

“Art Blitz” Hits Hertel Avenue



Signal boxes like this one at Hertel and North Park, painted by local artist George Grace, are part of the Community Canvases Art Blitz Project.

“Art Blitz” courtesy of Community Canvases began on Hertel Avenue this week by turning utility boxes and other infrastructure into canvases for local artists.

This public art project is supported by Delaware District Council Member Michael LoCurto and Niagara District Council Member David Rivera.

The project includes the “Little Italy” section of Hertel Avenue between Delaware and Colvin Avenues and extends to Parkside Avenue.

Local artist George Grace has begun his canvas projects that include the box at Delaware and Hertel and the utility box at North Park and Hertel Avenues.

For more information contact Community Canvases at 848-0401 or visit their website at www.community-canvases.org.

Buffalo Zoo to Host Electronics Recycling Collection

The Buffalo Zoo’s Earth Smart Squad will partner with Sunnking Inc. to host an electronics recycling collection event.

The collection will take place on Saturday, November 15th from 8 am until 1 pm in the Zoo’s main parking lot off of Parkside Avenue.

The Earth Smart Squad wants you to keep



the planet in mind while you start preparing for the holidays. Electronic waste shouldn’t be thrown

out with household trash. Some items may contain materials that are harmful to the environment, and most items can actually be recycled. Electronics recycling facilities are able to dispose of electronic waste in an environmentally responsible way.

Items that will NOT be accepted include batter-

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Halloween Parties Offer Safe Alternative

Come all ye goblins, ghosts, and ghouls to the Annual Parkside Community Association Children’s Halloween Party. The party is Friday, October 31st, from 5:30 to 7 pm, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, located on the corner of Jewett Parkway and Summit Avenue.

The Halloween party offers a safe alternative to trick-or-treating for children 12 and younger from throughout the city. This wildly popular event is free and open to the public. Come and enjoy games, crafts, music, and treats before, after, or instead of trick-or-treating.

For more information, visit www.parksidebuffalo.org or call the PCA of-



fice at 838.1240.

The North Buffalo Community Center, located at 203 Sanders Road in North Buffalo, will also be hosting a Halloween party for kids ages 5 to 12 on Friday, October 31st from 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm. Come in costume for a ghostly good time of fun, games, and treats. For more information, call Clare at 874-6133, ext. 18.



Extended Hours for Absentee Voting

The Erie County Board of Elections announced that their office will be open for absentee voting for the November 4th 2014 General Election from 9 am until 5 pm each working day until and including November 3rd. In addition the office will be open for absentee voting Tuesday, October 21st until 7 pm; Thursday, October 23rd until 7 pm; Saturday, October 25th from 9 am to 12 pm;

Tuesday, October 28th until 7 pm; Thursday, October 30th until 7 pm, and Saturday, November 1st from 9 am to 12 pm.

The last day to apply in person for an absentee ballot is Monday, November 3rd. A candidates list and Absentee Ballot applications may be found on their website: www.elections.erie.gov.

For more information call the Absentee Department at 858-7819.



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The Adventures of...
Rocket Man
 by Doug Smith



The Harvest League

Two innings remain and the visitors lead 1-0, so another run would be vital. There it stands out at second base, two out, with their most reliable hitter due up.

Instead, the coach sends up a pinch-hitter, a bat so non-threatening it was being designated-hit for at second base. Pop-up, inning over, the scheduled batter stays in the game as catcher.

Such are the beauties of what Rocket Man calls Harvest League ball, similar to the TV comedy "Whose Line Is It Anyway?" in which "everything's made up and the points don't matter." That the visitors held that 1-0 edge to the final out is almost irrelevant. The game itself is the

thing in Harvest League ball, which wrapped up in a flurry of foliage last weekend.

If there's a Grapefruit League and a Cactus League in more torrid climes, there has to be a Harvest League here, collegiate exhibitions played with great spirit and almost inevitably deep friendship and respect. As Niagara University softball lined up against Cleveland State Saturday afternoon, the autumn sun spotlighting a gallery of outfield foliage, NU's Larry Puzan and his Ohio counterpart told the umpires, "free substitution, anything goes." That the meek would inherit the cleanup spot in a key at bat truly honored the spirit of their agreement.

Rocket Man got to see all the local D-1's at least once. Led by such locals as Megan Cuda, who at one point had four straight hits, including two bunts that dug divots, Canisius went undefeated, outscoring opponents 39-0 over one four-games straight. The new coach is NAMED Griffin, Kim, how cool is

that? Wheatfield's Nikki Jacobs hit more than .500 for UB and Kenmore West's Charlotte Miller came out of the 'pen to douse a St. Bonaventure rally.

