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Borderland Music & Arts Festival 5th Annual Celebration this Weekend in E. Aurora



By KATE BARTLETT

Borderland Music and Arts Festival is celebrating its 5th year this weekend, September 15-17 at scenic Knox Farm State Park in East Aurora, NY. This three-day music and cultural festival celebrates the rich history and renaissance of the region in one of the most historic and

picturesque parks in the area. This year's line-up includes moe., Goose, Trey Anastasio with Classic TAB, along with many others.

Jennifer Brazill is owner and founder of Borderland Music + Arts Festival. She is also the owner of Rail Rider Jamboree

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Ellicottville Rock N' Roll Festival Annual Kickoff to Fall Festivities this Weekend



By KATE BARTLETT

This upcoming weekend, September 15-17, marks the annual Ellicottville Rock 'N Roll weekend (see schedule, page 10). This family friendly festival features over 15 regional bands performing throughout the village, all free of charge. Sunday brings the

annual car and truck show with over 250 vehicles from 12-5pm. Queen City – A Tribute to Queen takes the Ellicottville Winery Main Stage at 1pm (story, page 7), and Terry Buckwald's tribute to Elvis entertains Sunday at 2 at the Village Gazebo. Also on Sunday afternoon, Ava Grace

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10,000 Maniacs Revival Tour Tour Kick-Off in Jamestown, September 20



By JESSICA MILLER

Renowned band 10,000 Maniacs is returning to Jamestown this coming Wednesday September 20 for the first Fall performance of their Revival Tour. This begins the first set of shows with new lead singer Leigh Nash and guitarist Matt Slocum assuming their roles after former singer Mary Ramsey and guitarist Jeff Erickson stepped down in

July. Nash and Slocum may be recognized from their time as members of Sixpence None the Richer and their hit song "Kiss Me".

10,000 Maniacs began in 1981 as the Jamestown band Still Life. The band lineup changed through-out the years and after a brief stint of the band name being Burn Victims, the band

SEE "MANIACS" PAGE 10

"That's 'a Spicy Meat-Brawl!" Breaking Bread & Raising Funds for Local Charities



By JESSICA MILLER

Mohawk Street in Buffalo will once again be shut down due to a brawl on September 24th. And readers should definitely bring the kids along to be part of it.

But this particular run out in the streets is all in good fun and in the name of supporting some good causes. The seventh annual Meatball Street Brawl will once again give Western

New York's finest culinary talent the opportunity to demonstrate their kitchen might to ticket holders.

Of course, the Buffalo Bills vs Washington Commanders game will be playing during the festivities, so no one has to choose between meatballs and football. "Everybody is hungry for the competition to

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Cuba Garlic Festival

18th Annual Celebration this Weekend



CUBA, NY - The 18th Annual Cuba Garlic Festival will take place this Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16 and 17, at McKinley Stables Block Barn at Empire City Farms south of Cuba on Rte 305. This event, presented by the Cuba, NY Chamber of Commerce, includes free parking, door prizes, giveaways, over 125 vendors, LIVE music, an amateur wine tasting contest, cooking demonstrations, as well as many other free and fun educational events. Tickets are \$8 at the gate and ages 10 and under are free. No pets are allowed on the grounds. New this year, you have the option to avoid festival traffic! Park at Fireman's Park, located at 100 Center St. \$10 will provide you with a shuttle ride to the festival, entry to the festival, and shuttle ride back to your car.

The popular Cooking Demos will be taking place in the Stinkin' Rose Tent on both September 16 and 17 at the Mckinley Stables grounds. All

SEE STORY "GARLIC" PAGE 10

Inside Business: Cygaro Cigar Club

The Newest Spark in the Village of Ellicottville



By SARA GOODE

Cigar lovers seeking a speakeasy feel will want to light up and kick back at Cygaro cigar club and lounge. Nestled above the new Mexican restaurant, Hidalgo Grill, on 32 Washington Street in Ellicottville, NY with a view overlooking the heart of the village, Cygaro Cigar Club and Lounge has recently opened its doors to the public. When you walk into Cygaro, holy smokes, the ambiance immediately immerses you and takes you away like you're in a whole other world with its classic and luxurious atmosphere that is filled with the delicious aromas from the smoke of fine tobacco. You truly feel like you stepped back in time and entered a space of sophistication, class and relaxation. It is a new, distinctive experience in the village.

This luxury lounge is a place where people go to enjoy company, share stories, create new ones

SEE STORY "CYGARO" PAGE 7

Publisher's Word

"This Weekend Abounds with Festivities!"



From Chautauqua County to Cattaraugus and into Allegany this weekend is bursting with Fall Festivities. What are you in the mood for? Bemus Point has their Fall Festival lined up for you; Ellicottville is Rockin' with their annual Rock N' Roll Festival complete with their ever-popular Classic Car Show and Cuba Lake is serving up some divine dishes at their Garlic Festival. There are bands to be experienced and endeavors to be learned. You will read all about them on these pages. As always, thank you for spending some time with us during your weekend. We enjoy putting these pages together for you more than you know. If you have an idea you would like to share with our readers, please contact us directly: info@thevillager.com or 716-699-2058, we look forward to learning more!

Until next week, enjoy the read! Yours in writing, Jeanine Caprino Zimmer



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Pumpkinville Opens this Weekend

Family Fall Attraction Moments Away from Ellicottville

From mid-September through October, Pumpkinville is open for fun, food and excitement.

Enjoy the Hayrides, Pumpkinville Express Train, Pumpkin Jumpin' Pillows, Pedal Karts, Di's Pies & Bake Shoppe, Cow Train, Gem Mining and Storyland. Visit the 6-acre corn maze to find messages and win prizes. Weather permitting, you can take a helicopter ride and view the fall foliage.

Take home some of their famous pumpkin donuts, homemade pumpkin bread, pumpkin pie, ket-tle corn, caramel apples, fudge, jam, maple products and more. Watch cider being pressed using a cider mill over 125 years



old. And save room for their delicious Chicken BBQ if you visit Saturday or Sunday.

There are also pumpkins galore - select the perfect pumpkin for your jack-o-lantern or for fall decorations, or purchase a painted pumpkin. Pumpkinville is open

daily mid-September thru October 31 from 9am - 7pm rain or shine. They close at 5pm on Halloween. They are located at 4844 Sugartown Road Great Valley, NY 14741 and can be reached by calling 716-699-2205, or visit their website: www.pumpkinville.com.

