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Renegades gain first-half title with 1-0 win over Brooklyn

By Rich Thomaselli

First of all - goal accomplished for the Hudson Valley Renegades.

For the first time since 2019, the Renegades clinched a playoff berth after defeating the Brooklyn Cyclones 1-0, last week Tuesday night at Maimonides Park. The Renegades entered Tuesday with their magic number at one and with the win, clinched the first-half crown in the North Division of the South Atlantic League.

After Hudson Valley carried a no-hitter through 6.2 innings against the Rome Braves on Saturday, the Renegades came two outs shy of a no-hitter in the half-clinching win. Kevin Parada legged out an infield single with one out in the ninth against Carlos Gomez to prevent the third Renegades no-hitter in team history.

The lone Renegades run came in the seventh on an RBI single from Eduardo Torrealba. Ben Cowles reached via a walk from Joander Suárez to begin the frame. The Cyclones went to the bullpen and brought in Brendan Hardy who struck out Spencer Henson for the first out. After Grant Richardson walked, Cowles and Richardson swiped second and third in a double steal. Torrealba then rifled a single to left field to plate Cowles for the game's lone run.

Tyrone Yulie led the staff, firing a career-high seven frames while striking out seven. Yulie (3-4) set a new career-high with 7.0 innings pitched, striking out seven and striking three. Gómez then recorded the last six outs, striking out three batters to earn his second save of the season.

This is the first time in the New York Yankees era of affiliation that the Renegades will make the playoffs.

As winners of the first half, Hudson Valley will host Games 2 and 3 (if necessary) in the first round of the South Atlantic League playoffs against the North Division winner of the second half of the season.

In the first game of the second half of the South Atlantic League season, the Cyclones powered past Hudson Valley 6-1 on Friday night. Brooklyn opened the scoring in the first after

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Fellow veterans, community honor U.S. Navy veteran

Libby Funeral Home holds service for veteran without any known family

By Kristine Coulter

Dennis Joseph Bush sacrificed for his country. The U.S. Navy veteran died with no surviving family members, said Joe Schuka, a funeral director with Libby Funeral Home & Cremation Services in Beacon. Libby staff and community members gathered to honor the 77-year-old during a recent graveside funeral.

"I hate holding services for veterans as such, so it's been my custom to reach out to my community; to get people to come out and pay their respects and show gratitude for the veteran's military service and sacrifice," explained Schuka.

Members of the Marine Corps League Carmen Ramputi Detachment 861 in Beacon served as pallbearers, said Schuka.

"We also had supporters and veterans from the Patriot Guard Riders of NY and the Knights Order Law Enforcement Motorcycle Club of Orange County NY, provide an honorable transfer escort to the cemetery; the Patriot Guard stood their traditional flag-line," he stated.

Bush was born in Hackensack, New Jersey on April 16, 1946, according to his obituary. He was the son of the late Joseph & Catherine (Szluka) Bush.

Bush enlisted in the U.S. Navy in November 1968. He received an honorable discharge on November 15, 1971, according to his obituary.

Local high school student George Humphreys, who is a trumpet player, sounded Taps, which is traditionally



Service members fold the American flag during a recent service for U.S. Navy veteran Dennis Joseph Bush. Bush did not have any known living family members, so community members attended the service.

-Courtesy photo

played, said Schuka.

"The funeral home extended an invitation out to the community via social media and our website, for folks to come out and pay tribute and respect; And I got an overwhelming response," said Schuka. "We had about 20 people turn out for this veteran's services. We also had a local Deacon from

St. Denis Church, in Hopewell Junction, come out and offer a committal prayer service for the soul of the veteran; which I was very grateful for," said Schuka.

The Honorable Transfer took place at Fishkill Rural Cemetery in Fishkill.

See more photos from the service on page 2

Municipalities to celebrate America's 247th birthday with variety of events

By Kristine Coulter

America celebrates its 247th birthday on July 4th. Local municipalities will celebrate the 4th of July with a variety of events.

Declaration of Independence to be read, fireworks in Beacon

There will be a reading of the Declaration of Independence in the City of Beacon at 11 a.m. on July 4th. The reading will take place at the Municipal Building, 1 Municipal Plaza. This year's readers will be Beacon City Council member Dan Aymar-Blair and Fishkill Councilman John Forman.

Committee chair Dennis Pavelock said members of the public may arrive at 9 a.m. Families with youth should arrive early to participate in the Catch Me if You Can, Guess the Number of Tootsie Rolls and the Minutemen portion of the program. Youth may do some research before the annual event and offer a bit about what they learned in the allowable time. Calling of raffles will be at 10:30 a.m.

The reading of the historical document in Beacon began 13 years ago. Pavelock researches and then offers a bit about that person. This year it will be William Rutledge. Pavelock and committee member Anne Thomas will wear historical period dress. A fireworks display will take place on July 2 at dusk. The annual event will take place at Memorial Park, Robert Cahill Dr. (off of Route 52), in Beacon.

Reading of Declaration in Village of Fishkill

The annual reading of the Declaration of Independence will take place in the Village of Fishkill. The reading will take place on July 4 at 11 a.m. at the Van Wyck Village Hall, 1095 Main St. in the Village. Dutchess County Clerk Bradford Kendall will be the reader this year.

The annual tradition was started by the heirs of wealthy Fishkill citizen Henry Dubois Van Wyck. According to Village documents, he was the owner of a water bottling plant located on Van Wyck Lake Road. He built what is known today as the Village Hall.

Van Wyck was the village's "first president" or what we now know as the position of mayor.



The annual reading of the Declaration of Independence will take place on July 4 at Van Wyck Village Hall in the Village of Fishkill.

-Photo by Kristine Coulter

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Dutchess County recognizes EMS providers

The Dutchess County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Council recognized EMS providers, EMS agencies and local hospital staff on Wednesday, June 14th, at its annual awards event held in Red Hook. The annual awards highlight the important role of first responders and the services they provide to the community. Joseph Dingee, Public Safety Dispatcher at the Dutchess County Department of Emergency Response 9-1-1 Communication Center, was honored with the EMS Communications Specialist of the Year Award, which is given to an individual who has made significant contributions to the EMS community as a call receiving operator, dispatcher or call taker and has shown dedication, responsibility, professional behavior, and skill during communications.

Dutchess County Executive William F.X. O'Neil said, "Congratulations to this year's award recipients, especially our own, Joe Dingee. His professionalism, steady demeanor and community minded spirit have helped numerous residents feel safer and reassured during crisis. The brave men and women who serve as first responders cannot be recognized often enough; we are grateful for their dedication to their community and Dutchess County."

In his role as a Public Safety Dispatcher with Dutchess County, which he began in October 2006, Dingee has put his certifications in CPR and Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) to use assisting callers experiencing or witnessing significant medical emergencies requiring him to talk the caller through administering CPR or giving other life-saving instructions.

Dingee handled these intense calls with compassion, empathy and professionalism, providing essential information to his fellow dispatchers in a timely manner. Dingee is also a member and past chief of Dover Fire Department.

Senior Dispatcher Linda Mihans, Mr. Dingee's supervisor, said, "Whether accidental 9-1-1 calls, repetitive callers, or serious issues, Joe never gets flustered and every caller receives the same professional service, his calm demeanor reassuring to even the most distraught callers. We are proud to have Joe as a member of our dynamic and dedicated team at the Dutchess County 9-1-1 Communication Center."

Dutchess County Commissioner of Emergency Response Dana Smith said, "We are proud to celebrate the achievements of our EMS providers, agencies and hospital staff. Emergency Medical Services are a critical, vital function within our community and those who choose to serve are the true heroes. We encourage all those looking for a career that truly makes a life-saving difference to consider a career in EMS. Joe has been a valuable member of the staff at Dutchess County 9-1-1 and we are grateful for his many years of service. Congratulations to Joe and all this year's honorees; we are grateful for the dedication and excellence you provide to our residents every day."

For more information on EMS agencies within Dutchess County, visit dutchessny.gov/emergency-services.

This year's recipients of the Dutchess County EMS Council Awards include:

Basic Life Support Provider of the Year



The Dutchess County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Council recognized EMS providers on June 14. From left, Dutchess County EMS Council Financial Secretary Antony Tseng, EMS Communications Specialist of the Year Dutchess County Public Safety Dispatcher Joseph Dingee, and Dutchess County EMS Council President Chrissy Eighmy.

-Courtesy photo

Barbara Oakes
Pleasant Valley Rescue Squad
EMS Agency of the Year
Arlington Fire District
Harriet C. Weber EMS Leadership Award
Michael Benenati
LaGrange Fire District
EMS Communications

Specialists of the Year
Joseph Dingee
Dutchess County Department of Emergency Response
Jessica Emery
City of Poughkeepsie 911
EMS Educator of Excellence
Alexandra Williams
Dutchess Community College.

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STOP-DWI Fourth of July enforcement effort runs June 30 through July 5

Various police agencies throughout Dutchess County will participate in a special enforcement effort to crack down on impaired driving to coincide with the national July 4th holiday. The statewide STOP-DWI High Visibility Engagement Campaign effort starts on June 30 and will end on July 5.

Municipal law enforcement agencies will collaborate across the state and will be out in force in this coordinated effort to reduce the number of alcohol-related injuries and deaths during this period.

Nationwide, July 4th is the second-deadliest holiday for drivers and passengers on U.S. roadways. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, between 2017 and 2021, there were 1,460 drivers killed in motor vehicle traffic crashes over the Fourth of July holiday period; 38 percent of those motorists killed were intoxicated.

The July 4th Weekend Engagement Campaign is one of many statewide enforcement initiatives promoted by the New York State STOP-DWI Association with additional funding from the STOP-DWI Foundation with a grant from the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee.

