gardener Program" with Sara Dygert. May 14- Field Trip to Quest Farm to hear Tom McDowell's "Honey Extraction" after a noon lunch at Mulheissen's. June 11--Plant auction and program planning for 2014-2015. 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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18, 20--American Hustle. (Wellsville theater shows first-run films.)

Fun-n-Games

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

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

AU SAXONS Athletic Events
Men's Lacrosse
April 12--Utica, 4 pm
April 19--St. John Fisher, 1 pm
April 23--Ithaca, 4 pm
April 26--Hartwick, 1 pm
Women's Lacrosse
April 12--Utica, 1 pm
April 13--Ithaca, 1 pm
April 18--Elmira, 4 pm
April 23--Nazareth, 7 pm
Women's Softball
April 9--RIT, 3 pm
April 12--St. John Fisher, 1 pm
April 14--Elmira, 3 pm
April 17--Pitt-Bradford, 3 pm
April 19--Nazareth, 1 pm
Men's Tennis
April 12--Utica, 1 pm
April 16--Nazareth, 3:30 pm
April 25--Ithaca, 4 pm
April 26--Elmira, 1 pm
Alfred Rugby
March 29--Rucknado Tournament vs. Cortland, Geneseo, Hobart at 11:30 a.m. at Yonewich Stadium
April 5--St. Bonaventure, 1 pm

Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament at 8 pm on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. Tournaments set for 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 8; 8 pm Saturday, March 8; 8 pm Tuesday, April 8; 8 pm Thursday, May 8...you get the

idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str8-eight.com

Special Events

Friday, April 25
Pine Hill Derby downhill race featuring entries by engineering students at 6 pm at the Pine Hill Suites on the AU campus.

Saturday, April 26
5K Color Run, 10 a.m. Register at 9 a.m. at Herrick Library on the AU campus.

Saturday, April 26
HOT DOG DAY FESTIVAL will be held 12-5 pm Saturday, April 26 in downtown Alfred. Skate Jam will be held 12-5 at a location TBA. Mud Olympics will be held at 2 pm at Tucker Field. Dogfest will be held from 6 pm to 12 midnight at McLane Center, featuring six bands including American Authors, Mack Wilds, Greg Bates, Misterwives, What Cheer? Brigade, Hunting Stories. Tickets \$10 for AU & ASC students, \$15 public.

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 Car-

dial Rehab Unit at 324-8735.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group. Meets first Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. at Friendly's. For more info, contact Roberta Staub at 607-545-6404 or Donna Boag at 607-295-9852.

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, April 14

Lemon Lime Salad, Chili w/Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Corn Bread, Apple-sauce Cake, Diabetic- Fruit Cocktail.

Tuesday, April 15
Mandarin Orange Gelatin Salad, Beef Stroganoff over Noodles, Carrots, Cheese Cake, Diabetic- Cheesecake.

Wednesday, April 16
Juice, Sweet & Sour Pork Over Brown Rice, California Blend Vegetables, Wheat Bread, Apple Crisp, Diabetic-Pears.

Thursday, April 17
Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School. (No Luncheon Sites). Coleslaw, Chicken Breast Supreme w/Sauce, Brown Rice, Squash, Bran Quick Bread, Lemon Mousse, Diabetic-Lemon Mousse.

Friday, April 18
Tossed Salad w/Ranch Dressing, Stuffed Shells, Spinach, Garlic Bread, Ice Cream, Diabetic- Ice Cream. For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous day.

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE
Union University Church Center, 12 noon
Call Cindy Berry at 607-281-8794.

Monday--Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon.

Wednesday--Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon. Blood Pressure Clinic.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.
Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.

Tuesday--Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Laughter Day," "Show and Tell."

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE

Fire Hall 12 noon
Call Rita Morris at 585-928-2278

Monday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon.

Wednesday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

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

Tuesday--Exercises at 10:15 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. Exercises/ Cards at 1 p.m. "Bingo." Lisa Brulotte, Issues & Answers.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE
AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397

Monday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch noon. "National Library Week."

Tuesday--Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Reminisce: Fiesta Ware."

Wednesday--Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. "Current Topics." Blood Pressure Clinic.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE
Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Maggie Brown at 585-737-5609
Monday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch 12 noon.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon
Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650

Tuesday--Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m. Lynn Oyer, Issues and Answers.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.

Monday--Stretch 9 am, Walking 9:30 am, Bingo 10:30 am, Lunch 12 noon, Euchre 1 pm, Exercise 1:30 pm. Blood Pressure Clinic.

Wednesday--Walk at 9:30 a.m., Games at 10 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon, Euchre at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

Thursday--Senior Forum at Genesee Valley Central School.

Friday--Walking 9:30 a.m., Bingo 10:30 a.m., Lunch 12 noon, Pinochle 12:30 p.m., Exercises 1:30 p.m.

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

Monday--Exercises, Jigsaw Puzzle. 10:45 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "Booking It."

Tuesday--Lunch at 12 noon. Jigsaw Puzzle. Bingo. "Doodlings." (Word Art Day).

Wednesday--Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at noon. "The Dress My Mother Made For Me."



At the Movies

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FIFTY YEARS AGO, APRIL 9, 1964

"The trend toward larger schools and bigger school districts is making more complete and diversified public school education available to the state's children, and should continue," Dr. Francis E. Griffin of the State Education Department told the School Boards Institute at Alfred University Tuesday night...

Wedding vows were solemnized between Miss Beverly Joann Allen, daughter of John Allen Sr. of Almond and Conrad Alexis Schmidt of Long Beach, L.I., Saturday afternoon, March 28, in the Almond Union of Churches. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Jesse M. Howat, pastor, before an altar decorated with baskets of white pompons and gladioli. Mrs. Nelson Snyder of Alfred, cousin of the bride, sang "Oh, Perfect Love" and "Wedding Prayer." Mrs. Lee Ryan Jr. of Almond was organist...Mrs. Robert Baker of Alfred, sister of the bride, was matron of honor...

