

Publishers of North Buffalo Rocket, West Side Times & Riverside Times

Vol. LIII ISSUE No.17 • Thursday, April 28th, 2022

Hertel Spring Clean-Up



The annual Spring Hertel Avenue Clean Up is back in full swing on Saturday April 30th, starting at 9am.

The Spring Hertel Avenue Clean Up starts on Saturday April 30th at 9am to noon, starting at the check-in at the Garage Bar and Restaurant, 1127 Hertel Ave. We need volun-

teers from residents. business owners,

community groups and North Buffalo enthusiasts! Pizza will be provided at the Hertel Business Association office after the cleanup around 12:00 for any volunteers who signed up. 1599 Hertel Ave. Many thanks to the some aren't happy with the

Hertel Business Association Board Members, The North Buffalo Organiza-tion, Cousins' Landscap-ing and Keith Adornetto's Landscaping services for donating your time, re-

sources and supplies to make this event hap-

If you need community service hours for your school or organization, we will provide a letter to show completion. We hear you in the community pages and at meetings that

garbage and weeds up and down Hertel. Help us help the community and join us for the Spring Clean Up Event. If you are unable to attend and want to join in to keep Hertel beautiful, this event doesn't have to be the last time you pick up trash as you walk past it on the street.

We ask the Businesses and Residents to help maintain the beautification of our street all year long! This community will stay gorgeous if we join in together. Sign up for this year's Hertel Clean Up by visiting hertelave.com.

Celebrating The Release Of "The Best Of Doug Smith"

The Best of Doug Smith: Base Paths, Rocket Man, the Cheap Gourmet and Other Adventures in 68 Years of Buffalo-Area Journalism is now available for purchase, published April 13 of this year. From the Cheap Gour-

met to the Niagara Power to Cary Grant and Johnny Cash, Doug Smith covered it all. Smith's 68-year jour-

nalistic career included five decades in Western New York, working for the Courier-Express, the Buffalo News, the Niagara Gazette, the Rocket and WIVB-TV, among many other media outlets. Producing thousands of articles and two well-received books, Doug covered film, travel, dining, theater, concerts, humor and hu-man interest, including interviews with such notables as Rock Hudson, Bob Hope, George Burns, Burt Reynolds, Peter Sellers and Jack Nicholson.

The finest of these

writings are now collected in The Best of Doug Smith, edited by Doug's son and currently available at Amazon.

Subtitled Base Paths, Rocket Man, the Cheap Gourmet and Other Adventures in 68 Years of Buffalo-Area Journalism, the handsome new paperback offers more than 150 selections from Doug's storied career, starting with early pieces from the 1960s and running right up to the writer's retirement in 2016.

When Smith passed away in 2017, his son, Joseph W. Smith III -- a 1978 graduate of Grand Island High School -took possession of nine massive scrapbooks loaded with newspaper clippings, mostly from his father's 16 years at the much-missed daily Courier-Express. These included reviews of such now-classic films as The Exorcist, Fantasia and Annie Hall; write-ups of Buffalo concerts by Continued on page four.

UB Receives Grant Toward Design Of James Joyce Museum



A visual rendering of the UB James Joyce Museum in Abbott Hall on the UB South Campus that helps conceptualize the exhibit space.

The University at Buffalo Libraries, home to the world's largest collection of materials by and about famed Irish author and poet James Joyce, has received a \$100,000 challenge grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) toward the design of a new UB James Joyce Museum in Western New York.

The UB James Joyce Continued on page six.

Memories

From the Buffalo Rocket archives



October, 1973. WATCH OUT! Don't trip over the trolley tracks. Workmen uncovered these rails at Voorhees and Hertel while planning the street for

Local Weather

SATURDAY, APRIL 30TH SUNDAY, MAY 1ST THURSDAY, APRIL 28TH FRIDAY, APRIL 29TH MONDAY, MAY 2ND TUESDAY, MAY 3RD **WEDNESDAY, MAY 4TH**



High 53° Low 38°



High 55° Low 42°



Showers High 62° Low 50°



Partly Cloudy High 73° Low 60°



High 70° Low 45°



Mostly Cloudy High 50° Low 37°



Partly Cloudy High 43° Low 33°



NORTH PARK PASSES: Igor Zutic, 115 New Amsterdam Ave., 14216







If your name is found in the BUFFALO ROCKET to win a FREE PIZZA, take proof of identification to BOB & JOHN'S LA HACIENDA at 1545 Hertel Avenue to pick up your FREE PIZZA (Takeout only, must be redeemed within one week). If your name is listed for NORTH PARK THEATRE PASSES, call 873-2594 to have two free passes mailed out to you.

