

New Cultural Center



The former North Buffalo Library will be transformed to an Italian Cultural Center.

A historic building in North Buffalo is on track to receive a new lease on life thanks in part to funding from the City of Buffalo. Mayor Byron W. Brown announced that the City will invest \$350,000 to preserve the historic elements

of the former North Buffalo Library as it transforms into an Italian Cultural Center.

“The corner of Hertel Avenue and Delaware Avenue is a bustling gateway in North Buffalo,” said Mayor Brown. “This new

Italian Cultural Center will be an educational attraction for families to the Hertel Avenue Business District and complements our efforts to strategically spur economic development across our

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Lions Club Seeks New Members

The North Buffalo Community Lions Club is seeking new members. The Club meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each Month at the North Buffalo Community Center, 203 Sanders

Road, Buffalo at 6:30 pm. Some of the activities that the Lions Club are involved in are the collecting and recycling of used eyeglasses, providing eye exams and glasses for the needy as well as

supporting other community events. If this is a type of organization that you would be interested in, please come and join us. For more information call Dale at 863-9666 or Margaret at 875-0421.

Albright Knox Family Fun Days

On \$5 Family Funday, the second Sunday of each month, museum admission for the entire

family is just \$5, and includes an array of activities. Unless otherwise noted, all events are free

with \$5 Family Funday admission. For more information please visit www.albrightknox.org.

Chief’s Meeting Planned

This month Chief Anthony Barba of D District will conduct his monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 7th at 6pm. The meeting is open to the community and everyone is welcome. Block clubs and members of neighborhood associations are especially encouraged to attend. Keeping the lines of communication open between law enforcement and comm

unity residents is an important tool in fighting crime. Do your part and come to a meeting at D District station, 669 Hertel Avenue.



Memories

From the Buffalo Rocket archives



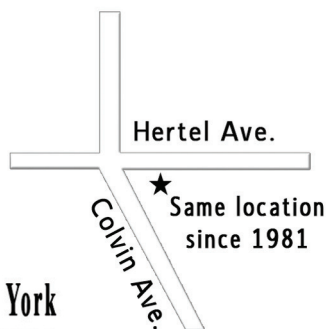
School 21 bites the dust. How many North Buffalo residents attended school 21 located on Hertel between Delaware and Camden? The school came down in 1984 to make way for a new development. Bring back memories? From the archives of the Buffalo Rocket.

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Kane Trade Returns Underwhelming

In the aftermath of the long awaited and anticipated trade of Evander Kane fans and local media are left scratching their heads over the meager return. The initial reports indicated that the San Jose Sharks were sending a first round pick, fourth rounder and a prospect. As the details emerged later, it became clear that the first rounder is actually a second round pick in next years' draft which only becomes a first rounder if Kane signs with San Jose for next season or if the Sharks win the Stanley Cup this season.

Neither of these scenarios are likely as Kane's stated desire is to sign with his hometown Vancouver Canucks for next season and San Jose is not even a lock to make the playoffs. The Sabres also acquired a fourth round pick in 2019. These picks are not likely to produce an NHL prospect. In fact there is only an 18.8% chance a player chosen in that spot plays 100 NHL games.

The returns for Kane are well below the expected return including a real guaranteed first round pick plus other pieces. General Manager Jason Botterill has taken some criticism for getting fleeced but the real culprit here is former GM Tim Murray. Murray took a chance acquiring the talented Kane

who had a questionable history as a valuable teammate and further damaged his value here with several off ice incidents. San Jose made the only offer so Botterill had little choice. He could either trade Kane to the Sharks or lose him to free agency.

The Sabres were not interested in signing Kane to a new contract stating that Kane's salary demands would not fit under the salary cap. Botterill denied that ownership has no say in the decision to move Kane out.

But it has been reported around the league that ownership lost interest in Kane after his Chippewa Street antics during the 2016 NHL draft in Buffalo.

