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St. Joseph's Day Table



Viva San Giuseppe! The management team at Dash's Markets of North Buffalo, prior to serving well over 200 St. Joseph's Day Dinners to area residents, family and friends in a sold out event held last Wednesday night, March 19th at their Hertel and Starin location. All money raised was to be donated to St. Mark's Church on Woodward Avenue at Amherst Street.

Locust Street Art New Animation Lab

Locust Street Art will host a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the grand reopening of the

LSA Animation Lab on April 18th at

5:00 PM.

Through a grant generously provided by the Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Arts & Culture Initiative, LSA was able to upgrade the LSA Animation Lab to the newest tech- IOCUST STREET ORT community nology available. The grant covered eight animating stations, each

with a brand new computer, drawing tablet, camera, and much more!

These upgrades will in-

crease the organizational capacity for providing professional quality arts programming. LSÅ stu-dents will be able to

practice on state of the art equipment industry standard software that will propel animation their creations to new levels.

 \mathbf{Locust} Street Art provides FREE classes to students

of all ages and back-grounds in the greater Buffalo area. LSA is located at 138 Locust Street, Buffalo, NY. To learn more, visit their website

www.locuststreetart.

The Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Arts & Culture Initiative administered by the Community Foundation for Greater Buffalo was established at the Community Foundation to support arts and culture in the eight counties of Western New York, plus Monroe County, in recognition of the key role arts and culture organizations play in a thriving economy. Part of that announcement includes \$500,000 in annual funding to be awarded primarily to support small to mid-sized arts and culture organizations in the nine counties.

TLC All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner

Ten Lives Club's Galleria Mall & Damp; Transit Hill Plaza locations are hosting their first All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, April 26th from 5PM to 7PM. The event will be

High 47°

Low 31°

held at the Fraternal Order of Eagles located at 4569 Broadway, Depew, NY 14043. Doors open at 4PM. Dinners are \$16 presale for adults and \$17.50 at the door. Tickets for kids under

10 years of age are \$6.

During the event, there will be a basket raffle, special raffles, merchandise for sale, desserts and of course adoptable cats! Skip the Continued on page two.

Buffalo Zoo Welcomes New Snow Leopard

The Buffalo Zoo is thrilled to announce the arrival of Milja (pronounced mee-lah), a beautiful 4-year-old female snow leopard. Milja joins the Buffalo Zoo family following a Species Šurvival Plan (SSP) recommendation from the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA).

Born the Milwaukee County Zoo on buffalozoo with an estimated May 11, 2020, global population

Milja comes to Buffalo from the Akron Zoo in Ohio. While initially shy, Milja is known to be a confident and sweet cat, and has a strong bond with her keepers.

Milja's arrival is part of a breeding recommendation, the hope that she will pair successfully with the Zoo's resident male snow leopard, Altai. This breeding program is crucial for ensuring a healthy and genetically diverse snow leopard population for future Sabrina, generations. the Zoo's other female snow leopard, remains a cherished resident.

Snow leopards are currently listed as vulnerable by the

International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN),

global population of fewer than 10,000 mature individuals. Native to the mountain ranges of Central and South Asia, including the Himalayas, these majestic animals face increasing threats in the wild.

As Milja acclimates to her new habitat, she may have periods where she is not visible on exhibit, as she has access to her behind-the-scenes Continued on page four.



From the Buffalo Rocket archives



March, 1992. ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE PROVIDED... The family and friends of Frank's Sunny Italy, 2491 Delaware Avenue entertained over 500 people on Monday to celebrate the feast of St. Joseph. This second annual event raised over \$800.00 for Children's Hospital. Pictured above on the left are: Josie Castelli, Ray Nola, Pino Castelli, Rosetta Nola, right side: Frank Sclafani, Maria Sclafani, Frank Sclafani Jr., and Joev Sclafani.