ROCKET COMMUNICATIONS

9195 Main St. • Clarence, NY 14031 • (716) 632-0808

David Gallagher Publisher Dennis Gallagher Managing Editor

Joe Bortz Columnist John Raymond Graphic Artist Charles Wilson Distribution

© 2022 Rocket Communications, Inc. • Buffalo, New York PRINTED BY: GALLAGHER PRINTING, INC. 9195 MAIN ST. • CLARENCE, NEW YORK 14031 (716) 632-0808 email: editor.buffalorocket@gmail.com

By Bill Snyder

Here's The Score

You wouldn't know it by just looking at this picture. But for the many family and friends who come to Shoshone Park to watch a Hertel North Park Youth Baseball or Softball game this Summer, it's an answer to some prayers.

No, we're not talking about a miraculous play made by your son or daughter on Diamond #1 or #2. We're speaking of the better enjoyment you'll have, watching games every night all because you'll know the score.

The Hertel North Park Youth Baseball League (HNPYBL) presents two new scoreboards to Shoshone Park this season placed in the exact same spots of the two previous scoreboards that had become a disappointment to the League several years ago. A long-time problem for the League for many years now, the two new scoreboards, one for boys and the other for girls, will be easy to read, light up at night and be an answer for anyone visiting Shoshone Park for a game on these diamonds.

And best of all, they'll be a big help to a Sports Columnist, covering the League. This is just one of the many new and improved ways the HNPYBL is carrying out its mission to give every child, boy or girl, regardless of their age, a chance to play the game in a City of Buffa-

lo Park not far from their homes. The various officers and coaches in the League will tell you, it hasn't been easy. But since the dreaded Pandemic of 2020, when no one thought we'd experience such a thing, such a simple thing as Little League Baseball in North Buffalo's Shoshone Park has made a tremendous comeback in just two short years.

As the boys and girls, numbering close to 1,000 get ready to open their 2022 season on Saturday May 7th, their excitement to be with their friends after school and on Saturdays in Shoshone Park has been a wish for many who love the sport, even in a football and hockey town. Practices have started for all the house teams that will play in Shoshone, numbering close to 70, the most this League has ever tried to manage in a given

One of the great things that this League has had these many years is the many friends they've made who work in Downtown Buffalo. They come to North Buffalo and Shoshone Park almost every year if the weather offers a chance for HNP to open

their season with its annual Parade up Hertel Avenue to Shoshone Park. on the Saturday just before Mother's Day. They come out in full-force too and include the very honorable Mayor of Buffalo, Byron W. Brown, who has been the League's biggest supporter. He passes out bubble gum to all the players he meets and walks alongside the boys and girls at the head of the Parade.

Other friends include Delaware District Councilmember Joel Feroleto, Erie County Legislator in the 3rd District Lisa Chimera, Former Head City Court Justice Tom Amodeo, Family Court Justice Sharon LoVallo as well as representatives from other District City, County or State Offices. These men and women love your children and want the best for them. At 11:30 am, on Opening Day, the Fire Truck from Engine 38 will pull away from the corner of Hertel and Saranac Avenue and make the slow, push through the Hertel Business District, past St. Margaret's Church, the North Park Theater and several steps later, a Pizzeria named Bob & John's.

At Shoshone Park, teams will gather on Diamond #1 and after everyone arrives, a ceremony will begin to throw the first pitch, honor America and then yell "Play Ball!" Games will begin at 1:00 pm and will continue past 5:00. It's Opening Day in North Buffalo, the best Day of the Year.







The Blotter Felonies

From "D" District

North Buffalo **April 25, 2022**

Crestwood Avenue- The victim states that the defendant showed up to her residence unannounced. banging on doors demanding to get inside to see if she had another male inside. The victim states she let him in out of fear what the defendant might do. Once inside the defendant began checking rooms for another male. The victim then called 911 for her safety. Officers arrived on scene and placed the defendant in custody. The victim refused to press charges out of fear of retaliation. Threatened if she would call 911 he would harm

April 24, 2022

Shoreham Parkway -Suspect did harass and threaten victim and did say they would beat them up. Victim states suspect said they would "Beat me up, hold a gun to my head, kill me." Victim states kill me."

suspect has threatedned to beat up their kids in the past. Child was present for the altercation.

West Side **April 24, 2022**

Elmwood Avenue - Witness states defendant was banging and hitting victim's vehicle with closed hands causing damage to the passenger side plastic door frame. Victim wants to pursue charges.

April 24, 2022

Ashland Ave - The suspect was observed in running a stop sign and turned the wrong way on a one way street. Once stopped the suspect did display characteristics of intoxicated behavior. Suspect's vehicle was impounded and suspect was taken into custody and transported to ECMC to be medically checked. At ECMC the suspect did refuse a blood drive.

