

Four win agriculture scholarships

By Curtis Schmidt

Four students from the Northern Dutchess area were awarded agriculture scholarships during the July meeting of the Dutchess County Agricultural Society, held Wednesday, July 20 at the Dutchess County Fairgrounds.

Winning agricultural scholarships from the Agricultural Society were Annette Prezzano, Haley McCord and Ben Prentice – all students at Stissing Mountain High School in Pine Plains. Carissa Whitehead, a May graduate of Webutuck High School, was awarded the New York State Association of Agricultural Fairs/NYS Showpeople's Association Scholarship.

• Prezzano grew up at the Fair helping - with the family business with the setup of tents for the outdoor vendors in addition to showing her goats and chickens in the 4-H and open shows at the Fair.

Annette is Chapter Parliamentarian of Pine Plains FFA, Chapter Reporter, Chapter Student Advisor, Chapter President, is a member of the National Honors Society, St. Jude's Committee Chair, and a Youth Member of the American Dairy Goat Association. In addition to helping her parents on the family run farm, Annette is active within the local community as a volunteer on various committees such as 9/11 Stanfordville Memorial Day Display cleanup crew, Pine Plains Agricultural Fair, Mid-Hudson Rodeo in Amenia and Pine Plains Recreation Basketball program.

She graduated in June with a 4.0 GPA and will be attending Cornell University, College of Agriculture and Life Science pursuing a degree in Animal Science/Agricultural

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Benefits abound with business development in Hyde Park

By Rich Thomaselli

For Michael Dupree, chairman of the Hyde Park Planning Board, these are exciting times.

It's exciting for him, exciting for the town, and exciting for the surrounding area.

And as anyone who has ever been on a planning board, or worked with a planning board, or even had a remote interest or interaction with a planning board can tell you, the phrase that sums up the process the best is "starts and stops." So many great plans and developments and residential and retail developments come and go without ever really getting off the ground.

Dupree has seen it.

And that's why he's excited.

Bellefield at Historic Hyde Park is a reality.

"The Planning Board is thrilled by all the projects going on in Hyde Park," Dupree said. "I've been the chairman for the last 17 years and this is just exciting times for Hyde Park."

Start with Bellefield.

The 339-acre parcel was originally approved in 2007. It is a mixed-use parcel – there's that "starts and stops" we were talking about – until, as Dupree said, "things got serious" almost two years ago with developer Tom Mulroy. The project

was approved last year and will include a mix of retail and residential, including single-family homes condominiums, two hotels, office spaces and stores, including a City Winery location.

"You know, a former previous board member whose term expired, did a lot of the research and ground work on this, and realized we will be adding about an eight percent growth in the town of Hyde Park population once everything is complete," Dupree noted. "Or to put it into context, roughly the size of the town of Tivoli. So when this is done we will have added a Tivoli to our population growth."

In addition, Dupree said the famed Culinary Institute of America (CIA) will be adding an on-campus hotel with a 99-year ground lease. The hotel, which Dupree described as "high end and upscale," will be owned and operated by an outside entity that basically will be



Michael Dupree, chairman of the Hyde Park Planning Board, points to parts of a map showing portions of the Bellefield at Historic Hyde Park development during a recent meeting of the Hyde Park Chamber of Commerce. Holding the map is Town Supervisor Al Torreggiani. Photo by Curtis Schmidt

paying the CIA for the space on its campus.

And, Dupree said, the long-awaited, much-discussed sake factory will be operational likely next spring but, with luck, might have a soft opening late this

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Union Vale authorizes the establishment of its first public library

On July 20, the Town of Union Vale Town Board voted to authorize the establishment of its first public library, the first new library in Dutchess County since 2003. The Union Vale Library will be established within Union Vale's beautiful 500-acre municipal park, "Tymor" and built in a former dairy barn refurbished for this purpose.

The Union Vale Library will benefit from reduced operating costs because the town already owns the building and surrounding land. There will be no rent, no mortgage and low utility costs as water and electricity will be connected to the park's existing systems. However, as a 501(c)(3), the newly formed Union Vale Library Fund will be looking for donations so the entire renovation of the space can be completed without any taxpayers'

dollars being spent.

In recent community engagement meetings during which library services were discussed, it became clear that more ties to the community were important to everyone. In addition, becoming full members of the Mid-Hudson Library System, having specialized services and kids' programs, work spaces, a bookmobile/van for Seniors, a cybercafé, a community center, and park access were all things residents would embrace.

The Union Vale Library will bring the opportunity to enhance the quality of life for all residents. Everyone will be able to enjoy a customized, state-of-the-art library with amenities limited only by the imagination of all involved. The goal for this library is to bring the entire commu-

nity closer together.

Library consultant Alex Cohen commented on the historical nature of Union Vale's decision, calling it "a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for your town."

A press release from the Town of Union Vale announcing the establishment of the library stated, "It is time to implement the vision of our patrons, Ralph and Jean Webster Connor, who often wondered why residents should leave their town to enjoy cultural arts and expand their horizons when it is possible to have everything right here in beautiful Union Vale."

For information about, or to donate to, the Union Vale Library Fund, contact Peter Krulewitch at Unionvale residentslibraryfund@gmail.com

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Education.

• McCord has been a 4-H member since the age of nine and is a third generation farmer in the sheep industry. Haley is a member of the Pine Plains FFA, Class of 2022 President, and member of National Honor Society. Her community service includes volunteering at the NYS Sheep & Wool Festival, Eastern New York Jackpot Show, Youth Showmanship Clinic Judge, Pine Plains Birthing Tent, Elizaville Firehouse cleanup and after-school tutoring.

She graduated in June with a 3.8 GPA and will be attending SUNY Delhi where she will be pursuing a degree in Veterinary Science Technology.

Prentice has been showing chickens, dairy and beef cattle for 13 years. He is currently president of 'Here Comes the

Beef' 4-H club. Ben is a member of Pine Plains FFA, Student Council and was actively involved in sports throughout school. He made both the A & B Honor Rolls and has received numerous sportsmanship awards. His community service includes volunteering at the Methodist & Presbyterian Churches, VFW and Pine Plains Recreation Department.

He graduated in June with a 3.0 GPA and will be attending SUNY Cobleskill in the fall where he plans on working toward bachelor's degree in Animal Science/Embryology.

Prentice said, "I've been so lucky to be a part of the fairgrounds community since I can remember. I am very grateful they are willing to support me in my future career goals. I'm very interested in the animal science field. I would like to

Agriculture scholarship winners include, clockwise from top left John Prezzano accepting the award for his daughter, Annette with Tom Angell of the DC Agricultural Society Board; Haley McCord with Angell and Ben Prentice with Angell. Carissa Whitehead was awarded the New York State Association of Agricultural Fairs/NYS Showpeople's Association Scholarship and is pictured with Andy Imperati, CEO of the Dutchess County Fair. *Photos by Curtis Schmidt*

become a Embryologist one day. It amazes me on how much technology can go into making genetics so much better."

• Whitehead has been showing Dairy Cattle since 2011. She is currently a member of Northern Dutchess 4-H Dairy Club, Eastern New York Holstein Club and a member of the Climate Smart Task Force for Town of Northeast. She has received many awards that include the Distinguished Delegations Model UN and in 2021 received the Best Overall Presentation from the Harvard Business Consulting Academy and the Most Detailed Presentation from Harvard Summer Pre-Med Academy Level 1.

Carissa was Reserve Master Showman at the 2021 Dutchess County Fair. Her community service includes Dairy 4-H events, National Junior Honor Society events. She was active throughout her school career and was captain of the Junior Varsity

Basketball team.

Carissa graduated in June with a 4.0 GPA and is pursuing a PHD and becoming a mathematics professor. She has been accepted to Columbia University, University of Pennsylvania, Marist College and Bard College.

On winning the scholarship, Carissa said, "This will aid in the expenses of my education, lower the number of hours I will need to work during my studies, and allow me to have more time to take part in internships.

I am looking forward to continuing to participate in dairy shows and expanding my experiences. The people I work with at the Northern Dutchess Dairy 4-H Club and ENY Holstein Club are a big part of why I have always appreciated the atmosphere around these shows. I am very grateful for all those involved in the programs and who make these dairy shows and opportunities possible."



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Vendors wanted for Clinton Community Day

The Town of Clinton will hold its Community Day on Sept. 3 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The theme is "Celebrating Community Service."

The Clinton Community Day Committee, chaired by Highway Superintendent Todd Martin, is looking for vendors - arts & crafts, new merchandise, non-profit organizations, local clubs, or civic organizations to name a few - to be part of bringing back Clinton Community Day. Vendors must register by Aug. 31.

Find the Clinton Community Day Vendor Registration Form at <https://www.townofclinton.com/>. Simply fill it out and submit. You can then follow up with the fee and any documentation that may be required.

Community Day is slated to be a fun, full day of vendors, games, food trucks, a Town & Firemen's parade. If you have any questions, contact the highway department at highway@townofclinton.com or call (845) 266-3204.

988 SUICIDE & CRISIS LIFELINE IS LIVE

The first nationwide three-digit mental health crisis hotline went live on July 16. It is designed to be as easy to remember as 911, but when you dial 988, a dispatcher will connect callers with trained mental health counselors.

Dialing 988:

- Is a direct connection to compassionate, accessible support for anyone experiencing mental health related distress.
- Provides support: People may dial 988 if they are worried about a loved one who may need crisis support.
- Help for VETERANS: Veterans can press "1" after dialing 988 and be connected directly to the Veterans Crisis Lifeline.

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Michael Dupree, chairman of the Town of Hyde Park Planning Board, speaks at a recent meeting of the Hyde Park Chamber of Commerce. *Photo by Curtis Schmidt*

fall. It is located at the site of the former Stop N' Shop Supermarket on Rt. 9.

