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Renegades snap losing streak with key wins over Aberdeen

By Rich Thomaselli

Traditionally, the Hudson Valley Renegades have not had great success against Aberdeen, dating back to the two teams competing against each other more than 20 years in the rookie ball New York-Penn League.

Maybe Friday night's late burst of magic will help to change that mode.

The Renegades outlasted the Aberdeen IronBirds 9-7 on Friday night at Leidos Field at Ripken Stadium. The win snapped Hudson Valley's four-game losing streak.

They also defeated the IronBirds on Saturday and Sunday to improve to 21-12 on the season.

The Renegades scored all nine of their runs after the sixth inning.

Hudson Valley's Juan Carela began his outing retiring the first nine batters before running into trouble in the fourth. Max Wagner reached base with a walk, and Frederick Bencosme singled to place runners at first and second. Wagner stole third and scored on a Carela balk, and Silas Ardoine singled home Bencosme later in the frame to extend the lead to 2-0.

With one out in the bottom of the fifth, Luis Valdez pushed a bunt down the third base line and reached second when Carela's throw went wild down the right field line. Bailey Dees replaced Carela after that and uncorked a wild pitch in the frame that allowed Valdez to score, padding the IronBirds advantage to 3-0.

After only recording one hit in the first five innings against IronBirds starter Alex Pham, the Renegades offense came to life in the sixth. Spencer Jones crushed a one-out double to left-center and scored on a Spencer Henson single.

That opened the floodgates.

The Renegades took the lead with a four spot against Kyle Virbitsky in the top of the seventh. The inning started with a walk to Aaron Palensky and a single by Grant Richardson. A fielder's choice placed Ben Cowles at first and Palensky at third base for Luis Santos, who delivered a two-out single to score Palensky to cut the Aberdeen lead to 3-2. Jones belted a three-run home run over the left field wall to complete the four-run inning, his sixth blast of the season. After missing three games, Jones returned to the lineup Friday and finished 2-for-4 with three runs scored, a double, a home run, and three RBIs.

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Bannerman Island to offer variety of tours, shows

By Kristine Coulter

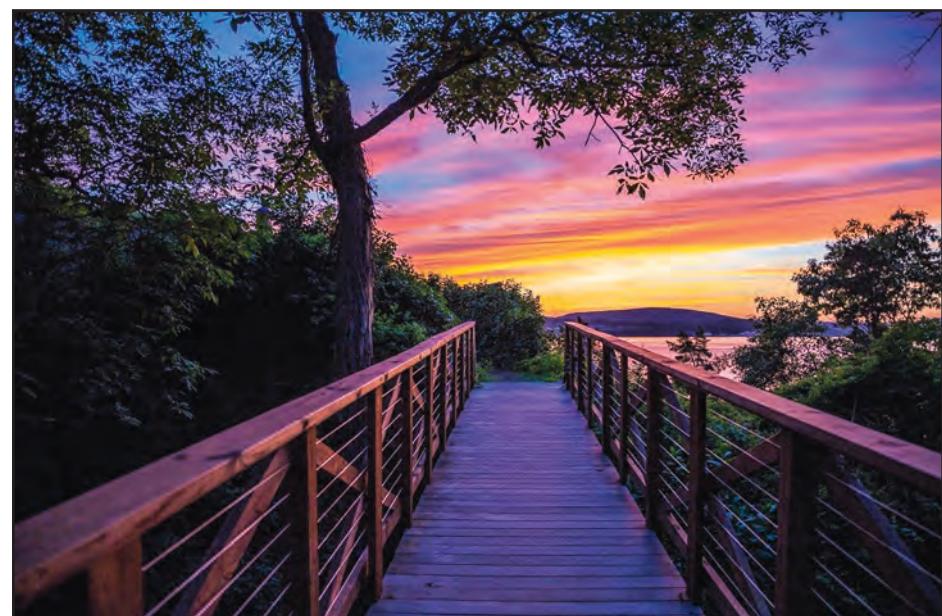
Take the Estuary Steward Tour Boat to Bannerman's Island and Castle, also known as Pollepel Island, situated right in the Hudson River for a bit of entertainment and history.

According to volunteer tour guides and information from Bannerman Castle Trust, Francis Bannerman VI came to the United States as a child. Bannerman Castle Trust, which works on renovating and upkeep of the island. Bannerman, who went on to publish the Bannerman catalog in 1884, and his family settled in Brooklyn. He was the breadwinner for his family.

During the year, the castle will have stabilization work done to its ruins and the towers in the water. There will also be improvements made to the residence on the inside and on its terraces, according to BCT officials.

It was stated that Mark Adams Greenhouses donated plants to help grow and expand the island's gardens. Sue and Mark Adams will sponsor the Third Music Concert Series this year, it was stated. During the tour, Parks and Trail NY was thanked for grants that were secured by BCT. The grants allowed BCT to restore sidewalks and terraces, as well as a new development director, according to BCT information.

Highlighted recently was the list of the 2023 theater events that will be occurring on the island. Scheduled are "Nunsense," which was an Off Broadway show, "The Anastasia File" and "Dracula." As in



New performances and stories await visitors to Bannerman's Island. Public tours are given through October.

-Courtesy photo by John Morzen Photography

2022, this year will also include a Titanic-themed dinner, which is set for May 20. During this dinner live music will also be performed by pianist Tom McCoy.

On September 2, chef Noah Sheetz will offer a Chefs Farm Fresh Dinner. The Storm King Duo, from Beacon, will perform during this dinner.

During the season there will be Sunday

Music Concerts. Some of the performers who will take the stage during this year's concerts are the Toland Brothers, Tom McCoy, Tony DePaolo, Daryl Brown and Little Bones, Jeffrey Kirn, and Harpist, Thistle.

How about watching a classic movie or two or eight on Bannerman Island? There

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ARF invites community to run, walk with the dogs May 21

By Kristine Coulter

The Animal Rescue Foundation, known as ARF, in Beacon is holding its 5K Run-Walk with the Dogs on May 21 at 10 a.m. at Memorial Park, Robert Cahill Dr., off Route 52, in Beacon. There is a \$30 registration fee (price increases on race day). Children 10 and under may participate in the race for free.

"This is a fun event- people can run/walk on their own, with a group or with their dog! We have music pumping and an overall fun vibe. The course is 5k through the beautiful streets of Beacon," said Kristen, who is a volunteer with ARF. Organizers note that all in-person participating dogs must be well-behaved and non-aggressive with people and other dogs. All dogs must be leashed and up-to-date with vaccinations.

ARF, said Kristen, is a 100% volunteer organization. "So ,100% of the proceeds go towards care of the animals (dogs/cats/puppies/kittens) and maintaining a safe and comfortable shelter for



The Animal Rescue Foundation, will hold its 5K Run-Walk with the Dogs on May 21 at Memorial Park in Beacon.

-Courtesy image

them as they await their forever homes," remarked Kristen.

There are volunteer opportunities at ARF.
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BCSD Mock Trial Club makes it to finals

Pine Plains district takes verdict

By Kristine Coulter

The Beacon High School Mock Trial Team had an excellent tournament this year. The club finished second in the Dutchess Moch Trial Tournament this year. The verdict in the finals went to the team from Pine Plains school district.

Matt Steltz, a Beacon High School social studies teacher and advisor for the school's Mock Trial Team, explained, "Currently we have 13 students on the team. We like to have four to five attorneys and need six witnesses. Some students will observe for their first year and some backup other witnesses, like an understudy."

The process "has been a mix of emotions," said Steltz. "I think obviously it's rewarding and exciting, but also exhausting and anxious," he remarked.

Labibah and Harsh are two members of Beacon High School Mock Trial Team.

"As a freshman in high school, I was immediately drawn to Mock Trial, as I have always had a keen interest in debate. I recognized it as an excellent opportunity to develop my public speaking and debating skills. Furthermore, Mock Trial has allowed me to learn about the legal system and courtroom procedures in a fun and interactive way. It also allowed me to work in a team, build confidence, and gain experience in arguing cases," said Labibah, who has been in Mock Trial for four years now.

As for the finals, Labibah remarked, "The finals have been an exciting experience. It was the culmination of the hard work and dedication put in by our team members throughout the year. The finals were held in a real courtroom setting, which adds to the authenticity of the experience. We were able to



Members of the Beacon City School District Mock Trial Club at Beacon High School recently made it to the finals. The team was beaten in the verdict by the club from Pine Plains Central School District.

-Courtesy photo

showcase our skills and knowledge, and it was an intense and rewarding experience for everyone."

The semi-finals were April 18th against Our Lady of Lourdes High School at the City of Poughkeepsie Common Council, said Steltz.

Harsh explained, "Our Semi-Finals game was close and at times, stressful. There were a couple of nail-biting moments in which our side may have slipped up a little, but ultimately, we came out on top. The only drawback has

been the time commitment that is required from all of us. Most of our real practice occurs at home where attorneys have to go over their opening or closing statements and their questions, and the witnesses have to re-read their affidavits and work on practicing their recollection."

So how has Mock Trial assisted Harsh? "Mock Trial is one of a few select clubs which can actually help you create and nurture life skills that you need for the rest of your life. Specifically, the speaking skills that you develop during these stressful trials are most definitely skills that will help later in life when you get a

job. Moreover, there are certain on-the-spot quick-thinking skills that attorneys and witnesses develop which are crucial in the trial," explained Harsh. "For example, an attorney must create and respond to objections whenever a question is asked, so the time to think between the start of the question and the end could be as little as five seconds. The witnesses have to respond to questions presented on the cross-examination in a timely manner as well. All this to say that mock trial has provided us with great skills and I'm sure it will for anyone that joins as well."

Labibah stated, "Throughout the four years I've been in Mock Trial, I acquired a wealth of knowledge that exceeded my initial expectations. Mock Trial was a valuable experience in my high school career, and I'm confident that these skills that I've gained will benefit me in my future endeavors." By joining Mock Trial, noted Labibah, "students can expect to gain valuable skills such as critical thinking, research, and communication that are essential for success in virtually any career."

"I've been the mock trial advisor at Beacon High School for 13 years. This is the furthest we've been in the Dutchess County Tournament. This is a very impressive and dedicated group of students. The combination of experience, mixed with the influx of new talent has made us a very imposing litigation team," Steltz said.

Steltz noted recently, "As a consolation, Labibah received the Breslow Award. This award is given to the best student attorney in Dutchess County. The judges and coordinator determine who receives the award based on their performances throughout the mock trial season."

Ulster Savings Bank to hold free virtual Homebuyer Seminar May 22

Are you looking for the home of your dreams and don't know where to start? Ulster Savings Bank invites you to a FREE virtual homebuyer seminar on May 22, starting at 5:30 p.m. They are hosting this event, along with Pathstone, to help attendees understand the many critical steps to owning one's own home.

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Bannerman Island to offer tours, shows this season



Public Tours are now offered for the season on Bannerman's Island. The tours are given through October.

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will be showings and screenings this season. There will be a showing of the film by David Patrick Wilson, who is a writer/director/actor. The film, which is called "Collar," will be shown on June 17.

ARF event planned

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We are looking for volunteers for any and all positions, but mostly street marshals - they maintain road safety for the people and dog runners/walkers and provide course direction," said Kristen. "We are also looking for people to help at the water stations and with set up and break down." Anyone interested in volunteering can fill out this form online, <https://runsignup.com/Race/Volunteer/NY/Beacon/ARF5K>.

Those who are interested in participating in the 5K can sign up at <https://events.elitefeats.com/23arf>.

For more information, email arfbeacon5k@gmail.com.

Volunteers needed for July 4th celebration

Seeking volunteers to assist in coordinating the July 4th Celebration in the City of Beacon.

Interviews will be conducted by Dennis Pavelock. For more information, call him at 845-416-5330.

Get on Down dance set May 25

Get On Down at the Towne Crier Dance Jam on May 25 at 7 p.m., located at 379 Main Street, in Beacon. Dance to a vibrant mix of musical; song requests welcome. Fine dining, snacks, desserts and full bar are available before and during the dance. These dances are informal. All are welcome – singles, couples, friends, newcomers. There is a \$10 admission fee.

For more information, call 845-765-0667 or email rhodaja@optonline.net.

Courtyard Marriott case concludes with Murder 2 conviction

Dutchess County Chief Assistant District Attorney Matthew A. Weishaupt announced on Friday, May 12, that Roy Johnson was convicted by a Dutchess County jury of the crimes of Murder in the Second Degree, for the murder of Paul Kutz that occurred at the Courtyard Marriott on October 2, 2022. Johnson was also convicted of three counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Second Degree, Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Third Degree, and Reckless Endangerment in the First Degree.

Johnson was acquitted of the Attempted Murder charge related to the worker in the Bistro area of the hotel lobby.

The trial took two weeks and the jury deliberated for approximately a day and a half before returning the verdict. Weishaupt said "The Kutz family has been devastated in a way that we cannot comprehend nor change, but we hope this verdict will in some small way provide the family with the ability to move forward. The family remains in our prayers."

