

27th Annual

# First Night



First Night Buffalo will feature safe, fun, healthy activities for the whole family, capped off with a balloon drop at the end of the evening.

Looking for something fun and safe to do with your family to ring in the New Year? Look no further because First Night Buffalo is back for its 27th year in downtown Buffalo.

Independent Health Foundation's First Night Buffalo®, will be held on

December 31st, from 5 pm to 10 pm at the Buffalo Niagara Convention Center. The event is Buffalo's biggest drug- and alcohol-free New Year's Eve celebration. First Night Buffalo will feature new attractions along with returning favorites.

Back again is the Family Fitness Challenge. The Independent Health Foundation has partnered with the Buffalo Bills to bring you a challenge where you can train like a Bill at NFL Play60 stations. Compete against your family mem-

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## Tips for Holiday Mailing

The Postal Service offers the following tips and deadlines to make the mailing season merry and bright.

Key shipping dates for December 25th arrival are as follows: December 8th for Priority Mail Express International™; December 15th for Standard Post; December 19th for Global Express Guaranteed® and First-Class Mail®; December 21st for Priority Mail®; and December 23rd for Priority Mail Express™.

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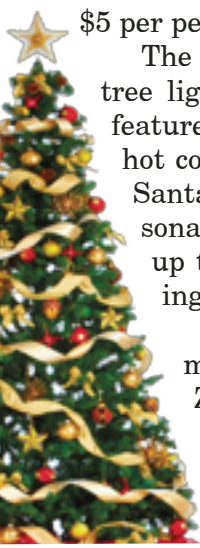
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With Charlie Brown and the Peanuts friends on this year's holiday stamps, it will be a festive season for mailing letters, cards and packages.

## Buffalo Zoo Hosts First Tree Lighting

The Buffalo Zoo will offer reduced admission rates for its first ever holiday tree lighting event. The Zoo's holiday tree lighting event will take place on Saturday, December 5th. Guests who enter the Zoo after 3 pm that day will receive a reduced admission rate of



\$5 per person. The Zoo's first ever tree lighting event will feature carol singers, hot cocoa, a visit from Santa and more seasonal fun, all leading up to the tree lighting at 5 pm.

For more information about the Zoo's holiday tree lighting event, visit [www.buffalozoo.org](http://www.buffalozoo.org) or call 995-6133.

### These Are the People in Our Neighborhood

Lieutenant Jeff Rinaldo has been a Buffalo Police Officer for 17 years. He was born and raised in Buffalo, graduating from Canisius College. His current assignments include special projects, social media, technical projects and 21st century policing initiatives. The Lieutenant would like our readers to know that the lines of communication are open with the Police Department. He encourages citizens to be more involved by communicating with the department and each other via social media like Facebook, Nextdoor, and Twitter.

Lieutenant Jeff is currently participating in a department-wide fundraiser for No Shave November. They are raising money though December 16th and all proceeds will go to benefit Roswell Park Cancer Institute.

Lieutenant Rinaldo has been the President of the Hertel Business Association for the past nine years. The Association is hosting the 20th Annual Hertel Holidays this Friday and Saturday.



Lieutenant Jeff Rinaldo.



### FIND THE ROCKETS CONTEST

Last week's answers and a NEW CHALLENGE on page 3!



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The Adventures of...  
**Rocket Man**  
by Doug Smith



## A Bridge Too Famous

In was a mid-summer night, Lewiston photographer Michael B. Stuart decided to drop by to see whether the South Grand Island Bridges were feeling photogenic. He chose the rocky little cliff on the west shore of the Niagara River's east branch, between the bridges, "the crotch shot," as Rocket Man so in- delicately puts it.

"I'd never been in that particularly spot before," he said, "and suddenly I was struck with how tiny you feel down there. The massive arch of the bridges, the trucks rumbling by above, it was noisy, it was scary. I began to wonder, 'What if I fall into the river, will anybody even know?' So I didn't stay there more than 10 minutes."

Long enough. The American Society of Civil Engineers, for the second time in three years, has selected a Michael Stuart photo of the Grand Island Bridges for its annual calendar. He's "Miss March." And, all the exotic engi-

neering challenges presented in the calendar, his was the one selected to "sell it," the one photo that appears in advertisements.

"I WAS a little surprised," Stuart conceded. No other bridge, not even one in Switzerland that seems like science-fiction, has repeated in the ASCE calendar. "However, they do have different judges every year, so I did start with a clean plate."

That's more than you can say for his photo subject. Pillars stained with rust, patches and prop-wash, the bridges look downright grungy. Keen eyes will spot a speed limit sign of 35, seconded by a little orange warning. They're being "worked on," as inconvenienced Islanders mutter.