"There were initially some issues with the processing," Dupree explained, "but nothing that we couldn't overcome. They wanted to make sure they were using the same kind of process that is used in making the sake in Japan."

Exciting times, indeed.

"I hope so. I hope people think of it that way," Dupree said. "The fact that this will increase our population and our tax base is great. It will mean more kids going to our schools. And for tourism. If a person spends a night here, they're going to spend on average \$145 more per day. That alone is a benefit to Hyde Park."

Dutchess County confirms local case of monkeypox

Last Thursday, the Dutchess County Department of Behavioral & Community Health (DBCH) confirmed a Dutchess County resident had tested positive for orthopoxvirus/monkeypox. The positive test was confirmed by New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH), and DBCH staff is monitoring the individual as well as conducting contact tracing.

County Executive Marc Molinaro's office stated that patient confidentiality prevents the department from sharing specific details about the individual case, although county officials said the case does not pose a risk to the general public.

Monkeypox is a rare disease caused by viral infection with the monkeypox virus. Monkeypox virus is part of the same family of viruses as variola virus, the virus that causes smallpox. Symptoms of monkeypox are similar to smallpox symptoms, but milder and monkeypox is rarely fatal.

Symptoms of monkeypox can include fever, headache, muscle aches and backache, swollen lymph nodes, chills, exhaustion and a rash that can look like pimples or blisters that appears on the face, inside the mouth and on other parts of the body, such as the hands, feet, chest, genitals or anus. The rash goes through different stages before healing completely.

The illness typically lasts two to four weeks. Sometimes, people get a rash first, followed by other symptoms; others only experience a rash.

The CDC is tracking an outbreak of monkeypox that has spread across several countries including the United States. There have been more than 670 cases reported in New York State, with the majority of those cases in New York City.

This virus, particularly in the recent cases currently being reported across the nation, is spread through close, physical contact including direct contact with infectious rash, scabs or body fluids as well respiratory secretions during prolonged face-to-face or intimate physical contact including kissing or sex.

DBCH Commissioner Dr. Livia Santiago-Rosado said, "Our department has confirmed Dutchess County's first case of monkeypox; however, the risk to the general public remains very low. While monkeypox has been making headlines, it is certain-

ly not a pandemic and residents should not have undue concern. Staying informed about symptoms, how it spreads and what to do if you are exposed is the best way to stay healthy and safe. We ask residents to remain vigilant about their personal hygiene and take the proper mitigation steps to protect their health. If a resident believes they have contracted monkeypox or are experiencing symptoms, they're urged to please contact their primary-care physician."

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends residents take the following steps to prevent getting monkeypox:

- Do not touch the rash or scabs of a person with monkeypox;
- Avoid close, skin-to-skin contact with people with a rash that looks like monkeypox, or who may have been exposed to monkeypox;
- Do not kiss, hug, cuddle or have sex with someone with monkeypox or someone suspected or known to have been exposed;
- Do not share eating utensils or cups with a person with monkeypox or someone suspected or known to have been exposed;
- Do not handle or touch the bedding, towels or clothing of a person with monkeypox or of someone suspected or known to have been exposed; and
- Wash your hands often with soap and water or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.

The CDC advises residents who become sick with monkeypox to:

- Isolate at home; and
- Stay in a separate room or area away from people or pets you live with, when possible, if they have an active rash or other symptoms.

New Yorkers who may have been exposed to monkeypox in areas with high levels of transmission may be eligible for the JYNNEOS vaccine, indicated for prevention of smallpox and monkeypox disease in adults 18 years of age and older determined to be at high risk for infection. Residents can learn more on the New York State Department of Health's website, health.ny.gov.

Additional information about monkeypox is available on the CDC's website: <https://www.cdc.gov/poxvirus/monkeypox/index.html>.

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'Russia kills - America saves'

Join the fight to save Ukraine – any way you can!

To the editor:

Thank you for the great article on the Stanford Fire District's drive to deliver essential supplies to their Ukrainian counterparts. It is extraordinary and a great example of ordinary people moved to act by the senseless brutality and violence inflicted hourly by Russia upon a peaceful neighbor. We've never been more proud to be members of this community. Thank you as well to the Northern & Southern Dutchess News and Beacon Free Press for continuing to run the blue and yellow WE STAND WITH UKRAINE & AMERICA banner atop the front pages. The West we live in is not only a place, but a commitment to decency and humanity which must be defended in order for its values to endure and prosper. With the story receding from the world's attention, your reminder that we stand or fall with Ukraine is essential.

This past week the First Lady of Ukraine, Olena Zelenska, spoke movingly before Congress introducing children and families—some killed others forever maimed—shredded by the daily acts of terror wrought by Putin and his barbarity. She described living with the uncertainty of not knowing or being able to count on anything—not even on the coming day. Simple words captured her thanks for our support to-date: "Russia kills - America saves."

Mrs. Zelenska asked for weapons - for air defense systems, for what it takes to earn the freedom to promise their children that nights will be quiet and that tomorrow will truly come.

We cannot send weapons, but we can ask our representatives to do so. Write our Senators, our President and demand that we and our allies send to Ukraine what they need to win. Do not stop there. Contact Senator Serino, Assemblymember Barrett, Governor Hochul. Demand that New York State follow the lead of the Stanford Fire District and send emergency rescue equipment and medical supplies from around the Empire State to Ukraine.

As we move towards elections this fall, as candidates ask us

for our votes, ask them what they will do for Ukraine.

We thank our Stanford Fire District and all of our friends and neighbors who are rallying to support Ukraine by doing what they can, whether it is the collection of essential supplies, donations to the upcoming Stanford Fire District fundraiser or to other charitable organizations, letters to our representatives, or visible displays of blue and yellow.

This fight remains our fight...join it any way you can.

Mark Lagus and Leevi ErnitsBangall

Pat Ryan will fight for women's freedoms

To the editor:

On June 24, the Supreme Court, overturned Roe v Wade. In effect, they took away a woman's right to choose, as well as women having autonomy over their bodies. While it might feel hopeless, it is not. If we want change, we must head to the polls and vote for people who do support a woman's right to choose.

One of those people is Pat Ryan. We are fortunate that Pat Ryan is running to complete Antonio Delgado's term. Pat is uniquely qualified to fill this position. He attended West Point and served two tours in Iraq. Pat knows more than anyone how important it is to stand up for our freedoms.

As Pat says, "How can our country be free if the government wants to control women's bodies?" Pat stands with pro-choice advocates to ensure women have the right to make decisions over their own bodies. Furthermore, Pat believes abortion is a fundamental freedom and it will be an issue that is front and center during his campaign.

On August 23 you can vote for Pat in the special election. He fought for our freedom and will continue to fight for all our freedoms, especially women's reproductive health and the right for a woman to choose abortion.

Pat has the experience, passion, and confidence to take on this role and make change happen. Voting for Pat is the first step in fighting back for women's freedoms.

Traci Halpin
Pleasant Valley

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Angels of Light co-founder, named 2022 Woman of Distinction nominee for the 41st District

HYDE PARK— State Sen. Sue Serino recently announced that Lori Cassia-Decker, co-founder of the nonprofit organization Angels of Light, has been selected as the Woman of Distinction Nominee for the 41st Senate District. Serino previously sought input from community members and encouraged individuals to nominate women from across the 41st Senate District who are

making a difference and serving as an inspiration to others.

"Lori Cassia-Decker is a true trailblazer in every sense of the word," said Serino. "Through Angels of Light, Lori is making a real difference in the lives of children battling life-threatening illnesses, while offering hope and support to their families. In addition to serving more than 1,300 children since launching the organization, Lori also goes above and beyond as a volunteer with numerous community-based organizations, including Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation, the American Heart Association and more. As a local small business owner, Lori has worked to help our neighbors make their health a top priority, and we are grateful for the commitment she has shown to the Hudson Valley over the years. It is my honor to nominate Lori as the 2022 Woman of Distinction for the 41st Senate District, and I look forward to celebrating her accomplishments at the annual Women's Networking Event."

Angels of Light was founded over 20 years ago after Lori's husband, George, was coaching a young player who was

battling a life-threatening illness. After searching for ways to help the player and their family, Lori began a community-wide effort to help ease the stress of other families who may be in a similar situation during the holiday season.

Since their founding, Angels of Light has helped more than 1,300 children and has expanded their mission to assist families year-round with medical bills, utilities, food, gas and more.

Lori is the co-owner of FORZA Fitness in Millbrook and has chaired events for the Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation, American Heart Association, St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, and more. She also serves as a member of the board for the Mid-Hudson Road Runners Club.

The New York State Women of Distinction Award recognizes women from across New York State who greatly contribute to, and improve the quality of life in, both their local communities and the entire State. The NYS Senate will host a virtual program celebrating the honorees from across the State on Women's Equality Day, Friday, Aug. 26.

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DCSPCA update: 'Marley is doing great'



Last week, our newspapers ran a story about Marley, a 4-month-old puppy who was being treated at the Dutchess County SPCA (DCSPCA) for canine parvovirus, a deadly disease. Late last week, the DCSPCA was happy to report that Marley's health has greatly improved.

"After weeks of round-the-clock care, we think he will make a full recovery," DCSPCA reported via email. "Right now, this sweet little pup is in foster care, where he has discovered his love of playing fetch and cuddling. He's a fast

learner and already knows how to sit and walk on the leash. Soon, he will be ready for adoption!"

DCSPCA thanked the public for the outpouring of donations toward Marley's medical care, which exceeded \$5,300. Five other puppies who came to the shelter sick with parvo did not survive; treatment for all six pups was around \$14,000.

