

# New Zoo Program



The Life Science Career Lab gives students a chance to experience six different career paths to see which one is right for them.

Being a teenager begins the age of responsibility, including trying to figure out what career paths lay ahead. Parents, guidance counselors, and teachers play a key role in the process, but real world exposure to career options is limited. It is even more limited when a teenager shows interest and potential excellence in the field of life sciences (science involving living things such as plants, animals, or living things in general), but

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# Community Recycling Event

Mayor Byron W. Brown announced today that the City of Buffalo, the University at Buffalo along with other community groups will sponsor a Community Shredding and Recycling Event on Saturday, November 19th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm



Bring your confidential papers to be shredded at the event. Anything with account numbers, social security number or other sensitive materials can be securely disposed of.

at the University at Buffalo South Campus Main Bailey Parking Lot.

"I encourage city residents to bring their household and personal papers to this community shredding event that is designed to help fight identity theft," said Mayor Byron Brown. "I am pleased that the city and the University of Buffalo are teaming up to provide this important public service to residents at no cost."

The Community Shredding Event is designed for residents to safely and

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# Savage Announces HEAP Outreach

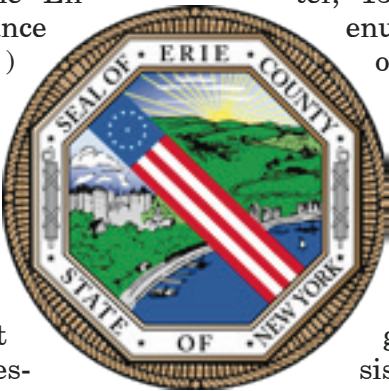
Erie County Legislator Peter J. Savage, III announced that two HEAP (Home Energy Assistance Program) outreach sessions for the third legislative district will be held.

The first outreach session will be held on Monday, December 5th, from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm at the North Buffalo Community Center, 203 Sanders Road in Buffalo.

The second session will be held at the Northwest Buffalo Community Center, 155 Lawn Avenue in Buffalo on Thursday, December 22nd, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.

HEAP is a federally funded program to assist Erie County Residents with their heating bills. The HEAP outreach will be administered by the Erie County Departments of

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# Holiday Craft Show

Tired of the shopping malls and generic gifts? Looking for something unique and personal to give that special someone this holiday?

The 10th annual Parkside Holiday Arts and Crafts Show, scheduled for the Saturday and Sunday after Thanksgiving, November 26th and November 27th from 10 am - 5 pm. at St. Mark School at 399 Woodward Avenue (corner of Amherst Street) in Buffalo. There is handicapped access and off street parking. For a \$2 admission, visitors

will receive a \$1 coupon, good on a \$10 purchase.

This show will feature unique gifts like photography, jewelry, scarves, pottery, soaps, wood-working, paper art (prints/notecards) and many more all created by local artisans.

The Parkside Holiday Arts and Crafts Show is proud to participate in Small Business Saturday on November 26th. Shop small and support your local artists and your community this holiday season!

For further information, visit [www.parksidebuffalo.org](http://www.parksidebuffalo.org).



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## Sabres Goaltenders Stand Strong

When The Hockey News November most recent issue labeled "The Goalie Issue" hit newsstands last week, it included a section ranking all NHL teams from top to bottom on the perceived strength of the goaltenders. Ranking last were the Buffalo Sabres. Ironically on that same day, the Sabres team goals against average (GAA) was the fourth best in the NHL While GAA is a team statistic which reflects an overall defensive competency, the goalies have a major influence on that number.

The disconnect between the Sabres high ranking and The Hockey News evaluation shows the author of that story needs to dig a little deeper in their research. The duo of Robin Lehner and Anders Nilsson have been a Swedish delight so far for Buffalo with Nilssons 1.96 GAA and .942 save % and Lehner at a 2.36 GAA and .923 save %. Goal support is a different story.

The offense has been anemic of late, usually scoring only one or two goals per game in the

absence of top forwards Ryan O'Reilly and Jack Eichel. The defense corps has not contributed much to the attack, they have not scored a single goal. And they're not contributing much as play makers either. Led by Rasmus Ristolainen's eight assists, the group has only 15 assists in 15 games Only nine of those assists have come during five of five play. Josh Gorges, Zach Bogosian, and Dmitri Kulikov have exactly zero points. Cody Franson who is in the lineup specifically for his offensive skills has only four helpers.

Jake McCabe has three.



Sabres goaltender Robin Lehner boasts an impressive 2.36 GAA and .923 save percentage.

