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Independence Day



Independence Day is Sunday, July 4th for 2021.

Here is a list of fireworks and festivities locations for • this 4th of July weekend:

- July 2nd at The Great Pumpkin Farm, Clar-
- July 2nd at Seneca Niagara Casino.
- July 2nd in Town of Tonawanda -- Kenney

Field.

- July 3rd in Olcott -- over Lake Ontario.
- July 4th at Highmark Stadium.
- July 4th at Seneca Allegany Casino.
- July 4th at Hyde Park in Niagara Falls
 - July 4th in Village of

Lancaster.

- July 4th at Great Pumpkin Farm in Clar-
- July 4th on Old Man River, Tonawanda.
- July 5th in City of Tonawanda -- foot of Gibson Street in Niawanda Park.

Shakespeare In The Park Returns For 2021

Shakespeare In Delaware Park begins June 29th, 2021. Covid 19 had set back the well-known and festive performances that drew crowds easily to Delaware Park but now the troupe is raring to go once more with a well anticipated

comeback, start-

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with A Midthe old adage 'the show must go on," said theater reviewer Peter Hall. "Last summer during the first months of the shut down when things were really scary, Ludwig's talented troupe couldn't have hundreds of audience

members at once sitting on the lawn 'Shakespeare Hill?

SUM-IN DELAWARE PARK

Night's Walk. The public is happy to see things come to fruition again and Delaware Park feels full of life once more. There's something very serene about seeing the Delaware Park stage return.

"One of the most experienced and levelheaded of Buffalo's theater community, SIDP executive Director Lisa Ludwig knows better than anyone

crammed with actors, so they took the show on the road and I recall catching them performing various scenes in outdoor parks. This year it seems they are doubling down with one troupe visiting various parks around Western New York (I'm calling them the 'Love Cast') and another troupe performing different scenes Continued on page six.

The BOPC And Highmark BCBS Of WNY **Announce Renewed Partnership**

The Buffalo Olmsted Parks Conservancy is excited to announce its renewed partnership with Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield of Western New York with the adoption

of MLK Jr. Park in 2021. The Conservancy's updated corporate giving structure

now includes the adoption of parks, parkways, circles, and specific park features. Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield has given over \$1 million throughout their partnership with the Conservancy, which began over a decade ago. Much has been accom-

plished during that time, most notably the restoration of the Humboldt Basin which serves as a splash pad and water feature for free, community use. This restoration was completed through a partnership with the Con-

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In addition to the res-

toration of the Humboldt

Basin for community use,

this important long-term

partnership has engaged

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City of Buffalo.

Shield employees through volunteer efforts, created special community programming, supported park maintenance and the hiring of seasonal staff to care for and maintain MLK Jr. Park, and funded and rallied community support

to build a new, universal accessKaBOOM! Playground.

servancy, Highmark Blue tunate to have the Buffalo Cross Blue Shield and the Olmsted Parks Conservancy as the caretakers of our city's landmark parks, and we are proud to build on our longstanding investment in the continued vibrancy and growth at Mar-Continued on page six.

Memories

From the Buffalo Rocket archives



This photo appeared in the Rocket in the 70's. Sunshine Super Market. Joe Sunshine in the center, was the founder and his two sons Mel and Seymore are on the left. Mayor Makowski and then Councilman Tony Masiello. Publisher of the Rocket Dave Gallagher and John Downing.

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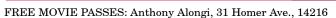
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By Bill Snyder

Spotlight: Xavier Mann



City Honors Baseball Champion and Hertel North Park Youth Baseball League Star athlete Xavier

Xavier Mann, a standout player in the Hertel North Buffalo Youth Baseball League for many years now, has taken the next step. Even when he makes contact with a baseball at home plate and runs to first base, he takes that next step. Last week, about a dozen other players with him took that step.

The City Honors High School Centaurs won the Class B-1 Sectional Championship in New York State at the Johnnie B. Wiley Sports Stadium over seventh seeded Olean, 5-2 last Friday afternoon, their first title in 35 years and only the third time a City School has won since 1970.

Xavier Mann wasn't even born yet. Neither were about 12 other teammates, playing with him on this day. But the roster, held in the hands of long-time City Honors Manager John McMahon, a former team catcher, was sprinkled with "little league baseball" experience from inside this City. The place near where The Natural came to town.