Weishaupt praised the cooperation and work of the law enforcement agencies involved from the outset: The Town of Poughkeepsie Police, which headed the investigation and worked seamlessly with the Troop K State Police Forensic Investigations Unit; the Dutchess County Sheriff's Office; the Safe Streets Task Force; City of Poughkeepsie Police; the United States Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York, other responding law enforcement agencies, and members of Dutchess County's District Attorney's

Office, both at the scene and in the months that followed.

Weishaupt further stated, "It is this collaborative team effort that led to this verdict. This effort never waned despite outside pressures. Everyone involved in this case deserves a great deal of credit for remaining focused on the task at hand; it was truly an outstanding job."

Weishaupt praised Bureau Chiefs Kristine Whelan and Robert Knapp, Deputy Bureau Chief Angela Lopane, Crime Analyst Andrea Tegtmeier and the team of Assistant District Attorneys, Investigators, and support staff for their dedicated and exceptional work in preparing this case for Grand Jury and Trial. The Discovery process involved in this case was unprecedented and took more than six months to fully compile and turn over as required by law. All the personnel involved in the Discovery process and case preparation should be commended for doing an outstanding job, Weishaupt stated.

Judge McLoughlin continued the remand of the defendant without bail and has set sentencing in this matter for June 26.

The defendant, Roy Johnson, faces 40 years to life in prison following his conviction on the charges set forth above.

Weishaupt said, "The egregious facts of this case speak for themselves, and we will recommend the maximum penalty allowed by law."

Johnson still faces felony Murder and Robbery charges in the August 9, 2022, murder of Darren J. Villani in the City of Poughkeepsie.

Sheriff's Office sets Memorial Day observation

Sheriff Kirk Imperati announced that the annual Dutchess County Sheriff's Office memorial service will be held at the Law Enforcement Center on Parker Ave in Poughkeepsie on May 25, at 10 a.m. Because of the logistics involved with the ceremony, on May 25 the Sheriff's Office lobby will be closed to the public until noon. Members of both the Law Enforcement

and Corrections Divisions will be in full dress uniform for the ceremony, and local dignitaries will be recognized as well. During the ceremony fallen law enforcement officers who have made the ultimate sacrifice, former Sheriff's Office members who have passed away, and the brave men and women who keep our nation safe will all be honored.

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O'Neil writes Schumer about Title 42 expiration concerns

The following is a letter County Executive William F.X. O'Neil wrote to Senator Charles Schumer on May 10.

To Senator Schumer:

With New York City Mayor Eric Adams' announcement that he plans to shelter asylum seekers in Hudson Valley counties, it is with grave concern that Dutchess County requests your advocacy in communicating our dismay with President Biden and demand the Biden Administration conceive a comprehensive immigration policy to address how to stem the flow of the thousands of people who are, on a daily basis, crossing the nation's southern border with no plans for food, shelter, or security. With the expiration of Title 42 tomorrow, this situation will exponentially worsen without a comprehensive federal strategy. When the New York City Mayor, the leader of a declared "sanctuary city", is shipping hundreds of people OUT of his city, without adequately communicating with neighboring communities, it is clear there is no strategy.

The news of Mayor Adams' unilateral decision has been met with both concern and outrage throughout the Hudson Valley region, as local communities received little or no notice of these plans and there has been no coordination or information about the specifics of these individuals including duration of their stay, healthcare, security, employment, and a myriad

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of other issues. Here in Dutchess County, following the nationwide coverage of Mayor Adams' plan, we have been inundated with questions and concerns from our residents, and yet we have received no information to answer their questions or address concerns.

There is good cause for concern, and those concerns are shared by our local elected officials. Dutchess County, and its local villages, towns, and cities, is already facing housing issues for our existing residents, with the lack of affordable housing reaching crisis levels in many communities. There is no capacity for an influx of hundreds of additional people seeking emergency/transitional housing. Additionally, Dutchess' health and social services systems remain strained, particularly in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic. The expectation of counties providing wrap-around support services to hundreds of additional people without resources or funding is ludicrous.

Simply housing people en masse in local hotels is not a solution – it creates far more problems than it solves, overburdening local communities that do not have the necessary infrastructure or resources to meet people's needs. Without connections or support in the community, these transplanted individuals are at great risk for exploitation, trafficking, or criminal involvement. This is not a humane or logical solution.

This crisis must be addressed, and it must be addressed at the federal level. Once again, the Biden Administration's lack of planning has put communities throughout New York State in this perilous position. As such, we call on our federal delegation to demand President Biden finally take action and enact an immigration action that ends the chaos currently being felt throughout our state and our nation.

As Title 42 expires, we call on the Biden Administration to:

- Close the southern border until a logical, comprehensive plan is in place to address the hundreds of thousands of asylum seekers who are already here, in limbo, in the United States;
- Expedite the asylum review process, including the establishment of courts. Individuals should not have to languish for months, often years, without a clear pathway forward; and communities should not be put in the quandary of having to provide them services while they wait
- Facilitate a coordinated decompression strategy for the cities currently sheltering thousands of migrants;
- Federal financial resources should be made available, upfront, to communities across the nation who can willingly welcome, accommodate and support these asylum seekers.

The President's inaction is crippling our communities and endangering the residents you represent. In everyone's best interest, Dutchess County urges you to bring your constituents' concerns to the President and demand the aforementioned actions.

William F. X. O'Neil
Dutchess County Executive

Rolison, Weber send letter to Hochul asking about plan for migrants

The following letter was sent to Gov. Kathy Hochul from New York State Senators Rob Rolison and Bill Weber on May 13.

To Gov. Hochul:

Your Friday, May 12 request to federal officials for additional resources to manage the ongoing humanitarian emergency in the Hudson Valley was a welcome sign that federal, state, and local officials may still be able to resolve this crisis before it gets worse.

We represent thousands of individuals, families and businesses in Rockland and Orange counties directly in the path of the migrant arrivals. Currently there are dozens of migrants, mostly men, occupying hotel stock in Orange, with an indeterminate number scheduled to be bused in from New York City to seek housing and other services in the coming days and weeks. With the Centers for Disease Control's Title 42 directive [which ended] on Thursday, May 11, U.S. customs officials expect a tsunami of asylum seekers and migrants along the southern border at places other than established ports of entry. In our view, a lack of effective federal planning and communication together with New York City's dramatically short-sighted relocation policy have pushed local governments to the edge.

The U.S. immigration system is broken. If we ever hope to salvage from its ashes a viable alternative that supports a common-sense policy while protecting the rights of Americans who already live here, we need a more transparent system, full stop. To have New York City, state, and federal officials talking past each other is unacceptable and raises the odds of a humanitarian disaster involving hundreds, perhaps thousands, of human beings seeking opportunity and a better life. As of this writing, neither of our offices has received a briefing from your staff nor any state office associated with refugee resettlement or immigration. This lack of transparency erodes our constituents' trust in their state government and its ability to safeguard local communities in a fast-moving emergency.

If New York City has indeed, as you write, "exceeded capacity in its shelter system," why wasn't additional aid made available to Upstate governments earlier to manage the migrant overflow? What is the short-and long-term plan to shelter the approximately 20 homeless U.S. veterans who were displaced from their housing to accommodate the migrants? When will our counties be provided with an actionable timeline of services and resources flowing to the affected Upstate communities?

Lastly, what assurances do Rockland and Orange counties have from your administration and the NYS Mayor's Office that their local governments will not be forced to subsidize police services and other relocation costs after potentially hundreds of migrants exceed their four-month period of temporary housing in these communities without acquiring a work-authorization permit or equivalent labor certification? In a transparent decision-making setting, these questions and more would have already been addressed; sadly, we are not acting within that system -- yet.

Thank you for your urgent attention to this humanitarian crisis. For the sake and well-being of all involved, we have to get this right. We are ready to work with our State and Federal partners to ensure a timely resolution to the unfolding events in the Hudson Valley.

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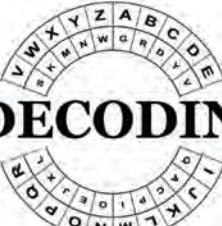
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Layers of Dutchess County history are exposed in a rare personal setting

Awards ceremony set on June 3

By Bill Jeffway

A rare weaving together of the varied and rich threads of Dutchess County history will come together at the historic 1840 Collins Estate, a private home in Union Vale, on Saturday, June 3. While the main purpose of the event focuses on the three traditional Dutchess County Historical Society (DCHS) Awards for 2023, the site, and the site's family history, is extraordinary in and of itself.

A direct descendant of the Collins family that built the home, Fredrika Groff, will attend with two daughters from her home in Colorado. Groff is central to the cohesiveness of the varied and intricate threads that reveal our county's distinct history. Her careful distribution of items among the DCHS, the Adriance Memorial Library, the Loeb at Vassar College, and the current owners and stewards of the home, Frank and Jennifer Castella, is a model of historic preservation. This preservation involves the home, family histories and genealogy, and objects that range from fine art to photographs and diaries to furniture.

The builder of the home was George Collins (1788-1848) and wife Elizabeth Borden Campbell (1795 to 1865). One of the interesting dynamics of the story is the tension caused by the Quaker insistence on simplicity while the couple and their descendants became increasingly successful in business and society.

A family fascination with growing things, and manufacturing things, is reflected in a diary entry of Fredrika Groff's grandmother, Elizabeth Borden Campbell (DCHS Collections). When she attended the US Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia she spent the first day in the Horticultural Hall and Machinery Hall. On Friday, June 16, 1876, she wrote, "One large machine runs all the machinery in the building," and goes on to list all the things she saw, like silk wallpaper, "made entirely by machinery." A respect for the integrity and importance of agriculture, while developing and

embracing revolutionary technologies, is a major thread in the family story. Campbell's husband, Albert Adriance Simpson, was a descendant of the well-known Adriance family.

Elizabeth Borden Campbell's sister, Ada, also married into the Adriance family. She married Isaac Reynolds Adriance who was involved in the Adriance, Platt & Co. and Moline Plow Company that at one time employed 1,500 people in Poughkeepsie. We may underestimate today how profound an impact a new type of farm plow could have. Adriance led the effort among his siblings to create Adriance Memorial Library.

The Loeb will have on display for the month of June, the portrait by Rembrandt Peale of Elizabeth Borden Campbell, the first resident of the house. It was gift of Fredrika Groff. That portrait, along with its companion of husband George Collins, also by Peale, will be featured as reproductions at the June 3rd event.

The Awards

The DCHS will carry on its longstanding tradition of given awards to both recognize and encourage best practice in support of local history in historic study, engagement of the broader community, and in business.

The DCHS Business of Historic Distinction Award is given for a long-standing tradition of service & commitment to Dutchess County residents. The 2023 Award goes to the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce. Frank Castella, Jr., President & CEO is accepting. Today's Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce traces its roots to the 1907 Poughkeepsie-based Chamber. Whether taking a leading, visible role, or working behind the scenes, the Chamber has been a champion and advocate for small and large business. Constant changes in technologies, customer needs, and fluctuating economic climates make this a constant need.

The DCHS Dutchess Award is given for exceptional contributions to the community in preservation, history & education. The 2023 Award goes to The Frances Lehman Loeb Art Center at Vassar College, Bart Thurber, Director, accept-



Above, the 1840 Collins Estate will be open in a rare and unique celebration of historic preservation and DCHS annual awards on June 3rd in Union Vale. The Greek Revival style home is attributed to the renowned local architect Nathaniel Lockwood, and has been carefully restored by hosts Jennifer and Frank Castella. A limited number of tickets are now available at www.dchsn.org/june3 or by calling 845-293-7711.

Right, The woman shown in fancy dress, Elizabeth Borden Campbell, married Albert Adriance Simpson. Their granddaughter, Fredrika Groff, who is responsible for the extraordinary stewardship of family history and items, will be visiting from Colorado for the event on June 3. Courtesy of DCHS

ing. The very deliberate, thoughtful, and evolving collaboration between the team at the Frances Lehman Loeb Art Center at Vassar College under the leadership of Bart Thurber — and DCHS — has allowed both organizations to expand what they offer to constituents. DCHS's major exhibition of the life and works of Caroline Morgan Clowes benefited from both material support and important counsel. We are pleased that four of Clowes's paintings are on exhibition at the Loeb through an extended loan agreement.

The DCHS Helen Wilkinson Reynolds Award goes to an individual or organization that has demonstrated a commitment to the necessary and accurate pursuit of historical truth embodied by DCHS founder Helen Wilkinson Reynolds. The 2023 Award goes to Local History & Genealogy Team & Rooms, Adriance Memorial Library, Tom Lawrence, Director, Poughkeepsie Public Library District accepting. Located on the main floor, the team has grown in size and

skills. In addition to classic archives there is a growing range of interpretation through programs, blogs and social media postings that tell a wide range of local stories.

Summary

Due to the generosity of our hosts, DCHS will benefit fully from the ticket price. In addition to the celebration of the best practices in preservation, and our enjoyment of the fruits of that careful stewardship and preservation, this is equally a request to support DCHS's ongoing work. Information at www.dchsn.org or call 845-293-7711.