Photo courtesy of Dutchess County SPCA

Camp Nooteming public forum rescheduled to Aug. 13

Residents are invited to learn more about the Camp Nooteming property, the 272-acre camp Dutchess County purchased this past spring, including information about the camp's operator Pathfinder Foundation and community program opportunities, during a public forum County Executive Molinaro will host on Saturday, Aug. 13, at 10 a.m., at Pleasant Valley Town Hall. The forum was originally set July 27.

All are welcome to find out more about the programs planned for this summer, as well as in the future, and have their questions answered.

More than 1,000 local young people will have the chance to enjoy summer outdoor learning and fun at Camp Nooteming. Molinaro has forwarded a resolution to the Dutchess County Legislature to fund start-up and maintenance of the facility as well as the cost of several camp programs this summer.

The funding resolution will allocate \$725,000 from the County's contingency fund to the Department of Community & Family Services and will be combined with previously authorized funds to cover costs including transportation expenses; bathroom, tent, and other equipment rentals; as well as costs to prepare the facility for camp operations and bringing the grounds into good working order, including road maintenance, ADA improvements, tree clearing, hiking trail improvements, and resolving safety and sanitation issues.

The camp operator, Pathfinder Foundation, Inc., has been engaged in preparing the camp for summer operations in coordination with Dutchess County Public Works. With the short time frame between the County's acquisition of the property and the start of summer

programming, it has been an extensive effort. However, it was a priority for the County that the property could be utilized for programming for this summer and this site-readiness work will ensure the camp is well-equipped for future groups to put the property to use this fall and beyond. Organizations interested in hosting programs at Camp Nooteming in the future can email info@pathfinderfc.com for more information.

More than 1,000 young people who participate in Dutchess County and Pathfinder programming as well as several local community organizations' summer programs will enjoy activities at Camp Nooteming this summer for more than 7,000 total camper days. The County did extensive outreach to organizations and groups involved as in the County's Path to Promise (P2P) initiative, various youth programming groups as well as neighboring communities and beyond.

Youth will take part in a wide range of activities such as arts and crafts, yoga and meditation, educational programming, hiking, and team sports including basketball, softball, soccer, and volleyball.

Organizations offering youth programming at Camp Nooteming this summer include:

- Town of Pleasant Valley Recreation Department;
- Boys & Girls Club;
- Poughkeepsie City School District;
- Family Services;
- Cornell Cooperative Extension of Dutchess County;
- Marist College Upward Bound;
- Rebuilding Our Children and Community;
- Red Hook Community Library

Call 2-1-1 if you need a doctor or ride to healthcare appointment

United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region reminds the public that 2-1-1 is available for those who need help finding a doctor or getting a ride to a doctor's appointment.

The COVID-19 pandemic has been challenging for the community. With everything going on, many people have gotten out of the habit of regularly seeing their healthcare providers. The United Way emphasizes the importance of one's physical and mental health is key. Schedule an appointment today. If you need a doctor or a ride to a doctor's appointment, call 2-1-1.

According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), seven out of 10 U.S. deaths are caused by chronic disease, while roughly half of the country's population has been diagnosed with a chronic illness, including heart disease, cancer, diabetes, AIDS, or other conditions classified by the medical community as preventable. According to Healthy People, a federal program administered by the United States Department of Health and Human Services, routine cardiovascular exams alone save tens of thousands of adult lives each year, while vaccines save the lives of roughly 42,000 children on an annual basis. Preventive health screenings and primary care consultations have also been found to significantly increase life expectancy, particularly among the 30 to 49 year age group.

The New York State 2-1-1 website (211nys.org) states: "With approximately 1.5 million nonprofit organizations in the United States plus thousands of government agencies, finding health and human services help can be confusing and intimidating, leaving many people not knowing where to begin. That is why 2-1-1 was developed--as an easy-to-remember phone number for people in need of help to call."

The Federal Communications Commission set aside 2-1-1 as the number to use nationally for health and human services information and referral in 1999, and directed telephone providers to work with organizations like United Way to implement the service. Subsequently New York's Public Service Commission assigned the number to 2-1-1 New York to develop the service on a statewide basis.

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	Hudson Valley NYN	14	9	.609	-	6-4	L1
	Brooklyn NYM	14	10	.583	0.5	7-3	W5
	Aberdeen BAL	* 13	11	.542	1.5	5-5	W1
	Wilmington WSH	12	11	.522	2.0	5-5	W1
	Greensboro PIT	11	12	.478	3.0	4-6	L1
	Jersey Shore PHI	6	17	.261	8.0	4-6	L3
SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE SOUTH		W	L	PCT	GB	LSO	STRK
	Rome ATL	17	7	.708	-	7-3	W1
	Bowling Green TB	* 14	9	.609	2.5	6-4	W4
	Winston-Salem CWS	11	13	.458	6.0	3-7	L1
	Asheville HOU	10	13	.435	6.5	5-5	L3
	Hickory TEX	10	14	.417	7.0	4-6	W1
	Greenville BOS	8	14	.364	8.0	4-6	L1

Talented Dominguez has immediate impact

By Rich Thomaselli

Having a heralded prospect on the baseball roster is old hat for Hudson Valley Renegades President Steve Gliner.

So when the New York Yankees announced last week that touted prospect Jasson Dominguez, a 19-year old phenom, was being promoted from Low Class A Tampa to High Class A Hudson Valley, well, let's just say it's not Gliner's first rodeo.

Gliner has logged more than 30 years in the business and has seen co-called "can't miss" prospects come through the ranks.

Rarely has he seen the amount of hype surrounding Jasson Dominguez, however.

The newest Renegade – Dominguez joined the team on Friday after being promoted by the New York Yankees from Single A Tampa to the High Class A Renegades – Dominguez has been labeled as a five-tool player and the No. 3 prospect throughout the entire

Yankees' system.

And he's only 19 years old.

"It's exciting," Gliner said. "To me it's something similar to the first time we had Josh Hamilton here in 1999 (when the Renegades were a farm team of the Tampa Rays.) Josh was young. He was also 19. But it's different at this level. Remember, we were a short-season, Low A team back then. Now we're High Class A and Jasson being here really speaks to his talent."

Dominguez joined them right after the All-Star Break. He started in both Friday night's loss and Saturday night's win over Wilmington. In two games with Hudson Valley he has four hits, including a home run, and two stolen bases. His homer was his 10th overall this season, and the steal was his 20th.

Players Statistics

PLAYER	TEAM	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	AVG	OBP	SLG	OPS
1 Jasson Dominguez CF	HV	3	12	3	5	0	0	1	3	2	2	2	0	.417	.500	.667	1.167
2 Austin Wells C	HV	28	99	21	32	7	0	6	16	19	27	9	0	.323	.429	.576	1.005
3 T.J. Rumfield 1B	HV	17	68	9	22	6	0	2	14	10	17	4	2	.324	.405	.500	.905
4 Anthony Seigler C	HV	39	128	33	34	9	0	4	17	36	34	10	3	.266	.435	.430	.865
5 Everson Pereira CF	HV	73	288	55	79	13	6	9	43	34	87	19	5	.274	.354	.455	.809
6 Aaron Palensky LF	HV	55	154	32	37	9	1	7	22	21	58	5	2	.240	.346	.448	.794
7 Tyler Hardman 3B	HV	70	246	26	61	11	0	13	48	28	81	10	4	.248	.324	.451	.775
8 Trey Sweeney SS	HV	69	274	50	67	14	4	10	42	35	77	19	3	.245	.340	.434	.774
9 Eric Wagaman 1B	HV	48	164	17	36	6	0	9	24	25	30	2	0	.220	.328	.421	.749
10 Cooper Bowman 2B	HV	75	281	53	65	15	1	8	35	52	84	35	5	.231	.356	.377	.733
11 Carlos Narvaez C	HV	56	174	24	35	7	0	8	21	29	58	4	2	.201	.325	.379	.704
12 Spencer Henson 1B	HV	50	177	28	37	5	1	8	30	20	64	1	2	.209	.300	.384	.684
13 James Nelson 3B	HV	43	128	17	29	5	0	1	19	30	44	16	7	.227	.379	.289	.668
14 Aldenis Sanchez CF	HV	71	238	28	59	7	1	1	23	37	81	28	7	.248	.355	.298	.653
15 Eduardo Torrealba 2B	HV	44	136	16	30	6	1	1	19	12	27	9	2	.221	.298	.301	.599
16 Pat DeMarco RF	HV	59	207	15	46	9	0	1	13	11	61	5	3	.222	.262	.280	.542
17 Saul Torres C	HV	6	16	2	2	0	1	0	1	2	10	0	0	.125	.222	.250	.472
18 Cristian Perez SS	HV	24	69	7	12	2	0	0	5	2	19	2	0	.174	.194	.203	.397
19 Ben Rortvedt C	HV	4	12	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	.083	.267	.083	.350
20 Grant Richardson RF	HV	4	12	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	7	0	0	.083	.250	.083	.333
21 Biane Abeyta P	HV	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000
21 Nelvin Correa P	HV	22	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000
21 Charlie Ruegger P	HV	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000

Pitching Statistics

PLAYER	TEAM	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	SV%	IP	BB	H	ER	HR	RE	SB	CS	WHIP	AVG
1 BeckWay P	HV	5	5	3.73	15	15	0	0	0	0	72.1	55	32	30	9	4	26	80	1.12	.212
2 Bias Castano P	HV	3	7	3.86	15	14	1	0	0	0	74.2	77	35	32	7	8	23	70	1.34	.266
3 Matt Sever P	HV	5	1	3.87	16	16	0	0	0	0	79.0	63	39	34	8	12	31	93	1.19	.218



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ROUNDUP

Sweeney shines as Renegades stay atop division in 2nd half

By Rich Thomaselli

The Hudson Valley Renegades fell to the Wilmington Blue Rocks 16-9 in finale of a short three-game series on Sunday at Frawley Stadium.