Local Weather

SUNDAY, MARCH 30TH

THURSDAY, MARCH 27TH FRIDAY, MARCH 28TH

High 51° Low 47°

High 56° Low 42°

SATURDAY, MARCH 29TH

Rain High 58° Low 43°

Rain/Snow High 47° Low 28°

SUNDAY, MARCH 31ST

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MONDAY, APRIL 1ST

High 51° Low 44°

MONDAY, APRIL 2ND



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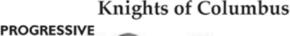
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TLC All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner

Continued from page one. trouble of making dinner and stop by to enjoy some food the whole family will love! Take out dinners are available. Just want to buy tickets for the basket raffle? No problem, guests are welcome to attend this fundraiser even if they do not wish to

purchase a spaghetti dinner! All proceeds will benefit Ten Lives Club's Galleria Mall & Transit Hill locations. To preorder spaghetti dinner tickets, please visit Ten Lives Club's website. To help keep both of these adoption sites open, Ten Lives Club is requesting

all of their former adopters and supporters to join them for this fundraiser put on by the store employees and volunteers. For more information on this event, please contact their Event Coordinator at bglover@tenlivesclub.com.

HSCS Tobacco National Day Of Action

On Monday, March 31, students from Health Science Charter School, participating in the No Menthol Buffalo movement, will host a press conference from 10:30 AM to 11:00 AM in recognition of the Take Down Tobacco National Day of Action. This event will spotlight the harmful impact of flavored tobacco products on youth and highlight the ongoing efforts to combat Big Tobacco.

During the press conference, students will present Rocky Mohamed, owner of Buffalo's Golden Corner, a convenience store located on the east side of Buffalo. with a Responsible Business Owner Certificate for his commitment to not selling alcohol or tobacco in his store. This action supports the No Menthol Buffalo movement to protect the health of the community, particularly its youth.

"It's important to protect the health of the community, especially our youth," said Rocky Mohamed.

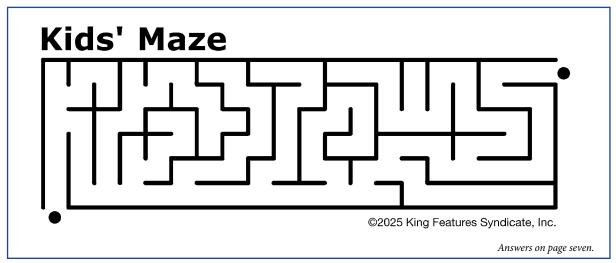
"These products are designed to entice young people to try tobacco and make continued use easier, ultimately leading to nicotine addiction, which is why the Buffalo Common Council needs to end the sale of them in our city," said Stan Mar-tin, Spokesperson for the No Menthol Buffalo movement.

The event will also attract attention to the Global Day of Activism on April

1st, a day dedicated to advocating for a tobacco-free generation. Communities worldwide unite to demand action against the tobacco industry and its dangerous marketing tactics targeting young people, particularly with menthol-flavored products and e-cigarettes.

Every year, students, teachers, parents, elected officials, health professionals, and advocates come together to Take Down Tobacco and push for a healthier future.

Partner organizations include the Buffalo Center for Health Equity and Stan Martin Consulting, LLC, who are committed to supporting the movement for a tobacco-free generation.



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The Blotter **Felonies**

From "D" District

Assailant Intrudes, Breaks Down Victim's Doors, And Attacks Victim And Daughters

North Buffalo March 25, 2025

Delaware Avenue - Suspect did punch victim in the head after A verbal dispute and threaten to kill her.

March 24, 2025

Hertel Avenue - Defendant did strike complainant in the head and face causing pain and swelling of the side of the head, a cut and bleeding on the inside lower lip, and numerous cuts and abrasions to the face, elbow, knee, and toe. Defendant did also place his hands around complainant's throat and did apply pressure causing bruising, abrasions, pain, and dizziness. Investigation and statement by detective.