Xavier Mann became a Champion last week, along with teammates, Matthew Cambria, Connor Keifer, Liam Meyers, Ivory Parker, Luc Thimot, Quinn Ma-honey, Nathanial Gilbert, Quinn Langdon, Michael Cambria, Eamon Langdon, Adam Slater, Carlos Perales and Charlie Rittling. All these players came of age last week, after first learning how to play the game itself in the Hertel North Park Youth Baseball

League and that tiny Park called Shoshone.

"I'm glad I could help our School win," said Mann recently. "It's a great victory and one I'll possibly remember for the rest of my life." The Sophomore shortstop went two for three at the plate with a big double that tied the game at 1-1 early. Senior Matt Cambria went the distance on the mound, striking out eight Huskies, and worked with catcher Connor Keifer to control the game, even in a cold drizzle midway through the game.

"Mr. McMahon is a good coach," said Xavier. "He's very hands on and can relate to us because he was once a former player. It feels great to win a championship." There's no question a City High School Baseball coach like John McMahon at City Honors benefits of teaching his players the game beyond their little league careers. Congratulations.

At Shoshone Park, the regular season for 53 boys and girls teams are finished in league play and await playoff action. Every team makes the playoffs and all will be decided in a double elimination competition. If you lose once, you're still okay. But lose again to another team and your season is over. Here are your Division Winners.

Major Boys are the Cubs, finishing undefeated at 14-0. Triple AAA are Mariners, Double AA are the Cardinals, Rookie Boys are the Royals, Major Girls could be the Astros or Rockies, Minor Girls are the Giants and Rookie Girls are the Angels. It should be pretty exciting for July in North Buffalo.

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The Blotter **Felonies**

From "D" District

North Buffalo June 27, 2021

Jewett Parkway - Victim states that the defendant showed up to the residence unannounced. Victim states she tried to break up with her boyfriend and attempted to leave her home, but the defendant grabbed and held her, preventing her from leaving home. Officers arrived and placed the defendant into custody.

June 26, 2021

Delaware Avenue - Defendant did take merchandise while passing all points of purchase without paying.

June 26, 2021

Stratford Avenue - Victim states after a verbal altercation with defendant, the defendant did shove/ push victim twice. Once with two hands and another with one hand. Said actions by the defendant did annoy and alarm the victim.

June 25, 2021

Linden at Fairchild Avenues - Officers while on patrol did observe defendant pushing and yelling at victim at Fairchild at Linden. Upon trying to stop defendant and other party, defendant did try to prevent officers from taking her into custody by running away and then pushing off officers. Defendant did refuse to be cuffed and refused to enter patrol

June 25, 2021

Hertel Avenue – Defendant was involved in an altercation with the complainant and did strike complainant in the face several times. Both parties were separated and the defendant began pushing daughter of the complainant into a door. All parties refused medical treatment scene.

Riverside June 26, 2021

Elmwood Avenue - Complainant states that she was working at LA Fitness, and she observed members at basketball court playing without a mask. Suspect got upset and began harassing victim by yelling and using profanity. Suspect did threaten to beat and spit at victim. Suspect stated he was going to get his gun after trying to start a fight with other members. Suspect stated he was going to kill anyone who tried to stop him.

June 24, 2021

Elmwood Avenue - The defendant with the aid of another person, actually present, did forcibly steal money from the 7-11 by displaying what appeared to be a pistol. The defen-

dant dropped the magazine from said pistol, showed the complainant that the gun was in fact real and then reloaded the same. The defendant then walked the cashier behind the counter and did take approximately \$150.00 from the registers. The defendant and his accomplice did then flee.

June 25, 2021

Hertel Avenue - Complainant observed defendant key the left side of his vehicle parked causing \$300.00 in damages.

June 24, 202

Grote Street - Officers dispatched to a gun call. Subject matching description did get off his bike and flee from officers and was apprehended on Grote Street. Patrol officer did recover one loaded Sig Sauer P938 9mm loaded with one round in chamber and two in the magazine in the bushes at a Grote Street address where defendant was apprehended. Gun cleared by patrol officer and submitted.

June 24, 2021

East Street - Defendant did strike victim in her face several times causing swelling, bruising, and bleeding to victim's face. Victim states defendant did choke her and also threatened to kill her.