Two more Alfred-Almond Central School seniors have announced their plans to enter Alfred University in the fall...They are Cynthia Butts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Butts of Alfred, and Sherman Clarke, son of the Rev. and Mrs. David Clarke of Alfred...

Alfredians—Dr. and Mrs. Murray Rice returned Saturday from a vacation trip to Charleston, S.C...M. Elwood Kenyon and DeForest W. Truman were in Wellsville last Thursday evening to attend the banquet of World War I veterans...Dr. and Mrs. Winfield Randolph were in Philadelphia, Pa. for the weekend where Dr. Randolph attended a junior college chemistry meeting...Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Soule and children were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Scholes at Arkport Sunday...Mr. and Mrs. John Linville and children of Berea, Ohio were guests of Miss Elsie Binns...

Alfred Station—Mr. and Mrs. Burr Woodruff and family of Medina were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Austin and Mrs. Agnes Woodruff...Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pierce were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Mott...Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pierce were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Willard and Margaret of Penn Yan. Margaret will leave her home Thursday for Bainbridge, Md., where she will enter "boot training" for the Waves...

John Button of Railroad Valley, Andover, 75, died April 6, 1964 at his home following a long illness. A native of Little Marsh, Pa., he had resided in Hornell, Almond and Wellsville before moving to Andover about 32 years ago where he was engaged in farming. Survivors include one daughter, Miss Jean Button at home; one brother, Ernest D. Button of Caneadea, and one sister, Mrs. Emma Wheaton of Alfred...

(Photo) Ground broken for new dairy center—These dignitaries lift the first shovelful of earth Thursday, signifying the beginning of construction of a new animal science center at the Agricultural and Technical Institute at Alfred. Left to right: Institute trustee council member Herald Ford, Andover, N.Y.; Dean of the College Roger F. Rawe; Dean of Agricultural Instruction, Professor William W. Stopper; President Walter C. Hinkle.

The Forceythe-Willson Club will meet Monday...The program will be "Japan with the Bill Crandalls..."

The Alfred State Tech Faculty Wives Club has scheduled a "Go-See" trip this Sunday, April 12, to visit the "Honeypot," operated by Mrs. Lloyd Watson. Mrs. Vincent Smith, president of the club, has announced that members will meet at 2:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Roland Hale, High Street, to have coffee, and will go to the "Honeypot" shortly before 3 p.m.

Some 60 parents and cub scouts attended the annual recognition banquet for Cub Pack 26 at the Union of Churches...David Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, was presented the lion and webelos awards by Committeeman Dale Lorow...Lorow also presented awards to Martin Gillette, gold and silver arrow under bear and three-year service star; Martin Moses, wolf badge and two-year service star; Thomas Sharrett, bear badge, gold and silver arrow under bear, and two-year service star; Steve Lorow, silver arrow under bear, two-year service star; Robert North, bear badge and gold arrow under bear; Douglas Petric, bear badge, one-year service star; Gary Norton, two-year service star; Mike Winters, three-year service star; Karl Kuhne, two-year service star. The bobcat badge went to Kim Decker, Paul Decker, David Tucker, Robert Coddington, Thomas Anderson, and Jeffrey Howat. Special awards presented for retiring den mothers went to Mrs. Gerald Hanks, Mrs. Allen Lorrow, Mrs. Dale Lorow...

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, APRIL 6, 1989

The possibility of village-wide recycling got a boost Tuesday night as Mayor Carolyn Blankenship directed Attorney Ferry Fowler to begin drafting a recycling amendment to the Village Garbage Law...Fowler will draft an amendment to include recycling of glass containers, cardboard and newsprint...

To the typical reader, -30- doesn't mean a thing. To the editor, however, it means the end; the story is completed. With the recent passing of Eugene T. Van Horn, another life story is completed—yet it goes on. Gene's contributions to the Alfred community through his publishing the *Alfred Sun* for 19 years, his service as village justice for 22 years, his dedication to his church and community, will long be remembered. Gene had a tough task in taking over the newspaper after Frank Crumb, who had the position more than 50 years and had been with the *Sun* since its inception in December 1883. Gene brought change to the newspaper with probably the biggest being its production process. Sun Publishing Company, under Gene's leadership, ushered in the new era of offset printing and computerized typesetting. While continuing his labor of love of publishing the *Sun*, he built up his job printing business. Finally, in June 1970, he published his final issue—after losing money on the paper for many years. I feel like I was informally an apprentice of Gene. I grew up reading his newspaper and appreciated his commitment to continuing the local emphasis of the paper. I always looked forward to Thursdays—to see Little League or Church League Basketball results (I knew the results, I just wanted to see my name in the paper). I learned to sing tenor in the church choir but not without Gene's help. He plowed through the notes with ease, blazing a trail that I could follow. I recall his helpful suggestions—where to breathe, where not to breathe, and how to hold my music so I would not be a distraction during a solo. Gene donated a complete set of back issues of the *Sun* to the Western New York Historical Collection at the Hinkle Memorial Library at Alfred State College. This demonstration of his generosity and love for his community will perpetuate his story and the history of our town, to be enjoyed by generations to come. Thank you, Gene!