March 23, 2025

Delaware Avenue - Patrol did observe New York registered vehicle, 2012 black in color Nissan, a stolen vehicle reported in the city of Buffalo. Defendant was operator of vehicle and removed from driver side. Recovered on defendant was a small plastic baggie with white rock-like substance from defendant left sock. Recovered in vehicle was 3 crack pipes with residue. Keys for vehicle were still in ignition while in possession of defendant. Defendant does have a suspended driver license. Estimated value of vehicle is \$4000.00.

March 21, 2025

Crestwood Avenue - Victim states that the defendant did show up to her house unannounced and started making several threats to kill the victim.

West Side March 22, 2025

Grant Street - Defendant did enter Gather and Game (205 Grant Street) and did purchase an item for \$30.00 with a counterfeit \$100.00 bill and did receive said item along with \$70.00 cash for the change from purchase. Video available with supporting deposition.

March 22, 2025

Hoyt Street - The defendant was outside the victim's home for 3 hours. She brought him out food. She went back inside and locked the door. The defendant then kicked in the door gaining entry and ran after the victim and her daughter, step-daughter, and grandchild. They barricaded themselves in a room in the rear of the home. The defendant then kicked in that door and started striking the victim, causing swelling to the victim's face and causing fear. Multiple doors and glass broken. Order of protection issued.

Riverside March 24, 2025

Forest Avenue - Defendant has been told multiple times and has been arrested for trespassing.

Defendant was in the 4th floor bathroom.

March 23, 2025

Grace Street - The defendant did follow the victim out of a store to the victim's truck, making verbal threats. As victim opened the door the defendant kicked the door into his arm, causing swelling and then the defendant spit on the victim and told the victim he would shoot him as the victim drove away. These actions did cause the victim to fear for his safety and require an order of protection. These actions did kick did damage the driver's door.

March 22, 2025

Condon Avenue - Defendant did tamper with apartment doors preventing victim from entry and did threaten repeatedly to "burn her at the stake", while being put under arrest. Defendant did strike patrol officer with closed fist and was tased and apprehended.

March 22, 2025

Henrietta Avenue - Defendant was observed through the 2nd floor front window with an active order to vacate the premises in effect.

King Crossword

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally Unlisted clue hint: Relating to the Netherlands

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Answers on page seven

Weekly SUDOKU

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

♦ Moderate ♦ ♦ Challenging **♦♦♦** HOO BOY!

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Can My Wife and I Get Spouse Benefits from Each Other? – Ask Rusty

Dear Rusty: My wife and I are currently collecting Social Security. We both started receiving SS at 62 years old. That said, we get by on a tight budget. A retired friend told us about an option which allows a spouse to collect half (1/2) of the other spouse's SS monthly income. My question has two parts: 1. Can we both collect on each other's SS? And 2. Are there any pitfalls?

Thank you in advance for your service as a Social Security Advisor.

Signed: Seeking an Increase

Dear Seeking: Well, I'm afraid spousal benefits aren't quite that simple. One spouse may be eligible for additional benefits from the other, but only if that spouse's personal Social Security retirement benefit at their full retirement

age (FRA) is less than half (50%) of the other spouse's FRA entitlement. Note that for spouse benefits, FRA amounts are used regardless of when you actually claim benefits. Full retirement age for both you and your wife is 66, so that means that if you both claimed at 62 your FRA entitlements were higher – about 25% more – than you are both currently receiving.

Since you applied for benefits some time ago at about the same age, one way to estimate if one of you may be entitled to an additional amount as a spouse is to evaluate your current monthly amounts. If either of you are getting a benefit which is less than half of the other's amount, it's possible that the one with the lower benefit may be entitled to more as a spouse. And note,

only one spouse is eligible for benefits – you cannot both get spouse benefits from each other

Another way to explore this is for the spouse with the lowest monthly Social Security benefit to contact Social Security at 1.800.772.1213 to ask if spouse benefits are available. Noting that contacting SS these days can be a time-consuming process, yet another way is for you to provide us (the AMAC Foundation's SS Advisory Service) with both of your current monthly SS benefit amounts (before any deductions) and the exact ages when each of you claimed. Using that information, we can do the math to see if either of you might be entitled to more as a spouse. But, in the end, only the spouse with the lower benefit may be eligible, and then, only if their FRA entitlement (not their actual current amount) is less than 50% of the other spouse's FRA entitlement.

