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# Happy Easter!



**Easter is this Sunday, April 20th and Buffalo is gearing up for some Holiday Festivities! See below for details.**

If you have experienced waking up to an Easter basket, you know how exciting the holiday's ritual can be. Filled with dyed eggs, rabbit-shaped chocolate, and candied treats, the baskets are a long-standing tradition come Easter.

The official start has begun for the 2025 Easter Season at a special "Blessing of the Basket" ceremony at the market. Market continues from now through Saturday, April 19th.

"Visiting Buffalo's Broadway Market at Easter time is a tradition for many families in Buffalo and Western New York," said Buffalo Mayor Christopher P. Scanlon "Family-owned businesses, passed from generation to generation, have created some of our city's best loved foods and

memories for generations. We are looking forward to another incredible Easter Season at the market."

The Easter Bunny will be at the Broadway Market, from Saturday, April 5th through Saturday, April 19th. See the list below for Broadway Market Holiday Hours.

Holy Thursday - April 17 8 am - 7 pm

Good Friday - April 18 6 am - 7 pm

Holy Saturday - April 19

The market is closed on Easter Sunday. It reopens Dyngus Day, Monday, April 21st

6 am - 5 pm

For a list of entertainment during the Easter Season, go to [broadwaymarket.org](http://broadwaymarket.org).

The Hertel Business Association has the annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19th,

and the Spring Cleanup is a week later on Saturday, April 26th. Check out the event pages on our website [www.hertel-ave.com/pages/easter-egg-hunt](http://www.hertel-ave.com/pages/easter-egg-hunt).

The annual Easter egg hunt on Hertel Avenue returns starting at 11AM! The event will be hosted at St. Margaret's Parish, taking place entirely on their lawn.

This event is for the kids and we ask that they have adults present with them.

Come for our **\*\*Annual Easter Event\*\*** at 115 Gold St, Buffalo NY! The fun filled hunt returns Saturday, April 19 - 11am - 1pm. Get ready for a day filled with fun activities, delicious food, and plenty of Easter egg hunts. Bring your family and friends for a day of celebration and joy. Don't miss out on this exciting event - mark your calendars now!

We here at the Buffalo Rocket hope everybody enjoys their Easter Weekend! Happy Easter!

## M&T Bank Launches Free Program at the Buffalo Zoo

M&T Bank has teamed up with the Buffalo Zoo to organize the first-ever M&T Bank Presents Third Thursdays at the Buffalo Zoo program, which will provide free admission on six Thursdays in 2025: May 15, September 18, October 16, November 20, and December 18 — and three Thursdays in 2026 — January 15, February 19, and March 19.

As the Buffalo Zoo marks its 150th anniversary this year, the new M&T Bank Presents Third Thursdays at the Buffalo Zoo program will add to the Zoo's ongoing celebrations, which are taking place now until December 2025. M&T is a longtime partner of the Buffalo Zoo and remains the lead sponsor of the M&T Bank Rain-

forest Falls exhibit.

To participate, guests will need to reserve their free ticket online before arriving at the Zoo. There will be a limit of 10 tickets per group. To register, visit [visit.buffalozoo.org/#/SpecialEvents/ThirdThursdays](http://visit.buffalozoo.org/#/SpecialEvents/ThirdThursdays).

Special programming on April 17 will feature several Zookeeper Talks, including:

11:30 a.m. — Polar Bear Keeper Talk at Arctic Edge

1:30 p.m. — Tiger Keeper Talk at the Tiger Exhibit

2:30 p.m. — Addax Keeper Talk at the Roan Antelope & Addax Exhibit

To learn more about the Buffalo Zoo and the latest special events, including its 150th anniversary celebrations, visit [buffalozoo.org](http://buffalozoo.org).