While STOP-DWI efforts across New York have led to significant reductions in the numbers of alcohol and drug related fatalities, still too many lives are being lost because of crashes caused by drunk or impaired drivers. Highly visible, highly publicized efforts like the STOP-DWI High Visibility Community Engagement Campaign aim to further reduce the incidence of drunk and impaired driving.

Drivers can help to make a difference by having a sober plan! Motorists can download the mobile app, "Have a Plan," and be able to find a safe ride home www.stopdwi.org/mobileapp.

Repair Work on Fallkill Dam begins in Town of Poughkeepsie

The Dutchess County Department of Public Works (DPW) has announced a project to rehabilitate and repair the Fallkill Dam, located on Creek Road in the Town of Poughkeepsie, is set to begin. Preliminary work, including delivery of equipment and building materials and work along the Fallkill Lake shoreline near the dam, began on June 22.

This project is essential to the safety and structural integrity of the dam as well as preserving the lake and surrounding natural habitats and reducing the potential for flooding at downstream properties.

Project work will include repairing the dam's outlet pipe, repairing and repointing the stone masonry, installing anchors in the dam's spillway to stabilize it, constructing a new auxiliary spillway, and raising the earthen embankments near the dam to bring them level with the dam. Repairs to the dam are anticipated to be complete by the spring of 2024.

To facilitate repairs to the dam, the Fallkill Lake will be drained for the duration of the project. The lake will be drained beginning in July, depending on the weather. Once drained, the exposed lake sediments may have an odor like a tidal estuary, and fishing, boating, and other recreational activities will not be possible. The lake will be refilled as the dam project is completed by spring 2024. DPW is working closely with the State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) for all permitting and oversight of this process.

While traffic interruptions are expected to be minimal along Creek Road, motorists are advised to exercise extra caution near the construction site, obey the posted speed limits, traffic advisory signs, and directions from flaggers near the work zone to ensure the safety of workers and other motorists.

For more information, please contact the Dutchess County Department of Public Works' Engineering Division at 845-486-2925.

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His heirs requested that the Declaration of Independence be read every year at Van Wyck Hall in honor of their uncle, who donated the hall, which was a theater, to the Village.

Town of East Fishkill to offer fireworks

Musical entertainment and fireworks are on the agenda for the celebration in the Town of East Fishkill.

"We will be having a wide variety of fun musical entertainment the whole weekend June 30, July 1 & July 2," said Bill Green, East Fishkill Recreation Director.

Green said the schedule is Friday, June 30 at 7 p.m. at the East Fishkill Recreation Grounds with The Carrie Zazz Band.

Saturday night, July 1, at 7 p.m. at the EF Rec will be Adam & The Newhearts and then on Sat. (July 1) at 9:15 p.m. "a big Legion fireworks show."

On Sunday, July 2 at Red Wing Park at 1 p.m. The Bob Martinson Band will perform.

"If it rains Saturday, the make-up date for the Adam & The Newhearts concert will be Monday, July 3. The fireworks show will be made up on Friday, September 1 (Labor Day Weekend)," explained Green.

"Bring the whole family. Singing and dancing with the bands are recommended. Food vendors will be there all weekend. Admission to all three concerts and the Fireworks Show is free," remarked Green.

Fireworks show in Beacon July 2

A fireworks show will be held July 2nd in the City of Beacon for the 4th of July at Memorial Park, Rober Cahill Drive (off of Route 52). The show will begin at dusk.

DCSPCA offers tips to keep pets safe during Independence Day

The Dutchess County SPCA (DCSPCA) in Hyde Park rescues thousands of animals each year. The organization's Executive Director Lynne Melocaro offered tips for protecting cats and dogs during Independence Day celebrations.

Tips for keeping pets safe during Fourth of July Include:

Please keep animals inside throughout

Independence Day weekend, as fireworks start early

Play gentle music during fireworks to drown out the sound

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Due to the July 4th holiday, Beacon Free Press will have an early deadline for the July 5 issue.

All editorial must be received by Thursday, June 29, at noon. All advertising must be received by Thursday, June 29, at 5 p.m. Contact cschmidt@southdutchessnews.com for more information.

Rolison proud of accomplishments; laments partisan politics in Albany

To the Editor:

As a freshman Senator representing part of our Hudson Valley region in Albany, I began this year's legislative session with high expectations. Unfortunately, the hope of genuine bipartisanship held out by so many of us was dashed once again by the state capital's business-as-usual status quo. Under this dispensation, politics, not people, came first. Important priorities and commonsense problem-solving were ignored. This was not my experience serving seven years as mayor of Poughkeepsie, and I will continue to advocate for the interests of our constituents despite these considerable hurdles.

The \$229 billion state budget, passed a month late with little local input to guide its potentially costly and overweening policies, set the tone for Albany's destructive top-down approach in the 2023 legislative session. The sweeping natural-gas ban, continued public safety missteps, and costly Medicaid shift to our county taxpayers were recklessly passed without taking into account local voices and input. I voted against the state spending plan for these and other reasons.

Despite appropriating \$1 billion to New York City to manage the ongoing migrant crisis, there was no coordination between Albany and Mayor Adams's administration. This lack of transparency and accountability has real-world consequences for the migrants themselves as well as the people who already live in the communities where they are being relocated. As of this writing my office has never received a reply to any correspondence sent to Governor Hochul's office regarding state planning and local reimbursement for additional relocations. Needless to say, this stonewalling is unacceptable.

I remain proud of the legislative breakthroughs we achieved despite these challenges, however. Overall, 15 bills I sponsored passed the Senate this year. Melanie's Law would provide

abuse victims with the protection they deserve and finally close an unconscionable loophole in our state's criminal procedure law. We kept the Hudson River clean and thriving by co-sponsoring bipartisan legislation which would prohibit once and for all dumping radioactive waste into the river. I am also proud that we delivered for many localities on their local legislation, keeping a promise I made to empower more residents in the communities in which they live and loosen Albany's stranglehold over their choices. I welcome building on this momentum as we look ahead to additional bipartisan opportunities next year.

Rob Rolison
Senator, NY 39th District

Harding Club celebrates 100 years in Poughkeepsie



The installation of Harding Club officers by Judge Albert Rosenblatt recently took place. From left: Alan Fox, Secretary; Bernie Cohen, Treasurer; Irv Miller, Vice President; Gene Fleishman, President; Martin Hochhauser, Sergeant-at-Arms and Judge Albert Rosenblatt, Master of Ceremonies.

-Courtesy photo by Eli Sloves

The Harding Club, a social club for men interested in camaraderie, community, philanthropy, good food, and Jewish culture, celebrated its 100th anniversary on Wednesday, June 14, with a gala at the Grandview.

The event was attended by over 100 members and guests, including the club's oldest member, 103-year-old Jack Gruberg. Judge Albert Rosenblatt served as master of ceremonies, and Ms. Sherry Hall, the Site Manager of the WG Harding Presidential Sites in Ohio, spoke about the club's namesake, President Warren G. Harding.

The club was founded in 1923 by a group of young Jewish men who were not able to join many clubs due to anti-semitism. Over the past 100 years, the club has grown to over 100 members and has become a fixture in the Poughkeepsie community. The club hosts a variety of events throughout the year, including social gatherings and educational pro-

grams. Their philanthropic activities span a wide variety of institutions.

In his speech, Judge Rosenblatt praised the club for its commitment to its mission and its contributions to the community. He shared that the Harding Club is a place where men can come together to build relationships, learn from each other, and give back to the community. It is a testament to the club's strength and resilience that it has thrived for 100 years.

Hall spoke about President Harding's legacy and his term in office. She explained President Harding was a man of great integrity and compassion. He was a strong advocate for veterans and he was committed to helping those in need.

The gala was a festive event that celebrated the club's rich history and bright future. The event featured a dinner, music, and dancing as well as the installation of officers for the upcoming year. The club's members look forward to continuing to build on the club's success in the years to come.

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Local memorials honor bravery of Lafayette in Revolutionary War

By Bill Jeffway

Historic markers have recently been placed in Beacon, Poughkeepsie and Montgomery Place in Red Hook, noting some of the locations related to the local September 1824 late-in-life visit of Revolutionary War General Lafayette. The French national was revered by George Washington (and the country) for his military skill and bravery, personal investments in the war, and persuasive skills in getting France to join the American side of the 1776-1783 revolution. His tour spanned 1824 and 1825.

September 16, 2024 will mark the 200th anniversary of the visit of Lafayette to Poughkeepsie, Staatsburg and Columbia County's Clermont, while September 19 will mark the same anniversary for his visit to Red Hook and Fishkill. He was the "nation's guest" at the invitation of President James Monroe who wanted to remember aging Revolutionary War veterans as the United States approached its 50th anniversary: July 4, 1826. Monroe's sense that time was running out was prescient. Both John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died on that day. Monroe died July 4, 1831. Lafayette died in 1834 in France.

The question, of course, in any public memorialization is: What is important and relevant today? Lafayette was only 19 years old when he met George Washington and volunteered for service. The most obvious lesson has to be that of sacrifice, (he risked his life, was wounded and recovered and carried on), selflessness, and loyalty to a cause and country. Described as a hero of two worlds because of his role in the American Revolution and a more complicated role in the French Revolution, he was actually a hero of other worlds as well. He was an advocate for what he called universal liberty, which included enslaved Africans and their descendants, and American Indians for example.

As an example of Lafayette's relationship with American Indians during the war, Lafayette persuaded the Oneida to join the American cause and was respectfully called Kayewla, or great warrior. Not seeing any Oneida on his June 10, 1825 visit to Utica, a former Oneida stronghold, Lafayette asked his hosts about them, surprising them with the

request. When the Oneida came, they had a private audience with Lafayette that he had not granted others.