Alfredians—A fire at Delta Sigma Phi fraternity of March 26 sent one student to the Rochester burn unit. The cause of the fire was careless smoking...Thirty-five or forty persons attended the Sunrise Service at the home of Albert and Janette Rogers on Palmyer Road, Alfred Station. A brunch was held at the Union University Church Center, which was prepared by members of the Union University Church, Alfred Seventh Day Baptist and Alfred Methodist Churches...Kelly Gordon Palmer of Alfred Station spent Spring Break touring Belgium and Florence, Italy, with his sister, Amy, a Rotary exchange student living in Liege, Belgium...Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riber recently spent 10 days in Phoenix, AZ. One day they entertained Murray Rice of Alfred, now of Tempe, AZ at lunch...Marcie Emerson, a junior at Alfred-Almond Central School, of Alfred Station, placed second in the Andover Maple Festival competition for Maple Queen...The David Snyder family spent five days recently visiting Elizabeth Bliven in East Providence, RI. Other relatives they visited included Lillian Austin, Rupert Austin, Robert "Sparky" and Diane Austin, Bob, Kendra and Billy Moitoso. On a return trip from the Children's Museum in Boston, they visited Ed and Sue Palmer in Mansfield, MA...Doris Simpson was an Easter weekend guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ebersole in Salemville, PA...Mrs. Evelyn Openhym (AU '24) of Wellsville has gifted the Herrick Library an extensive archive of correspondence by novelist Virginia Woolf...A smile is an inexpensive face lift...

Navy Airman Porter D. Hanks, son of Lillian A. Hanks of Almond and the late Leon D. Hanks, recently received a Letter of Commendation. He received the citation for his dedication, loyalty and professional skill while stationed with Strike Fighter Squadron 113, Naval Air Station, Lemoore, CA. A 1985 graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School, he joined the Navy in July 1985.

A daughter was born Monday, March 27, 1989 to Mr. and Mrs. Alastair Cormack (Anna McHale) of Alfred Station in St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell.

Mrs. Edna P. Lewis celebrated her 95th birthday March 20th with family and friends. Her daughter and son, Pearl Woodruff and Robert Lewis and families, dined at the Ponderosa in Painted Post. She was born in 1894 in Alfred Station in what is now the Sibley home on Route 21. Edna Lewis is the daughter of John and Mary Pierce and is one of 13 children and the lone sur-

vivor. She married Leon L. Lewis on June 10, 1918...Edna enjoys every day by keeping busy making crochet pillows, afghans, going out to eat, shopping and keeping her home. She enjoys life to its fullest...

Michael Muhleisen was the big winner Saturday as Cub Scout Pack 26 held its annual Pinewood Derby at the Almond Municipal Building. Michael had the fastest car overall and the fastest in the Webelos division. Taking second in the overall competition was fellow Webelos competitor Jason Shannon. Third went to Cub Alan Smith while Cub Jason Evans took fourth place overall...

TEN YEARS AGO, APRIL 8, 2004

(Photo) Author Robert Littell with Alfred University student Akhdan Susarov on campus. Littell arranged for Akhdan to study in America in appreciation for Akhdan's father saving Littell's son from an attempted kidnapping in Chechnya in 2001.

Donna Higby died, after a long illness, on April 3, 2004 at her home in Alfred Station, New York. Donna was born Donna Claire Bennett in 1943. As a child she traveled the U.S. and Europe with her father, United States Air Force Commander Colonel John Wray Bennett, her mother, Doris Lemle Bennett and three younger sisters—Joanne, Laura and Martha. In 1958, while her family was stationed in Colorado Springs, Colorado, she met Donald Wayne Higby. They became childhood sweethearts and were married in Marnes La Choquette, France on March 12, 1966. In 1973, at the invitation of Alfred University, Wayne came to teach ceramic art at Alfred. It was there that Donna and Wayne established their lives with son, Austin Myles and daughter, Sarah Lark at their Alfred Station, Five Corners, farm. Donna Higby held a BFA degree from the University of Colorado and for several years after receiving a Masters Degree in Art Education from Alfred University she taught the Gifted and Talented classes in visual art for the Allegany County BOCES, Belmont, New York...

An Alfred University alumnus who is one of the country's foremost experts on meteorites will deliver the annual Samuel R. Scholes Jr. Lecture at 8 p.m. April 13 in Nevins Theater in the Powell Campus Center on the AU campus. Dr. Carleton Moore '54 will deliver a lecture entitled "The Chemistry of Meteorites: Messengers from Time and Space"...

(Photo) Kirsten Calkins, Alfred-Almond high school French teacher, received agenerous grant of \$500 from ExxonMobil to support her teaching of French and the Francophone world to her students...

The Dugout—After demolishing Georgia Tech in Monday's NCAA men's basketball championship tilt, it is even more obvious that UConn's win over Duke in the semi-final, in a terribly officiated game, was indeed the defacto title game. The Huskies from the Big East are the champs again (1999) as head coach Jim Calhoun has added title #2 to his growing resume. UConn stopped Duke in that title game, 77-74 and after nipping them Saturday, 79-78, it was a bitter pill to swallow for Blue Devil fans galore. Watched both those losses with Freddie "The Hammer" Taft, one in St. Pete's and the latest in Orlando. Our Man Frank was also around for the latest Duke loss. Have to believe Duke would've thumped Georgia Tech, as well, making it all the tougher for the blue & white in North Carolina. "Hats off" to the deserved champs from UConn!

50 Years Ago, April 8, 1954—The dumping grounds on the Randolph Road used by this village for several years was closed this week...Clarence Jacox, owner of the property, no longer wanted to rent the property...for \$10 a month. Jacox, a farmer, said the dump was becoming a hazard to the cows grazing, due to broken glass and tin cans...James Tinklepaugh and Edwin Soxman of the Air Force Project went to Wright-Patterson Air Base at Dayton, Ohio on business for the project...Coming home tomorrow to spend the spring vacation with their parents are Miss Eleanor Armstrong, Miss Mary Jane Parish and Miss Robert Snyder, all of Buffalo State Teachers' College...Phillip Thorngate left Friday on his trip back to Milton College, Milton, Wisc., after visiting his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. George Shaw. Enroute he spent the weekend with Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burdick in Cleveland, Ohio...

The word is getting out. Alfred is gearing up for a huge celebration of the 30th anniversary of the installation of our one and only traffic light June 4. What better way to honor the event than to have a parade? The Alfred-Almond Junior High School Marching Band will kick off the parade starting at the south end of the business district and head north right through the traffic light. Residents of Alfred and surrounding communities are invited and encouraged to join in the fun...

