Mackey Budney Leaves Wealth of Memories
Death at 88 saddens a grateful community
By Kevin E. Foley
A life-long stalwart of the village community, Stanley “Mackey” Budney, died after a struggle with cancer last Tuesday, June 11, in Cold Spring where he was born. The 88-year-old Budney, husband of Philipstown Town Board Councilor Betty Budney, was a well-known and well-liked figure whose deep immersion in civic and neighborhood activities made him a legendary presence over his nearly nine decades. The Budneys were married on June 30, 1951. They resided on Church Street.

Gillibrand Leads Tourism and Preservation Drive
Maloney and others join Boscobel meeting to spur momentum for federal legislation
By Alison Rooney
U.S. Sen. Kirsten Gillibrand (D-N.Y.) fittingly chose Boscobel, a Hudson Valley site that unites three predominant tourism bases of this region: natural beauty, historical significance and a center for the arts, to announce several initiatives designed to better secure federal funding dedicated to protecting and promoting the entire Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area. At a June 7 press conference that took place under a tent on Boscobel’s lawn overlooking the Hudson, with a large snapping turtle inadvertently but aptly part of the backdrop, Gillibrand was accompanied at the podium by Rep. Nita Lowey (D-Harrison) and Rep. Sean Patrick Maloney (D-Cold Spring), along with Mark Castiglione, acting executive director of the Hudson River Valley Greenway, and Simon Roosevelt, member director of the Hudson River Valley Greenway, and Rep. Nita Lowey (D-Harrison) and Rep. Sean Patrick Maloney (D-Cold Spring) along with Mark Castiglione, acting executive director of the Hudson River Valley Greenway, and Simon Roosevelt, member director of the Hudson River Valley Greenway.

New Owners in Dunkin’ Donuts Station in transition
By Staff
(Note: There appears to be a typographical error in the date; it should likely be June 13.)

Mackey Budney’s empty chair
Photo by Felicity Campbell

11 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.
At age 16 Mackey had his first job with the River Stone Corp., and from there went on to work for Cold Spring Dye and Processing for 17 years until it closed. After working for Joseph Percaccio and Sons Construction, he spent 27 years as grounds keeper and driver at Haldane School, retiring in 1996.

Cold Spring Mayor, J. Ralph Fallon said Mackey was a well-known and well-liked figure whose deep immersion in civic and neighborhood activities made him a legendary presence over his nearly nine decades. The Budneys were married on June 30, 1951. They resided on Church Street.

By Thursday afternoon (June 13) it seemed obvious the Elmesco Citgo service station was undergoing transition, with new staff working at the station. The mix of claims circulating online and on the street also included worries that Elmesco would no longer accept gasoline-discount cards issued by Foodtown. On the first of two reporter visits to the station, two individuals identified themselves as staff. One, Kirmani Suye, indicated he would be Elmes’ partner. He said the shop would no longer accept gasoline-discount cards issued by Foodtown.
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I felt a social hot flash coming on — one of those dizzy moments when you real ly as possible that I hated the idea that it should suddenly be uncool to like some food that’s gone out of style. I mean, this is food we’re talking about, not fashion, I said. Food is about nourishment, sustenance, family and history. It’s fundamental to our lives and our happiness. And it’s ancient. People in Grecia have made pesto for centuries. Who are we to suddenly decide we’re too hip to eat it?

I shut my mouth then, wondering if I’d said too much. Not a hint from my colleagues, who may have been distracted by the big LOSER label that was attaching itself to my name in their heads.

Anyway, just then the photographer called us over to weigh in on a shot, and the rest of the day passed pleasantly enough.

For many months after that, I would hear that food stylist’s voice echoing in my head every time I made a kale salad. Finally, I went to a party hosted by a great chef and cookbook author and

Guess what was on the table? Kale salad. Two great big bowls of it. It was delicious. Better yet, not long ago I ran into the food stylist and we got to talking about (what else?) food. Out of the blue, she mentioned that she’d thinking that it was high time to revive sundried tomatoes. “I mean, just because they’re out of fashion doesn’t mean they’re not good,” she said to me.