Thank you for submitting your question to our Social Security Advisor department. Be sure to share our link with your family and friends.

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Buffalo Zoo Welcomes New Snow Leopard

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The Buffalo Zoo is currently open 7 days a week from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. For more information visit buffalozoo.org.



The Buffalo Zoo's new snow leopard, Milja.



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Michael P. Kearns Erie County Clerk Guest Columnist

REAL ID Deadline Approaches

With the May 7th deadline approaching, Erie County Clerk Michael P. Kearns has noted a significant increase in REAL ID transactions at each of the six Erie County Auto Bureau Branches.

May 7th is the day enforcement begins for the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) at the Buffalo/Niagara International Airport, but The Erie County Auto Bureau will continue issuing both the REAL ID and the Enhanced versions well into the future.

Here are steps to consider before upgrading to a REAL ID:

Ensure you do not already have a REAL ID-compliant document. A New York State REAL ID has a black star in the upper right corner, or if you have an Enhanced version, you will see a U.S. flag at the top or bottom right corner of your license or non-driver identification card.

You do not need a REAL ID if you possess a U.S. passport book or card or other federally accepted alternative, such as a NEXUS card.

If you are not flying anytime soon, wait until your credential expires before upgrading.

Appointments are encouraged and available, but they are not mandatory. All DMV offices welcome walk-in traffic. If there are no available appointments, please check back later, as new appointments are released daily. Keep in mind that if any office is experiencing high transaction volume, you may be asked to return with an appointment confirmation or may be directed to another Erie County Auto Bureau location that is less busy.

Make sure to bring the right original or certified documents, including one proof of identity and two proofs of your home address from different sources. You

will also need to provide proof of lawful U.S. status and your Social Security number (or proof of ineligibility for one). We offer an "Are You Ready?" document guide to help you create a checklist of the required identifying documents.

If you have an appointment, make sure you utilize the exclusive DMV Express Lane for immediate service.

To assist residents in obtaining a REAL ID, Kearns and his "Clerk on the Go" team are continuing to host community outreach events across the County, along with information sessions and extended-hours events at the Erie County Auto Bureau in Cheektowaga. These sessions aim to answer questions, explain the required documents, and issue REAL ID documents to those ready to complete their transactions.

Additional REAL ID events taking place at the Cheektowaga Branch located in the Urbandale Plaza at 2122 George Urban Blvd. These events are scheduled for select Tuesdays from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM on April 8 and May 6, as well as Saturdays from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM on April 12 and May 3. Anyone interested in obtaining their REAL ID during these extended hour events must make a reservation.



Pop Quiz

Test your knowledge!

- 1) Mount Everest is part of which mountain range?
- 2. Which color film was the first to win an Academy Award for Best Picture?
- 3) Which planet in our solar system is believed to be the windiest?
- 4) Where is the U.S. Constitution stored?
- 5) What is a group of lemurs called?
- 6) Which city is the setting for the dramatic series "The Wire"?
- 7) Which country has the most active volcanos?
- 8) Which character in a Charles Dickens novel famously said, "Please, sir, I want some more"?
- 9) Which Dutch artist is considered a master of light and shadow, creating dramatic effects in paintings?
- 10) What is an ectothermic animal?

Answers on page seven.