April 24, 2022

Grant Street - Defendant

was front seat passenger of defendant's vehicles which was stopped for dark tint on windows measured at 141. Defendant of vehicle did have suspended license. Upon inventory of vehicle for tow, a Glock 43 handgun bearing serial number was found in defendant's car. Weapon recovered in compartment behind front passenger seat. 4 rounds of ammunition in magazine in gun.

April 22, 2022

Elmwood Avenue - Complainant reports that defendant on 3/23/22 at 1907 hours did take without permission (1) Vacuum (Estimated value at \$200) and did pass all points of purchase. Defendant was arrested for the above incident and did fight with officers while being placed into custody. Defendant had a seizure while being taken to ECMC for evaluation.

April 22, 2022

Elmwood Avenue - Complainant reports that above defendant did take without permission and did pass all points of purchase (Estimated value at \$998.00). Defendant apprehended outside of store in possession of stolen items.

Riverside **April 22, 2022**

Riverside Avenue - Defendant did get into a domestic altercation with their wife. The fight turned physical and male did choke victim and victim did grab a knife to protect themselves and ran out of the house.

King Crossword

ACROSS 1 Karate level 5 Caprice 9 Perch 12 Writer Wiesel 13 Car 14 Man-mouse link 15 Time between vernal equinoxes 17 "Viva -Vegas" 18 Wesley of "Blade" 19 Striped critter 21 Symbol of strength 22 Chirp 24 Right on the map? 27 - chi

28 Evening, in an 48 Game for one 7 Call - day 51 Pouch ad 52 Daring Knievel 9 Puzzle answer

54 Exist

55 Fill fully

31 Duo

32 Grass shack 33 Feedbag tid-

bit 34 Big name in

scat 36 Boom times

37 "Mad Money" DOWN network

38 Beetle Bailey's boss

40 Italian river

41 "Untrue!"

43 "Jurassic

47 Paris pal

Park" bird

1 Porgy's love 23 Funny folks 42 Actor Epps 2 Carolina col-

leae

3 Actress Taylor 26 Start of sum-4 Oolong brew-

5 Methods

6 Shade

27 Hoodlum 29 Bar bill

11 To-do list item

16 "Toy Story"

56 Fashion line? 20 Understand-

dinosaur

30 List-ending © 2022 King Features Synd., Inc.

abbr 8 Code name? 35 Small batter-

53 Village People 10 Persia, today 37 Patients' shares 39 Kentucky

Derby prize 40 Bit of butter

41 Houston 22 Hosiery shade acronym

24 Paris summer 43 Anger 25 Piercing tool 44 Marathoner's

stat mer or winter 45 Killer whale

46 500 sheets 49 Eggs 50 Allow

Answers on page six.





Ask Rusty – I'm Working; Why Hasn't My Social Security Benefit Increased?

Dear Rustv: I will be 72 in July. I started taking my Social Security at age 64 after a job loss and other items that came up. So, my plan to wait past 68 evap-orated, but I have continued to work since that time at a considerably smaller amount. I have contacted Social Security about increasing my "entitlement" since my earnings of late are considerably more than my first few years of earnings. Using the formula of the highest earnings over the last 35 years divided by 420 my monthly increase would be about \$500. I've contacted Social Security several times about this. Their standard reply is that they evaluate all accounts every October and if any adjustments are to be made, they will be made in March of the following year. Nothing has changed with regards to this as I've continued to work. Does the fact that I claimed my benefit at age 64 take me out of the equation? Signed: Working Still at 72

Dear Working: The Social Security representatives you spoke with told you correctly – they examine your recent earnings every year and will automatically adjust your benefit if it is appropriate to do so. But the dollar values they look at to see

if you should get a benefit increase may not be what you think.

When you claimed your SS benefits at age 64, they computed your benefit using the highest-earning 35 years you had at that time, but they "indexed" those earnings (adjusted them for inflation) for the year you turned 60 and earlier. That means that to arrive at your age 64 benefit, they increased your historical earnings by an inflation percentage for each year, to pay your benefit in current dollars. For example, if your 1985 earnings were \$25,000, that would be about \$62,000 in today's dollars and that is the amount they used to compute your benefit. But that is also the amount you would need to exceed today to have your current earnings increase your monthly benefit amount.

So, unless your most recent earnings exceed the inflated dollar amounts used to compute your benefit at age 64, your monthly benefit won't change. Keep in mind too that Social Security uses only the 35 years over your lifetime in which you earned the most, so years with lower earnings (for example, when you first started working) probably aren't included in the computation.

POP QUIZ!

Test your knowledge!