West Side June 27, 2021

Putnam Street - Defendant did assault sister (victim) by clawing her arm causing lacerations and bleeding. Defendant did also damage victim's

window, glass table, plants and children's toys totaling \$600.00 in estimated damage. Dir completed by patrol officer.

June 26, 2021

Auburn Avenue - Defendant did take a 32" television (\$300.00) and a bottle of perfume (\$15.00) from the victim's bedroom. Both items were recovered and returned.

June 26, 2021

Elmwood Avenue - Defendant was arrested on Buffalo warrant. After officers escorted the defendant from patrol vehicle, Officer did find a small clear plastic bag filled with a white powdery substance believed to be cocaine. The evidence was recovered and submitted by patrol officer.

June 25, 2021

Grant Street - While on patrol, officers did observe the defendant and a female walking in the middle of the roadway in lane of travel engaging in what appeared to be a domestic dispute. When officers approached defendant, he did take an aggressive fighting stance towards officers and refused to listen to commands. When

officers attempted to place defendant in handcuffs, he did actively pull away to prevent cuffing. While being placed in patrol vehicle defendant smashed head into vehicle causing dent. Also, while in the rear of patrol vehicle defendant did damage interior in excess of \$250.00 in damag-

June 24, 2021

Forest Avenue - Complainant called 911 stating male in white vehicle was in parking lot and not supposed to be there. When officers did spot said vehicle in front lot, they pulled up to talk to defendant. As officers approached vehicle defendant did pull away. Even after commands to stop he continued to drive to back of parking lot until he stopped. Defendant did refuse to roll down window and exit vehicle. Once other officers arrived defendant was removed from vehicle. Complainant stated he was trespassing. As officers were putting defendant into custody male did resist putting his hands behind his back. Defendant also tightened up to stop his hands from being placed behind his back. Defendant does not have a valid driver's license.



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Why Can't I Get Survivor Benefits from My Husband? – Ask Rusty

Dear Rusty: My husband and I were only married 5 years before he passed away from cancer. I am 61 and was told by SS that I don't qualify to receive his survivor benefits because we weren't married long enough, and because I made more money than him when he was alive. I still work fulltime and plan to continue until my full retirement age. Am I able to collect any of his benefits? Why can his daughter collect his benefits, but I cannot? Signed: Frustrated Widow

Dear Frustrated: You were given partially incorrect information by Social Security because you were married long enough to collect a survivor benefit, but there are also other rules which might affect your eligibility:

• You cannot have remarried before age 60 and be currently married.

• You cannot collect full survivor benefits if you exceed Social Security's annual "earnings limit." That you made more money than your husband (and are presumably entitled to a higher personal SS benefit) isn't material, but your earnings from work could

If you didn't remarry before age 60 and remain married, and if you don't earn too much money, you are eligible to collect a survivor benefit as your husband's widow. You can even claim your survivor benefit (only) while allowing your personal SS benefit to grow (if desired, up to age 70 when it reaches maximum). So, you may be eligible to collect a survivor benefit from your husband now, but if you're working full time, you may make too much money to be able to collect it at this time.

Social Security has an "earnings test" which applies to those collecting early benefits and which limits how much you can earn before they take benefits away. For 2021, the annual earnings limit is \$18,960 and if you earn more than that they will take away benefits equal to \$1 for every \$2 you are over the limit. That could mean you'll owe them more than you're entitled

to in benefits, which would mean no benefits would be paid. Here's an example: Say you make \$60,000 per year working full time. If you collect the survivor benefit and because you haven't yet reached your full retirement age (FRA), you'll be subject to the earnings limit of \$18,960. At this earnings level you would exceed the limit by about \$41,000. Half of that amount would be about \$20,500, and SS would require you to repay them that amount from your SS benefits. Depending upon your survivor benefit amount, that could disqualify you from receiving monthly benefits.

As you can see from this example, if you work full time but do not significantly exceed the annual earnings limit, you may be able to collect at least some of your survivor benefits, but I cannot answer that without knowing your annual earnings and approximately what your survivor benefit would be. For clarity, the earnings test no longer applies once you reach your full retirement age.

Regarding your husband's daughter collecting a survivor benefit from him: a surviving minor child of the deceased can collect a survivor benefit until they are 18 (or 19 if still in high school). An adult disabled child who was disabled before age 22, is also eligible to collect a survivor benefit from a deceased parent.







Northwest Buffalo Beat by Joe Borty

End the day with a Bang.



America's Bicentennial — July 4, 1976.