Busti Apple Festival

Expanded to Two Days, September 23 & 24



The Busti Apple Festival will once again fill the Busti Historical Society's 1850 campus. "We are excited to expand the festival to two days, both Saturday, September 23, 12noon-pm, and Sunday, September 24, 11am-5pm. The times are different for each day because of the Town of Busti Bicentennial Parade on Saturday," said Carl Schultz, Board President, "we have also been working on a new entrance and parking area for the festival and other campus uses." Parking this year will be on the Busti Historical property located off the Busti-Sugar Grove Road just south of the 5-point intersection. Admission is still only \$5 per

adult and children under 12 are free. The traditional event is held rain or shine. No pets are allowed on the grounds.

"The festival is expanded to two days this year to give our guests more time to enjoy both the Bicentennial carnival and the Apple Festival," said Schultz. The festival features many volunteers who will be demonstrating old-time everyday activities that are no longer done by hand. Apples, cider and homemade fruit pies are for sale to benefit the Society as will The Country Store, filled with handmade items.

The event features the restored 1836 grist mill. The mill is one of only a few working mills left in the northeast. Along with the mill is the miller's house which is being lovingly restored to its 1846 elegance. Flour, corn meal, and buckwheat flour, all ground at the mill will be available for purchase. The mill will be running throughout the festival with educational tours available. "The campus also has a museum about Busti history with several hands-on exhibits for children. With a grant award

from the Lenna Foundation the Society hired an exhibit and collections consultant to update the exhibits," said Joni Blackman, board of directors' secretary and grant writer, "even if you have been to the museum every year - this year will be different."

The Busti Historical Society volunteers have worked on the twenty-acre campus over the past three years, with support from the Chautauqua Region Community Foundation, to provide a safer place for vendors and guests to enjoy the event. Over 75 vendors will be selling handmade items, ten food trucks are expected to be on the campus along with the 25-plus demonstrators and live music. Pony and carriage rides will be available on Sunday.

This year's sponsors are Wilcox Brothers True Value, Lakewood Rod & Gun Club, Geraci & Co., Inc., The Bucket Café, Peter-son Funeral Home, Buck Trucking, Inc., GJL Services/Greg Lepley, Lake Shore Paving. Additional information can be found on the Busti Historical Society's Facebook page, facebook.com/bustihistoricalandsociety.



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EVL Village Life: View from My Porch

Mary Kay Sturdevant, "There's No Business like Funny Business"



PHOTOS & COLUMN
BY, GARY MALICKI

They say that laughter is the closest distance between two people. The lesson of that expression was intensified by a chance meeting that became the subject of this story as part of my EVL travels.

While strolling around the Tri-County Arts Council's Fine Art & Craft Market, I paused to speak to one of the participants. When I asked one of the artists if I can take their picture for *The Villager* I heard a voice behind me who interjected something positive about the newspaper, that garnered my attention and I began speaking to this person.

It was a lady whose name is Mary Kay Sturdevant and I quickly learned that she was a Certified Music Practitioner & Certified Laugh Leader... and so much more. Based in Olean, her business is called, "HTML", an acronym for Healing through Music & Laughter.

Instantly intrigued, I invited her to meet over coffee for an interview. She was only in town for a few days and I realized there was something very interesting here.

Healing through music, after experiencing a near fatal accident, was a moment of inspiration for Mary Kay. She comes from a musical family and sang regularly in church.

Spending some time as an addiction counselor was only part of her achievements. Others include a sound journey with 30 people at the Pfeiffer Nature Center combining ocean sounds with that of the mountains.

She previously facilitated a laughter day event with the Mayor of Olean at the Cutco Theater. At Jamestown Community College she hosted 100 people



hysterically laughing and enjoying the benefits of sound healing. I did a little homework on the subject and discovered that live music can reduce blood pressure, accelerate physical healing, as well as relieve stress and body tension...and so much more. Being aware of these benefits, Mary Kay studied sound healing and spent some time comforting hospice patients. She says she has worked with people from birth through end of life making this a spiritual experience. She's definitely not shy as she demonstrated her talent by standing up and playing a flute which is one of her many instruments, some of which she makes herself. We later went to the trunk of her vehicle where she displayed some of the other instruments including a large bamboo piece and African drum. She also sang one of the song choices she uses during her laughing therapy. "One of the best things", says Mary Kay, "is when you're laughing, you can't think" as this helps in the therapeutic process. She got involved with and

added Laughter Leading to her repertoire after taking a weekend course on the subject. While discussing her experience in that role, she attached a bright red clown nose to her face to emphasize the humor of it all! While leading a laugh circle, she hands out the clown noses to participants by the gross and has distributed them to doctors, politicians, office workers and "anywhere in between". She also swims frequently as water is important to her in the healing process as well. I have to admit that Mary Kay has quite the compelling and even entertaining personality and believes in her ideologies with an unbridled passion. She not only caters to groups but will help individuals through a healing process with her expert abilities. Thank you, Mary Kay, for sharing the amazing details of your life with me. Meanwhile, wherever you go and wherever you are...you never know who may be standing beside or behind you with a great story inside of them.

The Trip of a Lifetime: 10 Days in Israel

Little Valley Resident to Speak of Her Journeys this Saturday

BY DELAINEY MUSCATO
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Vickey Jarrett, part-time Little Valley resident, just returned from a life-changing journey to Israel. She shared her incredible experience with me recently. This Saturday, September 16th she will be sharing her story with the First Congregational Church of Little Valley. This event is open to everyone.

Jarrett officially departed for Israel June 11th of this year and returned on June 22nd. She shared with me that her and her husband had been planning to go for many years, but life always ended up getting in the way. Though her husband unfortunately passed a few years ago, she was offered the opportunity to go with some friends from Louisiana. Jarrett said, "Their church was organizing a trip and they let me know early last year. I jumped on the opportunity to go with friends. It was nice to have people there that I knew already". While the country of Israel is not a huge land, about the size of



New Jersey, Jarrett shared they traveled to many different historical sites. She said, "Every day was anywhere from four to five locations. It was packed with adventure". Jarrett explained the entire geographical layout of the country to me and shared that she learned all this from her guides while in Israel. She had nothing but praise for her highly qualified tour guides and the company the trip was

planned through: Pilgrim Tours. This company has been helping plan trips just like this one since 1987. On a trip like this, there could be no shortage of meaningful moments. Jarrett reflected on several moments from her time in Israel and told me of a few that were the most moving to her. One moment occurred when her group

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Mardi Gras 6 Pack Chair Lift Construction

Excitement Builds for New Season and New Lift @ Holiday Valley



The old Mardi Gras lift has been shipped off to Corralco, Chile and the haul rope is spliced and up on the towers. The Mountain Crew has been building the new chairs and installing them on the cable. Electrical work is being done on the new lift houses. They are getting closer!