- 1) What word does the Greek word "Chiral" mean?
- 2) What is unusual about the date the Chinese New Year is celebrated each year?
- 3) Nairobi is the capital of which African country?
- 4) What is a baby oyster called?
- 5) What phrase does "http" stand for?

Last Week's Answers: 1. Four. Barack Obama, Jimmy Carter, Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt, 2. Five (American Samoa, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam and Northern Mariana Islands), 3. Tyche, 4. Four (Kentucky, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Virginia), 5. Troposphere, 6. "Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy"

Celebrating The Release Of "The Best Of Doug Smith"

Continued from page one. Frank Sinatra and Sammy Davis Jr.; restaurant reviews under Doug's popular "Cheap Gourmet" moniker; and travelogues near and far, including local favorites like Letchworth, Chautauqua and Niagara-on-the-Lake, along with more distant destinations such as Wales, Yugoslavia and Prince Edward Island.

Having sorted through these many clippings, Joe later accessed over 3300 computer files comprising Doug's more recent coverage of area sports -- including the Bisons, the Power and numerous scholastic squads -- along with such popular columns as "Rocket Man" and "Letters from the Island."

The younger Smith also combined and transcribed two unpublished manuscripts detailing the 13-day adventures of Doug and his wife, Polly, over

the entire 2300 miles of U.S. Route 62, from Niagara Falls to El Paso in

Himself a journalist since age 16, Joe holds degrees from Syracuse and NYU and has written six other books, including studies of Hitchcock, the Bible, church life and under-the-radar movies.

For signed copies or bulk orders, contact him at robbwhitefan@gmail.

*The Best of * DOUG SMITH

Base Paths, Rocket Man, the Cheap Gourmet and Other Adventures in 68 Years of Buffalo-Area Journalism



"The Best of Doug Smith", edited by Joseph W. Smith III.

HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY DIPLOMA

Earn yours now at Buffalo Public Schools Adult Education Division



In-person classes now open for HSE diploma preparation!

- Morning, afternoon, and evening sessions
- Convenient locations
- Official NYS Education Department Testing Site
- Distance Learning options available for those who qualify

Online applications accepted at www.UpSkill.org

QUESTIONS? Info@UpSkill.org or (716)888-7088 ext. 100

Visit www.UpSkill.org for more information on Adult Education programs.



Adult Education Division Main Office
389 Virginia Street • Buffalo, New York 14201
www.UpSkill.org • (716) 888-7088 ext.100





Northwest Buffalo Beat

By Dave Gallagher AKA Joe Bortz

Letters

I usually do not get many responses to my columns. Sometimes I wonder if anyone reads them. Finding something to write about every week is a challenge. My wife (who was always the first to read them) used to ask me, "How do you manage to come up with things to write about every week?"

This may sound weird but many times it comes to me in the middle of the night. I am not a professional writer and I started the column on a whim so many years ago. I had something I wanted to say and as long as I owned the paper, I just thought I would write about it. Did not want it to be an editorial so I made up the name Joe Bortz. Never in a million years at that time did I intend it to be a weekly column.

I am not an overly religious person, yet I do believe I have guidance. I am not a super smart person

and I even wonder where the ideas come from. I amaze myself when the words just seem to come to me as I type (My knowing how to type will be in a future column).

The other thing I keep asking is, "Why am I still here?" What purpose do I have now? Kids are all grown, they run the business, my wife is gone, no one really needs me, yet I am still here. Why? Is there something I am supposed to accomplish? I was going to give up writing but the emails below help.

At a time like this with the passing of my wife so many people suggest religion helps with the grieving. Just not there yet. I know there is a God or some form of superior power as we have so many unknowns in this life.

Seems everyone must experience the loss of a loved one. Mother, father, sister, brother, or even one's child. The first question you ask is, "Why?" Why do people have to die? That is just the way it is, and we must accept it, as hard as it may be.

On a brighter note I did get these great emails so there are people who do read my column. I thank them for taking the time to write to me. I will write the column if I can and if we can keep the Rocket alive.

Hi Mr. Gallagher,

I read your column of April 14th, as I have most of them, for over 50 years!

First let me offer my condolences on the death of your wife. After 67 years it must have been truly devastating!

In the past, when I would get the Rocket, the first thing I'd do was the crossword puzzle and then I'd go on to your column. I still remember how touching I found the column about your daughter who had to wear a back brace (Spina Bifida?) especially the part of you singing to her!

When my grandson (who is now 13 years old) was younger he liked to find the differences between two almost identical cartoons.

Of course, I also read the ads and the police reports.

I'm so glad your son (or sons) are still printing it.