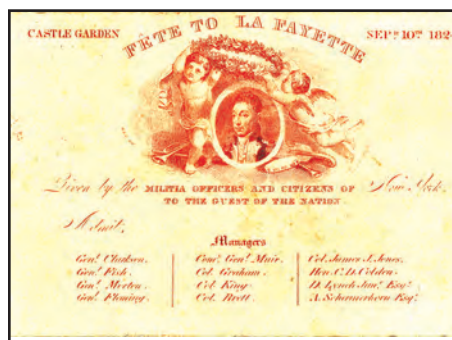
Equally in the Black community, Lafayette was seen as an advocate. For example, during the war he entrusted an enslaved man in Virginia who had

earned a temporary reprieve from his owner. James Armistead became an invaluable spy infiltrating the highest levels of the British military, but was returned to being enslaved at the end of the war and was denied a pension for lacking a combat role. Lafayette successfully personally petitioned congress on both accounts.

Who might have been in the audience in 1824, and what might they have seen in Lafayette? Comfort and Elizabeth Ludington of Fishkill obviously had a deep, personal respect, as they named their son DeLafayette Ludington at his 1783 birth. Although his wife survived him, DeLafayette Ludington died in 1823.

Hannah Coshare of Fishkill of the Schaghticoke, would have been around 24 years old when Lafayette visited. Henry Catskill would have been a young boy. He is described by the historian Frank Hasbrouck in 1905 as an example of the Wappinger who married and settled with local Blacks in the Fishkill hamlet of Baxtertown. In DCHS Collections we have the January 1, 1814 marriage record of Andrew Frazier, who was of African and European heritage, and Susan May, reported to be American Indian from Shekomeko in today's Pine Plains. These American Indians, whether they were in the audience locally or not, would have been aware of Lafayette's sensitivity to their communities.

Thomas and Jane Williams were a married free Black couple living in the Quaker stronghold of Dover who might have been in Lafayette's public audi-



From DCHS Collections, the above is an invitation to a member of the Van Kleeck family to the September 10, 1824 was a celebration of Lafayette's visit to the United States, just in advance of his trip up and down the Hudson River that would include Dutchess County stops in Fishkill, Poughkeepsie, Staatsburg, and Red Hook.

-Courtesy of DCHS Collections



This sign was erected at the City of Poughkeepsie's Waryas Park at the foot of Main Street where Lafayette stepped off his boat in the early morning of September 16, 1824. The American Friends of Lafayette, the Dutchess County Historical Society, the Daughters of the American Revolution and other organizations are in the very early stages of assembling partnerships for an appropriate recognition in September of 2024.

-Courtesy of DCHS

ence. They had an interest in Lafayette. Around 1827, the year that slavery was abolished in New York, they named their newborn son Lafayette Williams.

Lafayette Williams went on to serve in the Civil War in the 28th U.S. Colored Troops. He died in the war in June of 1865 and is buried at City Point National Cemetery, Virginia. Also possibly in the audience and also from Dover at the time, were Thomas Bolin who was Black, and his wife Charlotte, who was of Black and local Schaghticoke, heritage. They were the first of four local generations that came to produce Gaius Bolin (1865-1946), the first Black graduate of Williams College, and Jane Bolin (1909 to 2007), the first Black female judge in the United States appointed in 1929.

Eighty-three years after his death, in 1917, the name of Lafayette was invoked at the commencement of US involvement in World War I, which included the sending of troops to French battlefields where Germans were attempting a full invasion. As a way to rally public support for the war, as US Troops were arriving in France, U.S. General Pershing had a ceremony at the grave of Lafayette in Paris. When an aid uttered, Lafayette we are here! This helped position the sacrifice Americans were about to make as thanks for French support during the Revolutionary War, it was quickly attributed to Pershing and became a commonplace rallying cry. Today's Poughkeepsie-based American Legion carries the name of the Lafayette Post since its World War One founding.

Although critics said the continuation of the women's suffrage movement was a distraction from the World War One war effort, many women disagreed, say-

ing the need for women's involvement was the perfect time for an equal seat at the table. The most persistent women's suffragists were organizing at the statue of Lafayette at Lafayette

Park, across from the White House in Washington, DC. Here they launched what became the first, and perhaps best known pickets of the White House. On September 16, 1918, a Colorado suffragist named Bertha Arnold, read words written by Evelyn Wainwright that launched with the phrase, Lafayette, we are here! The words included the plea, "Dead these hundred years but still living in the hearts of the American people. Speak again to plead for us..." And so the name of Lafayette has been invoked for generations and centuries by many worlds.

September 16, 2024 will mark 200 years since Lafayette visited Poughkeepsie, Staatsburgh and Clermont (Columbia County) and 106 years since women in Lafayette Park in Washington invoked Lafayette's name in the pursuit of suffrage. Lafayette visited Red Hook and Fishkill on September 19, 2024. As the United States approaches the 250th anniversary of its founding, perhaps Lafayette can be remembered in ways relevant to today. More information at www.dchsny.org/lafayette200 or email Bill Jeffway at bill.jeffway@dchsny.org.



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Hudson Valley NYY	*	39	30	.565	-	5-5	L4
Greensboro PIT		37	30	.552	1.0	5-5	L1
Jersey Shore PHI		37	31	.544	1.5	7-3	L1
Aberdeen BAL		34	33	.507	4.0	5-5	W1
Brooklyn NYM		31	37	.456	7.5	6-4	W4
Wilmington WSH		30	37	.448	8.0	3-7	L1
SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE SOUTH		W	L	PCT	GB	L10	STRK
Winston-Salem CWS		36	30	.545	-	4-6	W1
Greenville BOS	*	37	32	.536	0.5	4-6	L2
Bowling Green TB		33	31	.516	2.0	7-3	W2
Hickory TEX		30	34	.469	5.0	8-2	W6
Rome ATL		31	38	.449	6.5	3-7	W1
Asheville HOU		26	38	.406	9.0	2-8	L6

Playoff tickets on sale now as Renegades advance in SAL North Division

By Rich Thomaselli

Playoff time!

Tickets for Hudson Valley Renegades games in the 2023 South Atlantic League Playoffs are on sale. Now.

The Renegades punched their ticket to the playoffs last Tuesday night with a 1-0 win over the Brooklyn Cyclones, securing a First-Half Championship in the SAL North. It is the first time that Hudson Valley has made the playoffs since 2019.

By virtue of winning the first half, Hudson Valley will host Games 2 and 3 (if necessary) of the best-of-three North Division Championship Series at Heritage Financial Park. Game 2 is slated for Thursday, Sept. 14, while Game 3 (if necessary) will be played on Friday, Sept. 15. First pitch for NDCS games is scheduled for 6:35 p.m.

If the Renegades win the NDCS, they advance to the SAL Championship Series, where they would host Game 1 on Sunday, Sept. 17. First pitch for the SAL Championship Series Game 1 is sched-

uled for 2:05 p.m.

Playoff tickets cost \$5 for seats in the Upper Level (Sections 200-206, 302-307 and General Admission), and \$10 for seats in the Lower Level (Sections 100-112). Tickets purchased for the "if necessary" NDCS Game 3 and SALCS Game 1 are risk free and will be fully refunded if the Renegades do not play in those games.

"We are so happy to see the team's success on the field this season, and are excited for playoff baseball to return to Heritage Financial Park," said Tyson Jeffers, General Manager of the Renegades, in a statement. "We can't wait to share the energy and excitement of the playoffs with the fans and create the best home field advantage in the league." For tickets and more information, visit www.hvrenegades.com, call the ticket office at 845-838-0094 or stop by the Renegades Ticket Office in person at Heritage Financial Park.

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	32	125	29	44	9	2	12	34	15	34	10	0	.352	.434	.744	1.178
2 Spencer Jones CF	HV	60	250	37	67	19	4	10	36	22	91	18	5	.268	.327	.496	.823
3 Spencer Henson 1B	HV	50	184	35	46	10	0	9	31	19	55	1	1	.250	.338	.451	.789
4 Benjamin Cowles 2B	HV	53	187	29	48	8	0	7	19	20	63	6	0	.257	.341	.412	.753
5 Grant Richardson RF	HV	49	172	22	30	5	1	6	22	23	62	9	0	.174	.286	.320	.606
5 Alexander Vargas SS	HV	53	216	29	45	9	3	6	26	16	65	9	4	.208	.265	.361	.626
7 Marcos Cabrera 3B	HV	39	138	14	28	8	2	3	17	15	44	3	1	.203	.281	.355	.636
7 Anthony Garcia RF	HV	34	124	23	23	5	1	3	16	19	57	1	2	.185	.292	.315	.607
7 Antonio Gomez C	HV	51	186	23	46	12	0	3	22	16	63	0	1	.247	.317	.360	.677
10 Ben Rice C	HV	15	44	15	15	2	0	2	10	18	10	3	0	.341	.559	.523	1.082
11 Josh Breaux DH	HV	13	54	6	11	1	0	1	3	5	15	0	0	.204	.271	.278	.549
11 Rafael Flores 1B	HV	54	205	20	59	10	1	1	19	21	59	2	1	.288	.352	.361	.713
11 Aldenis Sanchez RF	HV	49	160	19	31	7	4	1	21	21	48	11	3	.194	.289	.306	.595
11 Luis Santos 2B	HV	23	64	6	16	3	1	1	7	10	20	3	2	.250	.355	.375	.730
11 Eduardo Torrealba 3B	HV	28	82	10	23	1	0	1	11	10	13	4	1	.280	.371	.329	.700
16 Kyle Battle LF	HV	9	20	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	9	1	1	.050	.174	.050	.224
16 Juan Crisp C	HV	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	.000	.250	.000	.250
16 Caleb Durbin 2B	HV	22	78	20	26	5	0	0	8	14	9	15	1	.333	.464	.397	.861

Pitcher Statistics

PLAYER	TEAM	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SVO	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	SO	WHIP	AVG
1 Drew Thorpe P	HV	6	1	2.49	12	12	0	0	0	0	72.1	54	24	20	4	0	24	86	1.08	.213
2 Juan Carela P	HV	2	3	3.03	12	11	0	0	0	0	62.1	44	26	21	2	7	22	78	1.06	.198
3 Zach Messenger P	HV	0	5	2.93	12	12	0	0	0	0	58.1	51	26	19	6	0	31	73	1.41	.235





Renegades Extra!