Hudson Valley is 48-41 overall and 14-9 in the second half of the season, still atop the North Division of the South Atlantic League.

Trey Sweeney led off the game with a long solo home run to right off Michael Cuevas, setting the tone for a three-run first inning. T.J. Rumfield dunked an RBI single to center, and Spencer Henson lifted a sacrifice fly to give the Renegades a 3-0 lead.

Wilmington struck for a run in the bottom of the first, when Matt Sauer walked the first four batters he faced. The right-hander settled down from there to limit the damage to just that run.

Rumfield and Henson each drove in runs in the top of the third, but the Blue Rocks erupted for five runs in the bot-

tom of the frame off Sauer to take a 6-5 lead. After a Trey Sweeney double tied the game in the fourth, Wilmington pulled away with two runs off Charlie Ruegger (2-2).

The Blue Rocks broke the game open with four runs in the bottom of the fifth and three more in the bottom of the seventh against a combination of Carlos Gomez and Nelson Alvarez.

Hudson Valley chipped away with two runs in the sixth on a two-run single by Jasson Dominguez, and got a run in the ninth on Pat DeMarco's first home run of the season, but ultimately came up short.

Sweeney finished the game 3-for-4 with a home run, a double, two RBIs and two runs scored. Dominguez has now hit in all three games that he has played with the Renegades.

Hudson Valley pitchers allowed a new season-high in runs, and tied season highs in hits allowed (14), walks (10) and home runs allowed (4).



Trey Sweeney finished Sunday's game 3-for-4 with a home run, a double, two RBIs and two runs scored.

-Photo by Dave Janosz

GLINER'S KORNER!

Handling the hype around young star Dominguez

Every week, Hudson Valley Renegades President Steve Gliner sits down with reporter Rich Thomaselli to discuss the team in particular, and minor league baseball in general.

So let's talk about the big news. The Renegades getting a player like Jasson Dominguez is a big deal. Can you compare it to any previous player – like maybe Evan Longoria or Josh Hamilton – coming to play here?

Well, remember I was here when the Renegades moved here (in 1994) and then I wasn't here for a big chunk of time before coming back (five years ago). But it's hard to imagine anybody as well-known as Jasson Dominguez coming here, especially given all the hype surrounding him and the fact that we're now a Yankees affiliate. I think that really adds to it, for sure.

There's definitely been a lot of hype.

Oh, absolutely. He's a five-tool player and there was talk as far back as last year of him coming to the Renegades. It reminds me a little bit of the hype of having (shortstop) Anthony Volpe with us last year. I think it's the same with Dominguez. And to me, the timing of this

is interesting. There's been so much talk of the Yankees swinging a trade for (Washington star outfielder) Juan Soto and people have speculated about the prospects the Yankees would give up to trade him, the conjecture out there is that nearly every great prospect we have on our roster right now has his name attached to a trade one way or another (laughs). So we'll have to see how it all plays out.

You can pretty much gauge the hype though, can't you?

For sure. People who haven't even been to one of our games this year want to come and see him play. We have seen interest peak on social media. We see it in our ticket sales for the upcoming week when we return home. Plus, being a Yankees affiliate and playing so close to Yankee Stadium is a big factor. We expect we'll have some New York City media up here, or they'll want some photos or video footage.

Does that fall on you to handle?

That really falls with the Yankees and the player development people. We make sure we give him all the support he needs and do as much as we can. Our role is



making sure he doesn't get too bombarded. You know as well as I do in situations like these with a young prospect everybody wants to get him to sign this and sign that, and be able to say they got his autograph when he was just 19 long before he made the Majors, that sort of thing. So we try to give him some extra

security so he can get back and forth to his car and just be able to catch his breath a little bit. We've had conversations with the Yankees about it.

How do you deal with a situation like this, a star prospect coming in, someone who all the fans know or have read about?

The same. We treat him the same as we do in caring for all our other players. That's just the right way to go about it. We know we have a great group of players, great coaches and a great support staff here. We want to make his transition to Hudson Valley as seamless as possible. I don't think anybody wants anything to be drastically different for one player no matter who it is.

What has impressed you about him?

Just the way he's handling everything for just being 19 years old. He's been learning to speak English and he's been making a great effort to listen to questions and try to answer in English. I mean, imagine you or I starting a new job in a new city and trying to do our best to fit in by learning the language as we go along. It's not easy, so I really am impressed and give him great credit for trying.

Interfaith Healing Service & Grief Support Group

Thursdays at 11 a.m., St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Pleasant Valley will host a healing service for you or a loved one followed by a Grief Support Group facilitated by The Rev. Heather Sisk, Episcopal Priest and Spiritual Director, with Liz Whitman, MSW. Come to either or both on any Thursday. You are not alone. Many of us are hurting. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call (845) 635-2854, email stpaulspv@gmail.com or visit www.stpaulspv.org. Accessible facilities.

Outdoor Movie Night set July 30 in Stanford

The Stanford Special Events Committee and the Stanford Grange will present "A League of Their Own" for Outdoor Movie Night on Saturday, July 30, at sundown, behind the Grange (movie will begin when it's dark). Bring chairs, flashlight, bug spray and a picnic (suggested).

Morton Memorial Library to host free shredding event

Free Shredding Day at Morton Memorial Library is set for Saturday, July 30, from 10 a.m. to noon. Bring up to three banker-sized boxes of shreddable materials.

For more information on what can and cannot be shredded, visit <https://www.recordstoragesolutions.com/what-to-shred.php>.

Morton Memorial Library is at 82 Kelly St., Rhinecliff.

Golf Tourney set

The 5th Stormville Fire Company golf tourney will be held on Monday, Aug. 8, at Trump National Golf Club - Hudson Valley. 10 a.m. registration, 11 a.m. lunch, gold at noon, 5 p.m. dinner & raffle prizes at the golf course. \$225 per golfer (includes golf, cart, on-the-course drinks/snacks, lunch & dinner). Sponsorship opportunities available. This is a great way to get together with friends and relatives and also to promote your business while supporting the Stormville Fire Co. Please contact Bill for more information at (845) 629-4726 or www.stormvillefire.org.

Lyall Church in Millbrook offers programs

The First Harvest Food Pantry at Lyall is open. Every Tuesday morning, 8-10 a.m. through Oct. 18, Debby will welcome anyone in need. We offer fresh, certified organic produce from Stonewood Farm and other non-perishable pantry items free and open to all. Call (845) 677-3485 with questions.

Lyall Lunch resumes beginning on Thursday, Aug. 25, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. We will prepare and serve lunch twice a month, on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month. Please join us for our Grand Reopening on Thursday, Sept. 8. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, contact Bob Tierney at (845) 677-4458, or bobtier03@gmail.com

The Anti-Racist Study Group has been meeting for several years. We currently meet on Mondays, at 12:30 p.m. by Zoom. We invite anyone to join us who wants to explore the issues of race and caste in our country, issues that will not go away or improve unless we face them together. Our study group is welcoming and hospitable. We have a great time as we continue to learn a lot. We also are happy to include new members. Contact Cat Greenstreet (catgreenstreet@gmail.com) or Pastor Thom if you're interested.

Two other ongoing programs at Lyall are Meals on Wheels at Millbrook and Food For Folks Food Pantry (emergency support). The service area of both these programs is limited to the Town of Washington Village of Millbrook.

United Way's Community Breakfast set Sept. 14

Reservations are open for United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region's annual Community Breakfast will take place on Wednesday, Sept. 14, from 7:30 to 9 a.m., at The Poughkeepsie Grand Hotel.

The 2022 Kindness Champion will be announced at the Community Breakfast.

For more information, tickets, sponsorship, advertising and donations, go to www.uwdor.org/breakfast2022.

Red Hook Hardscrabble Day set

Red Hook's annual Hardscrabble Day will take place on Saturday, Sept. 17. The popular event will be centered in the Village Parking Lot and feature live performances all day: child-focused entertainment in the morning, teen bands in the afternoon, and the opening acts and headliner will start around 5 p.m. Those who would like to volunteer are asked to contact Amy Smith at Events@redhooknyvillage.org.

Stay up to date by following the Hardscrabble website: www.hardscrabbleday.org.

Tours scheduled at Vanderbilt gardens

The Vanderbilt Garden Association's interpreters will be in the formal gardens on every third Sunday of the month through October to offer free monthly tours from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Tours meet outside the Tool House building. Future dates include Aug. 21, Sept. 18 and Oct. 16.

Interpreters will discuss the history of the gardens, with a focus on the Vanderbilt ownership and the mission of the not-for-profit Vanderbilt Garden Association to rehabilitate and maintain the plants, shrubs and trees within the formal gardens as they were in the 1930s just prior to Frederick Vanderbilt's death in 1938.

For further information, e-mail info@vanderbiltgarden.org or visit <http://www.vanderbiltgarden.org>.

FARMERS MARKETS

Arlington Farmers Market: Vassar Alumnae Lawn, 123 Raymond Ave., Poughkeepsie. Thursdays, 2-6 p.m. through Oct. 27. www.arlingtonhasit.org

Copake Hillsdale Farmers Market, Roeliff Jansen Park, Hillsdale. Saturdays, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., through Nov. 19. (518) 929-3255

Germantown Farmers Market: Palatine Park, Germantown. Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., through Oct. 29. germantownfarmersmarket@gmail.com

Hudson Farmers Market, City Lot on Columbia St. between 5th and 6th. Saturdays, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., through Nov. 19. (518) 300-3496

Hudson Wednesday Market, 7th Street Park. Wednesdays, 4-7 p.m., through Oct. 26. upstreet-market@gmail.com

Millbrook Farmers Market: Front St., Millbrook. Saturdays, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., through Oct. 29. millbrookmarketmanager@gmail.com

Paul's Hyde Park Farmers Market: Across from Hyde Park Town Hall on Route 9. Saturdays, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. through October.