"I think that helps make it a more successful image," Stuart says. "It has to play on lines, direct the eye. The visible age, the rust, they all help tell a story, create an image. I

have another one I've posted titled: "Twins, 28 years apart."

While officials argue ad nauseum about the Peace Bridge, Grand Island designers didn't hesitate a moment in deciding, in 1963, to virtually duplicate the single span – the northbound bridge – which had opened the Island in 1935. Detail freaks can spot small differences, mostly geological necessities, but basically, if you've seen one South Bridge, you've seen 'em all.

Stuart's shot also won the HD Range competition, a matter of details and shadows. "That's new this year, a big new thing in photography," said Stuart, whose wife Nicole specializes in flesh-and-blood portrait photography. Also, for the second straight time, the bridge shot – his 2013 entry was the broader, southwest-to-northeast view favored by political office-seekers – won as Viewers' Choice.

The calendars go for \$10 each in multiples, available via 1-800-548-2723 (Rocket Man ordered three) or on line at [www.asce.org/bookstore](http://www.asce.org/bookstore).

**SAME YEAR, SAME DURABILITY** – Also born in 1935 was Rocket Man's First Mate, every bit as fetching, even without her own calendar. The date is December 8th, next Tuesday. She'd love to hear from you.

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# The Grapevine

**The Annual Holiday Arts and Crafts Show** at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Buffalo, 695 Elmwood Avenue at West Ferry, will be held Saturday, December 12th from 10 am to 4 pm.

Shop local for unique holiday gifting selections from locally juried artisans in one of Buffalo's historic church halls; a church of English Country Gothic design, a stunning example of early 20th Century Arts and Crafts aesthetic.

For further information on the show, contact Meredith at [uucraftshow@gmail.com](mailto:uucraftshow@gmail.com).



**The Canisius College Chorale**, under the direction of Frank Scinta, will present its annual Winter Concert on Saturday, December 5th at 7:30 pm in the college's Montante Cultural Center, 2001 Main Street, Buffalo.

The evening will feature works by Hogan, Mendelssohn, Buxtehude, Dawson, Ticheli and others. Admission is free and all are welcome. For more info call 888-2536.

**Old Fort Niagara will open its doors and warmly welcome** visitors to a candlelit and festively decorated French Castle for its annual "Castle by Candlelight" fundraiser, which benefits its educational programming.

On Saturdays, December 5th and 12th, between 6:30 pm and 8:15 pm the 18th century historic site will offer guests a unique yesteryear experience in a setting untouched by consumerism, but enhanced by natural elements, like evergreen boughs and pine cones, accented with ribbons and homemade ornaments.

The festive atmosphere will include music of fifes and drums, Celtic favorites and tavern songs. Cooks will prepare and discuss traditional holiday fare, while period characters entertain visitors with tales of winter in the 18th century. A Recollect priest will recite the Christmas story in Latin in the fort's chapel while fur traders and French soldiers downstairs pass the winter evening in more boisterous pursuits.

For more information go to [www.oldfortniagara.org](http://www.oldfortniagara.org).

**The Holiday Art Market at 464 Gallery**, 464 Amherst St., Buffalo, will run from December 1st through 30th with a reception and happy hour, titled "Gifted" at the gallery on December 11th from 6 pm to 10 pm. Visitors can expect to see affordably priced original artworks created by local artists as well as hundreds of high-quality reproductions, hand made jewelry, crafts, and ceramics from dozens of local artisans. All original artworks are priced under \$500 and all other items in the shop are priced and hand-selected to make for perfect gifts for friends and family.



**Violet Gordon will have four works on view** in the Artist & Friends Exhibit 2015 at the Niagara Arts & Cultural Center, 1201 Pine Ave., Niagara Falls, NY. An opening reception will be held on Saturday, December 5th from 6 pm to 8 pm. The exhibition runs from December 5th through January 10th. Gallery hours are Monday through Friday 10 am to 5 pm and Saturdays noon to 4 pm.

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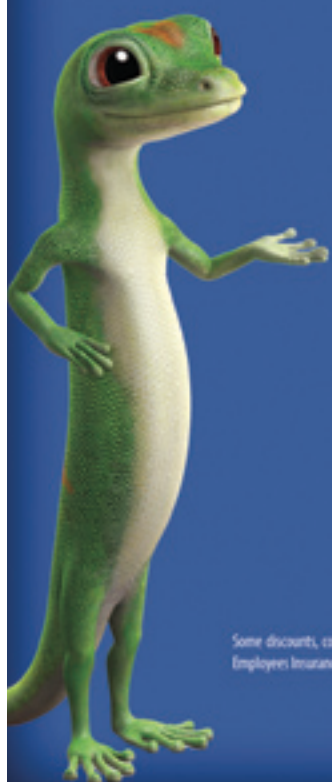
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There are lots of unique gifts to be found on Hertel at the many unique shops and boutiques all along the Avenue. From gourmet restaurants to coffee bistros, no matter what your tastes, there are infinite dining possibilities.