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HV	Hudson Valley NYY	18	9	.667	-	6-4	L1
GW	Greensboro PIT	16	11	.593	2.0	4-6	W1
JS	Jersey Shore PHI	12	11	.522	4.0	7-3	W2
WW	Wilmington WSH	12	13	.480	5.0	4-6	W1
AB	Aberdeen BAL	10	15	.400	7.0	5-5	L1
BN	Brooklyn NYM	9	14	.391	7.0	5-5	W1
SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE SOUTH		W	L	PCT	GB	L10	STRK
WS	Winston-Salem CWS	18	7	.720	-	7-3	L1
HI	Hickory TEX	12	13	.480	6.0	3-7	L2
GR	Greenville BOS	12	14	.462	6.5	7-3	W3
RO	Rome ATL	12	14	.462	6.5	6-4	L2
BG	Bowling Green TB	11	14	.440	7.0	5-5	W2
AS	Asheville HOU	9	16	.360	9.0	2-8	L3

Renegades snap losing streak with key wins over Aberdeen

Continued from cover

It was a welcome sight after the Renegades scored just three runs in the previous two games. The team lost 1-0 on Thursday night and 3-2 in ten innings on Wednesday.

In Saturday's game, the Renegades overpowered Aberdeen 6-2. Hudson Valley jumped ahead early with a run in the first inning. After Spencer Jones led off the game with a double against Cooper Chandler (1-2), Jones advanced to third on a flyout to left field by Alexander Vargas. The next batter, Antonio Gómez, hit a deep fly ball to center field to score Jones from third and give the Renegades a 1-0 advantage.

The lead didn't last for long as the IronBirds capitalized on a defensive error to plate two runs in the bottom half of the frame and then took a 2-1 lead in the next inning.

Both pitching staffs excelled after that until the middle innings when the Renegades pounced on a defensive miscue by Aberdeen. After Eduardo Torrealba sin-

gleled to begin the fifth, Aldenis Sánchez laced a line drive to left field that glanced off the glove of Issac Bellony and rolled to the wall. Torrealba raced around from first base to score, while

Sánchez settled at second base. He would later advance to third on a wild pitch thrown by Chandler.

With the infield in on the grass and Sánchez at third, Jones hit a line drive off the turf and chest of Bencosme at second base. The recovery throw home by Bencosme was too late for Sánchez, and the run gave the Renegades a 3-2 lead.

This set Hampton up for his first professional win, as he struck out nine batters in five innings of work. Over his last three starts, the 2022 sixth-round pick out of Texas Tech has struck out 28 hitters in 14.2 innings of work. Danny Watson followed Hampton and hurled a scoreless three innings in relief while striking out two.

Players Statistics

PLAYER	TEAM	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	Avg	OBP	SLG	OPS
1 Aaron Palensky	LF HV	22	85	18	27	3	1	9	24	10	22	7	0	.318	.402	.694	1.096
2 Spencer Henson	1B HV	24	87	22	23	6	0	7	20	9	24	1	0	.264	.347	.575	.922
3 Spencer Jones	CF HV	26	112	21	34	11	3	6	25	7	39	9	1	.304	.339	.616	.955
3 Alexander Vargas	SS HV	25	103	17	25	3	2	6	16	9	33	6	2	.243	.310	.485	.795
5 Benjamin Cowles	SS HV	23	84	15	23	4	0	5	11	5	35	2	0	.274	.330	.500	.830
6 Marcos Cabrera	3B HV	21	75	9	17	3	1	2	8	7	27	2	1	.227	.293	.373	.666
6 Anthony Garcia	RF HV	18	63	15	10	3	0	2	9	12	33	1	2	.159	.289	.302	.591
6 Ben Rice	C HV	15	44	15	15	2	0	2	10	18	10	3	0	.341	.559	.523	1.082
6 Grant Richardson	RF HV	19	73	8	8	1	0	2	8	7	29	4	0	.110	.198	.205	.403
10 Rafael Flores	1B HV	23	88	10	28	6	0	1	11	8	22	1	0	.318	.371	.420	.791
10 Antonio Gomez	C HV	24	91	9	20	4	0	1	12	9	31	0	0	.220	.294	.297	.591
10 Aldenis Sanchez	LF HV	22	72	14	16	4	3	1	12	9	19	6	1	.222	.298	.403	.701
10 Luis Santos	2B HV	13	33	5	8	0	1	1	5	8	12	3	1	.242	.381	.394	.775
14 Kyle Battle	LF HV	3	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	1	0	.000	.167	.000	.167
14 Juan Crisp	C HV	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000
14 Caleb Durbin	2B HV	22	78	20	26	5	0	0	8	14	9	15	1	.333	.464	.397	.861
14 Eduardo Torrealba	2B HV	4	9	4	5	1	0	0	2	3	1	1	1	.556	.667	.667	1.334

Pitcher Statistics

PLAYER	TEAM	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	SO	WHIP	Avg
1 Zach Messinger	P HV	0	1	2.03	6	6	0	0	0	0	31.0	21	9	7	2	0	11	38	1.03	.189
2 Drew Thorpe	P HV	2	1	4.26	6	6	0	0	0	0	31.2	31	19	15	3	0	14	37	1.42	.265





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Renegades' Sanchez reaches crossroads in minor league career

By Rich Thomaselli

For Aldenis "Aldini" Sanchez, the smile and the easygoing attitude belie the reality.

Sanchez, an outfielder with the Hudson Valley Renegades, is like hundreds of other minor league baseball players. He has come to a crossroads in his pursuit of his lifelong dream.

"I know this is a make-or-break year for me," he said. "I know I have to produce when given the opportunity."

So far, the parent club New York Yankees have given him that opportunity. Acquired in a 2017 trade with the Tampa Bay Rays, Sanchez has had more than 1,000 at-bats in the minor leagues. He is third on the Renegades having appeared in 20 games this season. But he is batting only .231 with one home run.

"He has the talent," manager Sergio Santos said. "Now is the time for him to produce."

Time is also working against Sanchez. He will be 27 just after the season ends in September.

"I have to treat every at bat like it's a personal battle," he said.

Sanchez hails from the Dominican Republic, where, like many players, he started his career as an infielder. But with a glut of infielders in the Yankees organization, he quickly became an outfielte. He called it the right path for him, but now the Yankees have a glut of outfielders in the organization, including two of the top three prospects in Spencer Jones and Aaron Pawlensky. The Yankees are high on the former, while the latter leads the South Atlantic League in home runs.

At 6-foot, 165 pounds, Sanchez has done well for himself defensively.

"The bottom line to this game is hitting. That's what you are judged on," Sanchez said. "I know I have to produce."

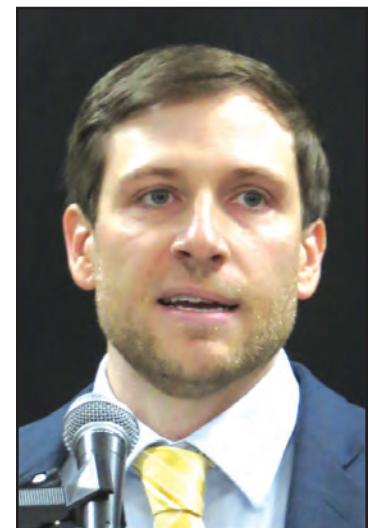


Aldenis "Aldini" Sanchez is all smiles as he shakes hands with the Hudson Valley Renegades mascot at Heritage Financial Park earlier this season.

-Photo by Dave Janosz

TYSON'S TIDBITS!

Preparations at the Park and using tools to build a fan base



Each week, writer Rich Thomaselli and Hudson Valley Renegades General Manager Tyson Jeffers sit down to talk about the Renegades in particular and minor league baseball in general.

What are the things you want to get done when team is on the road? Or does it change from week to week?

It changes from week to week. Like right now, I am at the ballpark because we are hosting the cupcake festival.

There's lots to prep for here at the park. There is high school baseball, travel baseball, there are a lot of things going on besides the Renegades. There's a lot going on here, almost every single day.

Everyone has a different role here, and everyone is on top of their game, especially the operations people. We stay very focused here, even when the team is on the road.

We've talked about this before. It has to do with people's perception of your title of general manager. What about the players? Do the players and the manager ever come to you and ask you to do something that is out of your purview?

I don't have a lot of interaction with the players, but I do talk to Sergio and the coaches all the time, and I do talk to our clubhouse manager quite a bit. The players know that if there's a problem, they go

to the Yankees. I do talk to someone on the coaching staff, or someone affiliated with the Yankees, almost on a daily basis.

There are some things that are the responsibility of the Renegades, and there are some things that are responsibility of the Yankees. Sometimes I step in, where I have to, or when I'm needed. But our goal is just to be a good affiliate of the Yankees.

How do you think you are perceived by the public? I mean, do people come to you and tell you that they follow the team, like they would a major league team?

Yeah, I think you want to build that

awareness. A lot of people tell me they listen to the radio broadcast when the team is on the road, or even at home. We have streaming, we have video highlights, and I think a lot of people are surprised by that. I think minor league baseball does a lot to try to build a connection between the fans and the major league team.

We have tried to educate our fans about all these options so they can follow their hometown team. I think one day, very soon, you will see a stipulation that all minor league teams have a broadcast and some sort of streaming services.

Diversions

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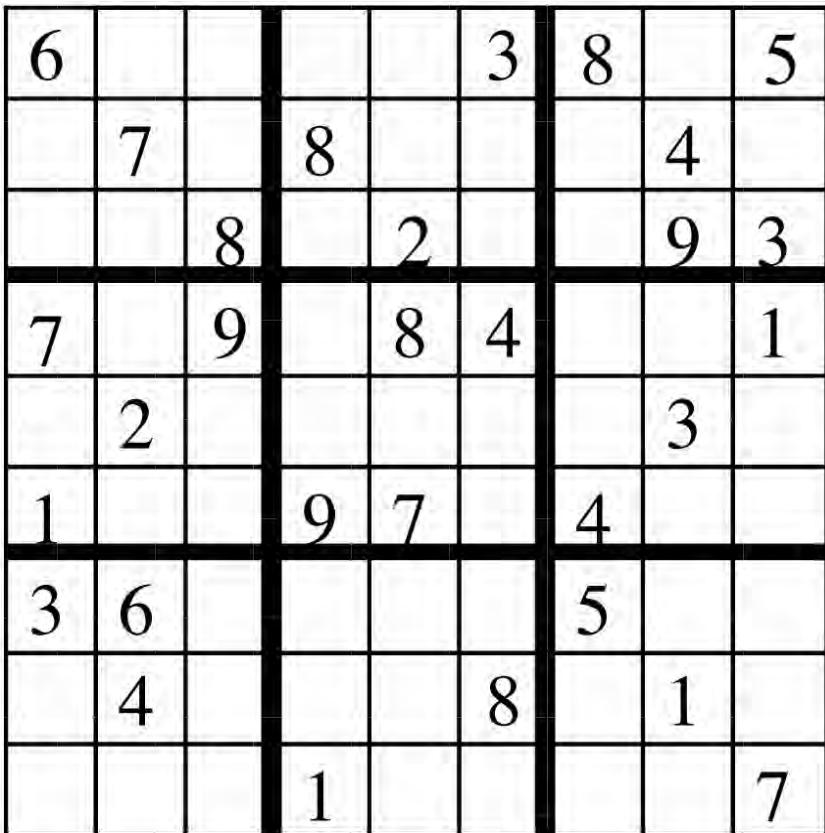
Sudoku requires no arithmetic skills.

The object of the game is to fill all the blank squares with the correct numbers.

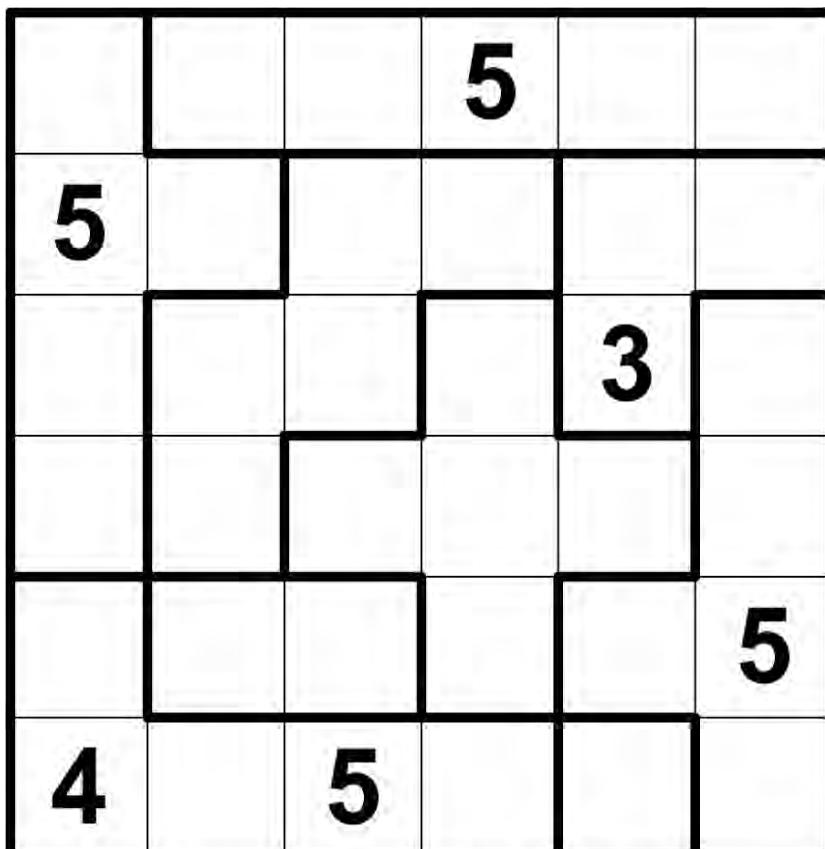
Each row of 9 numbers must include all digits 1 through 9 in any order.