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**Kale Salad, Kale Salad, Kale Salad! (So There)**

By Cella Barbour

**“I**
you know two words I’d be happy to never hear again? Kale. Salad,” announced the food stylist at a photo shoot I oversaw several months ago. She is highly respected in the food world, and although she didn’t look up from her cutting board when she spoke, it was clear that she was addressing the few of us who were hanging out near the kitchen trying to absorb her wisdom and food scraps.

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1 sprig thyme or rosemary, optional

salt and pepper

1 tablespoon vegetable oil

3 medium beets

2 bunches red Russian or lacinato kale

2 ounces fresh goat cheese, crumbled

Heat the oven to 425 degrees. Scrub the beets, trim off the stems and tails, and cut them in half lengthwise. In a small bowl, toss them with the olive oil and a generous sprinkling of salt and pepper. Spread them on a small roasting pan (I use a brownie pan) along with the optional rosemary, thyme or garlic. Cover the pan with tin foil and place it in the oven. Roast the beets until a knife slides into one of them fairly easily, about 25-30 minutes. Set aside to cool.

Reduce the heat to 325. Spread the walnuts on a baking sheet and toast in the oven until just slightly brown, shaking the pan halfway, about 5 minutes.

Meanwhile, strip the kale leaves from the stems; discard the stems. Tear the leaves into medium pieces, or, to make them softer, stack several leaves, roll them into a tube, and slice the kale into thin slices. Place the kale in a large salad bowl, add the walnut oil and a generous pinch of salt, and toss lightly.

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Walnut oil makes this salad extra delicious, but you can use olive oil instead. If you find raw kale tough, you can dress the leaves with olive oil and salt about 30 minutes before you plan to eat; they will cause the kale to wilt and soften further.

- 3 medium beets
- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- salt and pepper
- 1 sprig thyme or rosemary, optional
- 3/2 cloves garlic, optional
- 1/4 cup walnuts, broken into small pieces
- 2 bunches red Russian or lacinato kale
- 4 tablespoons walnut oil
- 1 teaspoon minced shallot
- 1 tablespoon red wine vinegar
- squeeze lemon juice
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**Mouths to Feed**

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Chamber of Commerce Announces Return of Sunday Music Series

Debbi Milner to serve as new president

By Kevin E. Foley

A part of a reorganization plan and a return to things that have worked in the past, the Cold Spring Area Chamber of Commerce has announced it will bring back its summer concert series after previously announcing the series cancellation. “We were surprised to hear the amount of people upset about the concerts being cancelled,” said Cathryn Fadde, owner of the Tuscan Grill, speaking at the village trustees meeting June 13.

Fadde said there would be four Sunday summer concerts July 14 and 28 and August 8 and 22.

Vincent Tamagna’s short-lived presidency of the Chamber ended when the Chamber’s board accepted his resignation.

Garrison Gulf Gets Makeover

New open: gas station, convenience store, garage

By Elizabeth Bengel

Grab a cup of coffee; wait for an oil change.

Following the transition to new management, the Gulf Oil station on Route 9D in Garrison now operates as a three-in-one garage, gas station and convenience store, open daily 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Owner and service manager Arafat Ibrahim discovered the property through a Newburgh-based company that specializes in opening gas-station-convenience stores. Ibrahim believed it would ideally serve the community, considering the bustling Route 9D location near the Garrison train station and next to the Garrison Union Free School.

“I envisioned the store when it was just a couple of chairs and desks. There’s no local spot that does what we do, unless you go down to Cold Spring or drive to the [Appalachian Market],” Ibrahim said.

The convenience store offers toiletries, beverages and packaged snacks and has already acquired its beer and lottery license — a process that can take up to three months. Ibrahim plans to expand by applying for an agricultural and market license, which will permit the sale of bagels, buttered rolls and cappuccino.

New Owners in Dunkin’ Donuts Operation

By Shinya Ibrahim

station would remain as Elmes planned — a Dunkin’ Donuts outlet and convenience store and gasoline pumping — but added that the Dunkin’ Donuts was still likely to open in nine months away.