Marion Reslow

Dear Mr. Gallagher,

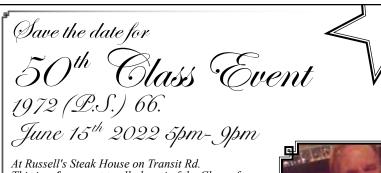
Thank you for sharing your insights, questions, and humanity in your column Speed of Light on April 14, 2022, about the recent passing of your beloved wife. Struggling with what you discussed in this column is a very common human experience, yet many people

struggle with this alone. Thank you for deciding to start writing again and thank you for your courage in sharing your experience. I think it will help your readers to know they are not alone. The loving family life you built is a moving tribute to you and your wife. As I expect you already know that love can never die or be diminished.

Wishing you health and blessings as you continue to "live your questions."

Regards, Caroline Rath

Email at jbortze@aol.com.



At Russell's Steak House on Transit Rd.
This is a **free** event to all alumni of the Class of 1972. You are welcome to bring one guest.
The event will include open bar, Food Buffet and music. (This is not an official reunion schedule in July).

PRESENTED BY ABBE S. SULL. RSVP required by June 1st Russell's 6675 Transit Rd



NOW OPEN

MISTER PITAA

AMHERST

614 Grover Cleveland HWY Amherst, NY 14226 (716) 835-6500



We will continue to serve the community in this difficult time with Delivery and Pick Up Service.

1065 Elmwood Ave., Buffalo, NY

882-6500

PERSONAL PAN PIZZAS



10" CHEESE & ONE TOPPING \$949 + tax

10" SPECIALTY PAN PIZZA

\$1149 + tax



Pizza





Cheese & Mister Stuffed Pepperoni Hot Pepper

Mister Pizza Paks

(add \$1.40 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Pak. 38
Large Cheese and One Item Pizza with Double Wings (20) and 1 Bleu Cheese.
(add \$1.80 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Thirty Pak .

Large Chees se and One Item Pizza with Triple Wings (30) and 2 Bleu Cheese (add 81.30 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) and One Item Pizza with Bucket of Wings (50) and 3 Bleu Cheese.
(add \$2.45 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Party Pak. 72.50
Sheet Pizza or (2) Large Pizzas with Cheese & One Item with Bucket of Wings (50)
and 3 Bleu Cheese, (add \$2.45 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) (add 8.70 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Medium Specialty Pizza with Single Wings (10) and 1 Bleu Cheese. (add \$1.40 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Mini Specialty Pak

Large Specialty Pizza with Double Wings (20) and 1 Bleu Cheese.

(add \$1.80 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Thirty Specialty Pak.....49.25

Large Specialty Pizza with Triple Wings (30) and 2 Bleu Cheese.

(add \$1.80 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Family Specialty Pak

Large Specialty Pizza with a Bucket of Wings (50) and 3 Bleu Cheese.

(add \$2.45 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings) Specialty Party Pak 1
(1) Large Cheese and One Item Pizza and (1) Large Specialty Pizza with a
Bucket of Wings (50) and 3 Bleu Cheese. (add 82.45 for Barbecue and/or Specialty Wings)

All Paks come with Bleu Cheese, Celery and Carrots. Price Does Not Include Tax.

UB Receives Grant Toward Design Of James Joyce Museum

Continued from page one. Museum was among 245 projects selected from around the nation for funding. The award, Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grant, aims to

leverage federal funds to spur nonfederal support for the humanities.

> As part of the challenge grant from the NEH, UB aims to fundraise \$300,000 match the award

three-to-one.

To learn more about the UB James Joyce Collection and its campaign, visit https://library.buffalo.edu/jamesjoyce/support/.



CLASSIFIED

LEGAL

Notice of Formation of a domestic Professional Service Limited Liability Company (PLLC). Name: Olean Medical Practice PLLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 3/4/2022. NY Office location: Erie County. Principal Business Location: 726 Exchange St, Ste. 515, Buffalo, NY 14210. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the PLLC may be served. SSNY

Administration CTA - PROBATE CITATION File No. 2022-284 SURROGATE'S COURT - ERIE COUNTY CITATION

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF **NEW YORK**

By the Grace of God Free and Independent

TO: Jean Parke, Jeffrey D. Parke, Robert B Parke, Kelley Parke, Mary Parke Meyer, Scott Parke, Richard Fenton Parke, Randall Parke, Robin S. Melavalin, Heth Graham, John Strong Parke, Peter L Paige, Edward L Parke, Jessica Hunt, William Stevenson Park, Clark D Paige, Alison Melavalin, Margo Parks, Sandra Parks Light and Any and all persons who are, or who claim to be heirs at law, next of kin, distributees of the decedent named below, if any such there be, all of whom and all whose names, ages, places of residence and post office addresses are unknown to the Petitioner(s) and cannot after due diligence used be ascertained and HON. LETITIA JAMES -Attorney General of the State of New York and JENNIFER G. FLANNERY - Erie County Public Administrator.