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# The Grapevine

**The Museum of disability History's annual Holiday Party** will be held on Thursday, December 1st from 5 pm to 7 pm, 3826 Main St., Buffalo. Sujeet Desai, an international musician who has Down syndrome, will perform music. He plays six instruments and was one of 13 musicians recently filmed for a commercial called "We're Superhumans" for the 2016 Summer Paralympics.

There will be refreshments and a basket raffle. Due to limited space, no-cost admission tickets are required. To reserve your ticket or for more information, call 629-3626.



**The Charter School of Inquiry is holding its next regular** monthly business meeting on Tuesday, December 6th, beginning at 4:45 pm in the

school conference room, 404 Edison, Buffalo. This is an open meeting and the public is invited.



**The Project 308 Gallery will present the 5th Annual Holiday** Trunk show at the former North Tonawanda Catholic Ascension school located at 69 Keil St. in North Tonawanda on Saturday, December 10th, 12 pm to 5 pm. The event will feature 40 local vendors selling handmade gifts: soap, jewelry, paintings, woodwork, ceramics and more. There will be live music throughout the day, local food and Holiday cheer!

The Blue Plate Studio will be open for viewing as well. This studio is located in a former classroom in the basement of the building and features creative writing workshops and art-work.

Free parking on site and free admission. For more information call 523-0068.



**The Buffalo Stamp Club will hold its 12th annual Autumn Stamp** Festival on Saturday, November 19th from 10 am to 5 pm at the VFW Post, 2450 Walden Ave. in Cheektowaga. Sellers, the USPS, and experienced collectors will be on hand. Parking and admission are free. For more information contact 633-8358 or gghg53@aol.com.

**Vocalis Chamber Choir sets the holiday mood** with its intimate choral presentation of A Vocalis Christmas on Friday, December 2nd, 8:00 pm at S.S. Peter & Paul Church, 5480 Main St., Williamsville and Saturday, December 3rd, 7:30 pm at Karpeles Manuscript Museum, 220 North Street at Elmwood Ave., Buffalo.

Vocalis draws from traditional and contemporary a cappella choral music for this concert, including traditional carols as well as contemporary works by Howells, Tavener, Clausen,

and Sametz. Tickets are available at the door, one hour before the program. For more information visit [www.vocalischamberchoir.org](http://www.vocalischamberchoir.org).



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## King Crossword

**ACROSS**

1. Wagon

5. Part of MYOB

9. Young falow

12. Lotion additive

13. Small plateau

14. Entry of hockey

15. Very hush-hush

17. Shot game item

18. 'A Streetcar named Desire' role

19. German artist Max

21. Form of 22-Across

22. One of the media

24. Military

27. Winter mo

28. Elevator name

31. Past

32. Whopper

33. Spy org

34. Dried

36. Henna

37. Dish damage

38. Calories

40. Othello

41. Breat work

43. Online image

47. Mauna -

48. Leading comedian

51. Gun the engine

52. Matcha native

**DOWN**

1. Long-running Broadway musical

2. Grassy

3. Local

4. Magneto flux measures

5. Village People hit

6. 'I - the champion ... in a way

7. Work with

8. Assessed

9. A. one

10. Belligerent

11. Proxy

16. Shade provider

20. 2016

22. Jockey's handle

23. Help a road

24. Hic follower

25. 'I me of your Me?

26. Lacking balance

27. Optimism

29. Midallancon

30. Font

35. Pitch

37. Construction site machinery

39. Hilder correction

40. Eggs

41. Callaloo ingredient

42. Hammerhead

43. Sleeping

44. Forbidden War

45. Soon to a band


46. and file

49. Haw rock

50. Apoc

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# HEAP Outreach Sessions

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Interviews will be conducted on a first-come, first-served basis. All prospective clientele are welcome to apply for HEAP assistance at outreach sites, regardless of age or disability. Emergency Heap Applicants must have a final disconnection notice. General HEAP applicants are required to bring the following documentation to the session:  
• One (1) form of identification for all household members (Birth Certifi-

cates, License, Social Security Card).  
• Proof of income received within the last 30 days for all household members (Pay Stubs, Social Security or Pension Award letters, Proof of Child Support, Rental Income, Unemployment Benefits, Worker's Compensation, etc.).  
• Current Heat and Electric Bills including current shut off or disconnect notices, if applicable.  
If an Applicant is missing information, they may be allowed to mail the information and complete the Application Process.  
For more information or assistance, please contact Mary Ann at 832-0493 or [MaryAnn.Moriarity@erie.gov](mailto:MaryAnn.Moriarity@erie.gov).

