



## Large Scale Video Projection To Illuminate Albright-Knox



Artist's rendering of the Albright Knox Art Gallery with large scale 3D projections from Illuminate AK, taking place on October 5th.

On October 5th, 2012, Buffalo will experience a spectacle of color and light on a scale never before seen in Western New York. The Albright-Knox Art Gallery will present Illuminate AK, Western New York's first

large-scale 3D video projection mapping project. The Gallery's iconic 1905 Albright Building will come alive in 3D, telling the story of the Gallery's history and famed collection.

Thousands of spectators

from across Western New York and beyond are expected to congregate on the Gallery's grounds to enjoy this remarkable free show and unique civic experience. Two viewings of the projection are scheduled to be pre-

sented at 7:30 and 8:30 pm. Music and refreshments from Buffalo food trucks will add to the entertainment.

Extremely advanced and powerful 30,000-lumen projectors will create the spectacle. Albright-Knox Curator for the Collection Holly E. Hughes and Digital Media Manager Kelly Carpenter are collaborating with the video-mapping artist Daniel Hartnett to produce a totally unique and dynamic work that will be projected directly onto the Gallery's 1905 Albright Building in 3D.

"We are very excited to present Illuminate AK to the Western New York community" said Albright-Knox Director Louis Grachos. "The opportunity to celebrate the Gallery's 150th anniversary through such an extraordinary and artis-

tic means is incredible. We look forward to using this technology to illuminate the past and the present, and we hope that everyone will come to the gallery to enjoy the experience."

Three-dimensional video projection mapping makes large buildings come alive with color, depth, and motion. Images are manipulated to fit seamlessly onto a building's architecture, creating the illusion of three dimensions without the need for 3D glasses. Major video projection mapping projects have been presented at Frank Lloyd Wright's masterpiece Fallingwater, around Anish Kapoor's Cloud Gate at Millennium Park in Chicago, on London's Millbank Tower and even at the Super Bowl XLVI halftime show in 2012.

### Two North Buffalo Residents Promoted To Sergeant

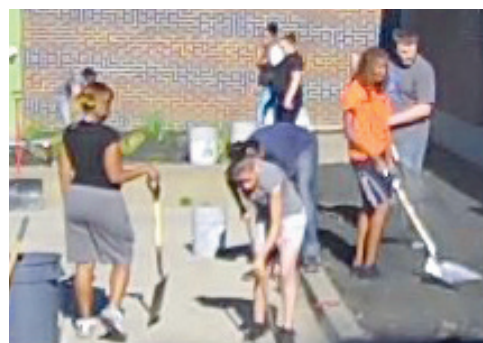


North Buffalo residents, Renee Wasikowski and Richard Kozaczka flanked by (l-r) Acting Jail Superintendent Tom Diina and Erie County Sheriff Tim Howard. Wasikowski, a 14 year member of the Sheriff's Office and Kozaczka, a 16 year member of the Sheriff's office, were recently promoted to the rank of Sergeant. Both work at the Erie County Correctional Facility.

### Buffalo Public Schools CTE Department Summer Program 2012

The Career and Technical Education summer program consisted of three groups: Culinary, Automotive, and Horticulture. There were a total of 35 juniors and seniors from Emerson, Burgard, and McKinley high schools. The students in the program worked Monday through Friday for six weeks and were paid stipends through the Buffalo Employment and Training Center (BETC).

The Culinary students worked at Emerson Commons for both the breakfast and lunch services. The students worked with culinary instructors and participat-



Horticulture students working to beautify our community.

ed in food preparation, food service and customer service.

The Automotive students worked with an instructor from ECC on automotive technology and automotive collision/repair at the South campus. They were also able

to work a few days with the Buffalo Fire Department in the repair shop and toured the facilities of a few local car dealerships.

The Horticulture students participated in several landscaping and landscaping maintenance projects. The projects included working with the staff gardeners at the Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens and maintaining and improving the courtyards at several of the Buffalo Public Schools ( #17 E.C.C., #32 Bennett Park Montessori, #99 Stanley Makowski E.C.C. and #305 McKinley High School).

### Local Weather

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The Adventures of...

# Rocket Man

by Doug Smith



## ‘Music Man’

MusicalFare honors “Music Man” to the last full measure. Just as Professor Harold Hill conjures illusions to pawn off instruments on “troubled” River City, Director Greg Kelly transforms conference tables into the Old Wood Bridge, cartwheeling choreography into Wells Fargo Wagon wheels and the tapping of dancing shoes into the clickety-clack of the Rock Island Line.