Older adults living on fixed incomes have been disproportionately burdened by the recent effects of inflation. This year's Social Security and Supplemental Security Income cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) of 5.9% was the biggest in 40 years, but it only blunted inflation's effects. When you've got bills to pay right now, it's small comfort that the 2023 COLA is expected to be even larger when it's announced in October.

Older adults who want to reach out for assistance often don't know what help is available, or how to apply - and that's where the Dutchess County Office for the Aging can help. Here's a quick rundown of just some of what's out there, provided with assistance from the New York State Office for the Aging.

Find out about the services mentioned below, and more, by contacting OFA at 845-486-2555 or ofa@dutchessny.gov, or looking us up online at www.dutchessny.gov/aging.

HOME DELIVERED MEALS

You may need meals for a short time because you were recently discharged from a hospital and can't make meals until you recover. Or you may need meals for a longer time because you can't do many of the things you did for yourself before. For older New Yorkers who can't prepare meals for themselves, home-delivered meals provide healthy, nutritious, balanced meals to a participant's residence up to five days a week. Up-to-date information about wellness and healthy eating habits is provided to those who receive meals. Registered dietitians offer private nutrition counseling to older people with questions about diabetes, weight loss or gain, and healthy eating.

SAVE YOURSELF MONEY: UNDERSTAND YOUR INSURANCE OPTIONS

You've seen the ads and gotten piles of mail, all of it claiming that their company's health insurance option is the right one for you. They can't all be right...right? Understanding your insurance options is key to saving money, but where to begin? Try OFA's Health Insurance Information Counseling Assistance Program (HIICAP). Our trained volunteer HIICAP counselors are available to answer questions about Medicare, Medicare Advantage programs (managed care), Medicare prescription drug coverage, Medigap, and other health and long-term care insurance issues.

You can contact OFA for an appointment with a HIICAP counselor, or you can sign up for one of our in-person "Medicare 101" presentations in Poughkeepsie or Rhinebeck. As we get closer to Medicare's annual open enrollment period (October 15th - December 7th), we'll add more Medicare 101 classes throughout the County. You can find an up-to-date calendar of OFA activities at www.dutchessny.gov/aging.

HOME DELIVERED MEALS AND PICNIC VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Volunteer drivers are currently needed immediately, to drive for the Office for the Aging Home Delivered Meals (HDM) program throughout Dutchess County. Specific areas of need include the Cities of Beacon and Poughkeepsie, and the Towns of LaGrange, Pleasant Valley and Poughkeepsie, along with much of rural Dutchess.

Whether you're available one week-day or five, we can accommodate your schedule. Mileage reimbursement is available for HDM drivers who use their own vehicles; reimbursement rates were increased in July to reflect the higher price of gasoline.

Hundreds of senior citizen residents of Dutchess County live in their own homes but are unable to cook, shop, or prepare meals. They have received essential help from the HDM program, which makes hot, nutritious midday meals available for most locations in the county Monday through Friday, along with frozen and shelf-stable meals for cases when inclement weather prevents delivery of hot meals.

We're also looking for volunteers to assist guests at any of the following upcoming OFA Picnics. All picnics take place on Wednesdays.

August 3 - City of Poughkeepsie (Stitzel Field)

August 24 - East Fishkill (Recreation Park, Hopewell Junction)

August 31 - Beekman/LaGrange (Freedom Park, LaGrange)

To learn more about OFA volunteering, contact the Office for the Aging at 845-486-2555 or ofa@dutchessny.gov.

FARMERS MARKET NUTRITION PROGRAM COUPON PACKETS GOING FAST

Demand has been high for the 2022 edition of coupon booklets from the New York State Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program (SFMNP). OFA will continue distributing SFMNP coupon packets while supplies last. If you believe you qualify and haven't applied for an SFMNP coupon packet, now's the time to act. Qualifying residents of senior housing may be able to find out more about SFMNP supplies from their site's manager.

Coupon packets will be available to walk-ins at our 114 Delafield St. (Poughkeepsie) office only on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 2 to 4 pm, while supplies last.

For those who cannot get to Poughkeepsie, arrangements can be made to apply for SFMNP coupon packets through one of our OFA Friendship Centers Contact OFA at 845-486-2555 or ofa@dutchessny.gov to find out more.

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August at Tivoli Free Library

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN

All programs are free and supplies are included. Children under the age of 6 must be accompanied by a parent/caregiver. Call 845-757-3771 for info and to register. You can also register using our online form at https://bit.ly/programs_sign-up.

Monday, August 1st, 8th, 15th & 22nd, 10:00am-12:00pm

Tivoli Playgroup: Bring your little ones and play together! For babies and toddlers. Meets on the 3rd floor of Village Hall. Must sign liability waiver on first attendance.

Tuesday, August 2nd & 9th, 10:30am-11:30am

Family Storytime: Bring the kids for a multi-age storytime and craft outside at the gazebo!

Tuesday, August 2nd, 3:00pm

Ocean Animal Rescue: Some animals have gotten stuck in the ice and need help getting out! A sensory/STEM adventure!

Thursday, August 4th, 12:30pm

Octopus Sock Monkey: Make a stuffed friend in this workshop - no sewing required.

Friday, August 5th, 6:00pm

Jellyfish Races: See if you can make the fastest jellyfish!

Saturday, August 6th, 2:00pm

Family Paint & Snack (watercolor edition): Join us to try out some watercolor painting and have a snack - all family members welcome to participate.

Tuesday, August 9th, 1:00pm

Beach Cupcakes! Decorate & eat this sweet beachy treat!

Wednesday, August 10th, 10:45am

Play in Sea Foam: This messy sensory playtime includes sea animals & shaving cream.

Wednesday, August 10th, 4:15pm

Sand Art: have fun creating art in a jar with sand!

Thursday, August 11th, 4:00pm

Make an Ocean Journal: Beautify your own journal with beach scenes, or whatever!

Friday, August 12th, 4:30pm

Stuffed Animal Sleepover: come in your PJs for a storytime with your best stuffed pal and leave them overnight at the library! See what kind of hijinks they get up to! Pickup will be Saturday between 10am-2pm.

Saturday, August 13th, 11:00am

Pirates: Lost at Sea! Ahoy there, matey! Set sail with our friends from Talewise on a thrilling action-packed adventure about a crew of quirky pirates marooned on a desert island. With mutiny and high-tide looming, they must rescue their salty captain and find a way to repair their ship before all hope is lost... at sea! Throughout the story, volunteers from the audience will help us conduct several hands-on science experiments that 'ARRR' sure to amaze you! Explore the incredible science behind clouds, physical and chemical changes, air pressure, and more!

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

All programs are free and supplies are included. For programs that require registration, please call 845-757-3771 or email tivolilibrary@gmail.com.

Mondays, 2:00pm-4:30pm

Drop-in Tech Help: Need help with your devices? Drop by between 2pm and 4:30pm on Mondays and Abbie will be happy to help you with any problems, as well as assist you with Overdrive, Hoopla, Kanopy and other library resources. No reservation needed!

Wednesdays, 1:00pm-2:00pm

Gentle Yoga with Curt Anthon: Recommended for older adults, this slow-moving yoga class targets all areas of the body to create flexibility, strength, and balance. Curt Anthon is a certified yoga instructor. Meets on the 3rd floor of Village Hall.

Thursdays, 10:30am-2:00pm

Hooks & Needles, Yarns & Threads: Join this very friendly (and fabulous) group

who've been meeting at the library for many years. The group meets at Clermont Historic Site in the summer and at the Library on the 3rd floor when it's rainy.

First & Third Thursday, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Tarot Club (on Zoom): Come to this fun, informal gathering to explore all aspects of tarot: the Major and Minor Arcana, different deck types, spreads, and more. Bring a favorite deck if you have one. Tarot club will be led by Sabra Margaret. She has been reading tarot for over a decade. This is not a tarot reading session! Call the Library or email tivolilibrary@gmail.com to register and receive the zoom link.

Fridays, 11:00am-1:00pm

Mah Jongg: Join us for a fun morning of Mah Jongg. Players of all levels are welcome. We will meet inside on the 3rd floor.

Thursday, August 4th, 6:30pm-7:30pm

Building a Backyard Wildlife Habitat: A Gardener's Approach (on Zoom): Join Master Gardener Chris Ferrero and learn how to make your yard more enjoyable while you do your part to restore natural habitat. You can attract birds, butterflies, and other wildlife to a more sustainable home landscape. It all starts with what, where and even how you plant. To register and receive the Zoom link, stop by the library, call us at 845-757-3771, or email tivolilibrary@gmail.com.

Tuesday, August 9th, 6:00pm

Shell Painting: Channel your summer creativity and turn a seashell into something amazing! Space is limited. Please call, stop by or email tivolilibrary@gmail.com to register.

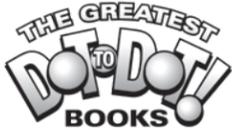
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DOT-TO-DOT PUZZLE

See page 15 for finished puzzle (no peeking!)