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which she started at Holiday Valley in 2021. Jennifer got her start working in the music industry with the Dave Matthews Band over 20 years ago, and has been working in the industry since (visit <https://www.jenniferbrazill.com> for more information).

Jennifer started the Borderland festival 6 years ago in 2018 after moving back to her hometown of East Aurora from the West Coast. "The festival is a two-day, grassroots, boutique music and arts festival cultivated around community and sustainability. We take over 15 acres of beautiful space at Knox Farm State Park where we build 3 stages, an artisan craft village, kids' area, food court, bars and beyond. We really create a beautiful space that is family friendly, yet feels like you have walked into a Woodstock vibe, of 2022."

Borderland features a mix of national, regional and local artists. Past festivals have highlighted many Grammy Award winning artists including legendary Mavis Staples, John Oates from Hall and Oates, Warren Haynes and Gov't Mule, 7-time Grammy winner Jason Isbell. This year's festival features a well-rounded out lineup with something for everyone. Headliners include the lead singer from Phish, Trey Anastasio with Classic TAB, the well-known band Goose, who just sold out 12,000 seats at SPAC, and Buffalo legendary band moe.

Various other bands over the three day festival include Sammy Ray & The Friends, the upbeat female-led band with Brass Band accompaniment, Dawes, known for their popular Americana style, and the 502s, playing Lumineers-like pop style sounds. Visit



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<https://borderlandfestival.com/lineup> for full line-up and schedule of events.

This is the first year Borderland will be a three-day festival. "We decided to spread the event over the course of the entire weekend for a variety of reasons. First, it allows us to celebrate The Bills home game on Sunday together. It also gave us the opportunity have two late nights, Friday and Saturday, and a more laid-back festival on Sunday, ending a bit earlier." Guests still have the option for a one-day pass for three-day event ticket, with kids 10 and under free with an adult ticket.

The venue of Knox Farm is a beautiful 633-acre State Park with a rich history. "Knox Farm is a microcosm of our entire region with its unique habitat variety including grasslands, hayfields, pastures, woodlands, ponds and wetlands." The festival takes advantage of the expansive grounds, utilizing many of its acres. Local craft vendors set up their shops in the horse stables in the over 100-year old barn, yoga takes place Saturday and Sunday mornings at 9am outside

the Knox Mansion, and guests are free to explore the trails and grounds at their leisure.

This year also marks the first designated mocktail area. "We've partnered with Trae Anastasio's non-profit organization "Divided Sky" which supports sober living to create this space. It's such a great opportunity to support a great cause and raise awareness, while enjoying a variety of delicious mocktails."

As always, Borderland has a heavy focus on sustainability and will be a plastic free site. Not only are there separate receptacles for compost and recycling, but the Borderland green team sorts the trash to find any food scraps that could be composted, or anything that can be recycled. "We take the green initiative very seriously and we always try to do one step better than before. All food scraps from the festival are sent to Farmer's Pirate to be composted and offer free water stations for water refills (instead of disposable plastic bottles) and sell stainless steel

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and enjoy the finer things in life. Susan Baryza from Hamburg, NY who had just migrated to Ellicottville is the brilliant mind that vivified Cygaro. Susan had worked in the healthcare business as a RN for 25 years and decided it was time for a change of career which led her to be an entrepreneur. Susan has quite the knack for what she does, a natural ability proven from what she has built while making an outstanding contribution to the Ellicottville experience with her ideas and skills.



and businesses unfold, she brings her vision to life.

Susan wanted a speakeasy vibe which is obviously perfect for a cigar lounge, and yes, she did deliver. As I entered the lounge for the first time, I felt my inner "Sinatra chords" struck. I immediately noticed the eye-catching vintage decor, the color scheme, lounge furniture, antique lamps, ash trays and glassware; it all takes you back in time and gives you that speakeasy feel. It's a lounge of luxury, beautifully crafted with a cozy atmosphere. There is a large humidor that glows and is filled with a variety of top-notch cigar brands and flavors from all over the world such as Partagas, Macanudo and my personal favorite Cohiba. You can also upscale your experience at Cygaro and pair your cigar with the fancy accessories they offer as well such as lighters and cigar cutters. Cygaro is also in the works of getting a liquor license, which will be a great addition to the lounge experience. **Smoky Manhattan anyone? Or do you prefer the casual Jack and Smoke?** Susan is currently having cigar

humidor lockers crafted for the lounge that will arrive soon, giving the guests the real VIP experience.

Cygaro also offers memberships you can subscribe to conveniently right on their website, cygarocigarclubandlounge.com there are different memberships they offer to suit your needs. Select memberships will include the cigar humidor locker rental, a 10 percent discount on cigars and more. Cygaro will also be holding special events and, as a select member, you will receive notification of all special events and will have first choice for private event rentals.

Cygaro is an exciting new addition to the village of Ellicottville bringing a more refined experience to anyone who visits over a nice cigar. Cygaro Cigar Club and Lounge is open Thursday-Friday 4-9pm, Saturday 1-9pm and Sunday 1-7pm. Follow Cygaro Cigar Club on Facebook and Instagram and also visit their websites for additional information. Step into Cygaro for a classic experience, smoke 'em if you got 'em!

Artist Spotlight: Mark Marinaccio

Founder and Musician of "Queen City" – A Tribute to Queen



Mark Marinaccio tests out the grand piano in the lobby of the Statler in Buffalo.

By KATE BARTLETT

This weekend, September 15-17, marks an Ellicottville favorite - the annual Rock 'n' Roll Weekend. "Queen City - A Tribute to Queen", takes the Winery of Ellicottville Main Stage Saturday at 1pm, playing two free outdoor sets. Hailing from Buffalo, Queen City is Western New York's finest tribute to rock hall-of-famers, Queen. The band features Mark Marinaccio (keyboards), Scott Panfil (vocals), Jason Neubauer (guitar), Joe Goretta (drums) and Paul Yates (bass).

Queen City was founded by Mark Marinaccio, who is also band manager, or "band dad" as the other members affectionately call him. His résumé is versatile, as he is an accomplished educator, composer, arranger and producer - and, of course, performer.

As most musicians do, Mark started as a student. His first teacher and inspiration was Paul Marinario, an acclaimed jazz vocalist based in Chicago, and Mark's

uncle. "All children have inherent ability; it just takes something to ignite it." Mark started piano lessons at age six and, due to their relaxed nature, music never felt like work. "I grew up in an extended family of music-lovers, in which exploration and creativity was encouraged. I received a formal education at my grandmother's house from a familiar face."