On Friday evening, Santa Claus will be stroll-

ing the Avenue with treats for the kids, along with Christmas caroling by the Acabella singers. You'll also see lots of beautiful light displays and creative shop windows, as many merchants are participating in the Hertel Business Association's annual Holiday Decorating Contest. Stop in each business to see if your favorites have won!

You'll also find bins manned by the WNY Coalition for Donated Goods, along Hertel on Saturday to donate new and gently used clothing which will benefit local needy families.

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To cap off the night, First

Night Buffalo will feature a Grand Finale Balloon Ball Drop. At 9:45 pm, there will be a special grand finale performance followed by a confetti countdown and balloon drop.

For more information and a complete schedule of events, visit [www.first-nightbuffalo.org](http://www.first-nightbuffalo.org), or call 635-4959.

# Holiday Postal Tips

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can be found at Northside Station, 725 Hertel Avenue and is available 24/7. At the kiosk you can mail packages, purchase stamps, and more.

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USPS will handle approximately 15.5 billion letters, cards and packages during holiday season. Of those, approximately

600 million will be packages — up 10.5% from last holiday.

In many areas, delivery of packages will occur 7 days per week (adding Sunday) to facilitate extra volume.

The two Western New York District Processing & Distribution Centers (Buffalo and Rochester) will handle, in total, about 80 million letters and cards this holiday season; the North West Rochester Processing & Distribution Center will sort approximately 8 million packages. These facilities process all letters, cards and packages mailed from and delivered to western New York customers.

The Postal Service receives no tax dollars for operating expenses, and relies on the sale of postage, products and services to fund its operations.

## AREA DEATH NOTICES

**STOCKMAN** - Mary M. (nee Hurley), entered into rest December 1, 2015. Beloved wife; loving mother; dearest grandmother; sister. Arrangements by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME (Northtowns Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd. near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.

**CARTER** - Oscar R. "Ray". Of Buffalo, entered into rest November 29, 2015. Beloved husband; devoted father; cherished grandfather; adored great-grandfather; loving son; dear brother; also survived by relatives and friends. Arrangements by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME (Northtowns Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd. near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.

**VERDI** - Betty (nee Campbell) Of Buffalo, entered into rest November 29, 2015. Beloved wife; devoted

mother; cherished grandmother; adored great-grandmother; loving son; dear brother; also survived by relatives and friends. Arrangements by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME (Northtowns Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd. near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.

**FLASH** - Thomas M. Of Tonawanda, entered into rest November 29, 2015. Beloved husband; devoted father; cherished grandfather; loving son; dear brother; also survived by relatives and friends. Arrangements by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME (Northtowns Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd. near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.

**MUFF** - Randy L. Of West Seneca, entered into rest November 28, 2015. Beloved son; dear brother; cherished uncle; fond

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**NASCA** - Richard J. Of Buffalo, entered into rest November 26, 2015. Loving son; dear brother; cherished uncle; also survived by aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. Arrangements by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME (Northtowns Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd. near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.

**ANDREWS** - Raymond F. Of Buffalo, entered into rest November 23, 2015. Beloved husband; devoted father; cherished grandfather; loving son; dear brother; also survived by relatives and friends. Arrangements by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME (Northtowns Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd. near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.





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A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held at the facility on Thursday, December 17, 2015 at 3:00 p.m.; please assemble at the main entrance. The Architect will be present. Eligible bidders are required to attend this walkthrough or another previously arranged and documented site visit with Architect and/or District personnel.

Please note that required bid bond is 10%. The work will be subject to the equal employment opportunity requirements. Any questions regarding this project, please refer to Daniel J. Keefe, RA, 716-816-3725.

Paul McDonnell, AIA  
Director of Facilities Planning,  
Design & Construction 49

**LEGAL NOTICE: YUSRA, LLC.** Articles of Organization filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY): 7/20/2015. Principal business location in Erie County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to principal business location at 222 Glenwood Ave., Buffalo, NY 14208. Purpose: any lawful purpose. 49-2

**LEGAL NOTICE: WIENERSCHNITZEL, LLC.** Articles of Organization filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY): 9/24/2015. Principal business location in Erie County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to principal business location at 1094 Elmwood Ave., Buffalo, NY 14222. Purpose: any lawful purpose. 49-2

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**NOTICE of FORMATION of a Limited Liability Company (LLC):** Walker Remodeling and Construction, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on July 31, 2015. Office location is in Erie County. SSNY has been designated as the agent upon whom process may be served. NYSS may mail a copy of any process to the LLC at: 149 Ryan St. Buffalo, NY 14210. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. 46-51

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