Renegades Gomez one of best defensive catchers in league

By Rich Thomaselli

He has struggled at the plate at times. He is hitting just .247 with 22 RBI at a position where as many as three players have seen time this year.

But it's not what Antonio Gomez does AT the plate as much as it is what he does BEHIND the dish.

Simply put, Gomez is one of the best defensive catchers in the South Atlantic League. The 21-year-old is a big reason why the team is the North Division first-half champions and booked the ticket to the SAL playoffs.

Gomez is throwing out almost 40 percent of the runners who try to steal a base on him. Maybe that doesn't sound like a lot to some baseball fans. But the league average is 31 percent.

"His presence alone is a big detriment to people on base," manager Sergio Santos said.

Gomez won't turn 22 until after the season is over in November. He is blessed with an extraordinary amount of defensive prowess for someone so young.

He came to the Yankees organization in a

2021 trade with the Tampa Bay Rays.

"If someone gets on base, you want to keep them close," pitcher Zach Messinger said. "But with him back there, they are reluctant to take too big of a lead."

Gomez bats right-handed and throws right-handed. The Yankees have worked with him and will continue to do so, of course.

But much of his defensive success is just plain ability.

"There are a lot of nuances to the position," Gomez said, "but the bottom line is to get out of your crouch and make an accurate throw. It doesn't mean anything if you can't get the ball down to second base."

The trick, he says, is not to let his offense interfere with his defense. He might not be producing as many runs and hits as he would like, although his batting average hovers around his career average of .256, but Gomez saves a lot of runs.

"Both aspects are important," he



Catcher Antonio Gomez of the Hudson Valley Renegades is throwing out almost 40 percent of the runners who try to steal a base, one of the best percentages in the league.

-Photo by Dave Janosz

said. "It's almost like playing two different games."

Renegades gain first-half title with win over Brooklyn

Continued from cover

Renegades starter Zach Messinger walked the bases loaded to begin the frame. William Lugo then chopped a ball to third to Marcos Cabrera who stepped on the bag and threw to first for a double play,

but Alex Ramirez scored to hand the Cyclones a 1-0 lead.

The Cyclones tallied three more in the third off Messinger (0-5) after clubbing three solo home runs. Kevin Parada, Jaylen Palmer, and Lugo all homered to left field to extend

Brooklyn's lead to 4-0. Messinger threw just three innings in his outing and walked a season-high five while also striking out five.

On Sunday, the Cyclones defeated Hudson Valley 2-1. After Joander Suarez (3-5) hurled a scoreless top of

the ninth, Omar De Los Santos laid down a bunt single against Bailey Dees. On the ensuing pitches, De Los Santos stole second and third base. A 1-2 breaking ball to Drake Osborn bounced away from Rafael Flores, and De Los Santos scored the winning run.

TYSON'S TIDBITS!

Taking advantage of 'early notice' on playoff games & playoff tickets

Every week, writer Rich Thomaselli and Hudson Valley General Manager discuss the Renegades in particular and minor league baseball in general.

You have talked before about making the playoffs and having all that time to sell tickets. Can you elaborate on that?

Yeah, in Major League Baseball you could make the playoffs and have a game 12 hours later and still sell the place out. It doesn't work that way in minor league baseball. You can't sell to your fan base with just 24 hours. It makes it pretty hard to create a home-field advantage. Also, the playoffs are usually the first or second week of school, so it's hard to attract that many fans when you are so reliant on

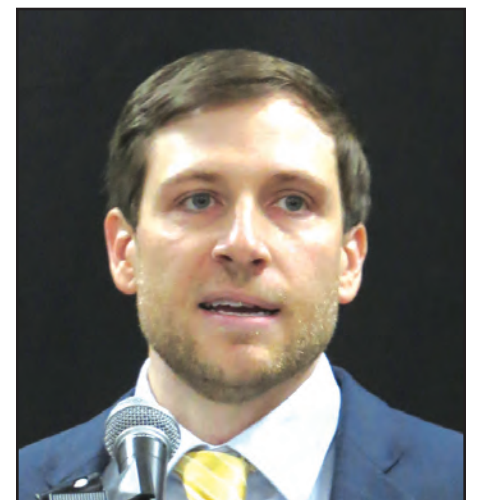
families. So by winning the first half and clinching a playoff spot, we know when it is and where the games are. It's better for going to market and trying to sell playoff tickets.

Take off your management cap for a minute. What does this mean to the community?

Everything. It's the first year of Heritage Financial (naming rights sponsor). It's a big thing. It's a great story to tell, because you're telling a story of success. And I know it's exciting for our players, and we don't even know how many of them are still going to be with us in September. It will be fun to create a new campaign around the postseason.

You had almost a week to digest that you are going to the playoffs. Are you planning anything special?

This is an exciting time. It's our first playoff appearance as a Yankees affiliate. So we'll probably do a lot of keepsake items. It's especially important for our season ticket holders. The best memories are winning the playoff games. But the one thing we already did is the ticket pricing. It's not your standard ticket price for a game. It's \$10 for the lower bowl. And for the games that are 'if necessary' we will refund the tickets. We may have things like rally towels. And, like I said, clinching the first half and having some time to prepare allows us to find a sponsor for some things.



Tyson Jeffers

Breakneck Trailhead to reopen July 1

Hudson Highlands Fjord Trail, Inc., the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP), and the New York-New Jersey Trail Conference (NYNJTC) announced that the work at the Upper Overlook area of the Breakneck Trailhead will be completed on schedule. The Breakneck Trailhead, which has been closed since work began in March, will reopen to the public on July 1.

The scope of this work includes the relocation of the Breakneck trailhead farther up Breakneck Ridge, repair of eroding trail surfaces, improved stormwater management along the trail, and installation of stone steps leading up to the Breakneck ascent, performed by Tahawus Trails, LC and Jolly Rovers Trail Crew, as well as the construction of a new Trail Steward Station by Gray Organschi Architecture and Heitmann Builders. Concept design for Upper Overlook was completed by SCAPE Landscape Architecture.

This initial work at Upper Overlook marks the launch of Phase I: Breakneck Connector & Bridge of the Hudson Highlands Fjord Trail project. When completed, the Breakneck Connector & Bridge will provide the New York City Department of Environmental Protection with access to its drainage chamber, Metro-North with an enhanced train station, and will improve safety along Route 9D, a priority of the New York State Department of Transportation.

The Breakneck Trailhead property was donated to OPRHP by Metro-North Railroad to facilitate this work in the most efficient and timely manner.

"This project will greatly improve the public's experience on this beautiful and challenging trail, help keep hikers safe, and protect the surrounding natural resources," said Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Commissioner Erik Kulleseid. "I'm grateful to our partners at Hudson Highlands Fjord Trail and the New York-New Jersey

Trail Conference for their work on the project and look forward to future steps to improve safety and better manage visitation at Breakneck Ridge and Hudson Highlands State Park."

"Unsafe conditions in the area of the Breakneck Trailhead were a key driver of why the Fjord Trail project was envisioned," said Hudson Highlands Fjord Trail Executive Director Amy Kacala. "Managing visitation in a way that both ensures safety for people and protects the natural resources along existing hiking trails is central to our purpose and design. These improvements at the Breakneck Trailhead illustrate how we can protect habitat while welcoming and educating visitors."

"The location of the new Trail Steward station will no longer be directly on Route 9D," said Hank Osborn, Director of Programs for the New York-New Jersey Trail Conference. "It will now be positioned at a safe distance from the highway to provide a more enjoyable orientation experience for visitors. Without

the noise of high-speed traffic rushing past within feet of the old trailhead, we predict orientations to become even more effective at preparing hikers to travel safely and protect the natural resource they're there to enjoy."

The complete scope of work for the Breakneck Connector & Bridge phase of the Fjord Trail, which completed its SEQRA environmental review process in December 2022, will take place in the area just north of the tunnel on Route 9D to the Metro-North Railroad Station in the Town of Fishkill, NY. Slated to begin in winter 2023/2024, the remainder of work at Breakneck will include the construction of a shared use trail parallel to Route 9D from the Breakneck Ridge train station, new and improved parking areas, enhanced crosswalks, two trail bank areas, stormwater management enhancements, new ADA-compliant restroom facilities, and a comprehensive ecological restoration of the area with a native plant palette.

BHS 2023 graduates announced

The Beacon High School administration announced the following students graduated from Beacon High School as part of the Class of 2023.