HEAP Income Guidelines 2016 – 2017	
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Household Size	Gross Monthly Income
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2	\$3,007
3	\$3,715
4	\$4,423
5	\$5,130
6	\$5,838
7	\$5,971
8	\$6,103
9	\$6,236
10	\$6,369

## Snow Angels

“Snow Angels” are teams of volunteers who assist neighbors who need help clearing snow from porches, steps, and sidewalks. Last winter, the Parkside Community Association’s Aging in Place Committee began this pilot program as a complimentary community service. It worked out really well, and the Association would like to continue this year. They are looking for people who need the help of Snow Angels and people who’d like to be Snow Angels  
Snow Angels is a free service. If you’re interested in helping out or receiving assistance, please contact [snowangels@parksidebuffalo.org](mailto:snowangels@parksidebuffalo.org) or 838-1240.

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Frankie Woodstock and Slinky Joey are apparently two brothers from another mother who found each other on the street and became bonded. A loving human appears to have saved them by taking care of their basic needs and ensuring they were properly neutered. At CBAS, the volunteers fell in love with these very shy boys and they are beginning to blossom in a loving foster home. If you have a quiet home where these two sweethearts can enjoy their endless playtimes but come to you for snuggles, you are the perfect one. These young darlings have so much to learn from a loving forever family. Gentle hands are required. These babies adore being touched once they find the ones they trust. Their soft fur and warm hearts will enhance your holiday season. Frankie and Joey will be very thankful and love you forever. If you would like to meet these boys contact their foster mom, Patty at 361-9452 (text or call). Pet ID: (F)33599307; (J)33599318

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# New Zoo Program for Teens

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has no outlet to explore what area within the life sciences arena may show the most promise for them.

Fortunately, and thanks to a generous grant from the Cullen Foundation, the Buffalo Zoo is one of the newest tools available to complement traditional career counseling. As a result of the grant, the Zoo has developed an innovative experiential learning program for teenagers (ages 14-18) who show an interest in careers in life science.

The Life Science Career Lab program gives teens the chance to try on at least six different life science career hats to see if any of them fit. Excited by this offering, Buffalo Zoo Curator of Education Tiffany Vanderwerf stated that "Teens today need every bit of help in defining their potential career path, so we are thrilled that we have the chance to work with this age group to explore their options in this field; a field near and dear to our hearts."

The Zoo's mission includes educating the public and professionals alike in the topics of threatened and endangered species, habitat conservation, and the overall puzzle of how each component in the environment is directly linked to one another. To this point, Vanderwerf adds "Science isn't just about putting on a lab coat and looking under a microscope. While that can be fun for some, science can also be about getting outdoors to figure out how to save plants and animals from extinction, caring for the health of humans and animals, or managing the use of land resources."

This new and unique program will take a hands-on approach to career exploration. Six weeks in duration and running on Saturday mornings, the program culminates with an event at the Zoo for students to showcase their efforts to family, educators, and friends. Not only that, students will be rewarded for their efforts if completing the program in its entirety, with a \$240.00 Visa

gift card.

For this first go-around of the program, a limited class size will be available and eligibility requirements apply. Additional information, along with the formal application is available on the Zoo's website, [www.buffalozoo.org](http://www.buffalozoo.org). The application deadline is Monday, December 19th, 2016.




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# Recycling Event

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securely shred and recycle their confidential personal papers. Papers suitable for shredding include any confidential documents containing account numbers or social security numbers, bank or medical statements, tax documents, or other paper items of a personal nature. There will be a five (5) box limit per vehicle. All materials will be shredded on-site.

GObike of Buffalo will also be on site to accept bicycles in any condition. The Recycle-a-Bike program works with at risk students to teach them about bicycle repair and maintenance, as well as safety, health and the environment, while building their own bike from refurbished parts.

Also participating in the event is Mayor Brown's Western New York Coalition for Donated Goods, a consortium on nonprofit organizations. They will accept clothing, including worn and torn items, shoes

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The New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) is developing Scajaquada Corridor Project for the reconstruction of the NY Route 198 in the City of Buffalo, Erie County. The purpose of the project is to provide geometric and operational improvements to NY Route 198 in its current location from the Grant Street interchange to the Parkside Avenue intersection, including the segment through Delaware Park. These improvements would be made while maintaining local connectivity and a critical transportation link between Interstate 190 and NY Route 33 (Kensington Expressway) while providing enhanced compatibility with adjacent land uses. The total length of the project is 2.2+/- miles, all within the City of Buffalo.