During high school, Mark took both piano and saxophone lessons from a Buffalo legend, the late Salvatore "Sam" Scamacca (Buffalo Music Hall of Fame Recipient 2001). "I learned almost everything I know about harmony from Sam. We shared a birthday. Although he was my grandfather's age, he was my friend. He was a mentor and idol. I adored him." It was a surprise change of plans that launched Mark into the educational field.

"One day, when I was 17, I showed up for my lesson and Sam told me I would be teaching his lessons for the day. I was terrified but Sam told me it was time, and he was right." Mark

would maintain a studio of pianists, aged five to 75. "It was baptism by fire, and I haven't stopped teaching since."

Mark was involved in various ensembles while in the West Seneca school system, and even played football for most of his adolescence. "My teammates called me names because I was a musician, and the music kids called me a 'jock.' I loved both, so I did both."

Mark moved on to college at Fredonia. It was there that he took a deep dive into piano repertoire, composition, orchestration and a cappella music. His love of arranging began as co-director and resident arranger for an a cappella group and in year three, he was elected Director of Vocal Jazz Ensemble. His eight-piece college band, BeArthur, smashed together jazz, dance, funk and a full horn section. They released an album, "Welcome to the Ongoing" (2006).

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Israel
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stopped along the Jordan River. "We were at the southern tip of the Sea of Galilee where the Jordan [River] starts to flow out into the sea. We could choose to be baptized again or baptized for the first time. I chose to rededicate my life to Christ in a baptism there. That was just a

wonderful experience to be baptized actually in the Jordan River" Jarrett told me. Another fantastic experience Jarrett shared was her time on a boat in the Sea of Galilee. "While we were out there, one of the gentlemen taught us to dance to Hava Nagila, which is a Jewish wedding song. It was a fun time for us to relax. It was beautiful" Jarrett said. The last four days of Jarrett's trip were spent in Jerusalem. She

described it as a bustling city that is divided into four different religious sections. Jarrett's group traveled to each of the four sections. She commented on how she could tell when entering a different section of Jerusalem. She said, "You could see it in the people out on the street for just a normal day of work or whatever. Our guide also told us, you could see it in the architecture that had a lot of historical background".

On the very last day of their trip, Jarrett's group was able to share a very special moment in an extraordinary place. "Our last day we got to go to The Garden Tomb. We went with our pastor, and we sat in an area they have prepared where you take communion. It was very emotional, very moving", Jarrett shared. This was another one of the most memorable moments of the whole trip for her. An important tip Jarrett

mentioned was booking the trip through an agency. She mentioned friends of hers went individually and they rented a car for themselves. They were denied access to some things Jarrett's group was able to see. For example, Jarrett shared that they were able to walk through Hezekiah's Tunnels, one of the religious highlights of the trip; her friends that went individually, however were not able to access this area. Of the tunnels, Jarrett

said, "You're walking on stones that are 2,100 years old. You're walking on stones that Jesus walked on when he came into Jerusalem". If you were to take this trip, this location would be something you would not want to miss. Jarrett highly recommends the trip if you have the means. She is excited to share her speech with the church and hopes to inspire others to embark on this amazing journey.

Event Recap: Rochester Clothesline Festival

Last Weekend's Festival Showcased Photography, Painting, Belly-Dancing And Much More Artistry



Pictures Left to Right: Photographer David Lawrence Reade's booth at the M & T Clothesline Festival in Rochester last weekend, 4 belly-dancers perform for the audience, This quilt was created at the Clothesline Festival by visitors who designed squares. Photos/Verbiage: Barbara Arnstein

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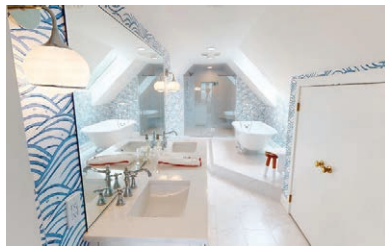


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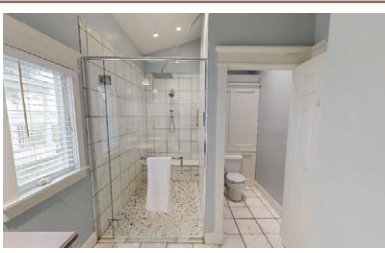
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Garlic

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activities are coordinated by Debra Burch, Associate Professor and Chair of the Alfred State College (ASC) Culinary Arts program on the Wellsville campus. There will be cooking demonstrations and contests all throughout the days on Saturday and Sunday. The winners of the Carlos Wood Amateur Wine Contest will be announced Sunday from 2:30-4pm.

As always, the Garlic Festival will feature a variety of musical entertainment. Opening ceremony on Saturday morning will kick off with the Cuba-Rushford Central School Pop Group and Jazz Band. Josh Whiteman will perform at 12:30, followed by Casual Remix at 2pm. At 4pm, the Johnny Bauer Band will perform. On Sunday, the Chillbillys will start the day at 10am, followed by The Garlic Band at 12noon. Soul Medic featuring Julia Weatherholtz will wrap up the music for the day at 2pm. Bag Piper Beth Goldsmith and 23 Skidoo will be roaming the grounds throughout the weekend, entertaining all with their musical talents.

There are many activities for children at the Garlic Festival as well. On Saturday, kids have the opportunity to do



The 18th Annual Cuba Garlic Festival will take place this Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16 and 17, at McKinley Stables Block Barn at Empire City Farms south of Cuba on Rte 305. This event, presented by the Cuba, NY Chamber of Commerce, includes free parking, door prizes, giveaways, over 125 vendors, LIVE music, an amateur wine tasting contest, cooking demonstrations, as well as many other free and fun educational events.

Goat Yoga at 12noon, and participate in other kids' yoga sessions throughout the day. Nick Mambretti will put on his Super Hilarious Magic Show at 1& 3pm. On Sunday, Bwana Jim's Wildlife Show will be at the festival all day—visit up close and personal with his animals starting at 9am, with shows at 11am & 2pm.

Popular local artist Eric Jones, well-known for his pumpkin carving and caricatures, will also show-case his talents at the festival. Be sure to catch

other special guests this weekend including Blacksmith Tom O'Connor, Niagara County Sheriff's Department K9 unit demonstration, Garlic Seed Foundation speaker Bob Dunkel, Garlic Braiding demonstration by Michelle Scutt, Mr. Scribbles, Allegany County Cooperative Extension, Alfred State Western Equestrian Team, Winning Edge Horse Club, Mural Artist Vincent Alejandro, and New York State Birding and Nature Specialist Tim Baird.