To Rocket Man, day coaches in motion have always sounded like an accelerating dance routine and that’s exactly how choreographer Bobby Cooke gets “Music Man” moving, a terrifically complicated and comic number without an iron-horse trapping in sight.

In “Music Man” (1957), Meredith Willson sticks his tongue out at small towns, con men, politicians and incurable academics. Set exactly 100 years ago, it re-

quires little imagination to make it relevant to today. Though his “crime” (what IS his crime, by the way?) is far less heinous, Hill could be Bernie Madoff ingratiating himself to a coalition of willing suckers, and there are issues of bullying and dog-wagging, as well.

As the myth-making musicologist, John Kaczorowski – an educator himself – projects a softer sort of swindler, with much more banter than bluster. Kelly’s cast boasts “bench power” a-plenty – in fact, Ben Puglisi as old conny Marcellus, nice work in an underappreciated role, might, in a pinch, pick up the maestro’s baton himself.

Angular of visage, clear of voice, Amy Jakiel is just the ticket as librarian Marian (rhymes with “carrion,” who’d a thunk it?) with a richly projected style ranging from the plaintive “Goodnight My Someone” to

the wryly argumentative “If You Don’t Mind My Saying So” with a mother delicious wrought by Beth Donahue.

Donahue is red-headed TNT, a lighter twist on any number of maternal characters cast more darkly at Irish Classical. Young Adam Kluge, as Marian’s dentally-challenged little brother, is a marvel physically, phonetically and musically. His singing makes “Gary, Indiana” sound like a tourist destination. Rocket Man once lived there. It ain’t.

Brandon Barry and Christina Golab make an appealing pair of Romeo & Juliet lovers (with far less drastic consequences). Eric Rawski and Kerrykate Abel shower their Town’s First Couple with delicious self-indulgence.

Rear projections backdrop the rural mood and Kari Drozd’s eye for colorful costuming contrasts is 20-20. They all know the territory and if you don’t mind my saying so, “Music Man” could play until 76 trombonists wear out their embouchures. NINE ROCKETS (out of 10) through Oct. 14 at Daemen College, 4380 Main St.

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## The Blotter Felonies

From "D" District

### North Buffalo

**September 7, 2012**

Commonwealth Ave. - Complainant reports that unknown person (s) did enter her home through rear door, there is no lock on door. Once inside, suspect did take 14 pairs of sneakers belonging to her son, value \$2,800.

**September 10, 2012**

Hertel Ave. - Complainant reports that unknown person (s) did take his social security/ disability/debit card. No evidence of forced entry.

Knox Ave. - Complainant reports that an unknown person(s) did enter garage and did take one purple

Schwinn bike with wicker basket.

### West Side

**September 4, 2012**

Grant St. - Complainant reports that unknown male enter store and stated he had a gun. Suspect forcibly took manager's keys to the store and reached over counter and took approximately 2 five dollar bills and 15 one dollar bills. Suspect fled north on foot.

**September 5, 2012**

Bird Ave. - Complainant reports that an unknown person (s) did kick in her apartment door. Once inside, did ransack apartment and take an 18k gold African

heart necklace, value over \$2,000.

### Riverside

**September 4, 2012**

Esser Ave. - Complainant states that unknown male, wearing dirty clothes, did run up behind her and take, without permission, her wallet, which contained her non-driver's license and medication.

**September 5, 2012**

Sandrock Ave. - While responding to a loud party, officers found defendant playing beer pong with under age children.

**September 9, 2012**

Peoria - Complainant states that his ex-girlfriend picked the lock to the rear door of his apartment. He states he told her not to enter, but she did. Once inside, she began to throw an ash tray, an end table, a bottle of beer and a glass cup. After shattering glass, she fled the home.

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The other night I had rented the movie BEN HUR, as I had not seen it since 1959, if I saw it at all. The movie is a classic and even though it is that old it was still good to watch. Problem is the time is three hours and forty two minutes. That is a long time to watch the same program on television, other than sports. At least at home you could take breaks and pause during the flick to move around.

When this movie was at the theatres, there was a fifteen minute intermission in the middle, as it was so long you needed a break. So you figure you were in the theatre for four hours at least. Seem like a long time? Not before television and going to the movies was the in thing to do. Actually, just about the only thing you could do for inexpensive entertainment.

Movie theatres were all over the place. I could walk to the Senate on Rhode Island and West, the Victoria or Rialto on West Ferry near Grant across the street from each other, The Elmwood on Elmwood and Utica or the Unity on Grant Street. Now, which one and how do you choose? You chose the one with the best double features.