Each column of 9 numbers must include all digits 1 through 9 in any order.

Each 3 by 3 subsection of the 9 by 9 square must include all digits 1 through 9.



Suguru



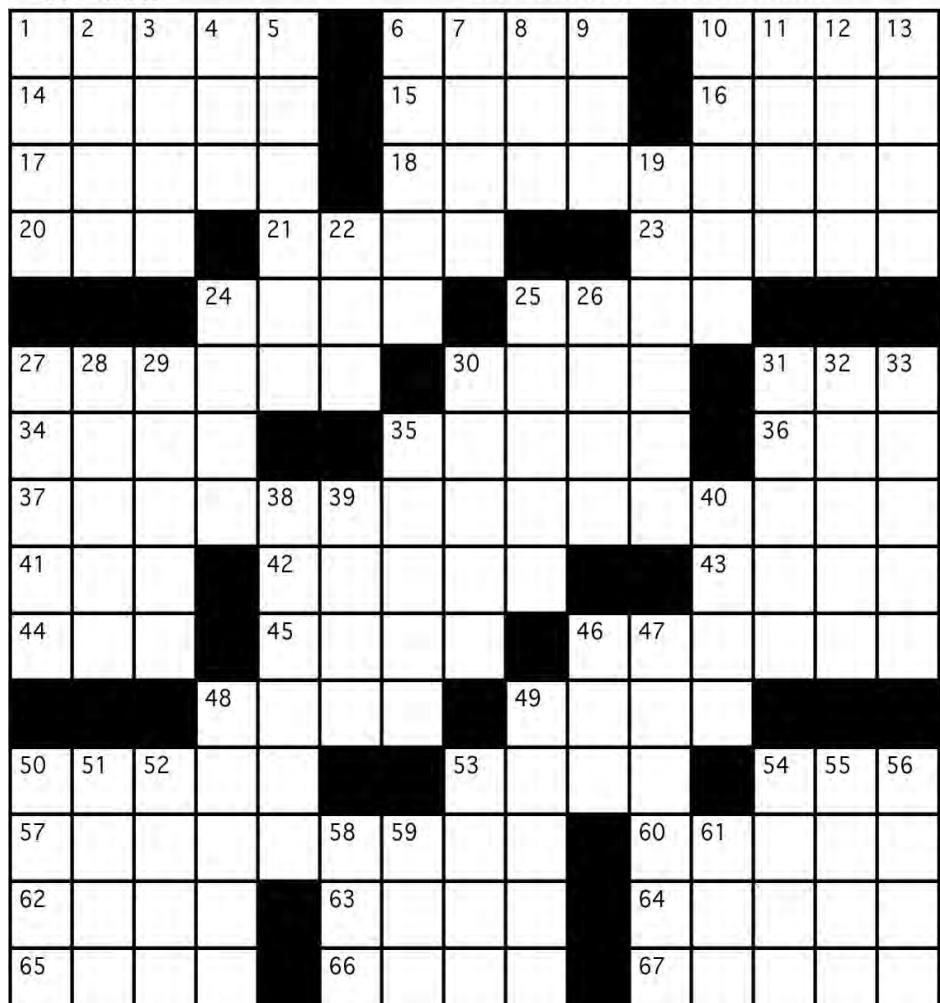
The heavy lines indicate areas, called cages, from one to five squares in size. Fill each cage with unique digits, counting up from 1. So for example a 2-square cage contains the numbers 1 and 2; and a 5-square cage contains the numbers from 1 to 5. Adjacent (touching) squares, even ones that touch diagonally, may never contain the same number.

ACROSS

1. Dandruff site
6. Nincompoop
10. Mid-10th-century year
14. Papal court
15. ___ out; supplements
16. Hilarious person
17. Flat-tailed mammal
18. Victoria's Secret purchase
20. Parker or Montgomery
21. Uzbekistan's location
23. William and Sean
24. Underground passage
25. Equal
27. Hurt
30. Rhine feeder
31. Figure specialist: abbr.
34. Particle
35. Bitter
36. "___ Father"
37. City named for a French king
41. Friend
42. Is too inquisitive
43. Nautical direction
44. Ed Begley and Lon Chaney: abbr.
45. Edible casings
46. Swarms
48. Kelly or Barry
49. Babies' favorite seats
50. Trained horse
53. Glory
54. Long, long ___
57. Hat or purse
60. Oxidizing agent
62. Inflammation: suff.
63. Palm, for one
64. Occasion
65. ___ about; speak very highly of
66. Lucia, Francisco or Jacinta of Fatima
67. Lets

DOWN

1. Flat-bottomed boat
2. Adorable
3. Creative works
4. Whopper
5. Word with Rose or Hit
6. Sum deducted
7. Vegetable
8. ___ soup
9. Suffix for lion or host
10. Emotional one
11. Bearing
12. Forsaken, to a poet
13. Residents: suff.
19. Rushes
22. ___ Caesar
24. Bullets
25. City on the Seine
26. "Star Trek" character played by Molly Hagan
27. Metal fastenings
28. Perfume
29. Bakery purchases
30. Pinnacles
31. Had the ability to
32. Blender speed
33. Early April baby
35. In reserve
38. Artificial teeth
39. Do a pressing chore
40. Items that come in pairs
46. Butcher shop purchase
47. Bottle cap remover
48. Silly people
49. Ply
50. Tweezers or pants
51. Legal proceedings
52. 17 dozen togas
53. On the house
54. Sun disk
55. Man
56. Remaining pieces
58. Pius X and Padre Pio: abbr.
59. Unearthed discovery
61. Common contraction



The solutions to the Sudoku, Crossword puzzle and Suguru can be found on the next page

Nose work training for dogs helps to build confidence, teamwork



Archie participates in a Nose Work dog class at Top Notch Dog Training in Wappingers Falls.

-Courtesy photos



A dog does nose work training during a program with Top Notch Dog Training.

By Kristine Coulter

Do you know a dog who has a "nose" for finding things? Then Top Notch Dog Training, in Wappingers Falls, has the answer — its nose work programs.

"We are constantly adding new classes to our schedule," said Patricia "Pat" Tetrault, co-owner of Top Notch Dog Training.

What can owners and their dogs learn during the program?

"The ultimate goal is to trial at detection dog trials that are geared towards our pet dogs, but all dogs enjoy the sport, have fun and burn off energy," remarked Tetrault.

According to Top Notch's website: "K9 Nose Work is the specific term used to describe the canine scent detection activity developed by Ron Gaunt, Amy Herot & Jill Marie O'Brien. The three founders of the activity wanted to use their extensive experience from working in the professional canine detection world to give pet dogs and their people a fun and easy way to learn and apply scent detection skills."

As far as the feedback Tetrault and others at Top Notch Dog Training have received from previous participants in the program, she said, "Everyone (especially the dogs) loves the program! It's great for all

sizes/shapes of dogs and all sizes and abilities of their humans."

Brynn Holic, a resident of Holmes, had her two-year-old dog Lenny, a miniature dachshund, in the program.

"I enjoy this program at Top Notch Dog Training very much. Lenny is my third dog to have started in Nose Work. It's great for young to older dogs and they all love it," commented Holic.

Regarding how the program helped Lenny, Holic stated, "The difference I see in Lenny from when we first started to now is amazing. He's a more-shy dog and is very attached to me. Since starting Nose Work class, he now has more confidence and works independently without me being right there in his shadow. We are becoming a great team together and look forward to continuing this class and even competing at trials."

So, how does nose work assist with a dog's emotional and physical well-being?

"Nose work helps a dog build confidence," Tetrault explained. "It wears out energetic dogs but is non-physical enough for almost any dog to do it. I have seen everything from chihuahuas to Great Danes compete with tremendous joy and accuracy."

Stefanie Mount, a resident of the Town of Kent in Putnam County, also had her dogs take part in one of the nose work programs.

"Nose work classes were recommended to me to help build confidence in my dog with fear based behavioral issues. Top Notch was mentioned. We signed up and never looked back," said Mount, who has Miller, a six-year-old German shepherd and Buster, a 19-month-old German shepherd.

Mount stated, "The program is great. I came for a class in 2018 and never looked back. Nose work, particularly with this methodology, opens a whole new world and relationship for dogs and their humans."

According to Mount, "For my dog Miller, I can honestly say Nose Work saved his life. He had such confidence issues that manifested in inappropriate behaviors. He is so much more balanced and gets to exercise his brain in a sport he loves."

One caveat though for the program is there is a limit to the number of participants that can be in a class.

"In order to give the dogs and handlers proper attention, the average class is limited to 6 teams per class," said Tetrault. The pro-

gram is offered at Top Notch Dog Training's training center in Wappingers Falls.

Holic said, the program "really helps with confidence for shy timid dogs or even for mental stimulation for more active dogs." She added, "It's so rewarding to watch your dog succeed and grow as a team together."

Mount said, "In nose work, your dog is the lead, and you are the supporting cast. It is amazing to watch them problem solve and work out scent puzzles. I loved it so much. I went through the instructor certification program and now get to share my passion for nose work with student teams."

Top Notch Dog Training also offers the sport of K9 Nose Work. For more information on that program, visit www.k9nosework.com.

To contact Top Notch Dog Training, visit website: www.topnotchdogtraining.com, email topnotchdogs@optonline.net, or call 845-592-1688.

One can also volunteer to work on one of the trials. Top Notch Dog Training is located at 939 Route 376 in Wappingers Falls. To find out more about the program, visit <https://www.topnotchdogtraining.com/nosework>.

County Legislature receives update on YOU Project

The upcoming countywide youth center, the Youth Opportunity Union (YOU), continues to move forward with plans having undergone months of design, value-engineering and re-design by world-renowned, Poughkeepsie-based MASS Design Group and its associates. The Dutchess County Legislature was updated on this transformative project last week by the County Executive's Office at the Public Works and Capital Projects Committee meeting with details regarding the YOU's scope, amenities and estimated cost, as well as the County's plan to raise funds for the critical project.

The YOU will be a multi-use facility that focuses on recreational, educational and healthy opportunities, both physical and mental, for young people. It will be the home of the county's Path to Promise initiative that employs strategic ways to ensure all young people in Dutchess County have the assets they need — from cradle to career — to achieve their full potential as they grow into young adults.

"The YOU will provide a holistic approach that encompasses the entire spectrum of a child's life; bringing together nutri-

tion and wellness, family learning, and social interactions with neighbors and the community at large. This comprehensive focus will positively impact individual and collective community youth development," said Dutchess County Executive William F.X. O'Neill.

The YOU will be built on the site of the former YMCA at 35 Montgomery Street in the City of Poughkeepsie, a parcel which the County purchased from the City in 2021. Among other features, the center is planned to include a competitive pool, a family pool, a gymnasium housing a basketball court and track, early learning/childcare center, fitness center, smart lab, community room, meeting rooms and café with teaching kitchen.

After a months-long review, the YOU is estimated to cost just under \$70 million in total. In 2021, Dutchess County pledged \$25 million toward the project, including approximately \$5.5 million for demolition of the former YMCA building and site remediation

— the County demolished the deteriorating and unsafe structure in 2022 — as well as \$3 million toward design services for the YOU. In April, the County received formal support from Rep. Pat Ryan, who is recommending \$3 million in federal funds for this critical project through the Congressionally Directed Spending program for FY 2024. Last week, Senate Majority Leader Charles Schumer demonstrated similar support for the project, including \$10 million for the YOU amongst his requests to the Senate Committee on Appropriations.

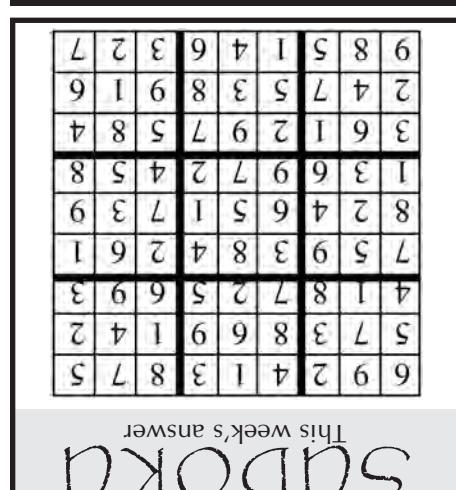
Construction timing and costs have been challenging as the construction industry continues to grapple with issues post COVID, including supply chain issues that impact project timelines and ultimately cost. Additionally, labor shortages and work volume have also increased construction costs dramatically in the last few years, with construction costs per square foot dramatically increasing compared to pre-pandemic prices.