A petition having been duly filed by Adrian M Cross and Mark J Peszko, Esq., who is domiciled at 6 Maclessfiled Road, Buxton, Derbyshire, United Kingdom SK17-9AH-AN and 515 Brisbane Bldg., New York 14203.

YOU ARE HEREBY CIT-ED TO SHOW CAUSE before the Surrogate's Court, Erie County, at 92 Franklin Street, 2nd Floor, Buffalo, New York, on May 18, 2022, at 9:30 o'clock in the fore noon of that day. why a decree should not be made in the estate of Steven A Eastman lately domiciled at 76 Bridle Path, Orchard Park, New York 14127 admitting to probate a Will dated October 29, 2010, a copy of which is attached, as the Will of Steven A Eastman deceased, relating to real and personal property, and directing that:

☑Letters Testamentary to Adrian M

☑Letters of Administration c.t.a. To Mark J Peszko

Hon. ACEA M. MOSEY - Surrogate Kathleen A. Downing - Chief Clerk Dated, Attested and Sealed - March 30, 2022

Mark J Peszko - Attorney for Peti-

Address of Attorney - 515 Brisbane Building, Buffalo, New York 14203 Telephone Number - (716) 855-1921

Attorney Email Address: mjpeszkolaw@gmail.com

Notice of Formation of LIVINPADS, LLC LLC Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on April 11, 2022 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 162 Waverly Street, Apt 1, Buffalo, NY 14208. Any lawful pur-

PUBLIC AUCTION to satisfy overdue storage charges pursuant to UCC Code Section 7-209, 210, and/ or Articles 8 and 9, Sections 182, 184, 201, 201A-203 of the Lien Law of the State of New York, April 24, 2022 through May 1, 2022, online at www.cashauction.com. The following units will be auctioned from Metro Storage; Lisa Naylon Unit 2F452, Dionne Jones, Unit 2F308, Makeba Carter Unit BK213A, Chyna Gaston Unit MM924, Reid Saffron Units GL729 & 730, Torrey Overstreet Unit 2F245, Trina Cobb-Thomas Unit LL107A, Cierra Cooper Unit 2F282A, William Levine Unit 2F305, Chayah S.John Unit 2F307, Peter Haumesser Units GL724 & 839, Elia Majok Unit 2F266, Karen Randle Unit 2F559. All units are contents of the storage unit. This list is an incomplete, representative sample only. All items are subject to redemption before the sale, and are sold "as is, where is." 15% Buyer's Premium. Cash Auctions 716.282.

FOR RENT

AFFORDABLE LIVING!

55 +community, rent as low as \$600/ month. Includes all utilities plus cable and internet.

Contact Mary Baty at Brothers of Mercy Senior Apts.

716-759-2122

SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF ERIE, WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY FSB D/B/A CHRISTIANA TRUST NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS TRUSTEE FOR BANTAM FUNDING TRUST 2018-1, Plaintiff, vs. BANTAM FUNDING REO LLC, ET AL., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a Default Judgment, Order of Reference, and Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered on April 11, 2022, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the first floor closing room of the Erie County Clerk's Office, 92 Franklin Street, Buffalo, NY on

May 27, 2022

at 10:30 a.m.,

Premises known as 240 Lovering Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14216.

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the City of Buffalo, County of Erie and State of New York, Section 78.48, Block 4 and Lot 4.

Approximate amount of judgment is \$142,551.64 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index # 815720/2021. COVID-19 safety protocols will be followed at the foreclosure sale.

JENNIFER RUNFOLA, ESQ. Referee

Friedman Vartolo LLP, 85 Broad Street, Suite 501, New York, New York 10004, **Attorneys for Plaintiff. Firm File No. 194084-5**

NOBILE SAW "WE SHARPEN **EVERYTHING!**"

875-9636

1191 HERTEL AVENUE Business Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8 am-5:30 pm, Saturday 7 am- 5 pm

876-2500 www.johnnysmeats.com

VOTED BEST ITALIAN SAUSAGE IN WNY
-BUFFALO SPREE

JOBS CHEAP CALL JOHN 553-7365

20

FOR SALE

Collectible Porcelain Dolls, great XMas gift. \$40.00. Call 716-533-8282.

Communion Dress, Size 8 Veil Sweater Shoes, \$25.00. Call 716-877-4682.

Vietnamese Dress - Ao Dai (Kids 2->15 years old). Price: \$3.00 each. Call 716-228-3203.

Sergio of Beverly Hills Towel. 20" x 16" Beach bag with Seide out purse. \$25.00. Call 716-836-1913.