## Memories

*From the Buffalo Rocket archives*



**April, 1992. ANY BUNNY WILL DO...Ashley, a 6-year-old Netherland Dwarf bunny, pacifies children anxiously awaiting Sunday's visit from the Easter Bunny with the help of zoo docent Carol Menczynski, during the zoo's Easter Eggstravaganza celebration Sunday.**

## Local Weather

THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH



Sunny  
High 51°  
Low 40°

FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH



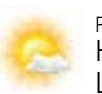
Showers  
High 66°  
Low 59°

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH



Rain  
High 62°  
Low 39°

SUNDAY, APRIL 20TH



Partly Cloudy  
High 51°  
Low 41°

SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST



Showers  
High 60°  
Low 47°

MONDAY, APRIL 22ND



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**SPORTS**  
By Bill Snyder

## Shoshone Park Is A Real Hit!



7 year old Eli Ando of the Rookie Boys Athletics.

We're coming to you live from Shoshone Park in North Buffalo just before Easter Sunday to write about the boys and girls, getting ready to open the Hertel North Park Youth League season in just a little more than two weeks.

On Saturday, May 3rd, over 1,000 players in North Buffalo will come to the home of North Buffalo sports in the Summertime and show you why they grow up and learn to play the game in the tiny Park off of Hertel Avenue near Main Street. Each child wants to show their coach, they're ready to play ball and have fun this Summer.

"We're looking forward to having another great season for Hertel North Park Youth Baseball," said one coach this past Monday night, as practices got underway for house teams. "The enthusiasm has just been growing everyday and we're all just waiting for the Baseball Gods will bring us nicer days."

There's over 75 boys and girls teams, already formed in five different age groups that will start play on the first Saturday in May and compete against each other for a chance to win a team championship and take home beautiful trophies at the end of the season. All teams will make the playoffs at the end of the regular season just

after the July 4th holiday. Each team will play twice a week, a night game Monday to Friday and then a game on Saturday morning or afternoon.

Before all the games begin, Hertel North Park has a special way of opening their seasons since they began play in 1957. If the Sun is shining and temperatures are in the fifties with maybe a slight breeze, get ready to watch most teams march in its annual parade up Hertel Avenue to the Park starting at Saranac, heading east under a Buffalo police escort. It is North Buffalo's official start to the spring season.

Sometime just after 10:00am boys and girls will be wearing their new team uniforms and begin to gather behind the Cornelius Building on the southeast corner of Hertel and Saranac and wait for their coaches to help lead the team in the parade. Families gather on both sides of Hertel Avenue to take in this community event, watching boys and girls walk safely over the busy corridor. Thanks to the work of the Buffalo Police Department Traffic Division and local fire Stations, all children walk a mile to Shoshone Park just after the 11:00am hour.

Every year, all the children have a chance to meet and walk with noted digni-

taries and community leaders who come to Opening Day and wish to help all the children have a great day and a good season. They say hello and tell them to have fun while they learn to play out on the diamonds. Some people who have attended in the past include Acting Buffalo Mayor Chris Scanlon and former Buffalo Mayor Byron W. Brown. Congressman Tim Kennedy was here last year and so was New York State Legislator Crystal Peoples-Stokes. Both spoke highly about the League and North Buffalo's commitment to its youth. They may be wearing a suit and a tie or a pretty dress but they can throw out a first pitch on the mound of a Shoshone Park diamond.

This season, Hertel North Park is still extremely grateful to these many dignitaries in City, County, State and Federal Government who played a part in the building of a new structure inside Shoshone Park where the North Buffalo Community can come to a place inside the City to use as an indoor practice site for local athletic teams in a variety of sports. After an official groundbreaking in October of 2023, the Thomas M. Smith Physical Athletic Center will soon be ready to open its doors to the Community in the coming months.

On Saturday, April 26th, the League will welcome members of St. Mark's Church, on Woodward Avenue and the Buffalo Riverkeepers to Shoshone Park for its annual Park Clean-Up Day to help the League get ready for the season. North Buffalo families interested in helping the League are asked to bring various garden tools like rakes, shovels and brooms to the Park to assist in clean-up of overgrown weeds and shrubbery. The work will begin promptly around 9:00am and continue until 1:00pm.