A fundraising effort is currently in development, in partnership with the Dyson Foundation, to raise approximately \$40-50 million for the remainder of the project, as the County cannot solicit donations on its own. The County expects to launch the fundraising drive with the goal of obtaining funding commitments — \$10-\$15 million in other government/public funding and \$25-35 million in philanthropic contributions.

Dutchess County Government annually spends more than \$70 million on youth services mandated by the state and federal governments, including significant investments in early education and early intervention. The County also invests nearly \$6 million each year on youth development "discretionary services," such as teen parent supports, education, employment and drug awareness programs, most of which are contracted through community agencies.

Additional information is available at www.the-you.org.

this week's puzzle solutions



Riversweep takes place in Beacon



The 2023 Riversweep recently took place in Beacon. Volunteers cleaned up for the 11th annual sweep during the Riversweep Beacon Waterfront cleanup. This year the Beacon Sloop Club hosted Megan Wolff, PH.D., MPH Policy Director from Beyond Plastics to give a talk with the volunteers prior to the cleanup.

-Courtesy photo by Alan Thomas

Legislature passes increases to county property tax exemptions

Members of the Dutchess County Legislature passed two local laws at the May board meeting that would increase the income limits to receive two County property tax exemptions - the Senior Citizens Exemption and Persons with Disabilities Exemption.

The measures will increase the income limit to \$41,600 to receive the full 50 percent County Property Tax Exemption and as the income gradually rises the exemption percentage decreases, ultimately ending at \$49,999 with receiving a 5% exemption. The previous law set the 50 percent exemption income limit as \$24,000. The laws will now go to the County Executive's desk for consideration.

"At a time where every dollar counts, the Dutchess County Legislature is proud to offer measures that will provide meaningful relief to our neighbors, especially those on a fixed income like our senior citizens and disabled population," said Legislator

Chairman Gregg Pulver. "This increase will work to help offset the burden of rising costs by allowing more residents the opportunity to receive the County property tax exemption, while also ensuring that the County stays within its means. Under new State authority, we are raising the income limit by \$17,600 (73 percent which matches inflation from the time of the last increase, and we are also giving the opportunity to examine how this affects the County's finances to recommend further increases in the future."

Legislator Michael Polasek (LaGrange), Chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee said, "The Dutchess County Legislature has voted to lower the County property tax rate every year since 2014, which has provided relief to not only those living on a fixed income like our seniors and disabled population, but to each homeowner in Dutchess County. The intent of this legislation was to raise the income eligibility behind these property tax exemptions to match inflation and ensure that each individual is receiving a worthwhile benefit. By raising it to \$41,600 a year for the full 50% County property tax exemption with a sliding scale down to a 5 percent exemption with a \$49,999 income, it is our hope that this will offer meaningful relief to our low-income residents." Last year, Governor Kathy Hochul signed into law legislation that raised the maximum income property owners over the age of 65 and people with disabilities would be able to earn in order to receive the County Property Tax Exemption, allowing municipalities to amend their local laws to also reflect the increase.

The intent of the legislation allowed for Counties to increase the maximum income threshold stated in their justification that "New York State has a growing number of low-income seniors on fixed incomes and persons with disabilities who have limited income who are faced with ever increasing property taxes..." Dutchess County has not increased the property tax rate in over ten years.

The income proposal of \$41,600 is above the federal standard of 200 percent of the Federal Poverty Level for a two-person household which is \$34,850 and the eligibility to receive the New York State Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) is \$34,250, both well-established "low-income" standards. The Dutchess County Legislature unanimously passed a Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Service Members County Property Tax Exemption Law at their February Board Meeting and amended their local law to increase the income eligibility for the Veterans Property Tax Exemption in 2022.

The new laws will go into effect for the 2025 Tax Rolls.

'Between the Line' to exhibit BCSD students at Howland Library

"Between the Lines," an annual exhibition of student artwork from the Beacon City School District (BCSD), will be held at Howland Public Library. A reception for students and teachers will be held on May 20th, from 1:30-3:30 p.m. All are welcome. The exhibit will be on view in the Community Room through June 4th.

This annual exhibition features a selection of artwork from Beacon High School, Rombout Middle School, Glenham, J.V. Forrestal, Sargent, and South Avenue elementary schools. The exhibition was organized with assistance from Claudine Farley, District Art Department Coordinator, and art instructors; Daniella Charter, Allison DeLisi, Sallie Farkas, Mark Lyon, Maria Murphy, Sergio Perez, Cathy Pezzo, Edmund Trad, and Susan Wurtz. The work on view is just a small sample of the creative work being done by students of all ages throughout the school district.

The Howland Public Library is located at 313 Main Street in Beacon. The Community Room is open during regular library hours. Please note the gallery may not be accessible during some library programs. Please call the library at 845-831-1134 or consult the library calendar at beaconlibrary.org before planning a visit.

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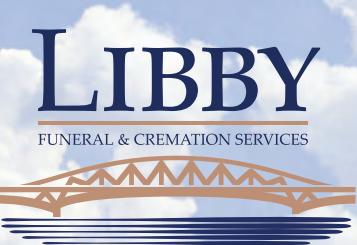
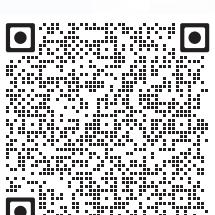
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Seminars and demos highlight NE Outdoor Show at Fairgrounds

The Northeast Outdoor Show returns to the Dutchess County Fairgrounds in Rhinebeck on May 20 & 21st, 2023. The event features fishing, hunting, camping, biking, cooking, travel, and so much more.

New this year is the adventure building with new seminars, cooking demos, interactive activities, specialty foods, and the addition of other outdoor activities such as skateboarding, golf, skiing, and more.

Returning for the 2023 show will be the Lumberjack Classic, the 5,000 Gallon Hawg Trough Fish Tank, The Ultimate Air Dogs and Trout Fishing Pond.

Here is a look at some of the other attractions.

-- The Crocodilian Conservation Project, with Mark Perpetua and his Reptile Encounters display. Mark is passionate about educating the public on the importance of conservation efforts to help protect endangered crocodilians throughout the world. The Crocodilian Conservation Project is a new program aimed at raising support for these fascinating and ancient creatures. At the show, visitors can view live alligators and learn about these descendants of the dinosaurs in our educational display.

-- Lucas Bogosian is a full-time professional angler and founder of Bogo Baits. With a passion for fishing that started at just 5 years old, Lucas has dedicated his life to his craft. He even turned pro at the young age of 21 while attending college. Lucas fishes the BassMaster Opens and the Toyota Series all across the country, and he's racked up an impressive record, with over 20 Top 3 finishes in the ABA and TBF, as well as several top 20 finishes in the Bassmaster Opens.

-- Established in 1993 by the Iannucci family, Two by Two Animal Haven is not your typical petting zoo. Rather, it is an educational traveling zoo that aims to spread the message of conservation through education. Their animal ambassadors were mostly adopted and have been placed with them voluntarily. They receive the best care possible, including spacious enclosures, zoological diets, scheduled veterinary care, and daily enrichment and socialization activities. -- Fred Wilson of FlipFlyTye Fishing Products, a seasoned fly fishing expert, will be presenting daily seminars on Bass Fishing 360. With years of experience as a Candlewood Lake guide and Sage Flyrod pro, he will share valuable tips and tricks on using the Flip, Fly, Tye Style to catch both Smallmouth and Largemouth Bass. Attendees can expect to learn about hair jig finesse fishing, light line spinning rod pointers, getting started with a bait

caster, flipping and pitching techniques, single-hand spey casting for bass, and more, including proper rod and line setup from a Rio Flyline pro.

-- Get ready for an epic battle of the Timbersport titans in the Lumberjack Classic. Watch as top-notch competitors go head-to-head for the chance to win hefty cash prizes in this thrilling and family-friendly event -- Get ready for an immersive fishing experience at the Northeast Outdoor Show as the Hawg Trough Fishing Tank makes its way to the event. This mobile 5,000 fish tank is filled with Largemouth, Sunfish, Perch and more, giving attendees the chance to witness

fishing experts demonstrate their secrets to finding that big lunker and reeling in that once-in-a-lifetime fish while you get to see just how those fish react to what the pros are telling you! Throughout the weekend, seminars will be hosted at the Hawg Trough Stage, providing both educational and entertaining content for all fishing enthusiasts.

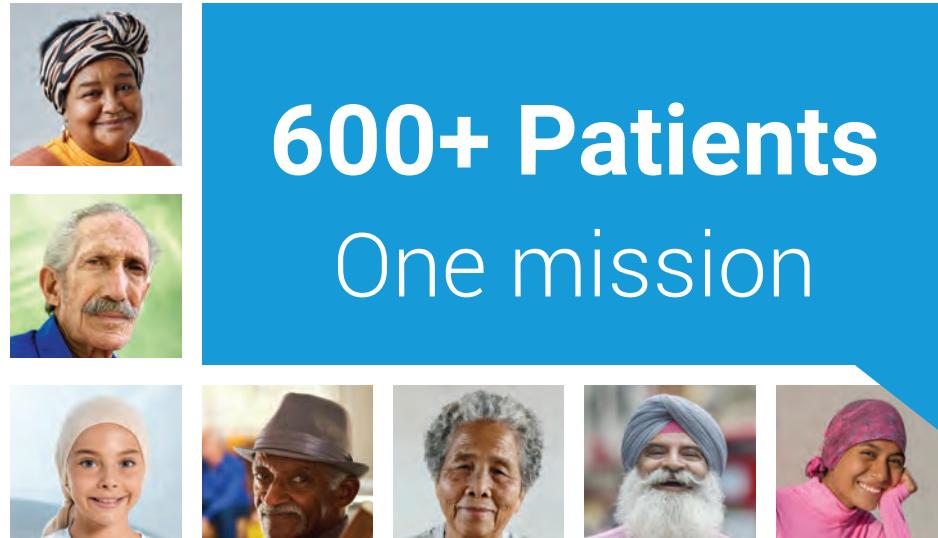
-- When people talk about the Adirondack Mountains and Deer Hunting one name becomes obvious, Pat Salerno Jr. Salerno began his hunting journey at the young age of 12, shooting his first whitetail buck. As he matured as a whitetail hunter, Pat set his sights higher and became a Trophy Hunter.

-- Peter Fiduccia is a multi-award-winning host of highly popular Woods N' Water Big Game Adventure television series since 1984. He is the founder of Whitetail Hunting Strategies magazine. Fiduccia is a prolific author of 17 books on whitetail tactics. His latest book, The Definitive Guide to Planting Wildlife Food Plots, was released in February 2023. He has also authored The Rx for Deer Hunting Success, Whitetail Tactics, Shooter's Bible Guide to Deer Hunting, and more. Fiduccia's deer hunting seminars are highly informative and entertaining. Fiduccia has written many articles for outdoor magazines including Deer & Deer Hunting, Peterson's, Outdoor Life, Field & Stream, Sports Afield, and many others. Fiduccia was also the Editor-in-Chief of the highly successful Bookspan/Time Warner book club: The Outdoorsmen's Edge. -- With his unbeatable fishing skills, Bobby Uhrig has graced the Roland Martin Fishing show numerous times and is a renowned award-winning Fishing Lure designer, whose products have made waves around the globe. Be prepared to be hooked as Bobby shares his passion for fishing in his exciting and informative seminars, where he reveals his insider tips and tricks to make you a better angler.



Trophy Hunter Pat Salerno Jr. Salerno will be one of many instructors at this weekend's Northeast Outdoor Show at the Dutchess County Fairgrounds in Rhinebeck.

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VETERANS NEWS WITH ADAM ROCHE

Dutchess County prepares to mark Memorial Day

Serving in the United States Marine Corps was the honor of a lifetime. My military service, including deployments to Iraq and Afghanistan, was the most rewarding experience of my life – serving along my brothers and sisters in defense of this great country and working to spread freedom across the globe. I made lifelong relationships and learned lessons I'll never forget; chief among them: honor, courage and commitment.

Upon my return honorable discharge from the military, I still felt compelled to serve and led the critical work of Mental Health America (MHA) of Dutchess County's PFC Joseph Dwyer PTSD Veterans Support Program – you might know it as Vet2Vet – connecting veterans in crisis resources to successfully reacclimate into their community.

Almost three full years ago, I embarked on a new mission – luckily not nearly as grueling as my time as an active Marine, but just as rewarding – serving our local heroes as the Director of the Dutchess County Division of Veterans' Services. Though my manner of service has changed, my mission has not. I remain here at my current post to protect the brave men and women of Dutchess County who have safeguarded our liberty, working to ensure they receive the benefits they've rightly earned through their military service.

Part of this vital mission is communicating to our veterans in various ways – be it in person at our Veterans' Services office within the MHA Veterans One Stop in Pleasant Valley, traveling to meet our heroes and their families where they are or through traditional and social media. That brings me to this new endeavor, a monthly column in the Southern Dutchess News family of publications, highlighting the news and issues that impact our veterans and their loved ones. I hope you find this new undertaking worthwhile, as we in Dutchess County continue to serve those who gave so much to keep us safe and free.

As Memorial Day approaches, our office and those we partner with are working to ensure Dutchess County residents hear a clear message concerning the rightful meaning of this sacred holiday.