Seems like every year there is a fourth of July. Just the way it is and there is no way to change it. Fortunately, here in America it is a date to remember as it is the day we gained our Independence from England. As the late Billy Fuccillo would have said, "it was huge". So every year we celebrate this date with parades and most of all, fireworks. There are more fireworks displayed on this day than any other day of the year. Fourth of July has become synonymous with the night light being lit with bright colors and loud bangs. It is a tradition and done both publicly on a large scale and residential-

ly in backyards across this great nation.

Personally, I have lived through many of these special events on this day and of course they include fireworks and how dangerous they can be. The furthest back I could recall when as a kid, the house three doors down from us burned down as somehow or another the roof was ignited by an errant spark from a domestic firework. Talk about a firework display. This was a two-family wooden structure, and it went fast.

Second fourth of July that I vividly remember was when one of those explosions that you see in the sky,

came down and exploded on the ground amid the admiring crowd. Do not recall the year but my children were young. Think we had about six at the time. Every year Riverside Park had a huge fireworks display. Large crowds would gather and lay on blankets, they had concessions and it was an all-day event. Back then, the fireworks were fired so they would go off over your head. I think since then they have stopped that practice. On this day, one of these many incendiaries displays you see in the sky, went up and then came down and exploded in the crowd. Like a bomb going off.

The immediate human response for that is to run and get as far away from the danger as possible, which people did. My responsibility was to see that my family was safe. My kids, as most around us, ran off in different directions. In the ensuing chaos I had to round them up one by one and tell them to remain by a large tree located nearby. We did that till we were all together again. Not so for many who suffered burns and were trampled by the crowd. The rest of the night was filled with sirens and rescue personnel attending to the vic-

tims. A night to remember. Then there was the fourth of July in 1976, the big one,

the 200-year anniversary of the birth of our nation. This one had to outdo every other fourth. How better to spend it than in New York city? It was supposed to be bigger than New Year's Eve and the ball drop. The whole town was going to be lit up with tons of visual delights and the loud noises that accompany them. This was going to be a momentous occasion.

My daughter, who lives in Manhattan, had planned for us, my wife and I and two of our youngest children, to watch from a boat. We were going to be out in New York harbor along with thousands of other floating crafts. This way we could see the ring of fireworks from all over the big apple. We were supposed to be fed and entertained as we understood it. Turned out to be a disaster. They forgot to load the food. Since the harbor was loaded with so many boats, it was impossible to return. The only food on this boat, with hundreds of passengers, was hot dogs and candy bars. Due to the large crowd, they had to be rationed and some got nothing. We boarded at five and returned after midnight, hungry.

The highlight of that night was when the fireworks began. The captain turned the ship sideways

to get a better view of the city. The people of the boat all ran to the viewing side causing the ship to lean way over that side. It was in danger of capsizing until those with leveler heads ran to the opposite side to even out the load. That would have really been a night to remember, swimming in the Hudson River on the fourth

It would not be the fourth without fireworks and as dangerous as they are, and can be, we love them. As we sit there watching them go off one by one and sigh in awe, waiting with bated breath for the grand finale. That is when the whole sky lights up with color and brightness. Louder and louder booms tell you it is reaching its climax. Then the stillness and silence, the smell of sulfur tells you the fourth is over for another year and the crowd slowly disperses. But I guarantee you, without fail, the fourth of July will again return next year.

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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The Charter School of

Inquiry will hold its annual meeting, immediately followed by its monthly business meeting, on July 6, 2021 at 4:45 pm at the school, 404 Edison Street in Buffalo.



The BOPC And Highmark BCBS Of WNY Announce Renewed Partnership

Continued from page one. Martin Luther King, Jr. Park," said Julie R. Snyder, Vice President, Community Affairs, Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield of Western New York.

The adoption of MLK Jr. Park allows the Conservancy to provide for ongoing care and maintenance of all 56 acres of this beau- WESTERN NEW YORK tiful and active park space. Notable features of the park include the Conservancy's working greenhouse, the Cottage Garden and the MLK Monument Plaza. MLK Jr. Park is an asset to the East Side of Buffalo hosting hundreds of community events each year including Juneteenth,

ty celebrations and more.