Clearly Kane's reputation took away a substantial amount of his hockey value in this trade. Other players on expiring contracts (rental players) like Paul Stastny and Rick Nash were traded and returned packages including first round picks and multiple pieces including NHL roster players, picks and prospects.

The Sabres also acquired forward Dan O'Regan who has been a good minor league player for the Sharks AHL farm team with 30 goals and 83 points in 93 games played over the last two seasons. O'Regan has one goal and five points in 22 NHL games with San Jose. O'Regan is a former Boston University teammate of Jack Eichel.



Evander Kane in teal as a San Jose Shark.

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Northwest Buffalo Beat

by Joe Bortz

Respect

The attitude of people today really has changed since I was a young man. Maybe the fact that I am now older has made me see the world differently. Maybe it has always been this way, hard to tell. I know back in the day we were taught to treat our elders with the utmost respect. It was not an option but a must. We always greeted and said hello to our grandparents with a gentle kiss or at least a hand shake. Almost never did you enter the room containing your elders, grandparents, aunts and uncles or just friends without acknowledging their presence and saying hello. We were taught that little things like that mean a lot to them. I can see that now, how important to be remembered and your existence is worthwhile.

Want to relay an incident my neighbor was telling me about. He is about to celebrate his 90th birthday. Pretty good shape, his wife and he live in a big house across the street here in Florida. I mention this as he is still able to function well, but still the fact is he is near 90. He was upset about what had recently happened to him and wondered, why?

As I mentioned, his wife and he are still pretty much independent. Recently, they went shopping together. His wife, who has trouble walking, uses one of those little scooters provided to help her to be more mobile. At this location the ones in the store were all taken. My neighbor spotted one across the way in the parking lot. So, he hurried to try to snatch it

before someone else got there first. As he crossed the street, I want to say that 95% of the people give the pedestrian the right of way, a man in a convertible almost ran him over. As the car passed in front of him he makes a simple remark "you couldn't wait"? Keep in mind that my neighbor is almost 90. This fellow screeches his brakes, gets out of the car and confronts my friend. In his face he says, "You're not in the crosswalk, I do not have to stop". My friend was shaken. Wonder if he would have reacted the same way with a much younger man.

The other thing that bothers me is the handicapped parking abuse. My wife has problems walking so we have a handicap sticker. If she is not with me I never use it. Even when she is I will leave the handicap area clear if there is a spot nearby. Someone who is more disabled may need it. What does bother me is non-handicapped vehicles parked in these areas. It is not really enforced, and \$250 fine is not enough. If they are full, and usually here in Florida most are, I drop my wife at the door and find a spot. Sometimes a long way from the entrance. What happens when both are handicapped and some bozo is illegally parked? Must be there and done that and most of the younger people just do not realize or do not care.

There is no disrespect with showing respect. Respect, "A feeling of deep admiration for someone or something elicited by their abilities, qualities, or achievements." Growing old is an achievement. Show your respect by just saying "hello".

Do you have a birthday greeting you would like to see here? Birthdays, anniversaries, interesting pictures, short stories or even a 500 word column of interest to your neighbors. Send them to me and I will see what I can do. Nothing political or controversial. Send to Jbortze@aol.com.



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1 "If I may interrupt, ..."

5 Pen filler

8 Otherwise

12 African gully

13 Born

14 Sweetie

15 "Metamorphoses" poet

16 Make less intense

18 Disappointment

20 Shampoo directive

21 Author Buscaglia

22 Cravat

23 Fireplace minutia

26 Square dance party

30 — constrictor

31 Prompt

32 Court

33 Overwhelm

36 Archipelago components

38 Suitable

39 Modern-day evidence

40 Frighten

43 Dusk

47 Prison security measure

49 Pelvic bones

50 Baseball's Hershisier

51 Varnish ingredient

52 Breaks a Commandment

53 Simple

54 Coloring agent

55 Slam-dance

DOWN

1 MPs' quarry

2 Own

3 Tend manuscripts

4 Center

5 Halved

6 Night light?

7 Barbie's companion

8 Formed a vortex

9 Ponce de —

10 Cutting tools

11 Sea flyer

17 Great Lake

19 "— the ram-parts ..."