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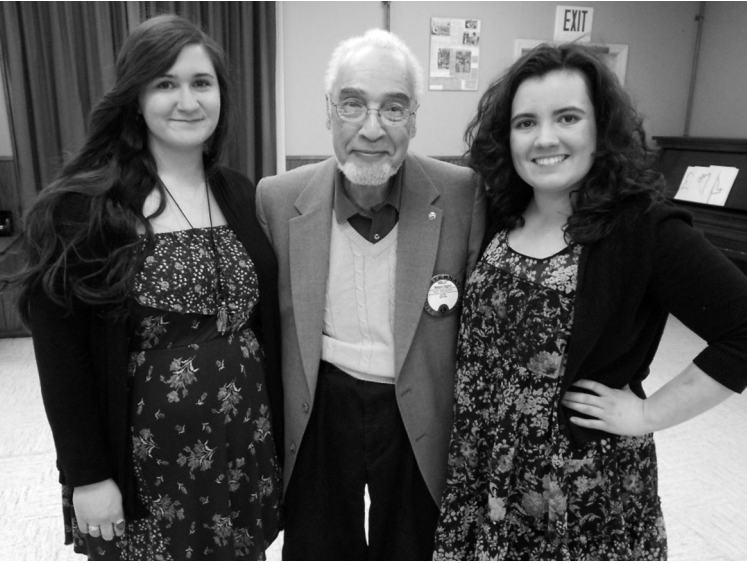
By KATHLEEN BENZAQUIN
Special to the Alfred Sun

ALFRED--The Alfred Lions Club recently hosted an open program featuring the Alzheimer's Glass and Iron Project. Founder Rosemarie Oakman and fellow Director Elise Betrus shared pictures and stories about the unique community outreach program they provide in conjunction with local Alzheimer's patients.

Alfred University students volunteer at a Hornell nursing home and use paintings produced by the residents to create artwork using the mediums of iron casting and glass. These works are then sold

with the proceeds going to the Alzheimer's Association. The project also focuses on support of the caregivers and grandchildren of those with Alzheimer's.

Recently Rosemarie and her colleagues presented at the 30th Annual Association for Gerontology in Higher Education and the group plans a trip to Latvia and England to share their project idea. The Alfred community is fortunate to have such a noteworthy project that not only provides education about Alzheimer's but enhances the lives of patients and their families as well in a unique way.



Alzheimer's Project founder Rosemarie Oakman and Director Elise Betrus visit with Lion Wally Higgins. (Photo provided)

Pan Steak Dinner to be served April 11

ALMOND--The Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, Order of the Eastern Star, will serve a public Pan Steak dinner Friday, April 11 at the Lodge building, Karr Valley Road, Almond.

Dinners consist of pan steak and gravy, real mashed potatoes, vegetable, roll, dessert and beverage. Prices for adults are \$8 while children under 12 are \$4. Serving starts at 4:30 p.m. until sold out, usually before 6:30 p.m. Proceeds go towards upkeep of Fraternities Hall. There is plenty of parking in the rear of the building. For directions or more information, call Mary-Lou Cartledge, 587-8071.

Almond Book Club to meet April 15

The Almond Book Club will meet at 5 p.m. Tuesday, April 15 at The Almond 20th Century Club Library, Main Street, Almond. Two books chosen for discussion are A Christmas Beginning and A Christmas Grace by Anne Perry. Please join us for an hour of literary conversation. Everyone welcome. Refreshments will be served.

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Final Score was Alfred-Almond 65 - Prattsburgh 26. Addison played Corning West

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NOTICE OF FORMATION ANGELICA SPRING TRUCKING LLC

NOTICE OF FORMATION ANGELICA SPRING TRUCKING LLC Articles of Organization filed with Sec'y of State (SSNY) on 2/28/14. Office location: Allegany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o the Company, 99 West Avenue, Angelica, New York 14709. 12-6b

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'Passion of the Christ' calendar of events

ALFRED STATION—In the life of the Christian Community we are entering what is popularly called "Easter Season." Your friends and neighbors at the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "A 3 C church: Connect-Care-Community" invite you to join them in remembering and celebrating the heart of the Christian Gospel, the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus the Christ.

Since the 19th century Seventh Day Baptist scholars have offered a chronology of the "Passion Week" which presents a different approach from commonly held views. This time-line establishes "The Triumphal Entry" on the Sabbath, "The

Crucifixion" on Wednesday, and "The Resurrection" at least by twilight on the Sabbath.

Your friends and neighbors hope that the following calendar of events will heighten the reality of the "Passion of The Christ" for you and yours.

Sabbath (Sat.) April 12 at 11 a.m. Sabbath Worship Hour – Palm Sabbath

Wednesday, April 16 at 6 p.m., "At the Foot of the Cross" (located in front of the church meeting house). "Remembering the death of Jesus."

Sabbath (Sat.) April 19 at 11 a.m. Sabbath Worship Hour – Easter Sabbath.

Sabbath (Sat.) April 19 at 6 p.m. "At the Foot of the Cross,"

"Celebrating the resurrection of Jesus."

The Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church meeting house is the big white building located at 587 Route 244, Alfred Station. The building is down from The Alfred Station Firehouse, Robert Lawrence Trucking, Baker's Bridge Antiques and Canacadea Country Store. The Cross in front of the meeting house is up from Bicycle Man, Hi Tech Ceramics, Alfred Town Offices, Way to Gro, and Alfred Knitting Studio. The church campus is across from the Hill-bottom Pottery. If you would like further information call the church office 607-587-9176.

'When Jesus Disappoints' John 11:1-45

By LINDA STAIGER

We've all had experiences when we've felt disappointed and we've questioned God. We think that we were somehow unholy, that it was just plain wrong, to question God. He is sovereign and in control, who are we to question Him? If you still think that way, look at the Psalms and see how common it was for David, a man after God's own heart, to question God. Why, O Lord? When, O Lord? Many of the Psalms question God—why He does what He does, why He allows all this evil. This is a natural response to the evil around us and it's OK if we question it.