At UB, Rocket Man mentioned to a young visitor from Florida that he had been watching some of them for years. The Floridian's response: "They're from here!?" She meant no disrespect, just couldn't get her head around the fact that such talent could sprout in an area where most ballplayers get three months off.

The Harvest League used to be bigger. Now, the national governing boards rather discourage it, particularly in baseball, in which Canisius once played a fervent fall schedule, even staging a tournament Rocket Man once endured in a pouring rainstorm. Now it's mostly scrimmages. Those Dixiecrats, who more or less dictate northern agenda, hate it when we flaunt our awesome autumns.

Except for the odd pickup game or indoor workout, and of course the legendary, if shrunk-en, Parochial League, it's all over for ball in Western New York.

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Return fire to Rocket Man via pollyndoug@hotmail.com

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Facebook

A few years back, my two out of town daughters requested that I sign up for a new thing on the computer called "Facebook."

What the heck is that, you put your face in some kind of cyber book I asked? No they said it was a social network where people communicate with all their friends at once instead of individual emails. So I signed up reluctantly as I was a little leery to that kind of exposure on the internet. So I proceeded to allow all my family as "friends." With that a whole bunch of friends of my family members requested being "friends." Some were former employees that I had not seen in 30 years or more. Some were extended family members and a lot are from out of town.

Needless to say the "friend" thing grew to a lot of people. There became too many to read and some of the things said were kind of useless, overdone, and even used bad language. I was unhappy with the whole thing for a while until I learned how to shut some of the "friends" off. The annoying ones, and if you are on Facebook, you know of what I speak. I also became very selective with my choice of "friends" that I allowed. If you were to ask me if I like Facebook now, I would have to say, yes. I check it every day and read the post I want but seldom write anything unless I find it useful to others.

There are some friends that I have that I must leave on, like my granddaughter. Problem is she is on it all day with her cell phone and describes her day fully from the time she gets up to the time she says goodnight. Takes pictures all day and puts them on immediately, which is kind of cute, but too much. She does leave out the private things she does in a day so for that I am thankful. Actually the thing that triggered my writing this column is that now I actually think the whole thing is wonderful. I got a request from an out of town family member who was about seven the last time I seen her. I would guess she is in her mid-twenties now and a lovely young lady. The great thing was she sent a recent family picture of all of them. Like a lot of families we used to have reunions that both families attended so we got to know what we called the

"Allentown, PA" group. It has been years since that has happened so we kind of drifted apart. Out of the blue one of the siblings found a link and sent me a "friend request." She followed by posting that spectacular up to date photo. We studied it for half an hour identifying all the members who have of course, changed quite a bit over the years. Have to say it made my day.

There are some things that appear that we would otherwise not see. Shared videos, shared snapshots, and even death notices. It has in reality, become a welcome tool in everyday life. It is also useful in so many ways and yes I do enjoy reading about some of the things my "friends" do. Many of them now live out of town but are still connected. They are not writing to me directly but the comments by some are delightful. Funny how so many of my former employees are now on as friends. Not sure how that happened but it is good that they are still friends with me. Even though in some cases, it has been a very long time. And we do

receive lots of news from other out of town family members and I am sure most agree Facebook is a good thing in the long run. Unfortunately I know almost nothing about tweeting but I do like LinkedIn. On that network anyone who wants to be my friend is welcome. Not a lot of dribble on that social network. Isn't this modern day technology wonderful?

Email JBORTZE@aol.com or find him on Facebook. com/joe.bortz.3


BUFFALO TRIVIA

by Joe Bortz

Last week's answers:

Can you name the Buffalo Streets associated with the following Route numbers?

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2. Route 384 - Delaware Avenue
3. Route 265 - Military Road
4. Route 130 - Broadway
5. Route 33 - Kensington Expressway and Elm-Oak Arterial
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7. Route 266 - Niagara Street
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The Blotter Felonies

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North Buffalo

October 1, 2014

Agassiz Cir. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) entered store after hours and took, without permission, 38 textbooks valued at \$10,344.25. No sign of forced entry.

October 1, 2014

Berkley Pl. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) cut screen on side window and attempted to gain entry but window was locked. Then they went to the front window and cut the screen, but the window was locked. No entry was gained.

October 4, 2014

Commonwealth Ave. – Officers responding to a Shots Fired call found four subjects involved, each telling conflicting stories, and possibly withholding information. Officers did find bullet holes in a silver vehicle registered to one of the subjects; he could not explain how they got there.

October 4, 2014

Elmwood Ave. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) gained access to her home, but there was no larceny to report at this time.

October 4, 2014

Delsan Ct. – Complainant reports that unknown

person(s) did break window to enter home. Taken, without permission, a television set, a camera and a gaming device.

October 7, 2014

Stratford Ave. – Complainant reports that while she was at work unknown person(s) gained entrance into her home by breaking down the door. Taken, without permission, was a television set, two computers and various personal items.