Design plans for the project have been developed by NYSDOT after coordination with federal, state and local agencies, and outreach to the public.

A Draft Environmental Impact Statement has been prepared which assesses the effect of the project on the quality of the human environment in accordance with the provisions of Section 102(2) (c) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 P.L. 91-190 (NEPA). Copies of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement are available for review and copying during business hours after November 25, 2016 at the offices of the:

- Regional Director, New York State Department of Transportation, 100 Seneca Street, Buffalo, NY 14203;
- Office of the Commissioner, New York State Department of Transportation, 50 Wolf Road, Albany, NY 12232;
- Office of City Clerk, City of Buffalo, 1308 City Hall, Buffalo, NY 14202
- Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Location, 1 Lafayette Square, Buffalo, NY 14203;

The document will also be available electronically on the project website: <https://www.dot.ny.gov/scajaquadacorridor>.

A Compact Disk containing the DEIS will also be available at the following locations:

- E.H. Butler Library, Buffalo State College, 1300 Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo NY 14222
- Medaille Buffalo Campus Library, 18 Agassiz Circle, Buffalo, New York 14214
- Andrew L. Bouwhuis Library, Canisius College, 2001 Main St, Buffalo, NY 14208

Comments on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement should be sent to Craig Mozrall, Special Projects Manager, New York State Department of Transportation, Region-5, 100 Seneca Street, Buffalo, NY 14203; Peter Osborn, FHWA Division Administrator, Leo W. O'Brien Federal Building, 11A Clinton Avenue, Suite 719, Albany, NY 12207; or submitted by email to [scajaquadacorridor@dot.ny.gov](mailto:scajaquadacorridor@dot.ny.gov) by January 25, 2017. Due to the holiday season, the comment deadline has been extended to 60 days (the maximum allowed by regulations) instead of the traditional 45 days.

Notice of Public Hearing  
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Project Identification No. 5470.22  
NY Route 198, Scajaquada Corridor Project

In accordance with the provisions of Title 23, U.S. Code, Section 128 and Title 40, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 1500 to 1508: a design public hearing will be conducted by the New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) for the NY Route 198 (Scajaquada Corridor) project. The hearing will be held on December 14, 2016 at Fredrick Law Olmsted Public School 64 Auditorium, 874 Amherst Street at Lincoln Parkway, Buffalo, NY 14216, beginning at 5:30 p.m. The project would provide geometric and operational improvements to NY Route 198 in its current location from the Grant Street interchange to the Parkside Avenue intersection, including the segment through Delaware Park. These improvements would be made while maintaining local connectivity and a critical transportation link between Interstate 190 and NY Route 33 (Kensington Expressway) while providing enhanced compatibility with adjacent land uses. The total length of the project is 2.2+/- miles, all within the City of Buffalo.

Design plans for the project have been developed by NYSDOT after coordination with federal, state, local agencies and the public, and will be available for inspection at the public hearing. Department staff will be on hand at 4:30 p.m., one hour prior to the start of the hearing, to discuss the project and answer any questions. Tentative schedules for right-of-way acquisition and construction will be discussed. No relocations are anticipated with this project.

Maps, drawings and other pertinent information developed by NYSDOT, and comments received as a result of the coordination with federal, state and local agencies, will be available after November 25, 2016 for public inspection and copying at the Office of the Regional Director, New York State Department of Transportation, 100 Seneca Street, Buffalo, New York, 14203.

The documents are also available electronically on the project website: <https://www.dot.ny.gov/scajaquadacorridor>.

All interested persons will be given the opportunity to express their views concerning the design plans, their impact on the environment and their consistency with the goals and objectives of such planning as has been promulgated by the community. The proceedings will be recorded. Persons may file written statements and other exhibits in place of or in addition to oral statements made at the public hearing. Written statements submitted at the hearing or mailed and received before January 25, 2017 at the Regional Director's Office will be made part of the record. Due to the holiday season, the comment deadline has been extended to 60 days (the maximum allowed by regulations) instead of the traditional 45 days.

Those property owners who may subsequently wish to challenge condemnation of their property via judicial review under the Eminent Domain Procedure Law (EDPL) may do so only on the basis of issues, facts and objections raised at the hearing.

Please advise this office if a sign language interpreter, an assistive listening system, or any other accommodation will be required to facilitate your participation in this public hearing. Our contact person is Mr. Renjit James, whose telephone number is 716-847-3238.

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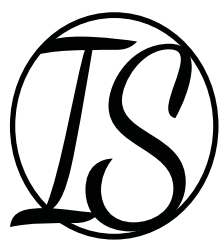
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