Hertel North Park Youth Baseball League teams began practicing this past Monday night. Above is 7 year old Eli Ando of the Rookie Boys Athletics team, taking swings into a huge net watched closely by his coach, Sean Ryan. Practices will continue nightly during the week and on Saturdays until opening Day.

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# The Blotter

## Felonies

From "D" District

### Assailant Fires At Victim During Altercation On Horton Place

**North Buffalo**  
**April 13, 2025**  
Camden Avenue - Defendant did show up to 136 Camden Avenue and did attempt to gain entry into the home. Defendant does have active order of protection issued by honorary judge to stay away from the address.

**April 13, 2025**  
Elmwood Avenue - The defendant did take a Dewalt 1600A Jump Starter from the Home Depot passing all points of purchase without payment. The Jump Starter was valued at about \$210.00. The defendant was arrested on multiple warrants.

**April 12, 2025**  
Beckley Avenue - Suspect did without permission throw two large rocks through the back driver side window causing approximately \$300.00 in damages. While being placed in patrol vehicle, officer did find glass pipe with suspected crack cocaine residue black and white in color. Pipe was found in left coat pocket of suspect.

**April 12, 2025**  
Kenmore Avenue - The victim reports that themself and the suspect did get into a verbal argument that eventually became physical after the suspect became irate with the victim due to suspicions of infidelity. The suspect did then grab a pair of scissors and subsequently stabbed the victim under the chin causing a roughly half inch puncture wound.

**April 9, 2025**  
Delaware Avenue - While at EZ Wash Laundry, 2412 Delaware Avenue at approximately 0330 hours defendant did damage a wall-mounted television set by punching same repeatedly with his fist. Approximate value \$400.00. Incident observed on surveillance camera. Defendant identified by complainant via photo array administered by detective.

**Riverside**  
**April 12, 2025**  
Horton Place - Defendant did possess a handgun and then approached the victim on Horton Place where he pulled the weapon from his waistband when the victim fled southbound up Horton for his safety. Victim became trapped between 14 Horton Place and nearby garage when rushed towards the defendant in attempts to stop the defendant from firing the weapon in hand.

tim then fled for his safety and called 911.

**April 12, 2025**  
Swan Street - Complainant stated defendant did force his way into her home when dropping off her daughter and refused to leave. Complainant stated defendant began berating her in front of her child causing her to become alarmed. Complainant stated defendant confronted her daughter about where she wants to go causing fear. Complainant stated defendant did spit on her prior to leaving with her daughter.

## ADOPT A PET

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This Week's Featured Friend:

### BISCUIT

OUR SHELTER IS OVERFLOWING WITH DOGS!

Biscuit is estimated to be about 4 years old and is a soft and lovely black and white kitty. She was living outside with a colony and has slowly been learning that humans aren't so scary. Our volunteers describe Biscuit as very sweet, an aptly-named champion biscuit maker. She loves when she has visitors who bring her treats. She is adoptable from the City of Buffalo Animal Shelter, but you can visit her in person at PetSmart on Elmwood Ave in N Buffalo during regular business hours. Applications are available there.

If you would like to meet any of the adoptable dogs, please fill out an application online (if you are not already pre-approved), call the shelter, and leave a message with your name and phone number and the dog you're interested in. Have patience, and they will call you back when they can. From there, a time will be scheduled for you to come and meet the dog. Please be patient, and remember they are very short staffed at the moment. Applications can be found at <https://friendsofcbas.org/adopt>

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F K C O T S N I E I O I O T D

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

Unlisted clue hint: THE SAILOR SPENT YEARS —

At first

In a week

In stock

On Monday

At large

In France

In the car

On that day

At will

In love

In the past

On time

At work

In May

On cue

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Answers on page seven.

## King Crossword

**ACROSS**

1 Barn birds

5 Snooze

8 Humdrum

12 Nerd's kin

13 Somewhat (Suff.)

14 Green land

15 Hindu royal

16 "My word!"

17 Taxi alternative

18 Allow

20 Peace

22 Poetic contraction

23 Armed conflict

24 Melville captain

27 Shortly

32 — canto

33 Nonpro sports org.

34 DDE's opponent

35 Parts

38 L-Q bridge

39 Moray, for one

40 Attempt

42 "Rats!"