The graduates are:
Jordan Aguilar Montano, Lina Ahmed, Jared Alston, Mateo Alvarado, Andre Alzate, Gabriel Aquino, Gil Banks, Daniel Barry, Joseph Battle Jr., Adrian Beato, George Belgrave, Angelina Berlingieri, Isabella Boswick, Isabella Bottiglieri, Delaney Brennen, Kaylee Broas, Cody Brooks, Julian Brown, Scott Bunker, Margot Burke, Ivianna Cancel-Dickens, Kevin Candia, Eric Caporale, Ariadna Carmona, Sofia Castelhanao, Crystal Chen, Wilson Ciccone, Esther Clair, Logan Claudio, Sophia Clauson, Alexander Clay, Hope Cleveringa, Grace Cohn, Maryah Culton, Parijat Das, Nicholas Dean, Anastasia DeCarlo, Madison DeLeo, Brianna DeMilio, Damon Dennis, Jason Derasmo, Jacob DiNobile, Danielle

DiRubbio, Jordon Dixon-Caines, Beatrice Dowd, Jaeden Drysdale, Jhanelle Duncan, Laney Ebeling, Jonathan Echevarria, De Mya Elliott, Isaiah Epps, William Fahlman, Joseph Faircloth, Journey Fleming, A'Janae Foreman, Gabriela Foret, Lowell Freedman, Adrian Gallego, Sadot Garcia, Mahki Garrett, Gabriella Ghent, Nia Gilchrest, Darien Gillins, Esteban Gomez-Perez, Caitlynn Gonzalez, Bram Goodnow, Jenna Griesing, Labibah Hassan, Ysabel Heath, Tyvashea Henderson, Krystal Herrera, Aedan Hetling, Dylan Howard, George Humphreys, Christian Irizarry, Liam Istvan, Farah Jaafar, Justin Jackson, Sydney Jones, Jack Juhn, Alexander Khalil, Alexander King, Campbell Kitzrow, Emma Labodin, Gavin LaDue, Janelle Lagunda, Ahmad Lang, Juliette Lasser, Isaiah Lawrence, Gabriella Leiva, Audrey Lewis, Sharon Li, Sabrina Lin, Tylynn Lindsay, Akil

Lloyd-Harrison, Jeremiah Long, Jordyn Long, Eleanor Lopez, Elizabeth Lopez, Moa Lopez, Carlos Loza Argudo, Aidan Lyons, Miranda Lyons, Daniel Mack, Lillian Magurno, Angelena Maneri, Julissa Manso, Gabriella Manzoello, Abigale Martin, Alexis Mastrantuono, Brandon Maupin, Nuriya May, Jason Mazzacone Jr., Elijah McKible, Taylor Meeuwisse, Jonah Mensch, Daniel Mercado, Brianna Moleano, Jonathan Montoya, Elliot Moreno, Skhy Morris, Sofia Mourgues, Tyler Neves, Erin Nicholson, Shema Ntaganzwa, Lindsay Otero, Aydin Ozkurt, Addy Pagonas, Rowan Parsaca, Emani Paulin, Aaron Pegues Jr., Leibinson Perez Novas, Ella Pessoni, John Philipbar III, Robert Principe Jr., Henry Quinn, Lila Quinn, Natalie Quintero, Kaila Ramdeen, Jonathan Ramirez, Mia Ramirez, Nathaniel Ramos, Thomas Rapp, Isabelle Ray, Natalee Reynolds, Penelope Rigney, Thomas Robinson,

Ruby Rodgers, Shepard Rodgers, Hanna Rodriguez, Daniel Rogers, Frederick Rosa, Joshua Ross, Liam Rumnit, Jillian Salvati, Maclin Sandoval, Amelia Sanker, Jesmarie Sanz, Quincy Savage, Isa Schmidt, Angelina Schupner, Senan Scott-Hamblen, Dominic Seddon, Nazyr Segarra, Demetra Sela, Adam Sendelbach, Michael Serino, Ryan Shaffer, Mikayla Sheehan, Jamison Sheehy, Leian Simon, Libby Smith, Ciara Soto, Jalyssia Soto, Joseph Spiconardi Jr., Dyami Stafford, Juliana Sulsona, Camryn Suppa, Jeremiah Tejada, Isabella Travis, Kameron Tresch, Jacob Tumidaj, Jack Twining Freeman, Kaileb Underwood, Daniel Urbanak, Anthony Valentin, Liam Verdesi, Javan Verdile, Joseph Vollaro, Cody Wansor, Arycia Williams, Jaden Williamson, Isaiah Wilson, Jeffrey Wolfe III, Isaiah Woody, Genesis Young, Elena Zeoli.

Sports Museum of Dutchess County seeks volunteers

The Sports Museum of Dutchess County, located in historic Carnwath Farms in Wappinger, has openings for summer High School and College students. Volunteers will be expected to work a three-hour shift on Saturday or Sunday. Duties will include creating lists of historical sports artifacts, organizing

public displays, assisting with tours, and routine clerical help. Volunteers will have the opportunity to work at the new Ralph Holt Learning Center and assist at community events.

For further information, call Bill or Barbara Ponte at 845-473-0903, or email <https://sportsmuseumofdutchesscounty.org>

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Obituaries

Mother Mary Elizabeth Oliver



BEACON - Mother Mary Elizabeth Oliver, 88, of Beacon, New York, sunset on Sunday, June 11, 2023 at her residence peacefully, after a brief illness. Her sun rose on Friday, July 13, 1934 in Raeford, North Carolina to the late Rufus Monroe, and the late Rosa (McArn) Monroe. She spent all of her formative years in her beloved Raeford, North Carolina, graduating from Upchurch High School in 1953.

After graduating, she migrated to the north, settling in Stamford, CT. That same year, one predestined evening, she caught the eye of a particularly well dressed, handsome fella, who became the love of her life, William L. "Bill" Oliver Sr., they were united in

Holy Matrimony June 26, 1954. She is survived by 3 sons, William L. Jr., Pastor Michael A. (Dorcus), and Bishop Kerry B. Oliver; one adopted daughter, Doretha Oliver, 5 granddaughters, 11 great-grandchildren, and 3 great-great granddaughters, and 4 goddaughters, Yvonne and Yvette Eldridge "The Twins", Victoria Bowman, and Khadijah Kirby. She is preceded by her husband of 45 years, her sons, Ronald L., and Gregory T. (Rhonda, who survives at home), and a daughter Lisa Oliver (passing at infancy).

Mary worked at IBM in East Fishkill as an Quality Control, before retiring after 26 years of service. She played softball, and was an avid bowler. She gave her life to the Lord in 1971, being a member of Faith Temple C.O.G.I.C., Mt. Calvary FBH, and at the time of her passing, she had dual membership at 2 churches, Upper Room Pentecostal Ministries in Beacon NY, and Agape Love Christian Fellowship in Poughkeepsie NY, pastored by 2 sons. She was very active in ministry as a church mother, missionary, teacher, and a trustee. She loved the Lord with all of her being, and would not hesitate to be His witness, nor give Him a praise.

Home Going Celebration was Saturday, June 24, 2023 at Springfield Baptist Church, Beacon NY, with her son Pastor Michael A. Oliver. Interment at Fishkill Rural Cemetery, Fishkill N.Y. Professional services entrusted to Rhodes Funeral Home, 43 Fairview Ave., Poughkeepsie, NY.

Silvio P. Ciancio



EAST FISHKILL - Silvio P. Ciancio passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his loving family on June 18, 2023, and was reunited in eternal marriage with his wife, Marilyn, of 60 years who predeceased him January 18, 2023. He was born in Manhattan, NY on November 22, 1936, to Silvio J. Ciancio and Rose ("Ruby" Pellegrino) Ciancio and grew up in the Bronx, NY. After graduating from DeWitt Clinton High School, he attended the RCA School of Electronics and worked for New York Telephone. He married, the love of his life, Marilyn Goddard, on May 11, 1963, in the Bronx, NY and together they raised 3 children. He relocated his family to East Fishkill, NY, and retired from NYNEX. His lifelong passion for fishing led to starting Dutchess Aquamarine Systems, specializ-

ing in tropical fish, a business that he ran from his home. His customers became friends, and he cherished both their business and friendship. Silvio was a volunteer in the Outreach Program at Church of the Resurrection in Hopewell Junction and for more than 10 years he picked up food from local businesses and delivered it to the Lunch Box in Poughkeepsie. He was an avid NY Yankees fan and attended many games, and a lifelong member of the NRA. Above all, Silvio loved spending time with family.

Silvio is survived by his two children, Jill R. Haack (Jerry) and James Ciancio (Danielle), (Heidi Ciancio, daughter-in-law), (Debra Marano Ciancio, daughter-in-law), six grandchildren, Jeffrey, Anthony, Stephanie, Joseph, Sara, and Troy, and 7 great grandchildren, Leonardo, Elijah, Jacob, Cameron, Alyvia, Lillian, and Jace; a special sister-in-law, Deborah Goddard, he called "Sis," his brother-in-law Richard Goddard (Alice), and sisters-in-law Nancy Young, Pam Wendell (Gary), and Sharon Knox (Dennis), many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his parents and a brother, Robert, his wife, Marilyn, and a son, Andrew.

Special thanks and gratitude to Hudson Valley Hospice for the medical, emotional, and spiritual support which allowed Silvio to pass at home.

Calling hours will be held on June 30th from 4-8pm at the McHoul Funeral Home, Inc., 895 Route 82, Hopewell Junction. The funeral service will be held on July 1st at 11a.m, at St. Nicholas-on-the-Hudson Church, 37 Point St, New Hamburg followed by interment in Wappingers Rural Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to Hudson Valley Hospice, 374 Violet Avenue, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Please visit his Book of Memories at www.mchoulfuneralhome.com.

Silas Grey Hernandez



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It broke our hearts to lose you
But you didn't go alone
Part of us went with you,
The day God took you home.

Nancy A. Powell



FORMERLY OF FISHKILL - Nancy A. Powell, a resident of Mount Pleasant, SC and formerly of Fishkill, NY, passed away on Monday, June 19, 2023 at the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston, SC. She was 92.

Daughter of the late John and Catherine (Morris) Mara, she was born in Beacon, NY on November 7, 1930. Nancy worked for the Texaco Research Center in Glenham, NY for more than 30 years. She enjoyed several hobbies, most especially gardening.