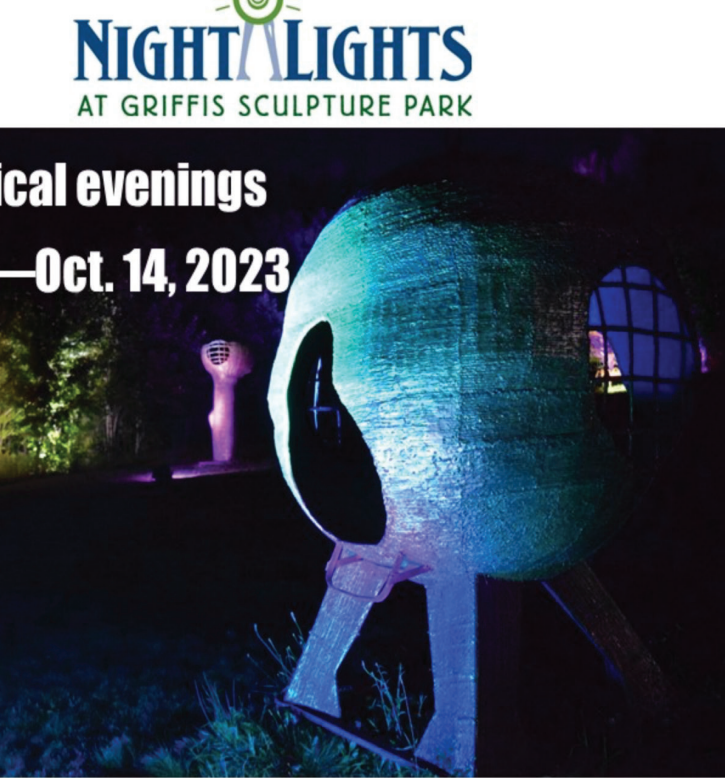
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start – both on the football field and on West Mohawk. We're gearing up for our seventh year of 'Meatball Street Brawl,' and we are excited to make this year's event the biggest, best, and tastiest one yet," promises Meatball Street Brawl founder and owner Osteria 166 in Buffalo and Villaggio in Ellicottville, Nick Pitillo.

Competition for the coveted meatball titles promises to once again get spicy. Attendees will get to vote for their favorites as a panel of celebrity judges will select who claims the 2023 championship belts for Best Traditional (Menu) Meatball and Best Freestyle Meatball. Current vendors and contenders can be found on the event website <https://meatballstreetbrawl.com/>. Attendees can win too—a chance to have a Bills tailgate at an away game is a prize any Street Brawl ticket holder would covet.

Enjoying the Italian staple isn't just for fun, however. Ticket proceeds will go to multiple good causes that help people



"We're gearing up for our seventh year of 'Meatball Street Brawl,' and we are excited to make this year's event the biggest, best, and tastiest one yet," promises Meatball Street Brawl founder and owner Osteria 166 in Buffalo and Villaggio in Ellicottville, Nick Pitillo (pictured).

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seventh incarnation is sure to help these groups continue their important work.

Advance tickets can be purchased online from the event website or in person at Osteria 166 (166 Franklin St, downtown Buffalo). General admission tickets are \$25 presale and \$30 at the door; VIP tickets are \$125 and children under eight have free admission. Tickets include beer, antacids, brea, and all you care to eat meatballs.

Maniacs

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known as 10,000 Maniacs began to emerge. After the song "My Mother the War" became an independent single UK hit in 1983, the band toured Great Britain in 1983 and 1984. This helped attract US major label attention, which led to their 1987 album In My Tribe becoming a hit and establishing 10,000 Maniacs as a Billboard charting act. The band enjoyed successes

like performing at President Bill Clinton's Inaugural Ball and a subsequent MTV Unplugged performance and album. Subsequent label changes and lineup changes throughout the years have kept 10,000 Maniacs active and involved in local and national music scenes.

The Fall leg of Revival will begin September 20 at Jamestown Community College's Scharmann The-ater (525 Falconer St, Jamestown) at 7:30. Tickets are \$35 and can be purchased on the band's website (maniacs.com).



Newest members Leigh Nash and guitarist Matt Slocum may be recognized from their time as members of Sixpence None the Richer and their hit song "Kiss Me".

Attendees can enjoy a blend of Sixpence None the Richer hits, classic 10,000 Maniacs hits, and "a few other surprises as well."



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Saturday, September 16, 2023

1pm: Queen Tribute (Monroe St. Main Stage), Winery of Ellicottville
2pm: The Chillbillys, Gin Mill
6pm: Iron Eye Experience, EVL Taqueria
6:30pm: 90 West, Balloons Restaurant
6:30pm: LTM Trio, Silver Fox Rest.
7pm: Jay McDonnell, 12 Gates Brewing
7pm: The Son Band, EVL Brewing Co
8pm: 3.5 Band, Finnerty's
8pm: Live & Kickin', Gin Mill
10pm: Those Guys, Balloons Restaurant

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Jamestown Exhibit: "Natural Selection"

Group Art Exhibition on Beauty of Nature, Need for Conservation

By MILES HILTON



Ash Pickering's series Minutiae presented the tiniest of forest life-forms - insects, fungi, lichen - in technicolor pen and ink.

children's books. Through this style she hopes to remind adults of "the way you felt when you saw something for the first time as a child," the awe, wonder, and curiosity that are the roots of artistic and scientific exploration. Her work may seem geared at children on the surface, but it gives the adult viewer an invaluable gift: to rekindle the inner spark that must animate us.

Ash Pickering's series Minutiae presented the tiniest of forest life-forms - insects, fungi, lichen - in technicolor pen and ink. "My creative process always begins with inspiration from my experiences, stories I hear, or sometimes dreams I have. I am a frequent hiker and being deep in nature has become my most consistent source of artistic inspiration." says Pickering. "Each place I adventure to is home to countless unique, diverse species, many of which are so small that they are easy to miss" she continues, stating that she "wanted to create a body of work that celebrates these tiny lifeforms".

received grants from the Statewide Community Regrant program as well as from the United Arts Appeal of Chautauqua County Projects Pool Grants Program.

The only photographer in the group, Jennifer Bittner's work focused both on the small - close-ups of flowers and mushrooms - and the large - double-exposed, beautifully-lit shots of forest canopies and horizon-lines.