45 Actress Phylcia

49 China setting

50 "The Greatest"

52 Empty truck's weight

53 Male deer

54 Meadow

55 Inventor's inspiration

56 Sharpen

57 Family

58 "Brian's Song" star

7 "That was close!"

8 Biondi in "It's a Wonderful Life"

9 Resident of Monrovia

10 War god

11 Wife of Zeus

19 French article

21 "Adorbs!"

24 Sit-up targets

25 Haw preceder

26 Resident of Oran

28 D.C. baseballer

29 Resident of Vienna

30 Summer sign

31 Mentalist's gift

36 Household

37 Yale grad

38 Spiritualist

41 Egyptian sun god

42 Sprint

43 Regarding

44 Chat

46 "Mary — Little Lamb"

47 Bailiwick

48 Campus big-wig

51 Island garland

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Answers on page seven.

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## 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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## When Should My Wife Claim Social Security? – Ask Rusty

**Dear Rusty:** My wife was born in July 1959, and her recent SS benefit estimate is \$3,337 at her full retirement age, or \$4,397 at age 70. She is presently employed full-time and intends to continue working until she is aged 70. She is wondering when the most financially advantageous time would be to draw her SS retirement.

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

**Signed: Planning Ahead**

**Dear Planning Ahead:** Obviously, the best time for your wife to get the highest possible monthly Social Security benefit would be age 70. Provided your wife's life expectancy is at least average (about age 87 for a woman her current age), she will likely receive the most in cumulative lifetime Social Security benefits by waiting until age 70 to claim.

For clarity, if your wife were to choose to claim before her full retirement age (FRA), her monthly amount would be less and she would be subject to Social Security's Annual Earnings Test (AET), which limits how much she can earn before her FRA. If the AET is exceeded, SS will take away \$1 for every \$2 her earnings are over the limit (they take away by withholding future benefits until the penalty is satisfied). The AET (\$23,400 for 2025 but changes yearly) is in effect until your wife reaches her full retirement age of 66 years and 10 months, after which she can earn as much as she likes without penalty. Since she plans to work full time until age 70, your wife should likely not claim Social Security before her FRA. As mentioned, claiming at age 70 is probably a more prudent financial option.

Since your wife expects to continue working, she should also know that her estimated benefit will likely increase assuming her more recent earnings are among the highest over her lifetime. Social Security will review current year earnings annually to see if her current earnings warrant a benefit increase (SS benefits are always based on the highest 35 years of work earnings, and that includes earnings even after SS benefit are started). Also, the estimates provided by SS do not include Cost of Living Adjustments (COLA) which typically occur annually. FYI, the average annual COLA increase over the past two decades has been about 2.5%.



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**The Holy Name Society of St. Mark's Church** is cordially inviting all residents

in North Buffalo to their Annual Fish Fry for the Lenten season on Palm Friday, April 11th and Good Friday, April 18th from 4:30pm-7:00pm in the School Hall, located at 399 Woodward Avenue. It's North Buffalo's finest Dine in or Takeout event featuring fish, clam and shrimp Dinners that come with fresh coleslaw and your choice of potato salad or fries. All money raised at the door continues the mission of St. Mark's Parish as one of the strongest Churches in North Buffalo.



**Nativity BVM:** A reunion for ALL YEARS of Nativity of the BVM School on Albany Street in Buffalo will be held July 20, 2025 at BUFFALO RIVER PAVILION (formerly FONTANA'S GROVE- 2299 Clinton Street, W. Seneca. Reservations are a must! Call Helen Brown Kurzdorfer at 716-400-7977 or Rosie DiLiberto Mendolera at 716-881-1306 before 5/15/25.