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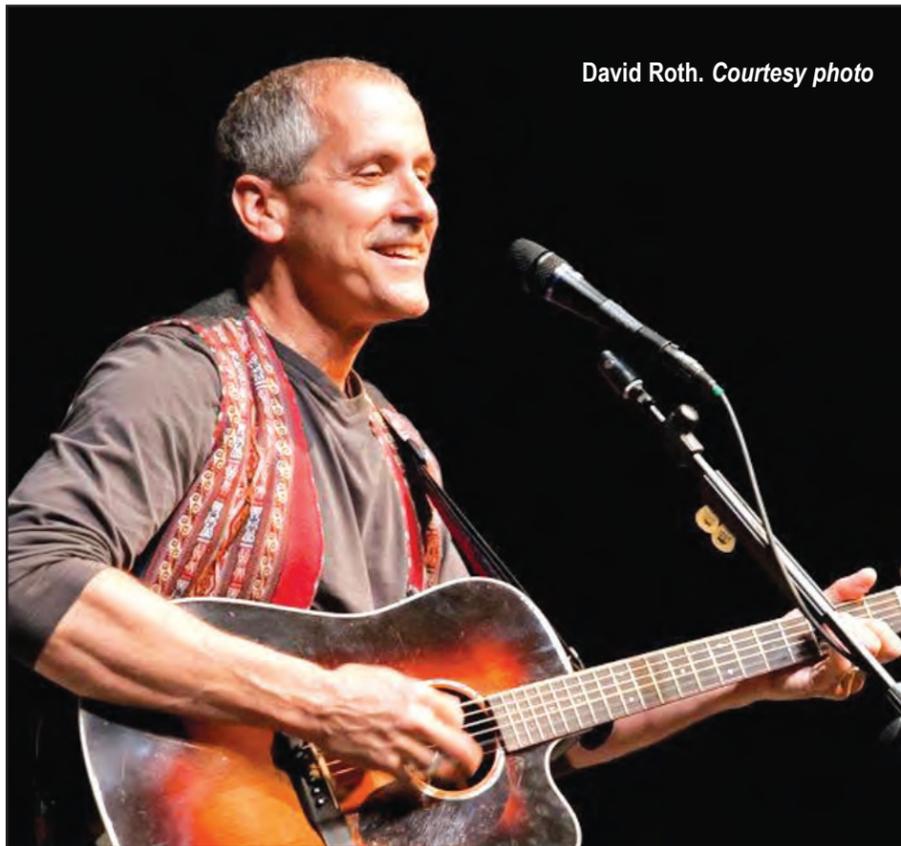
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Singer-songwriter Roth returns to Poughkeepsie this Saturday evening

The Hudson Valley Folk Guild (HVFG) will present David Roth in concert on Saturday, July 30, at 7:30 p.m. The concert will be held at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Poughkeepsie, 67 South Randolph Avenue in Poughkeepsie.

David Roth's songs have found their way to Carnegie Hall, the United Nations, several "Chicken Soup for the Soul" books, the Kennedy Center, NASA's Space Shuttle "Atlantis," CDs by Peter, Paul & Mary and Kingston Trio (and 15 of his own), the "Rise Up

Singing" and "Rise Again" songbooks, and countless venues in this and other countries (and now other WORLDS) for more than three decades. Poignant to improbable, holistic to hilarious, the Chicago native returns for the first time since 2017 as he resumes his ongoing world tour in Poughkeepsie with another roller-coaster ride of song and story.

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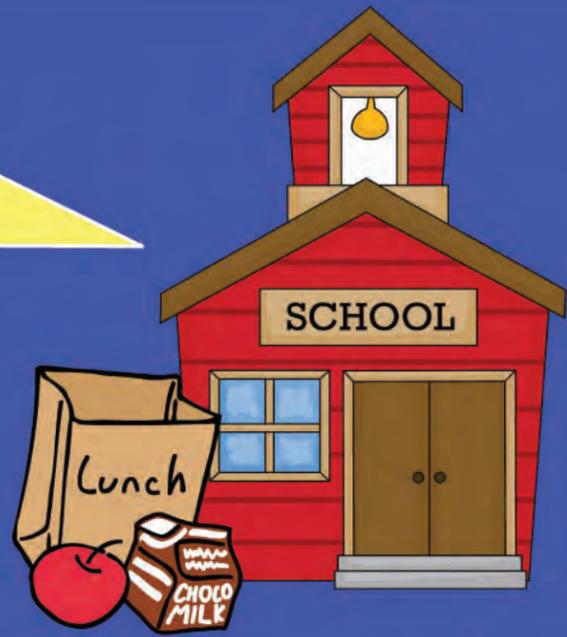
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Celebration of Frederick Douglass set at College Hill Park

by Kate Goldsmith

The Dutchess County Historical Society would like the public to know about a special event taking place on Saturday, July 30. The 2022 Frederick Douglass Day Event will run from noon to 3 p.m. at College Hill, 149 North Clinton St., Poughkeepsie.

The nonprofit organization Celebrating the African Spirit and Vassar College will present the event in honor of Douglass' speech at College Hill in August 1858, in which he called for the end of slavery in the United States.

The free event will commemorate Douglass' life with drumming, singing, dancing, and readings of his words. Performers will include Melody Africa Drum & Dance Group, the Souls United Choir, and Poughkeepsie Performing Arts Academy. There will be an interview with Artist Isaac Julien, mindfulness with

Mioshi from Mamiwas of the Round Table, and Carlos' food truck.

Celebrating the African Spirit addresses the historical contributions by enslaved Africans, and the current issues facing the Black community in the City of Poughkeepsie and surrounding areas due to systemic racism in America. Visit @CelebratingTheAfricanSpiritPoughkeepsie on Facebook for more information.



"Decoding Dutchess' Past" will return on Aug. 10.

Celebration of Oaxacan culture set July 29-Aug. 5

Oaxaca Week in Poughkeepsie, a celebration of Mexican textiles, art, crafts and food, will run from July 29 through Aug. 5 at various sites.

In a recent proclamation, Poughkeepsie Mayor Rob Rolison said these activities will "strengthen ties with our Latino community and celebrate and nurture diversity."

The two art exhibits being sent to Poughkeepsie by the Oaxaca y sus Culturas Hermanas del Mundo are:

1. Tlazotl, Weaver's Wings, a collection of hand woven and decorated textiles and traditional costumes from several indigenous villages in Oaxaca. These will be exhibited at The Trolley Barn, 489 Main St., Poughkeepsie.

2. Art in a Suitcase: Women Creators of the World includes works of six contemporary women artists from Oaxaca in a variety of media. These will be exhibited at the MASS Design Group Gallery at 289 Main St., Poughkeepsie.

Hours for the two exhibits are July 30, 31 and Aug. 5 from 1 to 5 p.m.; and Aug. 1-4 from 1 to 7 p.m. The opening reception is Friday, July 29, from 4-6 p.m. at the Trolley Barn with a preview at the MASS Design Group from 3 to 4 p.m. At Adriance Memorial Library, 93 Market St., the Poughkeepsie Library District is featuring a display of Oaxacan crafts as well as a talk by Poughkeepsie Middle School teacher Blanca Calderon, who will discuss her trip to Oaxaca on Sunday, July 31, at 2:30 p.m.,

and by Linda Marston-Reid about living in Oaxaca on Tuesday, Aug. 2 at 6:30 p.m.

A talk and tasting of Oaxacan mescal, paired with foods from the region, will be held on Thursday, Aug. 4, at noon at La Cabañita restaurant, 763 Main Street. The tasting and lunch cost \$50; the cost for lunch only is \$25. Space is limited, so call for a reservation at (845) 527-9762 and ask for Elvis.

Also on Aug. 4 from 6 to 8 pm, Fall Kill Creative Works, 635 Main St., will host an artist talk with Isabel Velasco Gomez, a native of Mexico who lives in Poughkeepsie and a stand selling artisanal wares from Oaxaca and Chiapas.

Sponsors of Oaxaca Week are the Poughkeepsie-Oaxaca Friendship Committee, the Poughkeepsie Public Library District, Casa Comunitaria de Recursos, Arts Mid-Hudson, and the Shirley and Bernard Handel fund, with fiscal sponsorship by the Community Foundations of the Hudson Valley. Other participating organizations are: The Art Effect, American Association of University Women, the City of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County Tourism, Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce, Fall Kill Creative Works, La Voz, Mass Design Group, and the Poughkeepsie Art Commission.

For more information, visit www.pok-lib.org/oaxaca-week.

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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.

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Suguru

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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. Paper quantity
5. Blaze up suddenly
10. "I smell ___!"
14. Doing nothing
15. Place for a carnation
16. Start of a Canadian province
17. Appear
18. Plato's last letter
19. Put on weight
20. Patella
22. Means
24. Kook
25. Miniature representation
26. Lacking originality
29. Jogged
30. Largest internal organ
34. City near Lake Tahoe
35. ___-Margret
36. Recess
37. IRA or Keogh: abbr.
38. School
40. Ending for brown or baker
41. 0
43. Mont Blanc, for one
44. Undesirable spots
45. Fling
46. Place where the meals are nothing but slop
47. Take away by force
48. Sharp weapon
50. Heart: Lat.
51. Trespasser
54. Coax
58. Shout "Rah! Rah!"
59. Eaglet's nursery
61. Brown quickly
62. Prefix for trust or body
63. Controls
64. Fictional estate
65. Spotted
66. Nose, slangily
67. Bench piece

DOWN

1. Jeopardy
2. Famous garden
3. Nautical term
4. Keepsake
5. Ice cream concoction
6. Room brightener
7. Hairy one
8. Area
9. African beast
10. Sweet and innocent
11. Equine shade
12. Enthusiastic
13. Browns
21. ___ card
23. Kojak's portrayer
25. Order
26. Across: pref.
27. Sum up
28. Bring upon oneself
29. Genetic material
31. Express
32. Smooths
33. Change the clock
35. One of 5 in "Hamlet"
36. Elec. unit
38. Leading
39. Actor Ron ___
42. Canned ham's coating
44. Takes into custody
46. Window covering
47. Distress
49. Gets close to
50. Box with a lid
51. Gershwin and others
52. Zilch
53. Do one's civic duty
54. Tipsy one
55. Good buy
56. Zhivago's love
57. He was: Lat.
60. Atlantic resort, for short

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The solutions to both the Sudoku & Crossword puzzles can be found on page ??