Riverside

October 1, 2014

Kail St. – Complainant reports that while walking down the street she was approached from behind by an unknown black male who took her purse off her shoulder and continued running. Purse contained \$3,000 cash and a cell phone.

October 1, 2014

Lawn Ave. – Complainant reports that his home was broken into, but there was no sign of forced entry. Missing from the residence is two television sets, a gaming device along with games.

October 4, 2014

Ontario St. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) gained entry into his garage and took, without permission, various power and hand tools valued over \$10,000.

October 4, 2014

Ullman St. – Complainant reports that when she came home from work her futon was missing. She suspects that the upstairs tenant took it as he was the only one who had access to the house and there was no sign of break in.

October 6, 2014

Grant & Amherst Sts. – Complainant reports that while she was waiting for the bus an unknown male approached her and took her purse off her shoulder and kept running. Purse contained wallet with a few dollars cash, credit cards and personal papers.

West Side

October 1, 2014

Baynes St. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) gained access to her residence by unknown

means and took without permission a computer valued over \$2,000. No signs of forced entry.

October 2, 2014

Bird Ave. – Complainant reports that an unknown black male approached her and pulled a gun out and stuck it in her side. Suspect proceeded to search through the complainant's pockets, but did not take anything.

October 2, 2014

Helen St. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) forced the rear door down to gain entry. Taken from the residence without permission were a television set, gaming device and games.

October 2, 2014

Hoyt St. – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) cut screens to window at rear of residence and proceeded to break glass window to gain entry. Once inside, a television, computer and cell phone were taken without permission.

October 4, 2014

Lafayette Ave. – Complainant reports that while she and her boyfriend were at home unknown person entered the residence, without permission, and took a computer. Complainant said she looked out the window and saw a Hispanic female, 30-35 years old, running down the street with computer in hand.

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Friday features a beat-the-crowd party from 6:30 to 9 pm. Enjoy wine and hors d'oeuvres as area dealers appraise your treasures. Tickets are \$30 per person or \$40 per couple and include up to 3 appraisals; additional appraisals will be \$5 per item. There will also be a silent art auction from 6:30 to 8:30 pm.

The doors open at 10 am on Saturday. Tickets are \$20 and include up to 3 appraisals. Additional appraisals will be \$5 per item. Tickets will be sold up until 3PM with the doors closing at 4PM. Docent tours of Trinity's famous windows

are scheduled at 11 am, 1 pm and 3 pm.

Saturday will also feature free lectures. From 12 to 1 pm - "Alexander Levy in Buffalo," featuring speakers Scott Propeak, Chief Curator Burchfield Penny Art Center, and Dr. Albert Michaels, Collector. From 2 to 3 pm - "So you want to be an art collector?" with speaker Anna Kaplan, Director of BT&C Gallery.

A special "Soup Café" will be open on Saturday.

Tickets are available at Trinity Church, 371 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14202 and will be available at the door both Friday and Saturday.


Please contact Colleen Fahey at cmfahey@trinity-buffalo.org for more information.

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WHERE: MST Prep, 666 East Delavan Ave., Buffalo, NY 14215

Round-trip bus service will be provided from all BPS and Charter High Schools to this event. Buses will board between 4:30 and 5:00 pm.

A dessert reception will follow the presentations allowing parents and students to talk one-on-one with the college representatives.

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The Grapevine

The Elmwood Kiwanis Club will host its 22nd Annual Pancake Breakfast and Chinese Auction on Sunday, October 26th from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Delaware YMCA, 2564 Delaware Avenue.

Tickets are \$5.00 for adults, \$3.00 for children, and free for kids under 5. The breakfast includes pancakes, sausage, juice, and beverage. Proceeds from this year's event will benefit the US Naval Sea Cadets, who will be on hand to assist with the breakfast.

The North Buffalo Community Center will hold its 3rd annual Buffalo Bills Football Game fundraiser on Sunday, October 26th at 12:30 pm.

The fundraiser will be held at Indulge at 49 West Chippewa Street. Tickets are \$25.00 each and include draft beer, well drinks, and a food buffet at half time.

For tickets and/or information, call Debbie at 874-6133, Ext. 12, Carol at Ext. 11 or Clare at Ext. 18.

St. Mark School, located at 399 Woodward Avenue in Buffalo, will be hosting its 31st Annual Community Raffle Party on Saturday, November 15th starting at 7 pm in the Monsignor Francis Braun Auditorium. The Raffle Party is an evening filled with wine and beer, music, hors d'oeuvres and friends. Additionally there will be \$11,500 in cash prizes and a grand prize of \$5,000!

Tickets are \$60 each and can be purchased by contacting Cheryl at craczyk@gmail.com or calling 432-8872. All proceeds benefit the students of St. Mark School.