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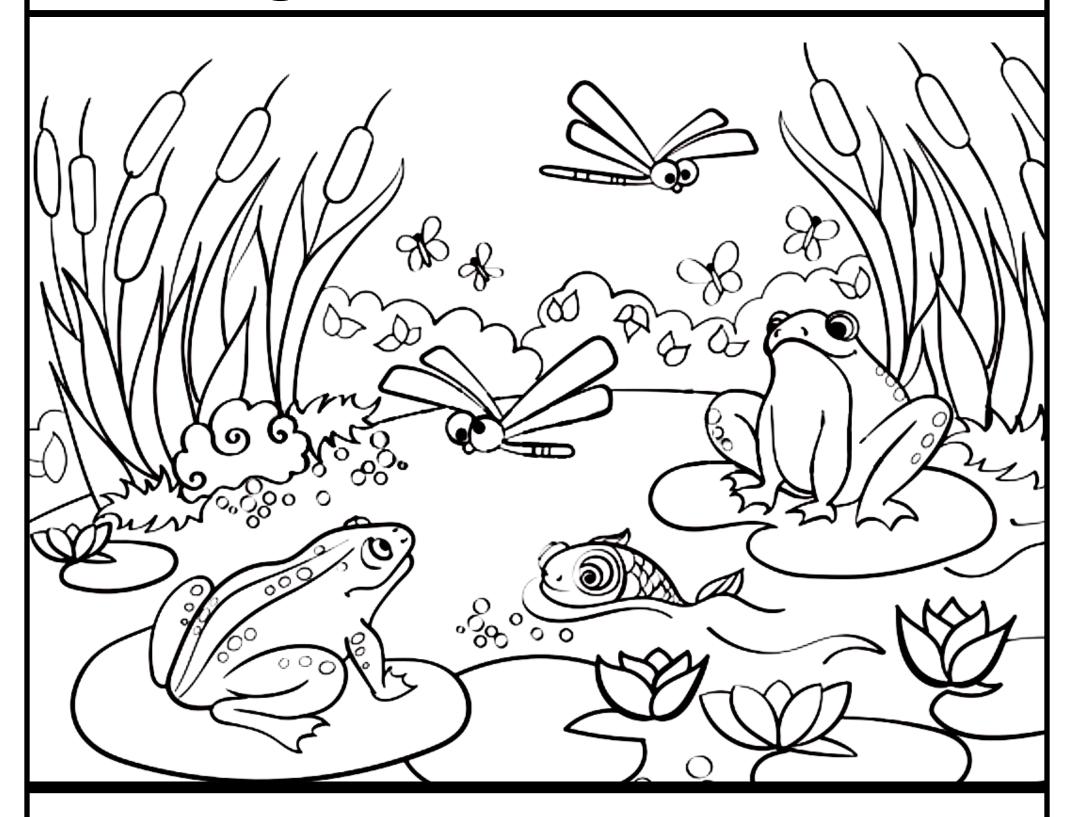
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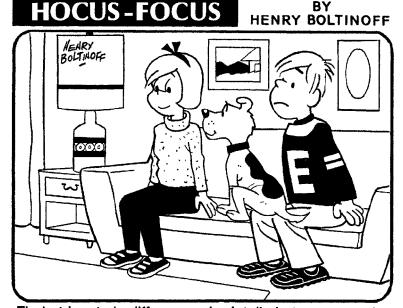
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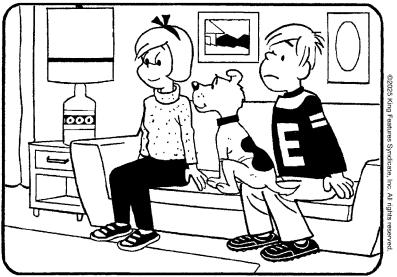
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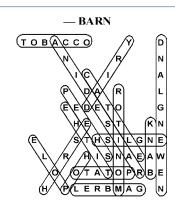
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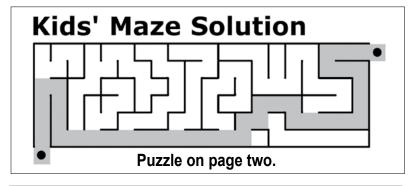
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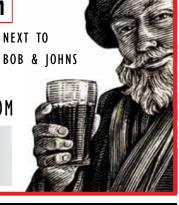
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