Nonna's purse

Woe to those who would cross her!

The other day while working at the restaurant I saw an elderly woman who reminded me of my Nonna. She was taller woman, with gray hair probably set with Aquanet. She had that warm aura about her that made you feel safe. Oh, and she carried a purse about the size of a small suitcase.

That purse is what flooded my mind with memories of Nonna. She had everything you can imagine in that arm strapped suitcase: Tissues, aspirin, first aid kit, sewing kit, safety pins, gum, crackers, small bottle of olive oil, cough drops, rosary beads, toys, comb, brush, mini-bible, nail file, old wallet, sweater, hard candies, cookies, Brioschi, head of garlic, and of course the ever present rain bonnet.

I'll never forget how heavy that arm strapped suitcase was. It must have been 20 pounds or so. She always held it in the crook of her arm with a coat of some sort on one side of it. I can picture that smile of hers when she looked at you. Almost a half laugh. She would come close to you and lightly smack you on the cheek, then kiss you on the other cheek and squeeze your face.

I remember once when I was little someone tried to rob it from her. He ran up and tried to grab it from her. Nonna looked at

him with fire in her eyes. That poor slob got hit so hard with that arm strapped suitcase he was almost knocked out cold. Once he realized he picked the wrong person, he started to run. But not quite fast enough for my Nonna, who was surprisingly quick. As he was running away my Nonna hit him again and again. I can vividly picture him trying to get away as he was getting socked and remember laughing so hard it hurt. My Nonna wanted to make sure he remembered her, so she kept hitting him. After he finally got away, Nonna turned around, straightened herself out and acted as if nothing had happened. She saw me laughing, came over and smacked me on the cheek as she was laughing to herself.

Nonna was tough. Enjoy the recipe of my favorite dessert she would make: Struffoli.

Nonna's Struffoli Ingredients

- 2 cups of all-purpose flour
- 1 packet vanilla powder
- pinch of salt
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 tablespoon brandy
- 3 large eggs + 1 egg yolk (slightly beaten)

- 1 tablespoon grated orange zest
- 2 tablespoons corn oil
- Corn oil for deep frying (about 2 cups)
- Honey (about 1 cup)
- Strips of orange zest
- Sprinkles

Method

In a large bowl, whisk together the flour, vanilla powder, salt and sugar.

In the middle of your dried mixture, make a well and add the eggs, brandy, grated orange zest and 2 tablespoons of oil. Blend the wet ingredients well with fingers.

Begin working the dry ingredients with your hands, into the wet and continue until a dough forms.

Lightly knead the dough (about 5 minutes) until it is uniform.

Let the dough rest covered in plastic wrap for about an hour.

Working with a small piece of dough at a time (golf ball size), roll it out into 1/2" diameter logs and cut into 1/2" pieces.

Heat the 2 cups of oil in a deep non-stick pan until it reaches 350 degrees F.

Gently lower the cut pieces of dough into the oil. Keep moving them around in the oil so they cook on all sides. Note the dough will almost double in size as it fries. Allow them to turn golden brown all

over, then remove them from the oil with a slotted spatula and let them drain on a paper-towel lined pan.

Continue rolling, cutting, and frying the remainder of the dough (keep the unrolled dough covered in plastic wrap).

When all the dough has been fried, empty the remaining oil from the pot, gently wipe out with a paper towel and add the honey. Let the honey get heated till it is of a thinner consistency. Place all the struffoli and orange zest into the honey and stir until they are completely coated. Remove with a slotted spoon.

Place the struffoli on a serving dish and decorate with sprinkles.

Buon appetito!

Luigi Coppola is one of five brothers born to Francesca and Antonio Coppola. The Coppola family came to America from Naples, Italy in 1954. Antonio and his brothers opened their first restaurant in Poughkeepsie in 1961. Luigi and his brothers Nick, John, Antonio and Vincent have carried on the family tradition in the way their parents taught them, using classic recipes taught to them at their apron strings. Visit their website at www.coppolas.net.

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Through Sept. 1

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Through Sept. 23

Red Hook Summer Lawn Concert Series, Eat-N-Go, 7508 N. Broadway (Rte. 9), Red Hook. Bring a chair or blanket, along with some food from your favorite local restaurant, and enjoy an evening of local bands performing live on Friday nights, 6-8 p.m. The schedule: July 29: Colyer Brown; Aug. 5: Local Jam Aka Nunzzo; Aug. 12: Soul City; Aug. 19: Payne's Grey Sky; Aug. 26: The Moonlighters; Sept. 9: Wyld Blu; Sept. 16: Local Jam Aka Nunzzo; Sept. 23: Forefathers.

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July 28

Movie: "I Love My Dad," Greenville Drive-In, 10700 NY-32, Greenville. The Woodstock Film Festival presents a screening of the runaway success at SXSW, winner of both Grand Jury and Audience Awards "I Love My Dad," written, directed, and starring James Morosini who will attend in person for Q&A. Food and beverages will be available. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. The film begins at 9 p.m. woodstockfilmfestival.org

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July 30

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Answer to this week's Dot to Dot (puzzle on page 10)

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Stars
 Stop at each star (★), then skip to the next number and start your line again. End ★ 142

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Answers to this week's diversions (puzzles on page 13)

Suguru solution

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SUDOKU
 This week's answer

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Legal Notices

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PLANNING BOARD
TOWN OF WAPPINGER
DUTCHESS COUNTY, NY**

Project Name: Kimmel Subdivision
Location: 325 Pine Ridge Drive
Application: No.: 18-5192

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, the Town of Wappinger Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing on the **1st day of August, 2022**, at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall, 20 Middlebush Road, Wappinger Falls, NY pursuant to Section 276 of the Town Law, at which time all the parties shall have an opportunity to be heard with regard to the application of

18-5192 Kimmel Subdivision: The Town of Wappinger Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on a Subdivision application to subdivide and create four (4) lots and an additional one (1) lot for a total of five (5) lots on 13.6 acres in an R40 Zoning District. The property is located at 325 Pine Ridge Drive and is identified as **Tax Grid Nos. 6257-04-624259 (1.3), 6257-04-608305 (8.0) and 6257-04-647304 (4.3)** in the Town of Wappinger.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that the Planning Board has not made a determination of significance pursuant to The Environmental Conservation Law and hereby reserves its right to make such determination after the conclusion of the public hearing.

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

Signed: Bruce Flower, Chairman
Town of Wappinger
Planning Board

Date: July 11, 2022

Legal Notices

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
FOR AMENDED SITE PLAN**

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, August 9th, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at East Fishkill Town Hall, 330 Route 376, Hopewell Junction, New York, or as soon thereafter as the matter may come on to be heard, in the matter of the application of McDonald's Corporation for the granting of Amended Site Plan Approval by said Board of a proposed project known as McDonald's Corporation as shown on plans entitled "Preliminary & Final Site Plan for McDonald's Proposed Drive-Thru Improvements", prepared by Bohler Engineering, as filed in the Office of the Planning Department, and which site is located at 967 NYS Route 376, Wappingers Falls, NY and being described as a Tax Parcel #6358-02-570572, with frontage on NYS Route 376 and Van Wyck Lane.

The project site contains an existing McDonald's restaurant with single-lane drive-thru. The Applicant proposes to add a side-by-side drive-thru for the McDonald's restaurant and make associated site improvements and modifications.

All parties in interest and citizens will be heard by the Board at said public hearing scheduled at said time.

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OBITUARIES

Grace P. Alessi

RED HOOK - Grace P. Alessi, 84, passed away peacefully at her home in Red Hook, NY on Saturday, July 16, 2022. Born on April 5, 1938 at Gotham Hospital in New York City to the late Robert & Martha (Hanley) Gallagher. Grace was raised in Astoria, NY, along with younger sister, the late Barbara Glass. She attended Julia Richman High School in Manhattan. On March 5, 1955, she married the love of her life, John A. Alessi. They spent 57 wonderful years together. They raised their five children in College Point, NY before moving to Dutchess County in 1985, eventually settling in the beautiful town of Red Hook, NY. Grace was a devoted member of Reach Out Church, Hyde Park, NY. She volunteered for many years for the Northern Dutchess Hospital Ladies Auxiliary. She also worked as a teacher aide at the Mill Road School in Red Hook, NY. For many years, Grace was an avid fan cheering on Red Hook Raiders Sports. One of Grace's greatest joys in life was caring for her children and grandchildren. She is survived by her two daughters, Donna (John) Radman of Red Hook, NY, and Theresa (Tom) Lynch of Bayside, NY, three sons; Michael (Robin) Alessi of Ormond Beach, Florida, Vincent (Helen) of Island Park, NY, and John (Melissa) Alessi of Red Hook, NY, ten grandchildren, Vanessa Radman, Matthew (Meghan) Radman, Elizabeth (Iván Solis Cruz) Radman, Hannah Lynch, Anthony (Jillian) Alessi, Christopher (Cathy Rosa) Alessi, Andrea (Mike) Alicea, Vincent Alessi, John Alessi, and Joseph Alessi, as well as eight great-grandchildren. In addition to her parents and sister, Grace Alessi was predeceased by her husband, John A. Alessi, in 2012. Friends may call at the Burnett & White Funeral Home on Tuesday, July 26th from 2-4 PM and 6-8 PM. Pastor Carl Forster, Senior Pastor of Reach Out Church, officiated a prayer service, which was live streamed for those who were unable to attend. Burial took place at St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery in Red Hook. The Pastor Brian Bovee, of Reach Out Church, performed the graveside service. A special note of thanks to Andrea, Tina, Tess, and Lisa of Lisa's Home Care in Red Hook, NY, for the loving support and care of our mother. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Grace's memory to Hudson Valley Hospice-Foundation, 80 Washington Ave., Suite 204, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601 Arrangements are under the direction of Burnett & White Funeral Homes 7461 S. Broadway, Red Hook, NY. For the livestream link, directions, or to sign the online guest book, please visit www.Burnett-White.com.