Look at John 11:1-45 and you see the disciples, who know Jesus is the Christ and yet they question Him. It's natural for us to question God when tragedy

strikes. OK. The disciples did. But in the end they never lost sight of who Jesus was. And they did what He asked them to do. So the deal, then, is go ahead and question, BUT let Him continue to be Lord in our lives, never losing sight of who He is and go where He calls. Questioning is not a sin—it's honest and God wants us to be honest with Him.

So Jesus and His disciples go to Bethany. Martha comes to greet Him saying: "Lord, if you had been here my brother would not have died." She knew Jesus had the power to heal. He told her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even if he dies. Do you believe this?" She said yes. Then Mary shows up, saying the same thing... "If only..." No matter what He said, they still

grieved so. Facing the ultimate disappoint: the death of a loved one. Jesus did feel that pain, too. He asked to see the tomb, but Martha, who said she believed, expected only that her brother would be rotted and stinky. The stone was rolled away, Jesus said, "Lazarus, come out!" And out came Lazarus! They saw. They believed and put their faith in Him. Lazarus was given a second chance at life. What would be different in YOUR life if you received a second chance like this? Talk about starting over! Consider this: when you accept Jesus as your Lord and Savior, that's exactly what happens. "If anyone is in Christ...the old has gone, the new has come."

There is a story of a man who wanted to marry, but he insisted on looking for a virgin. One day, his employer, Walter, needed him to drive to a particular bridge... Walter felt a strong pull to go there. On the bridge there was a woman who was tormented by her affairs and other sins to such a degree that she wanted to kill herself. The driver stayed in the car and prayed while Walter talked to the woman...as he prayed, a voice said that this woman would be his wife. He knew of her lifestyle and could not accept marrying her, but what he didn't realize at first was that once she was 'washed in the blood of Jesus,' she was without spot, or blemish—she was a virgin in spirit. And yep—it is happily everafter for this couple. C.S. Lewis wrote, "The central Christian belief is that Christ's death has somehow put us right with God and given us a fresh start." Remember: it's OK to question God, but also remember that He has given you a fresh start. Make it count. Live a life that gives glory to God.

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Dear Mom, Dad, Grandpa and Grandma:

Here's a chance for you to show off the pride and joy of your family. *Alfred Sun* will publish its annual ever-popular "Parade of Little People" on Thursday, April 17, 2014.

All-age youngsters are eligible. Bring in or send your youngsters' pictures to the ALFRED SUN by Saturday, April 12, 2014. No matter where you live, a picture of your Little Person will be accepted. The charges listed below will help cover the costs of processing your photo(s) and printing.

Wallet size pictures are preferable to large portrait size pictures. Color pictures, except Polaroid (which do not reproduce well) are acceptable although black and white is preferable. It is best if there is only one child per photo. However, all photos will be accepted. The charge for photos with more than one child reflects the additional space for identification.

Fill out the coupon below to insure that your youngster is included in the Parade of Little People in the March 28 issue. Print the child's name on an edge on the back of the picture. For multiple submissions, the form below can be duplicated.

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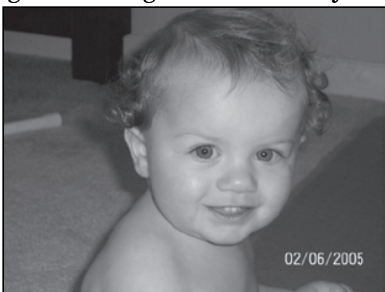
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Brett Carroll nets game-winner in Saxons' 12-11 win

ELMIRA--Senior attack Brett Carroll (Buffalo/Bishop Timon-St. Jude) netted a goal with just 2:44 remaining to lift the Alfred University men's lacrosse team (3-5, 1-2 Empire 8) to a 12-11 win at Elmira on Saturday, giving the Saxons their first Empire 8 Conference win of the season.

The score was tied 7-7 after three quarters before Alfred opened an 11-8 lead in the fourth. Elmira answered with three straight to make it 11-11 with 3:30 minutes left to play. Then Carroll notched the game-winning goal for the AU win.

Carroll (five ground balls, three caused turnovers) and Brendan Sullivan (Stafford, VA/North Stafford) finished with five and four goals, respectively. Sophomore midfielder Tanner Morse (Corning East) (three assists), freshman midfielder Derek Bishopp (Livonia), and freshman midfielder Nick Skibitsky (Buffalo/Williamsville East) each scored once.

Freshman midfielder Jimmy Pratti (Minisink Valley) went 14-of-26 on face-offs and added eight ground balls. Senior defender Pat Walsh (Buffalo/Bishop Timon-St. Jude) had six groundballs. Junior goalie Cody O'Connor (Whitney Point) made eight saves in the net.

Women's lacrosse team loses to Keuka, Stevens

The women's lacrosse team (1-5, 0-2 Empire 8) dropped a 19-4 decision to Keuka College, on Wednesday evening, and later fell at Stevens Tech, 18-6, on Saturday afternoon.

Against Keuka, senior attack Ashley White (Islip), senior defender Janelle Gallipeau (Rochester/Greece Olympia), junior attack Kaitlyn Button (Cazenovia) and freshman attack Megan Wendt (Grand Is-



BRETT CARROLL's late goal lifted AU to its first E8 win.

land) each scored once for the Saxons. Junior goalie Taylor Tarajos (Rochester/Greece Olympia) minded net for AU, making seven saves.

Against Stevens, Wendt paced scored two goals while junior midfielder Sarah Evans (Lafayette/Manlius-Pebble Hill) (four ground balls, three caused turnovers), White, Gallipeau, and Button each scored once. Tarajos made a game-high 13 saves for AU.