On November 11, 1951, she married George G. Powell in Beacon, NY. Nancy was predeceased by her husband on July 20, 2012.

Survivors include her son, George Jon Powell & his wife Tara;

her granddaughter, Kathleen Cooper & her husband Gage; her grandson, Jon William Powell; two very precious great-grandchildren; as well as her nieces, Diane Emmett and Donna Kellerman & her husband Paul; and nephews, David Ninne and Michael Ninnie.

In addition to her husband and parents, Nancy was also preceded in death by her siblings, Kathleen Petrus and John Mara; as well as her nephews Dale Petrus, Jeffrey Ninnie, and Thomas Ninnie.

Calling hours were held on Sunday, June 25 at the McHoul Funeral Home of Fishkill, Inc., 1089 Main Street, Fishkill, NY. A Mass of Christian Burial was offered on Monday, June 26 at St. Mary, Mother of the Church, 106 Jackson Street, Fishkill, NY. Interment will follow at Fishkill Rural Cemetery, 801 Route 9, Fishkill, NY.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society at www.cancer.org.

For online tributes, you can visit Nancy's Book of Memories at www.mchoulfuneralhome.com.

John R. Ashburn Sr.

BEACON, WAPPINGERS FALLS - John R. Ashburn Sr., a longtime Beacon and Wappingers Falls resident, passed way on June 16, 2023 at the Vassar Brothers Medical Center in Poughkeepsie, NY; at the age of 82. He was born at the Highland Hospital in Beacon, NY on August 3, 1940, son of the late Harry & Evelyn (Kimble) Ashburn.

John attended Beacon City and Wappingers Central Schools; he enlisted in the United States Navy on August 8, 1957. He served actively as a radarman 2nd class aboard the USS Talbot County (LST 1153), then reserve duty from 1961 to 1963, when he received an honorable discharge for his service.

On January 2, 1958 in Kissimmee, FL, he married Cynthia Jane Peck, who survives him at home.

John worked as a long-distance tractor trailer driver for a local firm in Poughkeepsie, NY; then he worked as a construction equipment operator with the New York State Thruway Authority in East Fishkill. He also worked for Pepsi Co. in Pine Bush, as the water truck driver.

Along with his beloved wife of 65-years of marriage, John is survived by his two sons, Mark J. Ashburn and his wife Rebecca of Las Vegas, NV; Dr. John Ashburn Jr., and his wife Tara of East Fishkill, NY; his three grandchildren, Zachery Ashburn, Alexander Ashburn and Courtney Ashburn. He is also survived by his sister-in-law Cherry Ashburn, and several nieces, nephews, cousins & friends.

Along with his parents, John is predeceased by his brother William Ashburn, and his two sisters Nancy & Barbara.

Arrangements were entrusted to the care of the LIBBY FUNERAL HOME, 55 Teller Avenue, Beacon, New York. As per John's wishes, there will be a private cremation with interment at a later date in the Wappingers Falls Rural Cemetery, Wappingers Falls, NY, at which time he will receive military honors from the U.S. Navy Honor Guard. To offer a message of condolence or share a fond memory, please visit: www.LibbyFuneralHome.com.

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9 am-4 pm

100 Help Wanted

Part-time Library Clerk

The Hyde Park Library, located at 2 Main Street in Hyde Park, is seeking a Part-time Library Clerk to join our circulation staff. 13 hrs. per week on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Qualifications: Must be friendly and courteous and provide outstanding customer service. Strong computer skills as well as some knowledge of print and electronic information resources. Ability to perform detailed and repetitive work accurately. Ability to stand for long periods, use stairs, bend and lift up to 25 lbs. High school diploma or equivalency required. Duties Include: Check library materials in and out and place system holds for patrons. Create and update patron records. Assist patrons with copiers, faxes, and computers. Provide reference assistance. Sort, inspect and process all library materials. Other duties as assigned. Please send resume to circulation@hydeparklibrary.org Attn: Library Director or stop in and drop it off at the Hyde Park Library Circulation Desk.



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516 Misc. Merchandise

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Submit Classified ads by 3PM on Wed., June 28th.

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503 Furniture

ANTIQUE 55 x 44 Oval Dining Table. 4 Chairs w/upholstered seat, Wood back, legs. Unscrewable from Table bottom. Call: 845-625-3213

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Sofa with reclining ends, \$75. Recliner Rocker, \$50. All good cond., Blue in color. 845-297-0131

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30" Gas Whirlpool Stainless Steel Cook Top. Five burners, Never Used. \$750 OBO. 845-337-7143

Stainless Steel Kitchen Sink. 25"W x 22"D x 8"H. Faucet was never used. \$110.00. 845-337-7143



507 Sports Equipment

Girls Bicycle 24", 18 speed Readmaster, "Granite Peak". White and Purple, \$85. 845-297-5998



516 Misc. Merchandise

Handicap Scooter, Red color. Brand: Go Go Elite Traveler. Easily disassembles to fit in the trunk of car. Very Good Cond. Asking \$500, New \$1,600 Toilet Shower Chair, never used, asking \$500, New \$1,000.

Transfer Bench over Top, \$200. 24 ft. Ramp Aluminum, asking \$3,000, New \$6,000. OBO on all items. 845-298-0626, Please Leave Message.

Nodic Ski Track Exercisor, \$60. Pair AR2 Acoustic Speakers, \$300. Pair 15" Tri-Axe Speakers in cabinets, \$300 OBO. 845-297-6369

516 Misc. Merchandise

Tommy Bahama Cocktail table, 40" x 40". Rattan lower shelf, 4 drawers, very good condition, \$250. 845-297-4392

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516 Misc. Merchandise

Boy holding bird bath, 45"Hx21"W, solid cement, White in color, \$125. Leave message, 462-4441

Sony Direct drive stereo turntable system PS -T15, \$30. Leave message 845-462-4441

Vintage Solid wood/oak coffee table and 2 end tables asking \$200. Call 845-897-5812 and ask for Roseanne.

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Announcements

Sept. 22-24,2023 Beacon High School is having a 50th Anniversary. We are looking for classmates to join us. You can reach us at: Gryhdgirl@aol.com or grobillard@Systra.com

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MISSY loves people! She rolls around on her back for pets, adores being picked up, and will chirp for attention. She'll hug you and cuddle in close for kisses. She has gorgeous green eyes. She had a DNA test done and she's a mix of friendly and sociable breeds like American Shrothair, British Shorthair, Maine Coon and Siberian. MISSY is 10 years old and would like to be your only kitty in a home with no small children. You can see her at ARF, Beacon, NY.



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for more information

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23, 2023. NOTICE- YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME - 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 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 (U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS OWNER TRUSTEE FOR HEADLANDS RESIDENTIAL SERIES OWNER TRUST, SERIES D) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT. The foregoing summons served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Honorable Maria G. Rosa, J.S.C. Dated: May 23, 2023 Filed: May 25, 2023. The object of this action is to foreclose a mortgage covering the premises known as 22 Booth Blvd, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Dated: June 9, 2023. Knuckles, Komosinski & Manfro, LLP, Attorney for Plaintiff, By: Richard F. Komosinski, Esq., 565 Taxter Road, Suite 590, Elmsford, NY 10523 P: (914) 345-3020

STATE OF NEW YORK SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC FKA QUICKEN LOANS, LLC FKA QUICKEN LOANS INC., Plaintiff, vs. ANY UNKNOWN HEIRS TO THE ESTATE OF FRANCISCO BERRIOS, DECEASED, NEXT OF KIN, DEVISEES, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTORS, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, CREDITORS, LIENORS, TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS OR SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST, AS WELL AS THE RESPECTIVE HEIRS AT LAW, NEXT OF KIN, DEVISEES, LEGA-

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TEES, DISTRIBUTORS, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS OR SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST OF THE AFFORESAID CLASSES OF PERSONS, IF THEY OR ANY OF THEM BE DEAD, ALL OF WHOM AND WHOSE NAMES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE ARE UNKNOWN TO THE PLAINTIFF; ANGELICA BERRIOS; JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.; USA/IRS; NEW YORK STATE; and "JOHN DOE" and "MARY DOE," (Said names being fictitious, it being the intention of plaintiff to designate any and all occupants, tenants, persons or corporations, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the premises being foreclosed herein.) Defendants.