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Shakespeare In The Park Returns For 2021

Continued from page one. around their home base in Delaware Park. (I'm calling them the 'Dream Cast.') It all fits their mission to provide Shakespeare to everyone in a free outdoor setting. I already have my tickets. This is going to be fun!"

family reunions, communi-

This production opens June 29th and will take place Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays through August 12. Tours begin at 6:30 running every half hour until 8:30.

Shakespeare & Love opens July 9 and continues till August 22. The performances will take place in Buffalo, Hamburg, West Park, Orchard Seneca, Tonawanda, Lockport, Lancaster, Lackawanna, Lewiston, North Tonawanda, Amherst, East Aurora, Grand Island, and Cheektowaga.

Many shows are already sold out, please visit our website for a complete list of performance locations. Reservations are required.

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Notice is hereby given that an order entered by the Supreme Court, Erie County, on the 10th day of May 2021, bearing Index No. 801381/2021, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, located at 92 Franklin Street, Buffalo, New York grants the infant Edison Siljak the right to assume the name Edison Siljak-Hall. Present address is: 3398 Dolphin Drive, Blasdell, New York 14219. Infant's date of birth is: March 12, 2018 and the infant's place of birth is Buffalo, New York.

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Notice of Formation of 257 Frank-lin LLC. Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/18/2021. Office in Erie County. SSNY is the designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 471 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, NY 14202. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.26 Notice of Formation of Globe Niagara,

Notice of Formation of Globe Niagara, LLC. Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/9/2021. Office in Erie County. SSNY is the designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 471 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, NY 14202. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.26

NOTICE OF FORMATION of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): 570 Delaware XIV, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on March 17, 2021. Office location is Erie County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon who process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served upon him/her to Shaun Jackson, Esq., 570 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14202. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. 26

Twisted Infusionz LLC, Art. Of Org. filed with SSNY 03/24/21. Erie Co, SSNY designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of process to 155 Poultney Ave., Buffalo Ny 14215.

Purpose: All lawful.

NOTICE OF FORMATION of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): 790 Jefferson Road, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on March 25, 2021. Office location is Erie County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon who process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served upon him/her to Shaun Jackson, Esq., 570 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14202. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. 26

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Notice of Formation of Budget Insurance Agency, LLC., Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on April 6, 2021. Office in Erie County. SSNY is the designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 1580 Kenmore, NY 14216. Any lawful purpose.

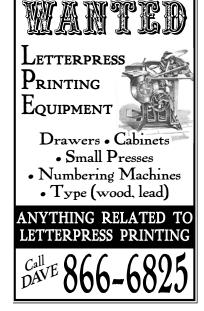
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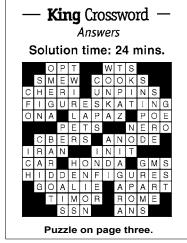
process to 471 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, NY 14202. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 26

NOTICE of FORMATION of DO-MESTIC LIABILITY COMPANY: Billionaire Creamery LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NYS Department of State on 9/23/2020. Office location: Erie County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC at 374 Prospect Ave, Buffalo, NY 14201. Purpose: Any lawful purpose permitted for LLCs under NY Limited Liability Company

NOTICE of FORMATION of a LIM-IT-ED LIABILITY COMPANY Name of LLC: Evolation Teachers, LLC Date of filing of Articles of Organiza-tion with the NY Dept of State: May 20, 2021 Office of the LLC: Erie County The NY Secretary of State has been designated as the agent upon whom process may be served. NYSS may mail a copy of any pro-cess to the LLC at: Evolation Teach-ers, LLC, 476 Rhode Island Street, Buffalo, New York 14213 Purpose of LLC: Any lawful purpose permitted for LLCs under NY Limited Liability Company Act

Notice is hereby given that an order entered by the Supreme Court, Erie County, on the 23rd day of June, 2021, bearing index number 807498/2021, a copy of which may be examined at the office of the clerk, located at 92 Franklin Street, Buffalo, NY grants me the right to assume the name of Cydele Muriel Duquette-Reich. The city and state of my present address are Williamsville, NY; the month and year of my birth are February, 2001; the place of my birth is Buffalo, NY; my present name is Cydele Muriel Duquette.





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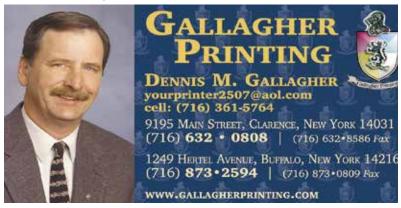


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