22 Pirouette pivot

23 Recede

24 Cattle call?

25 Satchel

26 Attila, e.g.

27 Hooter

28 Trouble

29 Ph. bk. data

31 100 lbs.

34 In an ominous way

35 Newspaper pg.

36 Hostel

37 Cruel treatment

39 Conical-cap wearer

40 — gin fizz

41 Cat of "Iron Chef America"

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The Blotter

Felonies

From "D" District

North Buffalo

February 13, 2018

Elmwood Ave. – Complainant reports for home improvement store he manages that the defendant passed all points of purchase without paying for a power tool, valued over \$500.

February 19, 2018

Taunton Pl. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) used his debit card without his permission for purchases totaling over \$100.

February 19, 2018

Hartwell Rd. – Complainant reports his roommate's friend "Lightening" started to threaten him with a bb gun and

left the apartment with \$10 cash, three litres of pop and a few cigarettes, without permission.

February 20, 2018

Delaware Ave. – Complainant reports for restaurant his family owns. Unknown person(s) gained entry after hours through bathroom window. Three television sets were damaged while trying to be removed from walls. Also, liquor bottles were smashed and destroyed along with a printer. An undetermined amount of cash was taken, without permission.

Riverside

February 19, 2018

Clay St. – Complainant saw a man running through her neighbor's yard then saw same man running through her yard between the garage and fence. She also heard breaking glass. Side window on garage was broken.

February 20, 2018

Roesch Ave. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) entered his residence by unknown means. Taken, without permission, a television, a gaming device along with a controller and games for

devise. No signs of forced entry.

February 20, 2018

Austin St. – Complainant reports that while traveling down the street, defendant began acting aggressive and tried to run him off the road. Defendant also threw items from his vehicle at the complainant.

February 21, 2018

Amherst St. – Complainant reports for grocery store he manages, defendant entered the store, and passed all points of purchase without paying for \$100 worth of items.

February 22, 2018

Esser Ave. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) vandalized his vehicle by throwing a brick through the back window, smashing the same.

West Side

February 22, 2018

Potomac Ave. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) threw a brick at his side door, smashing the window.

February 23, 2018

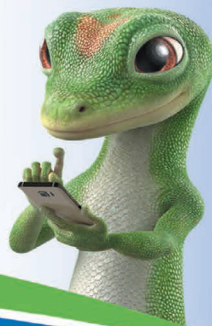
W. Ferry Ave. – Complainant is a landlord and reports that after his tenant had been evicted, the apartment was left unlocked and unknown person(s) had vandalized the apartment by spray painting graffiti over the walls.

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For more information please contact Kristin at 332-4130 or email scholzsk@epicforchildren.org.



On Wednesday, March 7th veterans with disabilities will be treated to a fun day of skiing as part of VA Western New York Healthcare System's Recreation Therapy activities and hosted by the Tannenbaum Adaptive Ski Program at Holiday Valley Ski Resort in Ellicottville, New York. The ski program will kick-off from the Tannenbaum Lodge at Holiday Valley. Veterans enrolled in VA health care are welcome to participate and can register by calling 862-6814.

Each year ski passes are generously donated by skiers of "The Hill" at Holiday Valley. Disabled veterans can take part in stand up or adaptive skiing at no cost, while family members can ski for \$30, which includes lift ticket and ski rentals.

The Charter School of Inquiry will hold its March board business meeting on March 6th at 4:45 pm at the school, 404 Edison Street in Buffalo. This is a public meeting and open to everyone.



For the ninth consecutive year, the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library at 1 Lafayette Square will host the local kickoff of March as Women's History Month on Thursday, March 1st at 4 pm. The public is urged to attend and the event is free. The 2018 edition of the annual Women's History Month calendar, featuring 40 woman-themed workshops, films, performances, conferences, book talks, and presentations, will be unveiled and introduced at the kick-off. The 2018 calendar is available through the 37 Buffalo & Erie County Public Libraries, at the March 1 kickoff, and on the websites www.BuffaloLib.org and www.Erie.gov. For further information on Women's History Month and related activities, please call 858-8900.