Softball team takes three of four, Olivieri gets 200th win

The softball team (12-4, 1-1 Empire 8) picked up two non-conference wins to Keuka College on Wednesday evening, winning by scores of 9-0 and 14-0, then split the Saxons' Empire

8 Conference opening doubleheader with visiting Stevens. The win in the second game of the Stevens twinbill gave Gino Olivieri his 200th career coaching win at AU.

AU held Keuka to three hits in each game, as both contests were stopped after five innings.

After dropping the opener to Stevens, 3-2 in eight innings, the Saxons rebounded to take the second game, 5-1, giving head coach Gino Olivieri his 200th win as the Saxons' skipper.

In the second game, the contest was scoreless until the bottom of the third, when AU sophomore second baseman Dana Torchia (Pompton Plains, NJ/Pequannock Twp.) hit an RBI single, Thompson scored on

a fielder's choice, and sophomore catcher Jasmine Picini (Alexandria, VA/West Potomac) belted a two-run single.

That was all the support frosh pitcher Sophia Chiavetti (Santa Ana, CA/Foothills) needed, as she allowed an unearned run on three hits over five innings, striking out three and walking four. Katelyn Jakobsen (Elmwood Park, IL) came on with a runner on and no outs in the sixth and held the Ducks scoreless over the final two frames, allowing two hits and striking out three.

Dana Torchia (Pompton Plains, NJ/Pequannock Township) was 2-for-4 with a run scored and an RBI. Sophomore outfielder Samantha Jauregui (Lindsay, CA) went 2-for-4 and scored a run and senior outfielder Samijo Scheer (Corning East) hit a double, scored a run and drove in two.

Olivieri achieved his 200th career collegiate coaching victory (all at AU), in this, his ninth season at the Saxons' helm. After Sunday's doubleheader, Olivieri, the schools' all-time leader in coaching wins, has a career record of 200-116.

Men's tennis tops Houghton and Hartwick, falls to Stevens

The men's tennis team (9-6, 1-1 Empire 8) sandwiched 8-1 road wins at Houghton Tuesday and Hartwick on Sunday, around a 9-0 loss at Stevens Saturday.

In the win over Houghton, senior Stefan Nonnenmann (New Providence, NJ) won his fourth singles match, 6-0, 6-2, and teamed with sophomore Connor Doud (Ballston Spa) to take first doubles, 8-1. The wins gave Nonnenmann 72 combined singles and doubles wins in his career, a school record.

Also winning singles matches for AU Tuesday were: Doud, 6-1, 6-0 in first singles; senior Peter Benoit (Gasport/Barker), 6-1, 6-1 in second singles; freshman Evan Haskins (East Amherst/Williamsville North), 7-6 (7-4), 6-0 in fifth singles; and sophomore Kyle Merrifield (Amherst/Sweet Home), 6-1, 6-4 in sixth singles. Benoit and junior Michael Graham (Elmira/Southside) won second doubles, 8-4, and Haskins and Merrifield won third doubles, 9-8.

Against Hartwick, the Saxons took five of six singles matches. Doud won first singles, 6-3, 6-2; Benoit won second singles, 6-2, 7-5; Graham won third singles, 6-0, 6-0; Nonnenmann won fourth singles, 6-0, 6-1; and sophomore Matt Baloga (Goshen) won sixth singles, 6-3, 6-4. AU swept three doubles

matches. Doud and Nonnenmann won first doubles, 8-3; Benoit and Graham took second doubles, 8-1; and Haskins and senior Eric Teller (Granville) claimed third doubles, 8-3.

Saxons compete

at Muhlenberg Invitational

The men's outdoor track and field competed Saturday at Muhlenberg College. There were no team scores, but several AU athletes turned in solid performances.

Senior Nolan Rummel (Kings Park) took seventh in the 800-meter run (1:59.52) and Ian Bishop (Bronx/Bronxwood Prep) was seventh in the shot put (12.88 meters) to lead AU.

Hillman wins sprints;

Graudons takes pole vault

AU junior Miasia Hillman (Buffalo/Hutch Tech) won two sprint events, both in school-record times, Saturday at Muhlenberg College. Hillman won the 100-meter dash (12.28 seconds) and 200-meter dash (25.56 seconds). Senior Jennifer Kirsch (Penfield) broke the AU school record in the discus with a sixth-place throw of 34.54 meters.

AU senior Rebecca Graudons (Mayfield) tied for first in the pole vault (3.20 meters).

AU hunt seat equestrian team ends season at Zone 2

The Hunt Seat equestrian team's season ended Sunday at the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA) Zone 2 championships, held at the Fairfield Hunt Club in Fairfield, CT.

Junior Casey Duncan (Stuarts Draft, VA) was fifth in intermediate equitation on the flat; sophomore Haley Argersinger (West Monroe/Paul V. Moore) eighth in walk-trot-canter, senior Stephanie Mistark (Pittsford Sutherland) third in walk-trot; and freshman Jessica Pierce (Strongsville, OH) fourth in novice equitation on the flat.

Scheer, Carroll Named

Saxon Athletes of the Week

Samijo Scheer: The senior outfielder from Corning hit a double, scored a run and drove in two as AU beat Stevens in the second game of the doubleheader. For the week, which included a sweep of Keuka, Scheer went 5-for-12 with three doubles, three runs scored and five driven in.

Brett Carroll: The senior attacker from Buffalo netted the game-winning goal with 2:44 left in regulation to give the men's lacrosse team a 12-11 victory at Elmira, the Saxons' first of the year in Empire 8 play. Carroll finished the game with five goals, five groundballs and three caused turnovers.

Alfred State College Sports Roundup

Baseball team has a 1-3 week

Baseball: 2-17

The baseball team went 1-3 this past splitting a doubleheader vs. Corning CC (L 4-3 and W 6-2) and falling in two tight contests vs. Brock University (7-4 and 7-6).

Jordyn Confer (Williamson/Tioga) and Ryan Hierlwimmer (Livonia) both were 5 for 13 on the week to lead the offense. Hierlwimmer connected on two doubles and led the team with 3 RBI.