Angela Caley's series, My Life Outside, "depicts just that, Angela's travels, from her favorite canyons and deserts to the summits of the Adirondack Mountains" says the artist. Part of her series is composed of striking landscapes while part features paintings of symbolic, surreal scenes that immediately recall Dalí. Throughout, a bright color Caley calls "Papou Blue" which was her Papou (Greek for 'grandfather') "favorite color", is present. Caley "paints her nails 'Papou Blue' before any big hike or trip to the backcountry, and she uses it in all of her work since

SEE "EXHIBIT", RIGHT



WEEKLY SYNOPSIS
By BARBARA ARNSTEIN

Before the play begins, two sets of months-old identical twin boys, are on a ship with the parents of one set.

The ship sinks, and each twin is rescued with a non-twin.

They don't get to reunite with their own twins as they're growing up because communication in those

"Comedy of Errors"

days stank. When the play begins, we find one duo living in the same household, because one is the servant of the other.

Their long-lost twin siblings happen to arrive in their town. One is likewise the servant of the other, and the four only share two names. So things get very confusing very fast.

The town-twin's wife mistakes her brother-in-law for her hubby. (So she serves him a meal at home. What were YOU thinking?)

During dinner, his (actually single) traveler-twin flirts with his sister-in-law's (single) sister.

A gold chain ordered by the non-servant town-twin

is given to his traveler-twin by mistake, so a big problem arises at payment-time, when the town-twin says, "Chain? What chain?"

Due to all the confusion, the town-twin's wife soon thinks her hubby's lost his marbles, and he's furious about the weird way his wife is acting.

In the end, all four twins wind up at the local abbey, where they're finally reunited, everything is straightened out, and it looks as though the guy attracted to his sister-in-law will wind up marrying her. Plus there's a bonus happy ending: the parents of the non-servant twins are also reunited!

Exhibit

CONT. FROM LEFT

her grandfather's passing to express the idea that he is still a part of everything she does and that she feels him with her in every moment." Of this series, Caley says "I have never had such focus when it's come to my work. I spent 50-70 hours a week since May to create this series [...] The next series is already taking up space in my brain and I can't wait to see it."

Additionally, two experts spoke at the event from their own perspectives about the interconnectedness of the natural world and the human experience. Dr. Elizabeth Burgess, marine biologist, spoke about the amazing diversity of life on this planet, and the many ways that species complement and depend on each other. Kara Bemis spoke as an

environmental organizer and activist. Bemis stressed the importance of being informed about the many ways the climate crisis - a more accurate term, she stresses, than either 'climate change' or 'global warming' - is already impacting lives in Chautauqua County and across the country.

Art is an extension of personal experience, something that comes across very clearly in the varied works of "Natural Selection". Each artist offers us a taste of her understanding of the natural world - it's beauty, it's endangerment, it's likeness with ourselves - and I came away from their offering refreshed and hopeful.

If you'd like the same experience, "Natural Selection" will remain on view at Pearl City Clay House during its normal business hours - Wednesday 3-8pm, Thursday and Friday 12-8pm, and Saturday 10-8pm - until October 26th.



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What's Shaking in EVL

Whether Outside or In, Live Music is Always Available

By: MOUTH SAY TONGUE

Well it's Rock-n-Roll Weekend and that means a great classic car show and lots of music. Let's see who's playing where.

The seven day weekend starts on Thursday at Balloons for Burger and Brew Night from 4-10pm. \$15 gets you a burger and any beer with house made chips. This week the music is provided by The Girls of Grosh from 6-9pm. These very talented ladies play a rock/pop/blues/alt set of originals and covers.

The Gin Mill's Thursday offering is The Chillbillys from 8-11pm. This duo plays a rock/pop/country/blues set of covers and originals. Sample some of the 37 beers on tap while you listen to some fine guitar riffs and sweet vocal harmonies.

FRIDAY

Taqueria is first up with Jason Wedlock from 6-9 pm. Jason play a rock/folk/blues/bluegrass set of covers.

Balloons is back with Darkwater Duo and Company from 6:30-10pm on the main stage. This Bradford band plays a rock/pop/country/alt set of covers and originals that are very danceable. In the back bar Jared Roswell Hinn, who happens to play keyboards for Darkwater will play a rock/pop/jazz/ alt set of covers. Dj Kage will be layin down the sauce so you can do the floss on the two dance floors from 10-2am.

Ellicottville Brewing Company will host Dj Gil-

roy from 7-11pm in the nub bar. Try the watermelon crunch salad with grilled shrimp. My favorite.

The Gin Mill is back with Two Guys Drinking sneer from 8-12am. These long time favorites play a rock/pop/blues/roots set of covers. Try some of the 37 beers on tap. Then you'll be one of the guys drinking beer.

FTR joins the party with Fritz The Cat from 8-11pm. Fritz plays a folk/pop/swing set of covers while having a great time.

Madigans will have the deck rockin with Dj Persia from 8-2am. Puttin the funk in the trunk so you can shake your junk in the wind-down.

SATURDAY

The Gin Mill kicks it off with the return of The Chillbillys from 2-5pm. Have a late lunch or early dinner while you listen to some fine music. Live & Kickin takes the stage from 8-12am. They play a multi genre set of covers that are very danceable. Check out the Carriage House Sidebar for some high end cocktails.

Madigans gets into the spirit with The Rig from 5-8pm. They tell me they play everything from The Stones to The Clash. Dj SI will follow in the sound booth from 9-2am.

Taqueria is up next with Iron Eye Experience from 6-9pm. They play a rock/blues/rockabilly set of covers. Try Evl's only Tex-Mex menu.

We're back at Balloons for 90 West from 6:30-10pm. This band plays old and new country. The back

bar will host Those Guys from 10-1am. They play everything from Goo Goo Dolls to Johnny Cash. Dj KT Stylez will burn up the sound booth with a groove so you can bust a move from 10-2am.

Villaggio is a player with Major 3rds from 7-10 pm. They play pop and acoustic rock featuring three part harmonies.

Ellicottville Brewing Company is back with SON (full band) from 7-10pm. They play blues/r&b/jazz/ pop covers and originals.

FTR is back with The 3.5 Band from 7-10pm. These guys play classic rock covers for you dancers.

SUNDAY

The Gin Mill is back again with Lower Town Trio from 2-5pm. These guy play rock and rockabilly originals and covers. Try the latest kitchen in town open till 10pm sun-thurs and 11pm fri-sat. Open for breakfast 9-11am sat-sun.