Filed: 09/26/2022 Index No.: 2022-53091 SUMMONS Mortgaged Premises: 18 Crumwold Place Hyde Park, (Town of Hyde Park) NY 12538 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 Plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after completion of service where service is made in any other manner 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 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. NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT THE OBJECT of the above captioned action is for the foreclosure of: Mortgage bearing the date of May 25, 2018, executed by Francisco Berrios, an unmarried man to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Quicken Loans Inc. to secure the sum of \$161,295.00, and interest, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Dutchess County on August 14, 2018 in Document No. 01-2018-5068. That Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nomi-

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nee for Quicken Loans LLC f/k/a Quicken Loans Inc. duly assigned said Note and Mortgage to Quicken Loans, LLC by Assignment dated July 2, 2020 and recorded on July 23, 2020 in the Office of the Clerk of Dutchess County in Document No. 01-2020-51035A. The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the Mortgaged Premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described above. Plaintiff designates Dutchess County as the place of trial. The basis of venue is the County in which the Mortgaged Premises is situated. Section: 6064 Block: 08 Lot: 845973 DATED: September 21, 2022 Rochester, New York NOTICE YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME 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. WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. SCHEDULE A LEGAL DESCRIPTION ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Hyde Park, Dutchess County, New York, on the southerly side of Crumwold Place, being known as Lot 30 on a Map entitled, "Section of Crumwold Acres Development", said map filed in the Dutchess County Clerk's Office on December 13, 1948 as Map Number 2191, and said lot being more particularly bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING on the southerly side of

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Crumwold Place distant Westerly 621.11 feet from the intersection formed by the westerly side of the Albany Post Road with the southerly side of Crumwold Place, said point being the northeasterly corner of the premises hereby conveyed; THENCE along the southerly side of Crumwold Place North 80 degrees 29 minutes West 75 feet to a point, being the northwesterly corner of the premises hereby conveyed; THENCE South 9 degrees 31 minutes West 158.94 feet to a point in the rear or northerly line of Lot #45 on said map, said point being the southwesterly corner or the premises hereby conveyed; THENCE along the rear or northerly line of Lots # 45 and 46 on said map South 78 degrees 16 minutes East 76.06 feet to a point in the rear of the northerly line of Lot #46 on said map, said point being the southeasterly corner of the premises hereby conveyed; THENCE North 9 degrees 31 minutes East 161.85 feet to the point or place of BEGINNING.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF FINAL ASSESSMENT ROLL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FINAL ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR THE TOWN OF MILAN, COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, FOR THE YEAR 2023, HAS BEEN COMPLETED BY THE UNDERSIGNED ASSESSOR, AND A CERTIFIED COPY IS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK ON THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, 2023, WHERE THE SAME WILL REMAIN OPEN FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION. DATED THIS 1ST DAY OF JULY, 2023 ELIZABETH BURNS, ASSESSOR CHAIR TOWN OF MILAN 20 WILCOX CIRCLE MILAN, NY 12583

PRESS RELEASE Please join the Village of Fishkill for the Annual 4th of July reading of The Declaration of Independence, which will take place on July 4th at 11:00am on the steps of the Village Hall, 1095 Main Street. Our Reader this year will be Bradford Kendall, County Clerk. Following the reading there will be refreshments inside village hall, and guest book signing. This event is free and open to the public. For information please call 897-4430.

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LEGAL NOTICE Please take notice that the Planning Board of the Village of Wappingers Falls will hold a public hearing on July 5, 2023, at 7:00 pm, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, at the American Legion Hall, 7 Spring Street, Wappingers Falls, NY on the application submitted by Terra Group 201 LLC, owner and applicant, for property having an address of Dutchess Avenue, Wappingers Falls, NY (Grid #6158-17-198119), Lot 3 of a 1993 Subdivision of lands owned by Frank T. and Maria T. Scianna, and located in the Village Residential (VR) Zoning District. The applicant is seeking site plan approval to permit the construction of a three-story, eight-unit, multi-family building, expansion of an access easement over Lot 2 of the subdivision (22 Garden Street), and associated parking and other site improvements. A copy of this application is on file in the Planning and Zoning Department and is available for inspection when the Department is open, Monday-Friday, 8:30AM to 3:00 PM. The telephone number is 845-297-5277. All interested persons may appear in person, by agent, or by attorney, and all will be heard. Date: June 20, 2023

NEW HACKENSACK FIRE DISTRICT 217 Myers Corners Rd. Wappingers Falls, N.Y. 12590

Please take notice that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the New Hackensack Fire District will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday July 5, 2023 at 7:00 PM, at the New Hackensack Fire Station, 217 Myers Corners Rd., Wappingers Falls, New York 12590.

The purpose of this meeting will be to replace the regularly scheduled meeting of July 4, 2023. All regular Fire District business will be conducted at this meeting. June 28, 2023 Frank P. Borquist Secretary/Treasurer

EXTENDING EMERGENCY ORDER 5/2023 EXTENSION TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 5 OF 2023 DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY ORDER DECLARED BY DUTCHESS COUNTY EXECUTIVE: Please take no-

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tice that on June 18, 2023 at 12:00 am., pursuant to Article 2B of the New York State Executive Law, Article III of the Dutchess County Charter and Administrative Code Section 3.05, Acting Dutchess County Executive William F. X. O'Neil extended Executive Order 5 of 2023 dated May 18, 2023. The text of the declaration of state of emergency and local emergency orders is available at www.dutchessny.gov

EXTENDING LOCAL ORDERS 1 & 2 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 5/2023

EXTENSION TO DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDERS DECLARED BY DUTCHESS COUNTY EXECUTIVE: Please take notice that on June 18, 2023 at 12:00 am., pursuant to Article 2B of the New York State Executive Law, Article III of the Dutchess County Charter and Administrative Code Section 3.05, Acting Dutchess County Executive William F. X. O'Neil extended Local Emergency Order # 1 and Local Emergency Order # 2 in furtherance of Executive Order No. 5 of 2023, dated May 18, 2023. The text of the declaration of state of emergency and local emergency orders is available at www.dutchessny.gov

EXTENDING LOCAL ORDER 3 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 5/2023

EXTENSION TO DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDERS DECLARED BY DUTCHESS COUNTY EXECUTIVE: Please take notice that on June 17, 2023 at 12:00 am., pursuant to Article 2B of the New York State Executive Law, Article III of the Dutchess County Charter and Administrative Code Section 3.05, Acting Dutchess County Executive William F. X. O'Neil extended Local Emergency Order # 3 in furtherance of Executive Order No. 5 of 2023, dated May 18, 2023. The text of the declaration of state of emergency and local emergency orders is available at www.dutchessnv.gov

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held by the Planning Board of the Town of East Fishkill, Dutchess County, New York on Tuesday, July 18, 2023, at 7:00

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p.m. at the Town Hall, 330 Route 376, Hopewell Junction, NY, or as soon thereafter as the matter may come on to be heard, in the matter of the application of Formicola Subdivision, 378 Route 376, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533 for the granting of Subdivision Approval for a 2 lot residential subdivision as shown on maps prepared by Day & Stokosa Engineering, PC, 3 Van Wyck Lane, Wappingers Falls, New York, 12590, as filed in the office of the Planning Department, and which site is located and described as being: on NYS Route 376 across from the intersection of Ferland Drive and NYS Route 376, in the Town of East Fishkill, NY identified as Tax Parcel # 132800-6457-03-392487 All interested parties and citizens will be heard by the Board at the public hearing scheduled at said time.

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EXTENDING LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER #3 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 5/2023 EXTENSION TO DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDERS DECLARED BY D U T C H E S S COUNTY EXECUTIVE: Please take notice that on June 22, 2023 at 12:00 am., pursuant to Article 2B of the New York State Executive Law, Article III of the Dutchess County Charter and Administrative Code Section 3.05, Acting Dutchess County Executive William F. X. O'Neil extended Local Emergency Order #3 in furtherance of Executive Order No. 5 of 2023, dated May 18, 2023. The text of the declaration of state of emergency and local emergency orders is available at www.dutchessny.gov

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TENTATIVE BUDGET DUTCHESS COMMUNITY COLLEGE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County Legislature of the County of Dutchess will meet in the Legislative Chambers, County Office Building, 22 Market Street, 6th Floor Poughkeepsie, New York at 7:00 PM on July 10, 2023, for the purpose of holding a

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Public Hearing on the Tentative Budget of Dutchess Community College for the period of September 1, 2023, to August 31, 2024. FURTHER NOTICE is hereby given that the copies of said Budget are available at the Office of the Clerk of the County Legislature, County Office Building, Poughkeepsie, New York, where they may be examined or procured by interested parties during regular business hours.

LEIGH WAGER Clerk Dutchess County Legislature June 28, 2023

REQUEST FOR BIDS NOTICE The Purchasing Agent, County of Dutchess, Poughkeepsie, New York, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids for: Bid #RFB-DCP-43-23 2023 or Newer All-Terrain Vehicles for the Dutchess County Sheriff's Office Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the 11th day of July 2023 at the Dutchess County Division of Central Services, 378 Violet Avenue, Suite 2, Poughkeepsie, New York 12601. Specifications and bid forms may be

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obtained by visiting our website http://www.dutchessny.gov, selecting "Government", then selecting "Bidding and RFP Opportunities". For additional information, call 845-486-3613.

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Notice of Complete Application Date: 06/20/2023 Applicant: Ketchamtown Land Development LLC 264 New Hackensack Rd Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 Facility: AGUADO PROPERTY Ketchamtown Rd Wappinger, NY 12590 Application ID: 3-1356-00335/00001 Permits(s) Applied for: 1 -Article 24 Freshwater Wetlands Project is located: in WAPPINGER in D U T C H E S S COUNTY Project Description: The applicant proposes to disturb NYS-DEC Freshwater Wetland WF-28 (Class 3) associated with the construction of a shared drive for a two lot subdivision. The shared driveway will result in 0.09 acres within freshwater wetland WF-28 and 0.28 acres within the 100-foot adjacent area of the wetland. A conservation easement will be established for the

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regulated wetland habitat and wetland mitigation seeding and plantings will be installed. Availability of Application Documents: Filed application documents, and Department draft permits where applicable, are available for inspection during normal business hours at the address of the contact person. To ensure timely service at the time of inspection, it is recommended that an appointment be made with the contact person. State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) Determination Project is an Unlisted Action and will not have a significant impact on the environment. A Negative Declaration is on file. A coordinated review was performed. SEQR Lead Agency Wappinger Town Planning Board State Historic Preservation Act (SHPA) Determination A cultural resources survey has been completed and cultural resources were identified. Based on information provided in the survey report, the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP) has determined that the proposed activity will have no adverse impact on registered or

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eligible archaeological sites or historic structures. No further review in accordance with SHPA is required. Availability For Public Comment Comments on this project must be submitted in writing to the Contact Person no later than 07/13/2023 or 15 days after the publication date of this notice, whichever is later. Contact Person ELLEN M HART NYSDEC 21 S Putt Corners Rd New Paltz, NY 12561 (845) 256-3051 Town of Milan Democratic Committee PUBLIC NOTICE Please take notice that the Town of Milan Democratic Committee will hold a caucus on: Saturday July 8, 2023 at 12 noon Milan Town Hall, 20 Wilcox Circle, Milan, NY to nominate candidates for the following town offices: Town Supervisor Highway Superintendent Town Assessor to be voted on at the General Election to be held on November 7, 2023 and to conduct any business that may properly come before the caucus. All residents of the Town of