Kathleen Ann Krumenacker

RHINEBECK - Kathleen Ann Krumenacker, "Kath," 85, of Rhinebeck, passed from this world on July 20, 2022, almost 1 week after suffering a severe stroke. Kath was born Kathleen Ann Driscoll to David Anthony and Helen Veronica Driscoll in Jamaica, Queens NY on May 19, 1937. She grew up in New Hyde Park, NY where she met and married her husband, the love of her life, Richard J. Krumenacker. Kath worked in

publishing at Doubleday in NYC before moving upstate with her husband in the 1958. She loved the peace and quiet of country living and she and Rich were very happy living in Fishkill, and then in Rhinebeck. Kath had many interests and was always a lover of learning and knowledge. She and Rich loved outdoor adventures and passed that love on to their children. She was very active in her community through Mother's Club, LKTA, Garden Club, Pony Club, Bee Club, and Yacht Club. She was continually active in the lives of her children, supporting and encouraging all their interests and endeavors and was, by their account, the most wonderful mother. She was employed as a farm secretary and a gardening professional later in her life. Her treasure trove of knowledge about gardening was unlimited and many went to her for help and advice in designing their gardens. Kath and Rich loved sailing on the Hudson and Long Island Sound, canoeing, camping, riding their bikes, xc skiing, hiking and spent much of their time traveling together enjoying the natural beauty of the east coast. Nothing made her happier than seeing her family happy and sharing her time with them. Being a devoted wife and mother brought her incomparable contentment. She was a caring and loving sister and friend as well, and was dearly loved by so many. She is predeceased by her beloved husband, Richard J. Krumenacker and her dear brother, David Anthony Driscoll, Jr. She is survived by 3 sisters: Lynne Scott, Donna Wallace, & Christine Driscoll and 1 brother, Daniel Driscoll & his wife Jane (their children James and Kate) And by her 4 children, 5 grandsons, and 1 great-granddaughter: Her son Richard J. & his wife, Judy Krumenacker (and their son Leland) Her son Raymond Krumenacker (and his son Keel) Her daughter Michele K. & her husband Paul G. Decker (their son Evan & his wife Jackie, and their daughter Violet) (their son Calvin & his wife, Beth) Her daughter Sharon Ojeda (and her son Xavier) Kath was a unique and beautiful spirit and she will never be forgotten. We will miss her more than words can ever say. Memorial hours were held at the Dapson-Chestney Funeral Home, 51 W. Market St., Rhinebeck, NY, on Monday July 25. Burial will be private and at the convenience of the family. Memorial donations in honor of Kath can be made to Hudson Valley Hospice, 374 Violet Ave, Poughkeepsie, NY, 12601. To send an online condolence, please visit www.dapsonchestney.com.

Donna Sofokles

Donna (Moyley) Sofokles, passed away peacefully on July 17, 2022 surrounded by her loving family. She was born April 5, 1939 in Berlin, MD to I. Ellen (Carr) and W. Robert Moyley. Donna resided in Berlin, MD, Fishkill, NY, LaGrangeville, NY, Poughkeepsie, NY and Medina, NY. Donna was a graduate of the 1956 class at Arlington High School and attended SUNY Albany (formerly known as State Teacher's College) and Krissler Business Institute in Poughkeepsie. She married William K. Sofokles on February 20, 1960 at Trinity United Methodist Church

in LaGrangeville. After raising her 3 boys, Donna worked for the Dutchess County Dept. of Health until her retirement. She enjoyed countless hours sewing and quilting and she belonged to the Dutchess County Quilt Guild and Trinity Piecemakers. Donna won numerous ribbons in quilt shows at the Dutchess County Fair. Since 1962, Donna spent countless leisure hours watching her beloved NY Mets. She often watched games while tirelessly working on another of her quilting creations and making treasured gifts for her family and friends. Donna was dedicated to volunteer work. Over her life, she gave her time to the Boy Scouts, PTA, church matters, food pantries, homeless shelters and as an adult literacy tutor. Donna cherished and was a life-long member of the Trinity United Methodist Church. They all benefited from her kind and giving heart. Surviving are her children, Bradley, Philip (Alycia) and John Sofokles; grandchildren, Bradley II, Nicholas, Alexandra, Philip, Alyssa (Anthony) and Amyli; great-grandchildren, Bradley, Aubrey, Anthony and Ava; brothers, Stanley (Valerie) and Richard (RaeAnne); and sister in-law, Peggy Sofokles; close family members, Charlie and Terri Sofokles; and many nieces and nephews. Donna was predeceased by her parents; her husband, William; brother, James Moyley; and brother in-law, Mitch Sofokles. Her memorial service was held on Saturday, July 23 at the Trinity United Methodist Church, 6 S. Cross Rd., LaGrangeville, NY 12540. Interment in the LaGrangeville Cemetery. The family wishes to extend our sincere thanks to her son, Brad for giving such great care to our mom over the last ten years. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Trinity United Methodist Church at the address above. Arrangements are in the care of Cooper Funeral Home, 215 W. Center St., Medina, NY. Share condolences at www.cooperfuneralhome.com.

Mildred Z. Young

RHINEBECK - Mildred Z. Young, life-long resident of Rhinebeck, died Tuesday, July 19, 2022 at the Thompson House in Rhinebeck, NY. She was 96. She was born on Nov. 7, 1925 at her parents' home in Rhinecliff, NY, the daughter of the late Albert and Maude (Ehrmann) Zegelbrier. She graduated from high school as salutatorian at the age of 15- and couldn't find a job because she was simply too young and too shy. She went to secretarial school, and at the age of 20, she was hired as a legal secretary by Benson R. Frost Sr. She worked for Mr. Frost for 12 years. She then got her license to sell insurance, and took over the insurance office upstairs. She successfully operated the Mildred Z. Young Insurance Agency for 35 years. At the age of 30, she married the late John J. Young. Together, they bought the Morton Schoolhouse on Mill Rd in Rhinebeck, and completely renovated it themselves. They continued buying old houses in Rhinebeck and renovating them, turning them into apartments. John passed away in 2006 - they were married for 52 years. Mildred was very active in serving her community. She started her involvement at Northern Dutchess

Hospital as the "unofficial" secretary of the Board in her twenties, and worked her way up until she became board President from 1979-1980. While on the Board, she served as Chairman of the 1977 campaign to raise \$500,000 for the Hospital's first ICU/CCU wing, and as Vice Chairman of the 1983 Neugarten Birth Center Building campaign. She was Chairman of the Board's Social & Public Relations Committee, and was President of the corporation which operated the Hospital's medical office building in Hyde Park. In recognition of her exemplary community service, the Rhinebeck Rotary Club named Mildred the Outstanding Volunteer of 1988, for her chairmanship of the Rhinebeck Tercentenary Committee during the 1986-1988 celebration. She was also a member of the NDH Auxiliary and was the Auxiliary's President for 5 years, contributing greatly to the success of the Hospital Thrift Shop. Mildred also had a very active lifetime role with Morton Memorial Library in Rhinecliff. Her mother was the librarian and her father supervised the recreation department downstairs, so she spent much of her childhood there. She became a Trustee in 1957, and spent many years as Secretary/Treasurer, as well as a two-year stint as President. In addition to community service, her other primary interest was music. Mildred played the organ and was the organist at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rhinecliff for 10 years, during her late teens to twenties. She was a talented pianist, and she served as the pianist for the Rhinebeck Rotary Club, accompanist for the Rhinebeck Men's Chorus (where she met her husband John,) and assistant accompanist for the Rhinebeck Choral Club. She and her husband were also avid square dancers and loved to travel. Mildred is survived by a daughter, Catherine Young, & her partner D. Suris, a son, Gregory Young, and two grandchildren: Sierra Young Suris and Casey Young. There are no calling hours. A Memorial Celebration was held at the Morton Memorial Library, 82 Kelly Street, Rhinecliff, NY on Sunday July 24. Burial will be private and at the convenience of the family at Wurtemberg Cemetery. Memorial donations in lieu of flowers may be made to Northern Dutchess Hospital, 6511 Springbrook Ave, Rhinebeck NY 12572, Northern Dutchess Residential Health Care Facility, 6525 Springbrook Ave, Rhinebeck, NY 12572, or Morton Memorial Library, 82 Kelly St, Rhinecliff, NY 12574. Arrangements are under the direction of the Dapson-Chestney Funeral Home, Rhinebeck, NY. To send an online condolence, please visit www.dapsonchestney.com.

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Annual Hyde Park Car Show is 'smashing success'



The annual Hyde Park Car Show, sponsored by the Hyde Park Chamber of Commerce on July 17 was a "smashing success," according to chairman Stu Davis. Over 150 cars and owners were on hand for the event. Award for the Best in Show went to Paul (last name omitted) from Highland with his 1961 Studebaker Hawk. The Chamber selection People's Award went to Bud Hill with his 1958 orange Chevy Impala. The event featured a wide variety of hotrods and vintage autos. *Courtesy photos*

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