The Parkinson Disease Caregiver Support Group will hold its next monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 28th from 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm at Dent Towers, 5th floor, 3980 Sheridan Dr., Amherst. The support group meetings are open to caregivers of Parkinson's Disease patients throughout the

WNY area. They're open-ended meetings where you can discuss concerns that might be impacting your ability to manage and cope as a family member/caregiver; an opportunity to meet others experiencing similar concerns and help problem solve and reduce the stress you may be feeling. The group regularly meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month. For more information contact Mary Ellen at 833-5389.

The Buffalo Master Chorale with the Buffalo Niagara Youth Chorus, conducted by music director Doreen Rao, will present an evening of musical and edible treats by celebrating the music of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and Rogers and Hammerstein's "The Sound of Music" followed by a Viennese dessert party at 7:30 pm Saturday, October 25th at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church located at 1080 Main Street, Buffalo.

The concert will feature Wolfgang Amadeus himself as host of the festivities. His birthplace, Salzburg, shares the setting for "The Sound of Music" and his country, Austria, the theme for the Viennese desserts to follow, capping off a unique and enjoyable evening's entertainment.

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dents, \$15 preferred seating; tickets available at the door (cash or check only) or at BNChoirs.org. for more information contact Robert at 838-2263 or RKiersz@gmail.com

The Delaware Family YMCA at 2564 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, invites you and your family to take part in some spooky family friendly fun at their Halloween Spooktacular. Taking place from 6:30-8:30 pm on Friday, October 24th. This event is open to all ages! Families can rotate between several different activities including a spooky science experiment, games, a dance party, costume contest, and more! The cost is \$10 for families (up to seven participants, \$5 for each additional participant). For more information, call 875-1283.

Iron Island Museum is hosting an annual Haunted Food Truck Rodeo on October 24th from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the museum located at 998 E. Lovejoy St, Buffalo. This event is a family-friendly Halloween event that features 12 area food trucks, free classic horror movies, and historical haunting tours for \$5.00 featuring paranormal and psychic investigations of the museum. Tour tickets are available at the door.

West Side Community Services, located at 161 Vermont Street in Buffalo, will be holding its 7th Annual "Just Desserts" on Saturday, October 17th from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Admission is \$7.00 and includes three desserts and a beverage, Grand Prize

Raffle, and Theme Basket Auction. For more information call Danette at 884-6616.

The Food Pantry at the Faith of Good Shepherd Church, located at

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What's the most famous ghost story in western New York? It's a tough question in a region that is rich in supernatural lore. Among the best known stories is certainly the tale of the headless ghost that reputedly haunts Old Fort Niagara's French Castle. Legend has it that two French officers fought a sword duel and one was decapitated. The duel's survivor threw the deceased's head in Lake Ontario and stuffed the

headless body down the well. On nights of the full moon a ghost allegedly rises from the well in search of its wayward cranium.

The headless ghost is certainly Old Fort Niagara's best known ghost story. Virtually every school child in the region has heard one version of the story or another. Most people aren't so familiar with dozens of other unexplained phenomena that have been reported over the Fort's long history.

On Saturday nights October 18th and 25th visitors to the Fort will have the opportunity to come face to face with the

darker side of the Fort's history. Over the years, the Fort has been the scene of violent death, sickness and starvation. Several of these stories will come to life during the Fort's annual Haunted Fortress. This year's event will add some new stories to the haunted tour.

Visitors will travel back to 1687 when the French left 100 men to winter at the Fort and found only 12 left alive when they returned in the spring. There will also be a variety of ghosts and ghouls that wander the dark corridors of the French Castle. Visitors can also linger by a large bonfire and hear true ghost stories or visit the garrison cemetery.

The Haunted Fortress is a fund raising event that supports educational programming at Old Fort Niagara. Tickets are \$13.00 per person and must be purchased in advance by calling 745-7611. The tour is not recommended for children under age 8. Visitors are urged to wear walking shoes.

For more information, visit the Fort's website at www.oldfortniagara.org.

Zoo Hosts Electronics Recycling Event

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ies, and large appliances. A list of acceptable items can be found online at www.SunnKing.com.

Anyone who brings their unwanted electronics to the Zoo on November 15th will receive a coupon for \$1 off Zoo admission on

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Official Notification: Anthony L. Dutton, Officer of Tripifoods, Inc. wishes to announce the Tripifoods Foundation's annual return for the year ended June 30, 2014, is available for inspection at the office of Hodgson Russ LLP (located at The Guaranty Bldg., 140 Pearl Street, Suite 100, Buffalo, NY 14202), (716) 856-4000 during regular business hours. Any citizen who wishes to inspect it may do so within 180 days from the date of this notification. A free copy of the return will be provided upon request. 42

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