On the mound, Brady Sass (Caledonia Mumford) earned his first win of the season tossing a complete game ten-hitter. He

walked none and struck out eight. Ryan Hedges (Arkport) also pitched well allowing just one earned run in 6.1 innings.

Lacrosse: 1-11

Nate Spoor (Penn Yan), John Garbowski (Mohagan Lake), and David Ford (Elmont) all recorded six or more points as the Pioneers battled three times last week. The Pioneers lost a heartbreaking 13-12 decision at Wells, a 14-4 contest at Cazenovia, and a 15-7 in the snow vs. Finger Lakes CC.

Spoor found the back of the net seven times, Garbowski had five goals and an assist, and

Ford passed out six assists this past week. In net Mike Alessi (Liverpool) returned from injury and made 30 saves.

Softball: 3-9

Weather continued to keep the Lady Pioneers off the field this past week. They will try to get some games in this week with doubleheaders scheduled on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Track & Field: Men: 10th in Atlantic Region

Josiah Thomas (Rochester/John Marshall) qualified for the ECAC Outdoor Championships with a 4th place finish in the triple jump at the Millersville Metrics. The Pioneer men finished 22nd with 13 points in the competition while the women finished 24th with two points.

Thomas recorded a mark of 13.61 m in the triple jump to qualify for the ECAC championships May 15-16 at RPI. Thomas was also part of the 4x400 relay team that finished 3rd in 3:31.21. He teamed with Khristi Gregg (Rochester/Aquinas), Nate Andres (Arcade/Pioneer), and Zach Woodard (Adams Center) in the race.

On the women's side the 4x800 relay team of Mikaela Shaw (Attica), Dayonna Holmes (Rochester/Charlotte), Brianna Brynes (Jordan Elbridge), and Sarah Wise (Avoca) finished in 7th in 11:54.18. Holmes also ran the 3rd fastest time in school history in the 200 m. She finished in 27.14.

29 teams scored points in the men's competition while 26 scored on the women's side.



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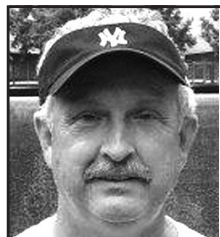
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The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

The Kentucky Wildcats and the UConn Huskies squared off in the 2014 NCAA Division I men's basketball championship this past Monday after UK nailed another, late shot to advance and UConn blasted the #1-overall seed in the Florida Gators. The Wildcats were ranked #1 to start the season and have ended up in the title game with a tournament surge after falling to Florida in the SEC championship contest. UConn is a surprise ... any UK-UConn sheets out there?, as their defense has carried them for five games in the tourney. A late start on Monday nite and am going with the 'Cats to win another championship. Ouch.

For the first time in history there were two undefeated programs colliding in the NCAA women's basketball championship game as UConn (39-0) and Notre Dame (37-0) squared off on Tuesday nite in Nashville, TN. This wouldn't have happened last year, record-wise, as both were in the same conference but the two best programs in the past 4-5 years overall will meet once more. Notre Dame has had their way with UConn of late so that should've been interesting to begin with to see if the Irish can continue that run. UConn over ND by five. Breanna Stewart of "nearby" Syracuse the MVP.

The Minnesota Golden Gophers and Coach Richard Pitino won the NIT men's hoop title as they stopped the SMU Mustangs and Coach Larry Brown. Pitino is the son of Louisville coach, Rick Pitino and Brown was attempting to add an NIT title to his NCAA-NBA championship resume.

The Siena Saints (Albany area) were in the finals of the CBI men's basketball tourney. Whatever that is! The former home of coaches Mike Deane, now an assistant at James Madison and Bob W. Beyer (AU), now an assistant with the Charlotte Bobcats in the NBA.

The Rochester RazorSharks are in the Premier Basketball League finals as they are taking on the Indianapolis Diesels in a best-of-three tilt. Rochester won the opener at the BCA at the War Memorial and head to Indy for the second contest. The PBL team is coached by former Syracuse guard, Lawrence Mouten and now has a record of (18-1) in this screwy league.

Spring(?) weather has not been a friend to baseball and softball teams, high school and college, this year which includes Coach Skip Sherman's (A-A) Geneseo CC Cougars squad. They are (2-13) with postponements galore, including recent outings versus FLCC and MCC. Sherman's troops did manage to get on the field against Monroe CC this past Sunday in Rochester where they dropped both games.

Joe Q. French (ex-ASC) and his UMBC Retrievers softball team were slated to play a "double dipper" this past Saturday in Binghamton plus one more on Sunday in conference action. Ended up being one outing on a chilly Saturday and two the next day as UMBC dropped all three to fall to (22-14) on the season. Initially gave it some thought to heading to games on Saturday but morning snow in Rochester didn't make that six-hour (3/3) trip all that appealing. The former ASC/Geneseo women's hoop coach and his Retrievers now head to Maine this coming weekend. Yikes!

Tim Mead and his Walsh Cavs baseball team in Ohio has rebounded nicely after a sluggish start and were at (15-15) as of this past weekend. Mead's (Andover) program took three straight from Northwood and 2-of-3 over Findlay of late.

Coach Jeff Long's Ithaca Bombers (8-3) lax team took out some recent frustrations on Houghton as they drilled the new E8 member, 19-0 over the weekend. Ithaca's defeats were to top ten teams, RIT-Cabrini-Cortland. #1 RIT and #3 Cabrini are undefeated. The Alfred Saxons (3-5) host Ithaca on April 23rd.

Alfred-Almond graduate Stephanie (Lobdell) Landsman, from the great class of 1970, continues to shine in her running career as she most recently competed in a half-marathon in Clear Lake, Texas. Landsman ran in the Angie's Half Crazy Half-Marathon over the weekend past, taking first in her division and was 197th female overall out of 536 (most younger) women competing. In addition, she improved on her personal best time in the H-M by over four-minutes!