Suye said employees currently working in the garage would stay until construction of the Dunkin’ Donuts begins. The second man, who on Wednesday gave his name as Jim Laye, said he would manage the auto repair shop on an interim basis and also run the Dunkin’ Donuts shop and convenience store once they open.

A day later, “Laye” said he used the latter name to simplify things and that his actual name is “Jim Ali.”

Suye and Ali said the overall business would be known as the Cold Spring Service Center.

Thursday afternoon, Joe Iniealao, a spokesman for Suye, said that Suye and a man named Syed Hussein would be co-owners of the operation and that Elmes would remain as an employee to run the gas pumping station.

Suye said he owns a Bronx service operation since 1989 and has known Elmes for several years. He said they began negotiations over the Cold Spring operation about a month and a half ago.

Previously, Elmes planned to partner with a Dunkin’ Donuts franchise-owner from Peekskill. However, “that didn’t go through,” according to Suye.

Elmes, who has operated the business for over 25 years, was not available Wednesday. Suye and Ali confirmed that Elmes was in the hospital undergoing surgery. After a 2009 motorcycle accident in which he broke his ankle, part of Elmes’ leg was amputated as a result of serious infections incurred while hospitalized.

John Alves, a mechanic at Citgo, said that Elmes was hospitalized a few days. Over the years, Elmesco has made a practice of hiring local residents and students to pump gas. Asked if the new operation would continue that tradition, Suye responded “absolutely.” However, Max Tiffany-Miller, a mechanic at the station, told The Paper that at least three employees had left in the last few days. He said that he understood that one gas attendant had quit and another had been fired and that a mechanic had left under uncertain circumstances.

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Rosanna Lillburne said that Budney served as CSFC chief from April 1968 to April 1970 and was a member of the board of governors for over 38 years. “His stories of Cold Spring history and his vast knowledge of our company history will be greatly missed,” said Michael Bowman, president of the company in a statement on behalf of the company.

Lillburne said: “Mackey was the reason I personally ran for a leadership position in the fire company. He asked me to take a seat on the fire company board back in 2006 and encouraged me to run for president.”

“He really cut his teeth in the fire company community,” Lillburne continued. “He ran carnivals to raise money; he was big in the annual appeal. He was always involved, always helping out in everything we did. He was a good friend of mine. I’ve known him since I was a little kid. I’m going to miss him,” said Steve Etz, a retired company member.

“He lived and breathed the fire company; even after he was a 50-year member. A lot of guys don’t do that. He helped out until he was 89 years old,” said company vice president John Landolfi.

“He was the best lion the Lions Club never got to join, said David Lillburne, president of the club. Lillburne said his friend Mackey left a lasting impact on the Village, especially in service to the Elmsford/Philipsburg Manor Volunteer Fire Department, as well as the directors of many local cultural institutions, including Boscobel, Putnam History Museum, Garrison Art Center and the Hudson Valley Shakespeare Festival.

“Mackey was always willing to do what needed to be done,” Lillburne said. “He always went above and beyond what was asked of him.”

“Mackey proudly served as a captain of volunteers for the Philipstown Volunteer Fire Department and was always involved in the community,” added Kate Wantz, supervisor of county planning.

Mackey’s family and friends were deeply saddened by his passing. "We lost a great friend and mentor, a true community leader," said longtime friend and business associate, Bob McGlynn. "He will be greatly missed by all who knew him."
Wind Turbine: A Change in Direction

By Lois Powers

What was expected to be yet another public hearing following a Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) hearing review meeting for a proposed residential wind turbine took a surprising turn Monday night (June 10). The meeting opened with the ZBA chairman and all four board members exiting the room without explanation — returning 15 minutes later with an announcement proffered by Chairman Vincent Cestone of applicant James Gleick’s decision to withdraw his appeal for a height variance on installing a 125-foot wind turbine on his 40-acre wooded property in Garrison and replace that application with one for a special-use permit.