Doublefeature means two full length feature movies. Not only do you watch two movies, but they enhance it with news, short subjects and serials. Short subjects being like the Three Stooges and Oliver and Hardy. The serials were cliff-hangers that continued one week to the next. Usually the hero or heroine would be in mortal danger at the end, so you had to go back the following week to see how they escape. They would do anything to fill the theatre on the weekends. Usually they were full, as what else do you do?

Some movie theatres even gave out dishes to further entice you to come to their establishment. Each week it would be a different piece and my mother actually got a complete set

of dishes free just for going to the movies. I think some are still in the family somewhere.

There was a down side to all this though, as I look back. In the middle of the theatre in the loges, as they were called, you were allowed to smoke. I recall my father, who was a smoker, had to sit in the loges or not go at all. Now you could just imagine being in an enclosed building with little or no ventilation, and people smoking for four plus hours. The first feature was pretty clear. The short subjects and the serials were okay for a while. At the end of the second feature you could cut the smoke with a knife. Had to look for the light from the movie to determine which end of the building the screen was on. No wonder the generation died young.

**GIFTS FOR BUYING GAS?** The free dishes remind me of another perk. In those days gas was about twenty fives cents a gallon. Not only that, but they pumped your gas, checked your oil, washed your windshield and checked the air in your tires. Did everything they could to get you to use their gas station. Then, the one fellow got the idea of giving out gifts if you bought gas there. With every fill-up you would get coupons. After so many coupons you could redeem them for merchandise he had displayed in his window. If I recall right, it was a Hamilton station on Niagara. Naturally, we would line up for gas as he was the only one doing that.

Now, you pay four dollars a gallon, pump it yourself, have to pay in advance, wash your own windshield, check your own oil and pump it yourself, and forget about bending for the air in the tires. When they look like they need to be filled, you have to buy the air. Gee, it was nice to be wanted as a customer back then and appreciated. JBORTZE@AOL.com



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Forest Lawn, in collaboration with the U.S. Navy as part of Navy Week Buffalo,

will hold a wreath-laying ceremony this Friday, September 14 at 3:30 p.m. The wreath ceremony is free and open to the public.

The ceremony will be held in Section F of Forest Lawn, at the gravesite of Commodore Stephen Champlin, who represents all military personnel who served in the War of 1812.

**"Buffalo: Top Down, Side to Side,"** - Currently showing now through Oct. 27th. "Buffalo: Top Down, Side to Side," is an exhibit of watercolor paintings by Michael Killelea, will be on display in the Buffalo Niagara Visitor Center Gallery, located within the Market Arcade Building at 617 Main Street in Buffalo.

Killelea's work has been featured in the American Artists' Watercolor magazine and it is included in the Smithsonian Museum and the Library of Congress. For this exhibit, Killelea captures rich visual details from the top of City Hall on down through the city, along the serpentine Buffalo River, and out into the rolling countryside beyond.

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**"Understanding Asperger's Through the Lifespan,"** - a presentation by author Rudy Simone. Presented by Autism Services, Inc.'s (formerly Autistic Services, Inc.) Center for Learning, the Autism Society of WNY, Medaille College, and the College Internship Program (CIP). Saturday, September 22, 2012, 9:00-11:30. Medaille College. New Event Center. 18 Agassiz Circle, Buffalo, NY 14214.

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24, 26	9 - 11 a.m.	Middle Early College High School	290 Main St., 4th Floor	851-3763
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HIGH SCHOOL GRADES				
Sept.	22	8 a.m.	City Honors School (gr. 9 only)	319 Suffolk St.
Sept.	22	8 a.m.	Frederick Law Olmsted School #156 (gr. 9-12)	319 Suffolk St.
Oct.	13 & 20	8 a.m.	Buffalo Academy for Visual & Performing Arts	450 Masten Ave.
Oct.	20	8 a.m.	City Honors & F. L. Olmsted #156 Make-up Testing	319 Suffolk St.
Nov.	7, 8, 14, 15	8:15 a.m.	Hutch Tech High School	256 S. Elmwood Ave.
Nov.	10 By call-back*		City Honors School Essay Component (gr. 9 only)*	319 Suffolk St.
Nov.	10 By call-back*		Frederick Law Olmsted #156 Creativity Test *	319 Suffolk St.
ELEMENTARY GRADES				
Sept.	29	8 a.m.	City Honors & F. L. Olmsted #156 Schools (gr. 5 only)	319 Suffolk St.
Oct.	13	8 a.m.	City Honors & F. L. Olmsted #156 Schools (gr. 6, 7, 8)	319 Suffolk St.
Oct.	20	8 a.m.	City Honors & F. L. Olmsted #156 Make-up Testing	319 Suffolk St.
Nov.	3 & 17	8 a.m.	Buffalo Academy for Visual & Performing Arts	450 Masten Ave.
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