Chandelier, Modern Design, \$99.00. Call 716-835-3835

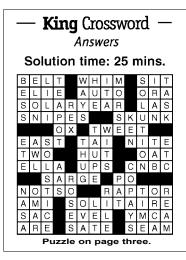
Encyclopedia, Colliers 1979 24 Volumes. \$85.00. Call 716-835-3835.

Steinway Piano on wheels. 88 Keyboard & Bench Seat, Good condition. \$95.00. Call 716-886-2957.

Cardio Walker, Weslo Walker Exerciser. \$40.00. Call 716-207-7991 or leave message.

SERVICES

RIVERVIEW LAWN CARE: Complete Lawn Care, Bush Trimming, Spring/ Fall Clean Ups. Call 716-984-8326.19



Leather Coat, Ladies, long black, size Medium, Very Good Condition, \$50.00. 716-877-4682.

Top Soil, Clean Garden Top Soil, FREE. Call 472-4007.

CLASSIFIED

LEGAL

Notice of Formation of (JAYTEL LLC), LLC Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on (03/28/22). 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 (1967 Wehrle Drive, Suite 1 #086, Buffalo NY 14221). Purpose: To engage in any lawful act or activity within the purposes

for which limited liability companies may be organized pursuant to LLC

NOTICE of FORMATION of a DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name of LLC: 322 Dearborn LLC Date of filing of Articles of Organization with the NY Dept of State: March 29, 2022 Date of Formation: March 29, 2022 Office

of the LLC: Erie County Service: The NY Secretary of State has been designated as the agent upon whom process may be served. NYSS may mail a copy of any process to the LLC at: 95 17th Street, Buffalo, NY 14213. Registered Agent: Becky Powell, 95 17th Street, Buffalo, NY 14213, is to be the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served.

Purpose of LLC: Any lawful purpose permitted for LLCs under NY Limited Liability Company Act. 22

Vehicle Auction 1970 MG Midget VIN: GAN5UA84091G belonging to John Farinacci, will be auctioned on 5-9-22 at 10:00am at 518 Rhode Island St Buffalo NY 14213

Notice of Formation of a Domestic Limited Liability Company E N

O, LLC's Arts of Org were filed by the NY Dep't of State on 3/14/22. Its office location is Erie County. Its purpose is any lawful purpose. NY's Sec'y of State is designated as agent upon whom process may be served. The Sec'y shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC at 360 Crescent Ave. Buffalo, NY 142

SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS-SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF ERIE – NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A CHAMPION MORTGAGE COMPANY

Plaintiff, against David Nowicki as Heir to the Estate of Rita F. Nowicki a/k/a Rita Nowicki; UNKNOWN HEIRS TO THE ESTATE OF RITA F. NOWICKI A/K/A RITA NOWICKI, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or general or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff;Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; The Erie County Department of Social Services; United States of America Department of Treasury; New York State Department of Taxation and Finance - Tax Compliance Division-C.O.-ATC, and JOHN DOE AND JANE DOE #1 through #7, the last seven (7) names being fictitious and unknown to the Plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the tenants, occupants, persons or parties, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the mortgaged premises described in the Complaint, Defendants-Index No. 802974/2020. Plaintiff Designates Erie County as the Place of Trial.

The Basis of Venue is that the subject action is situated in Erie County.

To the above named Defendants:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT IN THIS ACTION AND TO SERVE A COPY OF YOUR ANSWER, OR, IF THE COMPLAINT IS NOT SERVED WITH THIS SUMMONS, TO SERVE A NOTICE OF APPEARANCE, ON THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY(S) WITHIN 20 DAYS AFTER THE SERVICE OF THIS SUMMONS, EXCLUSIVE OF THE DAY OF SERVICE (OR WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE SERVICE IS COMPLETE IF THIS SUMMONS IS NOT PERSONALLY DELIVERED TO YOU WITHIN THE STATE OF NEW YORK); THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA MAY APPEAR OR ANSWER WITHIN 60 DAYS OF SERVICE HEREOF; AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR OR ANSWER, JUDGMENT WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU BY DEFAULT FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT. THAT THIS SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS IS BEING FILED PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE COURT DATED FEBRUARY 23, 2022.

NOTICE-YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME – If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you can lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property. Sending a payment to the mortgage company will not stop the foreclosure action. YOU MUST RE SPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.