The debate over whether the Memorial Day observance on the last Monday of May each year has been overshadowed by the country's focus on the beginning of summer and Americans' future vacation plans has been well documented. Some have even gone so far as to say that to properly recognize those who gave their lives in battle on this date has become somewhat of a lost cause. The thousands of veterans who call Dutchess County home would disagree.

They say recognizing the "ultimate sacrifice" of their brothers and sisters who died defending their country can never be overshadowed by the calendar or the fast pace of life. They say their souls fully embrace the emotion that rises up inside them every time they hear a gun fired and see a wreath laid during a Memorial Day service paying tribute to those who served.

"Memorial Day hits me very personally,"



Adam Roche

says Mental Health America of Dutchess County's Suicide Prevention Program Manager, Alyssa Carrion, herself a veteran. "Every year, I specifically remember those in my unit who I worked so closely with who have since died, either in combat or from suicide. Even now, it's still sometimes hard to talk about."

This profound depth of feeling for the significance of Memorial Day has deep roots in Dutchess County. One, because of the scores of organizations that exist in the county for the sole purpose of serving veterans; but also, through the historical and heart-wrenching "Last Letter Home," written by Wappingers Falls resident J. Morris Goring more than a century ago.

In the letter – written to his mother and family amidst non-stop machine gun fire, little food and vermin crawling through the trenches – Goring poignantly tries to prepare his loved ones for his possible death, as he and others from the Hudson Valley geared up for a battle against entrenched and formidable German positions known as the Hindenburg line. Historians say the confrontation was a crucial piece to ending World War I six weeks later, on November 11, 1918.

Goring wrote, in part, "...For the one who dies it is easy, it is those who are left we worry about. ... If I should get picked off, I would die happy. We are sure it isn't the end. ... You know it is only a change and in what better way can a man make that change than over here fighting for home, country, civilization, his mother, sister and sweetheart."

Those words ring just as loudly today, as the fight for freedom and a just civilization continues over a hundred years later. The many veterans we spoke to agree and say they will always make Memorial Day observances and ceremonies a priority, both in their hearts and in their attendance. They say they cannot forget all those who have made that ultimate sacrifice, and they encourage County residents to consider attending one of the many ceremonies that will be taking place throughout Dutchess County this Memorial Day.

Army veteran and County Executive William F.X. O'Neil and I invite all residents to join us at the Dutchess County War Memorial in Poughkeepsie on Monday, May 29, at 11 a.m. for the County's annual Memorial Day remembrance. Joined by local veterans, municipal leaders and a grateful county paying its respect, we will lay wreaths at the memorial while the Poughkeepsie High School JROTC presents the colors and Navy Seal Alex Othmer offers keynote remarks – all to honor those souls who gave everything in the name of their country.

Dutchess County will always remember its veterans and their valiant sacrifices – not just on Memorial Day, but every day.

For more information about services and programs for veterans in Dutchess County, call us at the Dutchess County Division of Veteran's Services at 845-486-2060 or go to www.dutchessny.gov/Veterans

Obituaries

Barbara Marie Garofalo



EAST FISHKILL - Barbara Marie Garofalo, nee Marshall, 91, died May 4, 2023 at home. Born on January 16, 1932, she was the daughter of Alice Marie (Glover) Marshall and Harold O. Marshall. She graduated from AB Davis High School in Mt. Vernon, NY and spent many summers in Wurtsboro, NY. Barbara worked as a secretary at Union Carbide in Manhattan until her marriage to Russell R. Garofalo on June 27, 1959.

Barbara and Russ resided in Mt. Kisco, NY where she enjoyed raising her family, playing tennis, gardening, impressionist paintings, and traveling. They moved to Hopewell Junction, NY when Russ retired in 1999, and visited the sites

in the Hudson Valley.

Barbara is survived by her daughter, Lisa Garofalo, grandchildren Alyssa Fowle and Brendan Gerety, and cousin, Nancy Glover. She was predeceased by her son, Glenn Marshall Garofalo in 1983, and her husband, Russell in 2019. She will be interned in the Columbarium at the Presbyterian Church in Mt. Kisco, NY which Barbara and Russ were instrumental in founding in memory of their son.

Edward J. Burton



TOWN OF NEWBURGH - Edward J. Burton, of the Town of Newburgh, formerly of Ohio, entered into rest unexpectedly on Sunday, May 7, 2023. He was 68.

Son of the late Herbert R. and Evelyn (Hanf) Burton, he was born November 4, 1954 in Cleveland, OH.

Edward was a factory worker and lab technician for Energizer Battery, Westlake, OH. An avid sports fan, he belonged to several baseball, softball and bowling leagues in his younger years. He spent much of his free time working on his house and enjoyed traveling with his wife.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn D. Firestone-Burton; two

stepsons, Michael DeMarco of the Town of Newburgh and Frank DeMarco of Albany, NY; one stepdaughter, Angela Dilmore of MS; one brother, Terry Burton of Jeromesville, OH; three grandchildren, Cidney Nielson, Danielle DeMarco and Julia Dilmore; and one great grandchild, Sawyer.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a sister, Donna Reynolds.

Private cremation has taken place at Cedar Hill Crematory, Newburgh, NY.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Edwards name can be made to LiveOnNY, 30-30 47th Avenue, Long Island City, NY 11101.

Arrangements are under the care of White, Venuto and Morrill Funeral and Cremation Service, 188 N. Plank Road, NY 12550.

Nancy R. Bareford



FISHKILL - Nancy Rose Bareford, 85, an area resident for over 20 years, passed away at home on May 9, 2023. She previously lived in Carmel.

Born on January 16, 1938 in Mount Vernon, Nancy was the daughter of the late George and Antoinette (Vorauer) Brewster. On February 1, 1974, she married George Bareford who predeceased her in 1995. Nancy was employed by the Carmel Central School District for over 20 years until her retirement.

Nancy enjoyed ballroom dancing and painting. When she was younger, she excelled as a softball pitcher. She was also an avid collector, and especially liked owls. More than anything, she loved spending time with her family.

She is survived by her fiancé, Edward McCaffrey; her children, Laura Belcher of Hopewell Junction, Alyson Smith of Fishkill, Mel Farrisi of Hopewell Junction, Jean (Michael) Kozloski of Hopewell Junction, Mary (Shawn) Smith of Hopewell Junction, Christopher (Tanya) Farrisi of Carlisle, PA, and Jacqueline (Steven) Knapp of S. Riding, VA; her grandchildren, Ian, Alex (Bri), Kevin, Jennifer, Nicholas, Francesca, Angelica, Gabriella, Gloria, Anthony (Laura), Sophia, Brooke (TK), Justin, Amanda, Matthew (Jasmine), Daniel (Adrienne), William, Jessica (Oronde), Bryan (Tyson), Zachary, Brittany (Josh), Heather (JT), Kaitlin, Lauren (John), Colby, and Tyler; her granddaughter-in-law, Brienne; her 27 great-grandchildren; her sisters, Margaret DeMarco and Linda Mangieri; her beloved pug, Molly; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was also predeceased by her son Anthony Farrisi, Jr.; and her grandson, Michael Kozloski.

Calling hours were held at the McHoul Funeral Home of Fishkill, Inc., 1089 Main Street, Fishkill on Monday, May 15 with a funeral service.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF DUTCHESS SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS AND NOTICE Index No. 2022-53734 Date Filed: 4/19/2023 BankUnited N.A., Plaintiff, -against-

Keith Stroud, if he be living or if he be dead, his spouses, heirs, devisees, distributees and successors in interest, all of whom and whose names and places of residence are unknown to Plaintiff; Christine Stroud; The United States of America acting through The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; State of New York, and "JOHN DOE", said name being fictitious, it being the intention of Plaintiff to designate any and all occupants of premises being foreclosed herein, and any parties, corporations or entities, if any, having or claiming an interest or lien upon the mortgaged premises,

Defendants. PROPERTY ADDRESS: 20 Townsend Road a/k/a 20 Townsend Extension, Lagrangeville, NY 12540 TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or a notice of appearance on the attorneys for the Plaintiff within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the date of service. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may appear within sixty (60) days of service hereof. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: The foregoing Summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an Order of the Hon. Christi J. Acker, a Justice of the Supreme Court, Dutchess County, entered April 18, 2023 and filed with the complaint and other papers in the Dutchess County Clerk's office.

NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT THE OBJECT of the above captioned action is to foreclose a Consolidation and/or Modified Mortgage (here-

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inafter "the Mortgage") to secure \$244,781.11 and interest, recorded in the Dutchess County Clerk's Office on January 30, 2015, in Document Number 01 2015 598, which was re-recorded on March 26, 2015, at Document Number 012015 2000 covering premises known as 20 Townsend Road a/k/a 20 Townsend Extension, Lagrangeville, NY 12540 a/k/a Section 6659, Block 00, Lot 167487.

The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described above.

Plaintiff designates Dutchess County as the place of trial. Venue is based upon the County in which the mortgaged premises is situated.

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IF YOU DO NOT RESPOND TO THIS SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE MORTGAGE COMPANY WHO FILED THIS FORECLOSURE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT, A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED AND YOU CAN LOSE YOUR HOME.

SPEAK TO AN ATTORNEY OR GO TO THE COURT WHERE YOUR CASE IS PENDING FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON HOW TO ANSWER THE SUMMONS AND PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY.

SENDING A PAYMENT TO YOUR MORTGAGE COMPANY WILL NOT STOP THIS FORECLOSURE ACTION.

YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.

Dated: March 1, 2023 Frank M. Cassara, Esq.

Senior Associate Attorney LOGS LEGAL GROUP LLP Attorneys for Plaintiff 175 Mile Crossing Boulevard Rochester, New York 14624 (585) 247-9000 Fax: (585) 247-7380 File No. 22-090786 #100371

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK INDEX NO. 2022-53384 COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

Plaintiff designates DUTCHESS as the place of trial situs of the real property

SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS

Mortgaged Premises: 9 DEPOT HILL ROAD, AMENIA, NY 12501

Section: 7167, Block: 14, Lot: 305355 NATION STAR MORTGAGE LLC Plaintiff,

vs.

ANNE M. THOMAS, HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL S. MC GOVERN; MICHAEL MCGOVERN, JR., HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL S. MC GOVERN; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DISTRIBUTEES OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL S. MC GOVERN, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or whom may claim to have an interest in, or general or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff; NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

"JOHN DOE #1" through "JOHN DOE #12," the last twelve names being fictitious and unknown to plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the tenants, occupants, persons or cor-

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porations, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the premises, described in the complaint, Defendants.

To the above named Defendants

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in the above entitled action and to serve a copy of your Answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days of the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after service of the same is complete where service is made in any manner other than by personal delivery within the State. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may answer or appear within sixty (60) days of service. Your failure to appear or to answer will result in a judgment against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. In the event that a deficiency balance remains from the sale proceeds, a judgment may be entered against you.

NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT THE OBJECT of the above captioned action is to foreclose a Mortgage to secure the sum of \$319,080.00 and interest, recorded on December 10, 2012, in Document Number 01 2012 13554, of the Public Records of DUTCHESS County, New York, covering premises known as 9 DEPOT HILL ROAD, AMENIA, NY 12501.

The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described above.

DUTCHESS County is designated as the place of trial because the real property affected by this action is located in said county.

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If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you

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can lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property. Sending a payment to the mortgage company will not stop the foreclosure action.

YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.

Dated: April 24, 2023 ROBERTSON, A SCHUTZ, SCHNEID, CRANE & PARTNERS, PLLC Attorney for Plaintiff Matthew Rothstein, Esq. 900 Merchants Concourse, Suite 310 Westbury, NY 11590 516-280-7675

REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE OFFERS NOTICE

The Purchasing Agent, County of Dutchess, Poughkeepsie, New York, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids for: Bid #RFCODCP-36-23

Supplemental EISEP In-Home Respite Services

Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the 6th day of June 2023 at the Dutchess County Division of Central Services, 378 Violet Avenue, Suite 2, Poughkeepsie, New York 12601. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained by visiting our website <http://www.dutchessny.gov>, selecting "Government", then selecting "Bidding and RFP Opportunities". For additional information, call 845-486-3613.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS-RFB-DCH-2023-17

NAME OF PROJECT: County Road 75 (Innis Avenue) Sidewalk Improvements in the Town of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County. Project Description:

This project involves the replacement and installation of approximately 3,500 LF of sidewalk along the west side off Innis Ave (CR75) between East Arnold Dr and Jackman Dr. The project also includes the installation of approximately 500 LF of closed drainage and associated highway and driveway restorative work.

Beginning April 21, 2023 at 8:00AM: Bid Specifications and Drawings may be obtained in person Monday through Friday 8am to 4pm or by mail (provide your FedEx account number or SASE) at: Dutchess County DPW, Business Office, 1st Floor, 626 Dutchess Turnpike Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Upon request, all interested parties may review the hard copy of the Bid Specifications and Drawings by visiting the above referenced address. The bid documents will be distributed on a USB Flash Drive. You must give the following information to obtain the flash drive: Company Name, Address, Contact Name, Phone Number, E-mail Address. All Addendums will be issued to Plan Holders via E-mail, but also posted on BidNet Direct (aka Empire State Purchasing Group) site. A refundable fee of \$15.00 is required for each bid set, in the form of cash, credit card or a check made payable to the Dutchess County Commissioner of Finance.