Villaggio hosts AYCE Past Night and Prime Rib Special from 5-9pm. Fresh made pasta with the toppings of your choice or savory prime rib cooked to your liking hosted by Chris Maloney from 5:30-8:30pm. Chris plays a rock/pop/folk/alt set of covers.

If it's Monday then it's Strings and Wings at Balloons from 4-10pm. 50 cent wings and a fine selection of craft beers to wash them down with. This weeks musical host is my dear friends Pat and Owen from 6-9pm. These two singer/songwrit-

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Beat on the Street:

"What Was the Saddest Movie Scene for You?"

By Chad Neal

Watching motion pictures is one of the pastimes that we all enjoy. It's a wonderland of entertainment for the viewer. Barely using any energy and being taken on an adventure of the mind, through emotion and excitement. The movies that really hit home take us through all the emotions, and it seems that is best way a story can be told; by taking the audience through every stage of the tale and making them feel it - personally. The different scenes in well made movies can give the viewer anger, joy, sadness and uproarious laughter. And it's been said that a movie gives us the sensation of feeling good about the mournfulness we feel when a scene makes us cry. And we all have shed a tear during a flick. What was the saddest movie scene for you?



Jennifer A.- Finding Nemo - when they're stuck in the whale and Dory tells Marlin "it's time to let go!"



Tom S.- Planes, Trains, and Automobiles when Steve Martin goes back to get John Candy because he figures out that his wife is dead.



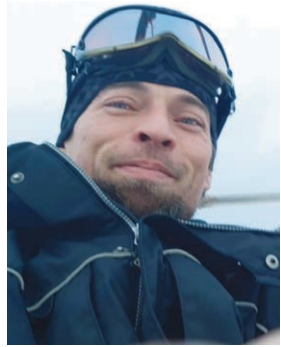
Ariah T.- MARLEY AND ME!!!! Watched it once and never again.



Elisca Y.- I was born in the 80s and grew up in the 90s, there are so many to choose from. However, as someone highly allergic to bees, My Girl breaks my heart every single time. "Where are his glasses?"



Tim D.- Artax drowning in the mud in Neverending Story.



Jason G.- Where the Red Fern Grows.... When the boy's Hounds die.

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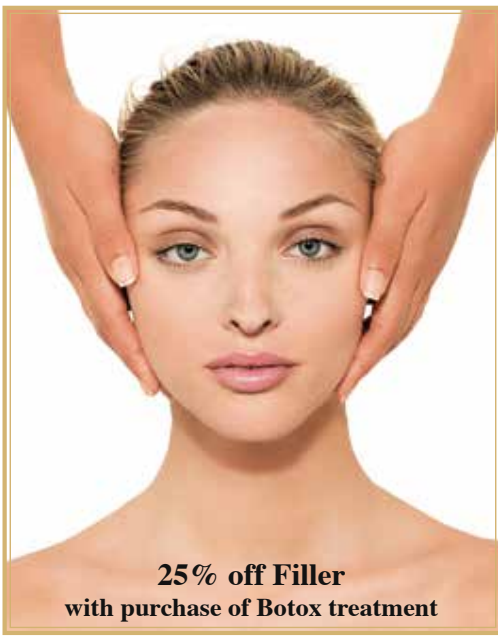
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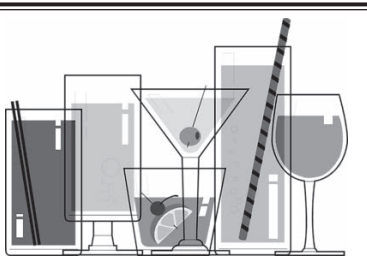
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This Week's Difficulty Level:
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To solve a Sudoku puzzle, place a number into each box so that each row across, each column down, and each small 9 box square within the larger diagram (there are 9 of these) will contain every number from 1 through 9. In other words, no number will appear more than once in any row, column, or smaller 9 box square. Working with the numbers already given as a guide, complete each diagram with the missing numbers that will lead to the correct solution....**Good luck!**

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Last Week's Puzzle:

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Boarderland

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cups with a \$1 off beer incentives to try and limit single use waste. We do it because it's the right thing to do, but we also hope to spread the message that we need to tread lightly and leave no trace."

This year, the United Nations has set out 17 goals for Sustainable Development. The festival will have non-profit organization representing many of these sustainable development goals, including no poverty, zero hunger, gender equality, affordable and clean energy and more. "Sustainability efforts go beyond eco-friendly initiatives. We hope to educate and model that everyone can make changes to do better. Small changes can make a big difference."

Jennifer's favorite thing about the festival is how it's grown and evolved over the years. "I'm so proud of what Borderland has become over its 5 years. I'm thankful for the community support and how the region has embraced the festival."

Tickets and full schedule are available online <https://borderlandfestival.com/> with a variety of options available including 3-day tickets, single-day, VIP Passes, and RV/Camping options. Explore and sample music from festival artists on their website and follow on social media for updates @borderlandfestival.

Rock N' Roll

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Fashions hosts their second annual Miss Rock N' Roll Pin-up Contest. As always, this classic weekend is free for all to enjoy.

The Rock N' Roll weekend is a bit of a goodbye to summer and kickoff to the fall season of festivals. The leaves begin to change, football is on TV, and the village streets come alive with music and festivities. The many restaurants and bars host various live entertainment, showcasing local artists and musicians amidst the boutiques, shops, and tree lined ski slopes.

"Our Rock N' Roll Weekend is so much fun for people of all ages," says Brian McFadden, Executive Director of the Ellicottville Chamber of Commerce. "It's a great weekend to enjoy the outdoors, great food, classic music, and of course the village of Ellicottville! Mid-September is the perfect time of year to visit the area. The leaves begin their transformation to vibrant reds, yellows and oranges, making for a picturesque landscape that is impossible not to enjoy."

Queen City - A Tribute to Queen, takes the Ellicottville Winery main stage Saturday at 1pm. Hailing from Buffalo, Queen City is WNY's premier Queen Tribute Act, featuring Joe Goretti on drums, Mark Marinaccio on piano, Jason Neubauer on guitar, Scott Panfil on lead vocals, and Paul Yates on bass. The band is unmatched in their musical talent and performance of the hit music by Queen. "The music of Queen makes for a great show," says Mark Marinaccio, band member and founder. "The energy is contagious, and the crowd feeds off of that. We enjoy playing together and respect each other as individuals, and it shows. We love the music, and our passion and talent really shines in our performance."

On Sunday, enjoy the many talents of local favorite Terry Buchwald. Terry plays a variety of hits, including Rock N' Roll, Country and is best known for his Elvis Tributes. He takes the stage at the Village Gazebo from 2-5pm, and is always fun for all ages. Terry has been inducted into the Buffalo Music Hall of Fame and has been named one of the top tribute artists in the United States by the Los Angeles Times.