HELP FOR HOMEOWNERS IN FORECLOSURE; New York State law requires that we send you this notice about the foreclosure process. Please read it carefully. SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT You are in danger of losing your home. If you fail to respond to the Summons and Complaint in this Foreclosure Action, you may lose your home. Please read the Summons and Complaint carefully. You should immediately contact an attorney of your local legal aid office to obtain advice on how to protect yourself. SOURCES OF INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE The State encourages you to become informed about your options in foreclosure. In addition to seeking assistance from an attorney or legal aid office, there are government agencies and non-profit organizations that you may contact for information about possible options, including trying to work with your lender during this process. To locate an entity near you, you may call the toll-free helpline maintained by the New York State Department of Financial Services' at 1-800-269-0990 or visit the Department's website at http://www.dfs.ny.gov. FORECLOSURE RESCUE SCAMS Be careful of people who approach you with offers to "save" your home. There are individuals who watch for notices of foreclosure actions in order to unfairly profit from a homeowner's distress. You should be extremely careful about any such promises and any suggestions that you pay them a fee or sign over your deed. State law requires anyone offering such services for profit to enter into a contract which fully describes the services they will perform and fees they will charge, and which prohibits them from taking any money from you until they have completed all such promised services. We are attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Honorable Dennis E. Ward dated February 23, 2022. The object of this action is to foreclose a mortgage and covering the premises known as 111 Woodell Avenue, Cheektowaga, NY 14211 loca

Dated: February 24, 2022 Pincus Law Group, PLLC, Attorney for Plaintiff By: George J. Weissinger, Esq. 425 RXR Plaza Uniondale, NY 11556 (516) 699-8902



2625 Delaware Avenue Buffalo NY 14216

716 876.6393

OFFERING \$15 HAIRCUTS ON TUESDAYS

APPOINTMENTS RECOMMENDED

CALL FOR DETAILS

PURCHASE A

Near the corner of Hertel & Delaware



EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY TO HONOR YOUR LOVED ONES WITH PERMANENTLY ENGRAVED BRICK PAVERS PLACED IN THE CCI COURTYARD & COMMUNITY WALKWAY

2351 DELAWARE AVENUE BUFFALO, NY 14216

VISIT ccibuffalo.org/fundraise/ TO PURCHASE OR CALL 716-912-2090 WITH ANY QUESTIONS

D. LAWRENCE **FUNERAL HOME**

A Name to Know, A Name to Trust.

- Traditional Funerals & Cremation Funerals
- Advance of Need Planning
- Medicaid Funeral Trust Accounts
- Visit www.ginnanefuneralhome.com

Our family helping your family celebrate life.

3215 Delaware Ave. Kenmore, NY 14217 (716) 873-4774



NA JEWELRY 1588 Hertel Ave. 716-834-4755 www.KoronaJewelry.com

BEST ITALIAN SAUSAGE IN WNY -BUFFALO SPREE WE GLADLY ACCEPT FOOD STAMPS 1191 HERTEL AVENUE Business Hours: Mon. - Itil. 8 am-5:30 pm Closed Wednesdays Saturday 7 am- 5 pm www.johnnysmeafs.com

USDA Choice **Chuck Roast** \$4.99_{b.}

USDA Choice Whole NY Striploins \$9.99_{lb.}

> Fresh **Beef Back Ribs** \$**3.89** b.

> > Stuffed **Pork Chops** \$3.99_{lb.}

DELI & OTHER SPECIALS

Slab Bacon \$4.89

Chicken **Pot Pies**

\$3.69 ea.

\$80 MEAT

4 lbs. Ground Chuck

3 lbs. Bacon or Pork Sausage

4 lbs. Italian **Sausage**

Extra Large Eggs

Frozen Cooked Shrimp \$**8.99** в.

PACKAGE

6-8 oz. Sirloin **Steaks**

5 lbs. Chicken Legs

3 lbs. Sahlens Hot Dogs

\$95 MEAT PACKAGE

6-8 oz. Sirloin **Steaks**

5 lbs. Ground Chuck 3 lbs. Bacon or

Pork Sausage

5 lbs. Chicken Legs

4 lbs. Chicken Breasts 4 lbs. Italian Sausage

3 lb. Pork Roast

3 lbs. Sahlens

Hot Dogs

Delivery 11 am Until Closing



Our 50th Year!

AVENUE ◆ 836-541

ALL YOU CAN EAT SPAGHETT!

Monday Only Dine In Only All Day

EVERYDAY SPECIAL (2) Regular 14" Cheese Pizzas

LARGE 5 TOPPING PIZZA Veggie or Meat

& 20 WINGS

Check out our website: www.bobandjohns.com

Antitional bases 833-9899

NEXT TO BOB & JOHNS 1541HERTEL AVENUE

BANQUET ROOM ACCOMMODATES UP TO 45 PEOPLE Call for Reservations

Voted BUFFALO'S BEST FISH FRY

FULL MENU AVAILABLE FOR TAKE OUT



visit us online! www.buffalorocket.com