Bids due on or before **Tuesday, May 23, 2023 at 11:00AM** and at that time opened and read aloud. Bids received after that time will not be accepted. Bids for the above project will be received by: Diane McKenna, Contract Specialist, Dutchess County Department of Public Works (DPW), 626 Dutchess Turnpike-1st Floor, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Due to COVID-19, the

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bid opening for this solicitation will be conducted through Microsoft Teams Audio Conferencing. Any one who wishes to hear bids read aloud will need to call into the phone number listed below, in-person attendance at a bid opening will not be allowed. We ask that you call in at least three minutes prior to bid due/time to ensure you are connected properly. All call-ins will be asked to identify themselves by name and organization.

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Each bid shall be submitted as one paper original and one electronic copy and be accompanied by Bid Security (bid bond, certified check, official bank check) or a Letter of Credit (in a form agreeable to Dutchess County) in the amount of 10% of the bid amount. Bidders' security will be retained until the successful bidder has signed the Owner-Contractor Agreement and the County has finalized the Agreement.

Each bid with Bid Security shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the name of the Project, Name of the Bidder, and the date and hour of the bid opening, which must be visible upon delivery. Questions will be accepted by the close of business May 16, 2023 and emailed to Diane McKenna at d_m_c_k_e_n_n_a@dutchessny.gov and [d_p_w_c_o_n_t_r_a_c_t_s@dutchessny.gov](mailto>d_p_w_c_o_n_t_r_a_c_t_s@dutchessny.gov) with the County's response published in Addenda prior to 48 hours before the bid opening date. The anticipated start of construction is July 10, 2023 the anticipated substantial completion date is November 3, 2023 with the anticipated completion date, including all punch list work is November 10, 2023, respectively. Failure to meet these dates may result in liquidated damages. This project may be subject to NYS Department of Labor Prevailing Wage Rates PRC #: 2023004059. View Bid Specifications regarding APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, if applicable.

The County reserves the right to waive irregularities in bids and in bidding and to reject any or all proposals.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
TOWN OF MILAN
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Milan will hold a public hearing at the request of Stephen Fernando seeking a special use permit for an accessory apartment pursuant to Table A, Schedule of Use Regulations, of the Town of Milan Zoning Ordinance on property located on Rocann Drive, tax grid number 6471-00-037683-00, in the A3A zoning district.

SAID HEARING will be held on Wednesday, May 24, 2023 at the Milan Town Hall, 20 Wilcox Circle, at which time all interested persons shall be given the opportunity to be heard. The meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. and this application will be heard in the order at which it appears on the agenda. The application can be found on the Town's website at milan-ny.gov

Dated: May 8, 2023
By Order of the Zoning Board of Appeals

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, at a meeting held on the 8th day of May, 2023, duly adopted the resolution published herewith subject to a permissive referendum.

Dated: Wappingers Falls, New York, May 8, 2023.
Joseph P. Paoloni
Town Clerk

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 8, 2023.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING, SUBJECT TO PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM, THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,700,000 BONDS OF THE TOWN OF WAPPINGER, DUTCHESSE COUNTY, NEW YORK, TO PAY THE COST OF THE RECONSTRUCTION AND RESURFACING OF VARIOUS ROADS THROUGHOUT AND IN AND FOR SAID TOWN.

WHEREAS, the capital project hereinafter described, as proposed, has been determined to be a Type II Action pursuant to the regulations of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation promulgated pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act,

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which regulations state that Type II Actions will not have any adverse significant effects on the environment; and

WHEREAS, it is now desired to authorize the financing of such capital project, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Board of the Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, as follows:

Section 1. The reconstruction and resurfacing of various roads throughout and in and for the Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, including drainage, sidewalks, curbs, gutters, landscaping, grading or improving rights-of-way, as well as other incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, is hereby authorized at a maximum estimated cost of \$2,700,000.

Section 2. The plan for the financing of the aforesaid maximum estimated cost is by the issuance of \$2,700,000 bonds of said Town, hereby authorized to be issued therefor pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes is fifteen years, pursuant to subdivision 20(c) of paragraph a of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law. It is hereby further determined that the maximum maturity of the serial bonds herein authorized will exceed five years.

Section 4. The faith and credit of said Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds as the same respectively become due and payable. An annual appropriation shall be made in each year sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds becoming due and payable in such year. There shall annually be levied on all the taxable real property in said Town, a tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds as the same become due and payable.

Section 5. Subject to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the bonds herein authorized, including

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renewals of such notes, is hereby delegated to the Supervisor of said Town, the chief fiscal officer. Such notes shall be of such terms, form and contents, and shall be sold in such manner, as may be prescribed by said Supervisor, consistent with the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 6. All other matters except as provided herein relating to the bonds herein authorized including the date, denominations, maturities and interest payment dates, within the limitations prescribed herein and the manner of execution of the same, including the consolidation with other issues, and also the ability to issue bonds with substantially level or declining annual debt service, shall be determined by the Supervisor, the chief fiscal officer of such Town. Such bonds shall contain substantially the recital of validity clause provided for in Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals, in addition to those required by Section 51.00 of the Local Finance Law, as the Supervisor shall determine consistent with the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 7. The validity of such bonds and bond anticipation notes may be contested only if:

1) Such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which said Town is not authorized to expend money, or 2) The provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of publication of this resolution are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or

3) Such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. This resolution shall constitute a statement of official intent for purposes of Treasury Regulations Section 1.1502.

Other than as specified in this resolution, no monies are, or are reasonably expected to be, reserved, allocated on a long-term basis, or otherwise set aside with respect to the permanent funding of the object or purpose described herein.

Section 9. Upon this resolution

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taking effect, the same shall be published in full or summary form in the official newspaper of said Town for such purpose, together with a notice of the Town Clerk in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 10. **THIS RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED SUBJECT TO PERMISSIVE REFERENDUM.**

In The Matter Of The Increase And Improvement Of The Facilities Of The United Wappinger Sewer District, In The Town Of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York (Tri-Municipal Sludge Digestion Upgrades)

ORDER CALLING PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, will meet in the Town Hall, in Wappingers Falls, New York, in said Town, on May 22, 2023 at 7:00 o'clock P.M., Prevailing Time, for the purpose of conducting a public hearing upon a certain map, plan and report, including an estimate of cost, in relation to the proposed increase and improvement of the facilities of the United Wappinger Sewer District, in said Town, being the upgrade of the sludge digestion facilities at the Tri Municipal Sewer Treatment Plan, including incidental improvements and expenses

in connection therewith, at a maximum estimated cost of \$722,279.94. The Town of Wappinger has applied for certain grants in aid which could pay for a portion of the cost of construction. The aforesaid capital project is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NY-CRR § 617.5(c)(2) as it is the replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of facility, in kind, on the same site and as such is not subject to review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA"). At said public hearing said Town Board will hear all persons interested in the subject matter thereof.

Dated: Wappingers Falls, New York, May 8, 2023.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF WAPPINGER, DUTCHESSE COUNTY, NEW YORK
Joseph P. Paoloni,
Town Clerk

Legal Notices**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS****TOWN OF WAPPINGER DUTCHESSE COUNTY****PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**

, the Town of Wappinger Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the **23 day of May, 2023** at 7:00 p.m.

at the Town Hall of Wappinger,

20 Middlebush Road, Wappinger Falls, NY

pursuant to Section 240-37 of the Zoning Law of the Town of Wappinger to consider the following area variance:

Appeal No.: 23-7795 (Area Variance)

Jay & Dana VanBenschoten:

Seeking an area variance Section 240-37 of District Regulations in an R40 Zoning District.

-Where **50 feet** to the rear yard property line is required, the applicant can provide **10 feet** for the legalization of a (352 sf.) shed with overhang, thus request a variance of **40 feet**.

The property is located at **92 Hackensack Heights Road** on 2.2 acres and is identified as **Tax Grid No.: 6259-02-732509** in the Town of Wappinger.

All interested persons will be heard by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Wappinger at the public hearing as stated above.

Signed:
Peter Galotti,
Chairman
Zoning Board
of Appeals
Town of Wappinger
May 2, 2023

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**TOWN OF WAPPINGER DUTCHESSE COUNTY****PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**

, the Town of Wappinger Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the **23 day of May, 2023** at 7:00 p.m.

at the Town Hall of Wappinger, 20 Middlebush Road, Wappinger Falls, NY

pursuant to Section 240-37 of the Zoning Law of the Town of Wappinger to consider the following area variance:

Appeal No.: 23-7794 (Area Variance)

Enrique & Erika Penafiel:

Seeking an area variance Section 240-37 of District Regulations in an R40 Zoning District.

-Where **25 feet** to the side (right) yard property line is required, the applicant can provide **7 feet** for the installation of an 18' above ground pool,

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thus requesting a variance of **18 feet**.

The property is located at **96 Robinson Lane** and is identified as **Tax Grid No.: 6459-03-058412** in the Town of Wappinger.

All interested persons will be heard by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Wappinger at the public hearing as stated above.

Signed:
Peter Galotti,
Chairman
Zoning Board
of Appeals
Town of Wappinger
April 24, 2023

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pursuant to Section 240-37 of the Zoning Law of the Town of Wappinger to consider the following area variance:

Appeal No.: 23-7793 (Area Variance)

Michelle Marie Heinemann:

Seeking an area variance Sections 240-37 and 240-21 (F) (1) of District Regulations in an R40 Zoning District.

-Where **only two accessory structures are permitted on a parcel, the applicant has seven accessory structures, thus requesting a variance to allow for the 3 sheds, two garages, gazebo, three-apartment structure to remain.**

-Where **a fence can only be four feet in height in a front yard, the applicant is requesting to erect a 6 foot fence, thus requesting a variance to allow a 6 foot fence in the front yard.**

The property is located at **1109-1111 Route 376** on a total of 25.2 acres and is identified as **Tax Grid Nos.: 6358-01-205670 (21.4 acres) and 6358-01-219740 (3.8 acres)** in the Town of Wappinger.

All interested persons will be heard by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Wappinger at the public hearing as stated above.

Signed:
Peter Galotti,
Chairman
Zoning Board
of Appeals
Town of Wappinger
May 10, 2023

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informs the potential user of the name (CHARLES PLOWDEN JR, CHARLES PLOWDEN) and all its derivatives that is intended as pertaining to me, (el paleo merkaba bey), an American State National, In Propria Persona Sui Juris, Proprio Solo, Proprio Heredes, that any unauthorized use thereof without my express, prior, written permission signifies the user's consent for becoming the debtor on a self executing UCC Financial Statement in the amount of \$500,000 per unauthorized use of the name used with the intent of obligating me, plus costs, plus triple damages.

Notice is hereby given that a license Number 2237114 for Beer, cider, Liquor & wine has been applied for by the Undersigned to sell beer, cider, liquor & wine at retail in a restaurant under the Alcohol Beverage Control Law at 280 Clubhouse Rd., Pleasant Valley, NY 12569 Dutchess County for on-premise consumption.

Tracey Carbillano M-KAT Catering, LLC, D/B/A JB's Bar & Grill.

REQUEST FOR BIDS NOTICE

The Purchasing Agent, County of Dutchess, Poughkeepsie, New York, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids for: Bid #RFB-DCP-31-23

Vehicle: 2022 or Newer Heavy-Duty Truck with KUV Service Body and V-Plow for DPW Buildings

Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the 25th day of May 2023 at the Dutchess County Division of Central Services, 378 Violet Avenue, Suite 2, Poughkeepsie, New York 12601. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained by visiting our website <http://www.dutchessny.gov>, selecting "Government", then selecting "Bidding and RFP Opportunities". For additional information, call 845-486-3613.

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Notice is hereby given that Public Hearings will be held by the Town of East Fishkill Zoning Board of Appeals, Dutchess County, on Tuesday the 23th day of May, 2023 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as the matter may come onto be heard at the **East Fishkill Town Hall, 330 Route 376, Hopewell Junction**, the Town of East Fishkill Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct Public Hearings on the following applications.

1. Jonathan Nash, 27 Ridge Rd. Hopewell Junction, is requesting a 15' rear line and a 946sf size variance for a proposed 34'x30' (2040 sf) detached garage pursuant to the Schedule of Bulk Regulations of the Zoning Ordinance. Footprint of the existing house is 1,824 sf.

**Norma Drummond Chairperson
East Fishkill Zoning Board of Appeals**

NOTICE OF TOWN BOARD MEETING PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE TOWN OF FISHKILL TOWN BOARD WILL HOLD A SPECIAL MEETING on Friday, May 12, 2023 at 2:00 pm. Location: Town of Fishkill Town Hall which is located at 807 Route 52, Fishkill, NY 12524. Regarding objecting to New York City's relocation of migrants.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS TOWN OF WAPPINGER DUTCHESS COUNTY

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Appeal No.: 23-7792 (Area Variance)

Brian A. Riguetti: Seeking an area variance Section 240-37 of District Regulations in an R40 Zoning District.