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Guest Columnist

# April Marks Distracted Driving Awareness Month

April is Distracted Driving Awareness Month, and state and local law enforcement are working to raise awareness about the dangers of distracted driving, the leading cause of accidents in New York State. The use of cell phones, particularly for texting, talking, and using social media, is the most common source of distraction. Just reading a text can take your eyes off the road for five seconds. This is equivalent to driving the length of an entire football field at 55 mph with your eyes closed. Other dangerous actions include adjusting the radio or built-in vehicle touchscreens, applying makeup, and eating or drinking while driving. By driving distracted, you are jeopardizing not only your life but also the lives of others, losing precious seconds that may be critical to avoiding a serious accident.

From April 7 to April 14,

the New York State Police will conduct "Operation Hang Up," a statewide enforcement initiative featuring increased patrols and checkpoints aimed at drivers using electronic devices.



To discourage drivers from talking on a cell phone without a hands-free device, texting, or using any electronic device, the state has established strict penalties. These penalties, from points on a driver's license, to potential suspension or revocation of the license, to monetary fines up to \$450.

Here are essential safety tips to follow:

- If you need to text, pull over and park your vehicle in a safe location.
- Designate a passenger as your "designated texter" to handle calls or messages for you.
- Do not scroll through apps while driving. If you're tempted to text, put your phone out of reach—in the trunk, glove box,

or back seat—until you reach your destination.

- If you find someone texting or distracted while driving, demand that they stop and concentrate on the road. No distractions are acceptable.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, distracted driving claims more than 3,200 lives every year. Remember: if an action requires your hands, eyes, or attention while driving, it is a distraction. Distracted driving is not just a risk for you; it poses a deadly threat to every driver, pedestrian, cyclist, and road worker nearby. One text or call could wreck it all!

It's important to remind your friends and family that if you're behind the wheel, your only focus should be on driving. Encourage them to join you in making a pledge not to drive distracted. Take the Erie County Clerk's Safe Driving Pledge to help avoid distractions and ensure that everyone gets home safely. Having a license to drive is an immense responsibility and privilege, not a right. We all want to travel our roads free from the hazards of distracted drivers. Share your "Don't Drive Distracted" pledge on social media to spread the message. Your commitment could save a life.

To receive your Erie County Clerk's Safe Driving Pledge, visit [www.erie.gov/clerk/teen-driver](http://www.erie.gov/clerk/teen-driver) or call 716-858-8864.

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Pop Quiz

Test your knowledge!

1) What do you call a person who has lived to the age of 100 years?

2) When were cigarette commercials banned from American television?

3) Whose life is depicted in the movie "Raging Bull"?

4) In which state are the Catskill Mountains located?

5) Which long-running TV drama was set in Cabot Cove, Maine?

6) How long is the ancient measurement called a cubit?

7) What is a dish called Cullen Skink?

8) A diamond is composed of which single element?

9) What country is home to the Baffin, Victoria and Ellesmere islands?

10) What is another name for the condition called "piloerection"?

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Thirty Pak.....53.25

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

Family Pak.....78.75

Large Cheese and One Item Pizza with Bucket of Wings (50) and 3 Bleu Cheese.

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Party Pak.....89.00

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)

Personal Specialty Pak.....99.80

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SUMMONS Supreme Court of New York, Erie County U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUALCAPACITY BUT SOLELYAS OWNER TRUSTEE FOR RCF 2 ACQUISITION TRUST, Plaintiff, -against- ROY M. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; CINDY L. SEELEY A/K/A CYNTHIA L. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; ROBERT J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; GARY R. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; LISA M. BROWN A/K/A LISA M. BAYS A/K/A LISA BROWN AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN

AND AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; KATHERINE M. BAYS AS ADMINIS-TRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAH-AN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; JESSICA L. MAGUD-ER AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; ADAM J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; MATTHEW J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN J. BAYS AS HEIR AND DIS-TRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CALLAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN AND HEIR AND DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS; UN-KNOWN HEIRS AND DISTRIBUTEES OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN A. BAYS;

UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DISTRIB-UTEES OF THE ESTATE OF ANNE CALLAHAN A/K/A ANNE F. CAL-LAHAN A/K/A ANN F. CALLAHAN; GIRL SCOUTS OF WESTERN NEW YORK, INC.; STATE OF NEW YORK CIVIL RECOVERIES BUREAU; NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (WESTERN DISTRICT) O/B/O INTERNAL REV-ENUE SERVICE; "JOHN DOE" AND "JANE DOE" said names being ficti-tious, it being the intention of Plaintiff to designate any and all occupants of premises being foreclosed herein, Defendants Index No. 807966/2024, Mortgaged Premises: 940 South Park Avenue Buffalo, NY 14210 Sec-tion: 122.51 Block: 3 Lot: 23 TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in the above captioned action and to serve a copy of your Answer on the Plaintiff's attor-ney within twenty (20) days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after completion of service where service is made in any other manner than by personal delivery within the State. The United States of America, if designated as a Defendant in this ac-tion, may answer or appear within sixty (60) days of service hereof. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT THE OBJECTIVE of the above cap-tioned action is to foreclose on on a Mortgage to secure \$20,900.00 and interest, recorded in the Erie County Clerk's Office on May 25, 2004 in Book 13164, Page 3570, Control Number 200405251540, covering the prem-ises known as 940 South Park Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14210. The relief sought herein is a final judgment directing sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the mort-gage described above. Plaintiff des-ignates Erie County as the place of trial. Venue is based upon the County in which the mortgaged premises is located. NOTICE YOU ARE IN DAN-GER OF LOSING YOUR HOME If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the an-

swer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judg-ment 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 your mortgage company will not stop this foreclosure action. YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE AN-SWER WITH THE COURT. FRIED-MAN VARTOLO, LLP 1325 Franklin Avenue, Suite 160 Garden City, NY 11530, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 19

Notice of Formation of (RMB Art & Design), LLC Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on (3/29/25). 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 (196 N Park Ave. Buffalo, NY 14216). Any lawful purpose. 19

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF ERIE CROSSCOUNTRY MORTGAGE, LLC, Plaintiff AGAINST JOHNATHAN SZOPINSKI, Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered March 3, 2025, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Closing Room of the Erie County Clerk's Office, 1st Floor, 92 Franklin Street, Buffalo NY on May 13, 2025 at 10:00AM, premises known as 271 Germania Street, AKA 269 Germania Street, Buffalo, NY 14220. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the City of Buffalo, County of Erie and State of New York, Section 123.77 Block 5 Lots 35 and 36. Approximate amount of judgment \$170,774.16 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index #812041/2024. Jeffrey C. Mannillo, Esq., Referee Gross Polowy, LLC 1775 Wehrle Drive Williamsville, NY 14221 24-000416 85 039 18

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION, CARE AND PROTECTION, TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS, DOCKET NUMBER:

25CP0012BK, Trial Court of Massachusetts, Juvenile Court Department, COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Plymouth County Juvenile Court, 215 Main Street, Suite 270, Brockton, MA 02301. 508-586-4030. TO: Sebrun Daniels and any Unknown/Unnamed father of: Kyrie Louis-Jean: A petition has been presented to this court by DCF Brockton Office, seeking, as to the following child, Kyrie Louis-Jean, that said child be found in need of care and protection and committed to the Department of Children and Families. The court may dispense the rights of the person(s) named herein to receive notice of or to consent to any legal proceeding affecting the adoption, custody, or guardianship or any other disposition of the child named herein, if it finds that the child is in need of care and protection and that the best interests of the child would be served by said disposition.

You are hereby ORDERED to appear in this court, at the court address set forth above, on the following date and time: 06/30/2025 at 09:00 AM Status Hearing You may bring an attorney with you. If you have a right to an attorney and if the court determines that you are indigent, the court will appoint an attorney to represent you.

If you fail to appear, the court may proceed on that date and any date thereafter to a trial on the merits and adjudication of this matter. For further information call the Office of the Clerk-Magistrate at 508-586-4030.

WITNESS: Hon. Thomasina Johnson, FIRST JUSTICE, DATE ISSUED: 03/19/2025, Kathleen Baptiste, Clerk-Magistrate.

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