A-A grads Our Man Frank and Jake Taft took in the home/season opener of the Tampa Bay Rays a week ago Monday at The 'Trop in St. Pete's, FL. The Rays were victorious over Toronto. Fellow A-A grad, Scummer and former A-A grade schooler, Jamie Bennett (Lyons) unable attend due to work. Huh?

Speaking of MLB, how about doing away with their current "division-loaded" slate a games! Taking the AL East, for example, easily the toughest division in all of baseball and using Tampa Bay for example, they have to play 19-games each against the likes of the NY Yankees, Boston, Baltimore and Toronto. Obviously the division winner makes the playoffs but tough for a wild card team to emerge as they butt heads all season long. The Yanks make one trip to Cleveland this year (per normal now) and for the second or third straight season, it is mid-week. Yuk. How about playing a "mere" 15-games against division foes and move those 20-games against the other two divisions? Maybe more one year and less the next on a rotating

The Dugout continued...

basis! Give fans two chances to see some teams in their home park instead of just once.

Union College (NY) is in the NCAA Division I "Frozen Four" as the Dutchmen square off against perennial power, Boston College in one semi-final. North Dakota and Minnesota are matched in the other game.

The Rochester Knighthawks are cruising in the NLL pro indoor lax league as they have upped their slate to (11-4) with two wins this past weekend over Minnesota. The two-time defending champs have clinched the East Division while undefeated Edmonton rules the West Division.

Some NYS vanity plates spotted of late: SPADMAN ... not Spiderman, EMERY J ... former AU hoop assistant, PIZZABUG ... go Domino's (Gaisser)!, LIVE TLC, SALYWRLD, FISHLEIN ... in Kentucky and LUV2HIKE ... ADK'S !!

The Alfred Saxons (12-4) softball team is coming off a weekend split with Stevens in E8 action after games with Elmira and Oneonta were postponed prior. The Elmira contests will have to be made up sometime as they are league contests. AU has games galore, weather permitting, this week versus RIT, Hilbert, Houghton and SJ Fisher.

No Tiger Woods at The Masters this year. Winner ... Fred Couples (I wish!). Wide open and going with Zach Johnson to win it.

Lexi Thompson won the first major on the LPGA Tour as she grabbed the Kraft Nabisco Championship. Fellow Americans Michelle Wie, Stacy Lewis and Cristie Kerr were 2-3-4. Thompson all of 19-years old.

Former Geneseo All-American field hockey player, Michelle Milkovich ... good friends with 3L, at the NCAA women's "Final Four" as part of her duties at the University of Maryland. Sweet.

"The Traveling Sports Fan" from Almond took in the NCAA tournament action when it was in Buffalo for rounds 1-2. Guessing he isn't off to Texas! Maybe Siena instead?

Former Duke assistant hoop coach and player, Steve Wojciechowski now the head coach

at Marquette. "Wojo" joins recent Blue Devil coaches Tommy Amaker (Harvard), Johnny Dawkins (Stanford) and Chris Collins (Northwestern) as head honchos now. One of them to replace Coach K down-the-road?

Thoughts and prayers for NFL Hall of Famer and Buffalo Bills QB, Jim Kelly.

MLB Hall of Famer Hank Aaron broke the all-time HR record 40-years ago this week. Had a chance meeting once in a steakhouse in West Palm Beach with Aaron as down there with Cutter, Oscar ... The Big O and "E" ... Bruce Emery. Renting a car from "Clem" to get there!

The Sun Bowl on the Senior PBA Tour will be at The Villages in Florida, April 19-22. The event will have the likes of: Tom Baker (ex-Buffalo), Parker Bohn III, Norm Duke, Tommy Kress (Rochester), Wayne Webb, Pete Weber, Walter Ray Williams, Jr. and others in the packed field. Will get an update from Big D from the event.

Speaking of A-A grad, Derck Frechette, had recent visit there as he took me to the Eisenhower Museum in one of the new parts of The Villages. Very impressive!

An overall great trip to Florida as it was good seeing friends again in week one as we hit the links big-time. Wish(?) Drip-Wop-Smitty-Brownie/Hilly there as well. Should golf with Smitty A-A alumni weekend in our "annual" outing and hoping to hook-up with McDrip again over Columbus Day weekend in Lake George for some golf. Week two a busy one as well with work around park in Molokai for Mom & Don, seeing Bob & Barb Baker, the Schon's and guys from Molokai golf league that I have known for years. Unfortunately not as many around these days. Did not touch base with Andy Laramie from Vermont or Frank Ritchie though as they weren't at golf day I was there. Two guys I look forward to seeing each March. Big D and Janis, Steve and Dee, pretty much a standard week for me and a solid one!

Next sporting event in person ... maybe the AU at Geneseo softball games April 21st.



THIS WAS THE SCENE at Yunevich Stadium at Alfred University Saturday as the Alfred Rugby Club competed against St. Bonaventure on a snowy turf. (Photo by Bill Pulos)

Rugby Club makes history...again

ALFRED—The Alfred University Rugby Club on Saturday, April 5, continued to make history as it made its second consecutive weekend appearance for rugby games on the Merrill Field turf at Alfred University's Yunevich Stadium in downtown Alfred. This was the first time intercollegiate rugby had been played at Merrill Field two weeks in a row.

The previous Saturday, March 29 had been a cold, damp day; on Saturday, April 5 the turf was covered with snow as the white stuff had come down the previous night and the wind chill was in the teens.

Nevertheless, with brave spectators in the stands, Alfred Rugby came out strong against a St. Bonaventure side and won the first game of the day 31-7. The Bonnies came back with the same side to beat Alfred's devel-

opmental team in the second game by a similar score.

Now having won two games over the last two weekends, Al-

fred's last home appearance this spring will be on Jericho Hill during Hot Dog Day on Saturday, April 26.

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