The opening reception of "Selected Works by Tom Busch" on Friday, March 9th, 6:30-9:30 pm at the Project 308 Gallery located at 308 Oliver Street, North Tonawanda. This solo exhibition will feature work by Buffalo native, Tom Busch. "Selected Works" will showcase his works depicting faces and figures in environments that are both recognizable and metaphorical.



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Cultural Center

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ARCHIE - Mother Fannie K. Of Buffalo, entered into rest February 23, 2018; beloved wife; devoted mother; cherished grandmother and great-grandmother. Also survived by many relatives and friends. Arrangements made by LOMBARDO FUNERAL HOME(Northtown Chapel), 885 Niagara Falls Blvd., near Eggert/Sheridan Dr.

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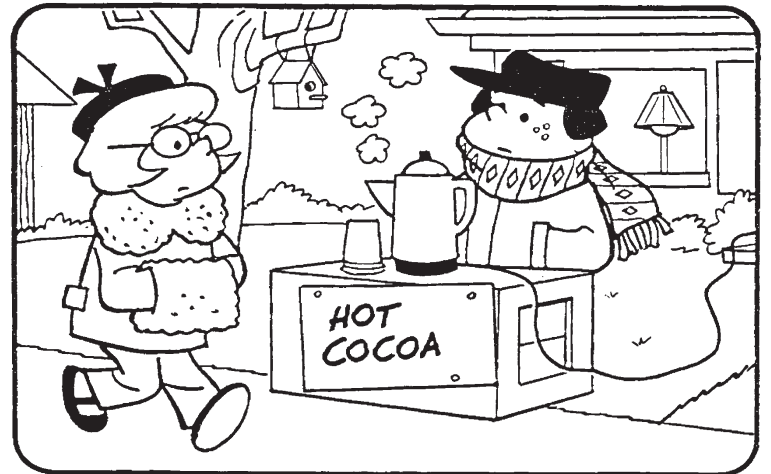
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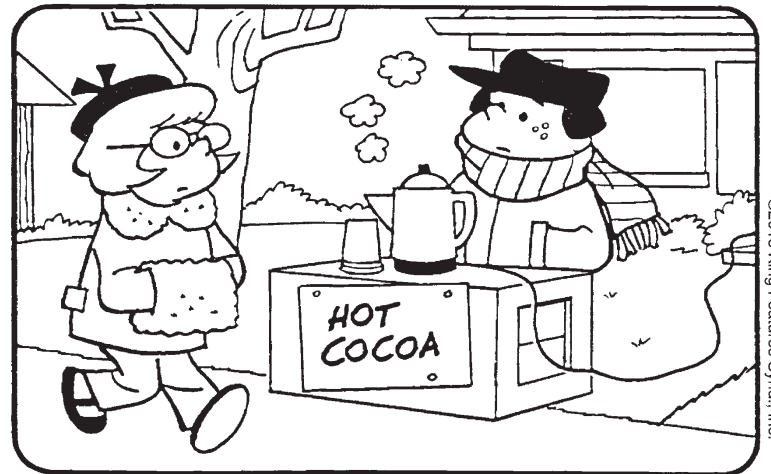
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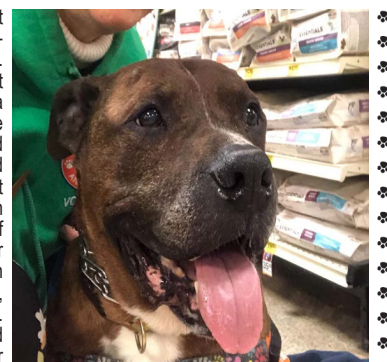
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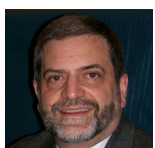


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