Where **25 feet** to the side(left) property line is required, the applicant can provide **6.5 feet** for the legalization of a 12'x14' wood shed, thus requesting a variance of **18.5 feet**.

The property is located at **9 Larissa Lane** on 1.1 acres and is identified as **Tax Grid No.: 6358-03-246464** in the Town of

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Wappinger. All interested persons will be heard by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Wappinger at the public hearing as stated above. Signed: Peter Galotti, Chairman Zoning Board of Appeals Town of Wappinger April 27, 2023

LEGAL NOTICE OF RESOLUTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Hughsonville Fire District in the Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, at a meeting held on the 10th of May 2023, duly adopted the following Resolution, subject to a permissive referendum:

RESOLUTION #1

A RESOLUTION authorizing the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Hughsonville Fire District, Town of Wappinger, Dutchess County, New York, to pay for and install a new air conditioning system in the Hughsonville fire station. Funds in the Building Reserve Fund shall be used to pay for said purchase and installation, at a cost not to exceed \$35,000.

By Order of the Board of Commissioners of the Hughsonville Fire District. Kim Flower, Secretary Hughsonville Fire District

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the County Attorney of Dutchess County in the County Office Building, County Attorney's Conference Room, 5th Floor, 22 Market Street, Poughkeepsie, New York, on the **25th day of May 2023 at 10:00 am**, on the following local law:

A LOCAL LAW TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE OF THE PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS At said time and place, all parties interested will be heard. DATED: May 12, 2023 William F. X. O'Neil Poughkeepsie, New York Acting County Executive

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A LOCAL LAW TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE OF THE PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AND LIMITED INCOMES At said time and place, all parties interested will be heard. DATED: May 12, 2023 William F. X. O'Neil Poughkeepsie, New York Acting County Executive

Town of Hyde Park**Republican Committee
Public Notice**

Please take notice that the Town of Hyde Park Republican Committee will hold a caucus:

Thursday, June 1, 2023
at
7:00pm

Hyde Park Town Hall
4383 Route 9
Hyde Park, NY
12538

To nominate for the following office to be voted on at the General Election to be held on November 7, 2023, and to conduct any other business that may come before the caucus:

Town Supervisor
1st Ward
Councilperson
2nd Ward
Councilperson
3rd Ward
Councilperson
4th Ward
Councilperson
(2) Town Justices
Sign in will be from 6:00pm to 7:00pm.
All residents of the Town of Hyde Park, who are enrolled in the Republican Party, are eligible to vote.
The Town of Hyde Park Republican Committee
Yancy McArthur, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

The following entitled bond resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, has been adopted on May 8, 2023, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the County of Dutchess, New York, is not authorized to expend money, or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

At said time and place, all parties interested will be heard. DATED: May 12, 2023 William F. X. O'Neil Poughkeepsie, New York Acting County Executive

A complete copy of the

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resolution summarized herewith is each available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the Clerk of the Legislature for a period of twenty days from the date of publication of this Notice.

Dated:
Poughkeepsie,
New York,
May 12, 2023

Leigh Wager
Clerk,
County Legislature
RESOLUTION NO.
2023069

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 8, 2023.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,525,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, NEW YORK, TO PAY part of THE COST OF the reconstruction of the Fallkill dam

WHEREAS, said capital project, as proposed, has been determined to be a Type II Action pursuant to the regulations of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation promulgated pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act, which regulations state that Type II Actions will not have any significant adverse impact on the environment; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 2016282, a resolution dated September 12, 2016, duly adopted on said date, the County Legislature of the County of Dutchess, New York, authorized the appropriation of \$425,000 monies of said County to pay the cost of certain improvements to the Fallkill Dam, located at Fallkill Park on Creek Road in the Town of Poughkeepsie, including incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, in and for said County, and

WHEREAS, it is now desired to authorize the issuance of \$2,525,000 bonds of said County for such specific object or purpose; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the total voting strength of the County Legislature of the County of Dutchess, New York, as follows:

Section 1. The reconstruction of the Fallkill Dam, located at Fallkill Park on Creek Road in the Town of Poughkeepsie, including incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, in and for said County of Dutchess, New York, is hereby authorized at a revised maximum

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estimated cost of \$2,950,000.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that the revised plan for the financing of said specific object or purpose at said revised maximum estimated cost is as follows:

a. by the appropriation of \$425,000 monies of said County authorized to be issued pursuant to a resolution dated and duly adopted September 12, 2016 as described in the preambles hereof;

b. by the issuance of \$2,525,000 serial bonds of said County hereby authorized to be issued therefor pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 3.

It is hereby determined that the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid specific object or purpose is 30 years, pursuant to subdivision 22(a) of paragraph a of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law, calculated from the date of issuance of the first serial bonds/bond anticipation notes for said specific object or purpose.

Section 4.

The faith and credit of

said County of Dutchess, New York, are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds including determining whether to issue such bonds having substantially level or declining annual debt service and all matters related thereto, prescribing whether manual or facsimile signatures shall appear on said bonds, prescribing the method for the recording of ownership of said bonds, appointing the fiscal agent or agents for said bonds, providing for the printing and delivery of said bonds (and if said bonds are to be executed in the name of the County by the facsimile signature of the Commissioner of Finance, providing for the manual countersignature of a fiscal agent or of a designated official of the County), the date, denominations, maturities and interest payment dates, place or places of payment, and also including the consolidation with other issues, shall be determined by the Commissioner of Finance.

It is hereby determined that it is to the financial advantage of the County not to impose and collect from registered owners of such serial bonds any charges for mailing, shipping and insuring bonds transferred or exchanged by the fiscal agent, and, accordingly, pursuant to paragraph c of Sec-

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New York, by the manual or facsimile signature of the Commissioner of Finance and a facsimile of its corporate seal shall be imprinted or impressed thereon and may be attested by the manual or facsimile signature of the County Clerk.

Section 7.

The powers and duties of advertising such bonds for sale, conducting the sale and awarding the bonds are hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance, who shall advertise such bonds for sale, conduct the sale, and award the bonds in such manner as she shall deem best for the interests of the County; provided, however, that in the exercise of these delegated powers, she shall comply fully with the provisions of the Local Finance Law and any order or rule of the State Comptroller applicable to the sale of municipal bonds.

The receipt of the Commissioner of Finance shall be a full acquittance to the purchaser of such bonds, who shall not be obliged to see to the application of the purchase money.

Section 8.

All other matters, except as provided herein relating to such bonds including determining whether to issue such bonds having substantially level or declining annual debt service and all matters related thereto, prescribing whether manual or facsimile signatures shall appear on said bonds, prescribing the method for the recording of ownership of said bonds, appointing the fiscal agent or agents for said bonds, providing for the printing and delivery of said bonds (and if said bonds are to be executed in the name of the County by the facsimile signature of the Commissioner of Finance, providing for the manual countersignature of a fiscal agent or of a designated official of the County), the date, denominations, maturities and interest payment dates, place or places of payment, and also including the consolidation with other issues, shall be determined by the Commissioner of Finance.

Subject to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the serial bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, is hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance, the chief fiscal officer. Such notes shall be of

such terms, form and contents, and shall be sold in such manner, as may be prescribed by said Commissioner of Finance, consistent with the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 9.

This resolution shall constitute a statement of official intent for purposes of Treasury Regulations Section 1.150 - 2. Other than as specified in this resolution, no monies are, or are reasonably expected to be, reserved, allocated on a long-term basis or otherwise set aside with respect to the permanent funding of the object or purpose described herein.

Section 10.

The validity of such bonds and bond anticipation notes may be contested only if:

1) Such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which said County is not authorized to expend money, or

2) The provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of publication of this resolution are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or

3) Such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 11.

This resolution, which takes effect immediately, shall be published in full in The Poughkeepsie Journal and the Southern Dutchess News, the official newspapers of said County, together with a notice of the Clerk of the County Legislature in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

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tion 70.00 of the Local Finance Law, no such charges shall be so collected by the fiscal agent. Such bonds shall contain substantially the recital of validity clause provided for in section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and shall otherwise be in such form and contains such recitals in addition to those required by section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law, as the Commissioner of Finance shall determine.

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Slide show, book signing on Revolutionary War hero May 20 in Fishkill

Major General Israel Putnam



Hero of the American Revolution

Robert Ernest Hubbard

The Fishkill Historical Society will sponsor a Slide Show presentation and book signing by author Robert Ernest Hubbard on his recent book publication "Major General Israel Putnam - Hero of the American Revolution" on Saturday afternoon, May 20, at 1 p.m. at Van Wyck Hall, 1095, Main Street in the Village of Fishkill. Admission is free.

Israel Putnam's Headquarters was at the Van Wyck Homestead Museum in Fishkill from October 1776 until January 1778, when he was reassigned by General Washington. Putnam County was named in Honor of Major General Israel Putnam. Any questions, please call Steve Lynch - Fishkill Historical Society President, 845-896-8755 or email FHSinfo@yahoo.com.

The historic Van Wyck Homestead Museum is open for guided tours on weekend afternoons starting Saturday, June 3rd and throughout the summer and early fall.

-Courtesy image

Maifest set for May 19-21 at Germania in Poughkeepsie



Authentic German dancing and music will be part of the annual Maifest celebration set May 19-21 at the Germania Festival Grounds in Poughkeepsie.

-Courtesy photo

A fun, festive and authentic Maifest! will be held at Germania Festival Grounds, 51 Old DeGarmo Road, Poughkeepsie, on May 19, 5-10 p.m.; May 20, 1-10 p.m., and May 21, Noon-5 p.m. The event will feature live German bands, German food, home baked German desserts, traditional German Beer, children's entertainment, Bavarian dancers, and singers. Adult entry ticket are \$5 daily, \$4 Veterans and Active Military with valid ID, children under 16 with parent, no charge. The event will be held rain or shine under tents. Parking is free.

Germania of Poughkeepsie, founded 1850, is a 501c3 nonprofit organization committed to the education of German heritage and culture. Germania hosts various authentic cultural events throughout the year including an annual Maifest, Oktoberfest, Christkindlmarkt, Heritage Day Bake Sale, Biergartens, authentic German Saturday Take Out dinners, Wednesday Stammtisch, along with other events.

Over the past 173 years, Germania has hosted educational programs in music, sport, dance, and citizenship. Germania sponsors numerous "Sister Clubs" who also promote many educational and authentic cultural events. These include the Germania Singers, Germania Almrausch Schuhplattler Verein, Steuben Society of America Dr. Charles

Gilbert Spross Unit #167, and the Germania Blue & White Soccer Club. Germania also sponsors German Language Classes, Ballroom Dancing Classes, and a Volkssport Club. Throughout the year Germania holds clothing, food, toy drives, as well as grants annual scholarships to BOCES CTI Culinary program graduates. Since the pandemic, Germania has donated over seven hundred German Friday and Saturday Take Out Dinners to area First Responders.

According to organizers, Germania supports the community by procuring goods and services through locally owned Hudson Valley businesses. The organization remains a 100% volunteer, private club, and is actively looking to increase membership, along with Club Sponsorship and Event Vendors. Membership is open to individuals of all faiths and backgrounds.

Please visit <https://germaniapok.com> for additional details, and Facebook <https://facebook.com/GermaniaOfPoughkeepsie>.

Contact Germania directly for further Maifest information, president@germaniapok.com or call 845-471-0609. Only service animals with valid ID please.

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A complete copy of the resolution summarized herewith is each available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the Clerk of the Legislature for a period of twenty days from the date of publication of this Notice.

Dated: Poughkeepsie, New York,
May 12, 2023

Leigh Wager
Clerk, County Legislature

RESOLUTION NO. 2023070

BOND RESOLUTION DATED May 8, 2023.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,484,600 SERIAL BONDS OF THE COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, NEW YORK, TO PAY the COST OF the reconstruction and replacement of the roofs of various county-owned buildings, IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY.

Class of objects or purposes: Reconstruction/replacement of the roofs of various County-owned buildings

Period of probable usefulness: 25 years

Maximum estimated cost: \$2,484,600

Maximum amount of bonds to be issued: \$2,484,600 bonds

SEQRA status: Type II Action. SEQRA compliance materials on file in the office of the Clerk of the County Legislature where they may be inspected during normal office hours by appointment.

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Dated: Poughkeepsie, New York,
May 12, 2023.

Leigh Wager
Clerk, County Legislature

RESOLUTION NO. 2023083

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 8, 2023.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$378,750 SERIAL BONDS OF THE COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, NEW YORK, TO PAY the COST OF the construction of a veteran's monument at Dutchess county veteran's cemetery at Wappingers Falls rural cemetery, IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY.

Specific object or purpose: Construction of a veteran's monument at Dutchess County Veteran's Cemetery at Wappingers Falls Rural Cemetery in the Town of Poughkeepsie

Period of probable usefulness: 15 years

Maximum estimated cost: \$378,750

Maximum amount of bonds to be issued: \$378,750 bonds

SEQRA status: Unlisted Action. Negative Declaration. SEQRA compliance materials on file in the office of the Clerk of the County Legislature where they may be inspected during normal office hours by appointment.



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