This Sunday, September 17, over 250 cars and trucks of all makes, models and years line the streets for admiration and appreciation or all. Car enthusiasts, and those who just enjoy the scene, can bask in this one-of-a-kind show that is becoming less common as years go on.

Ellicottville is one of the few places still hosing a classic car show of this variety, judged by a panel of experienced classic car and truck enthusiasts.

Ava Grace Fashions of Ellicottville will host their second annual Miss Rock N' Roll Pin-up Contest. "Last year was very successful and a lot of fun," says Jessica Gilbert of Ava Grace. "It's a great addition to the Rock N' Roll weekend with such a fun atmosphere. Alicia Pearl does a great job organizing the event and has been in touch with Pin-Up icons in the area."

Check out the full schedule for Rock N' Roll Weekend at ellicottvilleny.com and follow the Ellicottville Chamber of Commerce on social media @visitellicottville for updates on Ellicottville's festivals and events.



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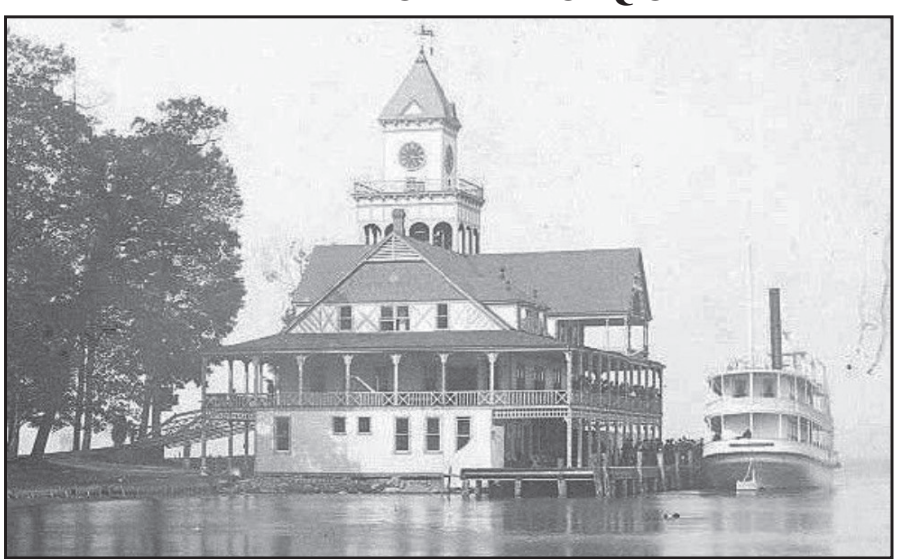
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Shakin'

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ers play a blues/rock/folk/country/roots set of covers and originals featuring outstanding guitar solos.

The Gin Mill's Monday night offering is Red Gray from 7-10pm Red plays classic and outlaw coun-

try/ rock and southern rock covers and originals.

The Gin Mill hosts The Hick Ups, Tuesday, from 7-10pm. This group of local musicians plays a roots/bluegrass/country set of covers with some banjo and dobro pickin.

We end the weekend at The Gin Mill for Wing, Wednesday hosted by Bran Rick from 8-11pm. Brian

plays music from Buck Owens to Talking Heads. He says he likes to play songs people are familiar either but don't hear played around town.

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Queen

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and earned entry onto stages next to Blondie, Average White Band and Big Bad Voodoo Daddy. "We had chemistry and a commitment to originality that I've come to learn is rare. We put everything into those songs, we loved each other, and we still collaborate to this day."

Immediately after graduation, Mark began his public school career and pursued a Master's degree in the evenings. He recently began his 19th year of school teaching.

In 2007 Mark began a 13-year run as keyboardist and arranger of event band Party of Nine that included 500 performances throughout the region. "Although from different eras, styles and circles, we enjoyed an extraordinarily fruitful period because of everyone's adaptability and professionalism."

Mark and California-based musician Michael Ballacchino co-founded Windtree Theory in 2020, a growing team focused primarily on record production. Collaborations to date include Alex McArthur, Emily Rodriguez, Jaden Coronado, Feiner, Ali Critelli and the late Sara Rogers. In between



The band members of Queen City (Paul Yates, Joe Goretti, Scott Panfil, Mark Marinaccio and Jason Neubauer) clown around after a performance on the USS Little Rock in Buffalo, NY on May 25, 2023.

singles, Mark enhances his films of varying lengths by composing their musical scores.

Although Queen City was founded just over two years ago, they've cultivated a passionate following, compiled numerous positive reviews and sound as if they've been together for decades. "I have such respect for each member of this band. I would never dare perform with a single substitute member," said Mark. "I'm most proud of how, after each show, at least five fans comment on how much fun we appear to be having. The secret is... we are."

Surprisingly, the band formed somewhat on a whim.

"I was playing at an event in Buffalo when I saw a friend, Scott Panfil, in the crowd. I called him up on stage to sing, and

he called out a Queen song. Then another, and another. The owner loved it so much, he invited us back to play on Labor Day, under the condition we only play Queen songs. I had less than a month to find available musicians. On such short notice, I still don't understand how I got lucky enough to find Scott, Jason, Joe and Paul."

Mark's favorite thing about performing is the challenge. "So many things have to go right to pull this music off. They always do, and the whole is greater than the sum of its parts. It's so satisfying. It's a thrill."

Queen City - A Tribute to Queen, takes the Ellicottville stage at 1pm on Saturday, September 16. For more information on the band and everything else Mark Marinaccio, visit <https://linktr.ee/marinacciomusic>.

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Oakley developed hunting skills as a child to provide for her impoverished family in western Ohio. At age 15, she won a shooting contest against an experienced marksman, Frank E. Butler, whom she married in 1876. The pair joined Buffalo Bill in 1885, performing in Europe before royalty and other heads of state. Audiences were astounded to see her shooting out a cigar from her husband's hand or splitting a playing-card edge-on at 30 paces. She earned more than anyone except Buffalo Bill himself. She also instructed women in marksmanship, believing strongly in female self-defense. Her stage acts were filmed for one of Thomas Edison's earliest Kinetoscopes in 1894. Since her death, her story has been adapted for stage musicals and films, including Annie Get Your Gun.



Annie Oakley (born Phoebe Ann Mosey; 1860 - 1926)

From Bryan's Brain



Animal Hypnotist Tries to Hypnotize a Chimpanzee, 1941.

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