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Milan enrolled in the Democratic Party are eligible to vote. Town of Milan Democratic Committee Russell Frehling, Chairperson PUBLIC NOTICE PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Glenham Fire District, at a Special Meeting held on the 21st day of June, 2023, adopted the Resolution, an abstract of which is hereinafter set forth, which is subject to a permissive referendum, and therefore said Resolution shall not take effect until thirty (30) days after its adoption, nor until approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the electors of the Glenham Fire District qualified to vote at an annual election of Fire District Officers voting on such proposition if within thirty (30) days after its adoption there be filed with the Fire District Secretary a petition signed and acknowledged or proved in the same manner as a deed to be recorded, by resident taxpayers of the Glenham Fire District, owning taxable real property aggregating at least one-quarter of the assessed valuation of all taxable real property of the Glenham Fire District as such valuations ap-

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pear upon the latest completed assessment roll of the Town of Fishkill, protesting against such Resolution and requesting that it be submitted to the qualified electors of the Fire District affected for their approval or disapproval. A copy of the full text of the Resolution is available from the Glenham Fire District Secretary, an abstract of which is reproduced herein. A resolution by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Glenham Fire District authorizing the expenditure of a sum not exceeding \$70,000.00 from the Capital Reserve Fund to be applied towards the cost to three (3) 40' x 8' CONEX Storage Containers and the one (1) 20' x 8' CONEX Storage Container, to be used for storage of equipment and apparatus and in the training drills of firefighters, including the installation of a mill pad upon which the storage containers shall sit and the work needed to connect electrical service to two (2) storage containers to be used for training purposes. Glenham, New York June 21, 2023 By Order of the Board of Fire Commissioners Victoria Steele, Secretary

The deadline for Legals is every Monday @ 12 noon for a Wednesday Publication* *When a public holiday falls on a Monday the deadline becomes Friday at noon.

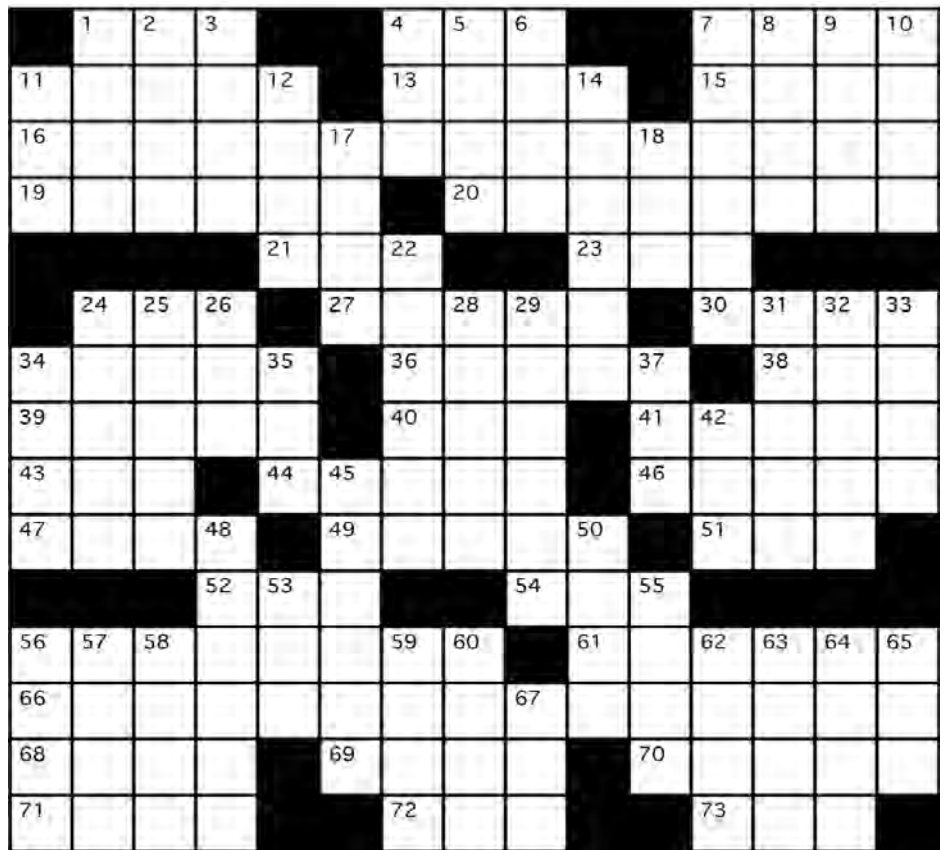
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1. ___ flash; instantly
4. Dilapidated animal
7. So-do connection
11. Water-retention problem
13. Above
15. Shortly
16. City in the Empire State
19. Slow-moving mammals
20. Periods designed for spiritual renewal
21. Diver's danger
23. Scottish seaport
24. Period between printemps and automne
27. Foreign title
30. Story
34. Collect
36. Very good; colloq.
38. Blouse
39. Change one's alarm
40. Military personnel, for short
41. Italian passion
43. Start of a Victor Hugo novel
44. Martin or Allen
46. Fellows
47. Gold and silver
49. Lofty ridge
51. Golfer Ernie
52. Pro ___; for the time being
54. Dejected
56. Armored enclosure
61. Think
66. City in the North Star State
68. Tiny particle
69. Bizarre: var.
70. Aviator
71. Grooves
72. Michelle Obama ___ Robinson
73. Promos

DOWN

- 1. Pastoral poem: var.
2. Claudius I's successor
3. Latin learner's verb
4. Refusals
5. Declare to be true
6. Eye color determinant
7. Hens
8. Celebes ox
9. Legal misdeed
10. Fountain pen fluids
11. Ending for prior or poet
12. Longing
14. Slow down
17. Purposes
18. Distorted
22. Bookkeeper's book
24. Kuwaiti leader: var.
25. Cup: Fr.
26. Suffix for Japan & Bengal
28. Unworldly
29. Initial stages
31. Coral island
32. Pierces
33. King Kong and others
34. Woody's boy
35. Wall and Sesame: abbr.
37. Edible tuber
42. West, for one
45. Native Mexican food
48. Cooks in a pot
50. Work for
53. Australian bird
55. Hard to understand
56. Peter I or Nicholas II
57. Aleutian island
58. Dick and Jane's dog
59. Govt. employees
60. Ireland, to the Irish
62. Oman's locale
63. Auctioneer's word
64. Oklahoma Indians
65. Man's nickname
67. PBS' Science Guy



this week's puzzle solution



County Players to present 'On Golden Pond'

The family drama opens July 7 in Wappingers Falls

County Players, one of the longest running community theatre companies in the area will present the Family Drama "On Golden Pond" by Ernest Thompson. This Main Stage production is directed by Bill Pechham and opens Friday, July 7, and runs through July 22. Performances are scheduled for Fridays and Saturdays July 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, and 22 at 8 p.m., with matinees on Sunday, July 16, and Saturday, July 22 at 2 p.m. Performances will be held at the County Players Falls Theatre, 2681 W. Main Street in the Village of Wappingers Fall.

"On Golden Pond" is a humorous and heartwarming play about love, reconnection, and family. After an unexpected relationship blooms, a family reunites during an unforgettable summer. Come back to the pond one more time and see this American classic.

The production features the local talents of Sandra Colacino, Eric Grayson,

Amy Schaffer, Januario Stageman, Julie Eads Woolley, Douglas Woolley, and Scott Woolley. Of this production director Peckham says, "I love how this play explores so many themes common to all of us in such a simple, sweet and enduring way. Loaded with love, passion, and wit, our audiences will enjoy their stay on Golden Pond."

Hudson Valley Credit Union sponsors County Players' 65th Season. This production of "On Golden Pond" is made possible by Bronze Sponsor Lehan's Lawn & Landscaping Inc., and is produced by special arrangement with Dramatists Play Service, Inc. (dramatists.com)

Accessibility: If you require wheelchair accessibility, please contact our Box Office at 845-298-1491.

For more information, visit countyplayers.org, twitter.com/countyplayers, instagram.com/countyplayers/.



The cast of County Player's "On Golden Pond." Pictured, from left, are Eric Grayson, Januario Stageman, Julie Eads Woolley, Douglas Woolley, Amy Schaffer, and Scott Woolley.

-Photography by Louisa Vilardi Photography

Upcoming shows at the Towne Crier

The following are ticketed shows at the Towne Crier Café, Main St., in Beacon.

Myles Mancuso, a nationally recognized multi-instrumentalist, playing guitar, keyboards, drums and bass. He is mostly known for fronting his band, will perform on July 1, "The Myles Mancuso

Band," as lead guitarist and vocalist, as well as doing solo acoustic shows and session work. His original style of music is a blend of Roots Americana and R&B. Tickets are \$20 advance, \$25 door.

"Satisfaction/The International Rolling Stones Show" will take place

on July 2. The show is the international touring tribute show to the World's Greatest Rock & Roll Band. This Billboard & Pollstar highly rated show is entering its 20th year in production with over 4,000 performances listed to their credit and showcases the most

authentic cast and costuming of its kind. The likes of Mick Jagger, Keith Richards and cast bring a colorful performance to over 50 years of classic hits. Tickets are \$25 advance, \$30 door. For more information, visit www.townecrier.com.



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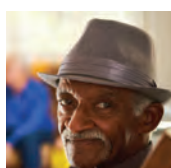
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