As installing a wind turbine is a first for Philipstown, there has been ‘confusion from the start about the process,’ said Doug Passeri, president of Hudson Valley Wind Energy, the government-certified wind-turbine installation company in Pine Plains, NY, contracted by Gleick to do the job if/when the ZBA gives a thumbs-up.

“We were informed that the variance was not needed, but a special use permit was,” Passeri said. Commenting on the board’s deliberate, somewhat tentative approach to the turbine application, ZBA Member Robert Dee said the board was determined to “get it right” as their decision would set precedence — their wind turbine project out of the dol drums, languishing, in their view, far too long.

A public hearing is scheduled for Monday, July 8, at the Philipstown Town Hall on Main Street in Cold Spring.

Gerard Gage, 1962-2013

Gerard Gage, a longtime resident of Cold Spring, died at Vassar Brothers Hospital in Poughkeepsie Sunday, June 9. He was 51 years old. Born in Jersey City, N.J., Jan. 30, 1962, to the late Elizabeth Jane Gage and the late David Gage, Gerard Gage lived during his high school years in Bucks County, Penn., where he is mourned by a circle of caring, lifelong friends. He was the proud father of Melissa and the beloved brother of Jane Gage of Morris County, N.J., and Marjorie Gage of Cold Spring. He was the loving and devoted uncle of Elizabeth Bengel, also of Cold Spring.

Gage’s early work years were spent in the home-building and construction trades, where he developed skills he put to use when he moved to the Village of Cold Spring in 1992 and began helping his sister restore her first home there. He was employed for more than 15 years in the trust operations department of the Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi, in downtown Jersey City, where he worked as a lead specialist.

Friends who wish to make a gesture in Gage’s memory are asked to perform a random act of kindness for a stranger, friend or animal in need or to direct a gift in his name to the Julia Butterfield Memorial Library, 10 Morris Ave., Cold Spring, NY 10516. Gage was an avid reader, a lover of music and a loyal patron of the library. The funeral will be private.
Haldane High School Class of 2013
Valedictorian Carolyn Schaefer

Carolyn Schaefer is the Haldane High School Valedictorian for the class of 2013. Schaefer is a member of the National Honor Society, the Haldane Academic Hall of Fame and has been listed as a Student of Excellence. She has earned Highest Average Awards for chemistry, English, algebra 2/trigonometry, global history, earth science, geometry and Spanish II and III.

She showed her leadership skills as varsity soccer captain, International Club art editor and Bowling Club secretary. Schaefer was a program leader for Uniquely You, where she mentored fifth- and sixth-grade girls on self-esteem and the effect of media. She earned a Girl Scout Silver Award for community service through helping young girls learn about scouting. She is currently working on the Girl Scout Gold Award, which is the highest honor a Girl Scout can earn.

Schaefer was a member of the Haldane band and chorus. She was a NYSSMA flute soloist and a student instrumentalist for the Gandolf Murphy concerts for the Haldane School Foundation fundraisers. Sports-wise, Schaefer played varsity soccer and was on the varsity soccer all-league team, the varsity soccer all-section team and received the Scholar Athlete Team Award. She played winter/travel soccer for the Philipstown Soccer Club. Schaefer was a member of the Ski Club and studied ballet at the Hudson Valley Dance Studio. She also participated in the Leo Club, the International Club and the Environmental Club.

Schaefer involved herself in many volunteer activities, including the Little Stony Point Cleanup, Cold Spring by Candlelight Tour, the Peekskill Soup Kitchen and the American Cancer Society Relay for Life.

Schaefer will be attending the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the fall to study engineering. She stated: “I feel so lucky to have grown up in a school like Haldane. There’s something so unbelievably special about it. Some will say it’s the small size or the incredible setting, but I think it’s the people. The people at Haldane are genuine, unique and just simply wonderful in so many ways. It is truly an honor to consider them part of my life.”

Haldane High School 2013 Salutatorian Simon Close

The Haldane High School Class of 2013 Salutatorian is Simon Close. Close’s leadership skills include being a member of the National Honor Society, class vice president for his sophomore and junior years, captain of the junior varsity soccer team and vice president of the Environmental Club.

Close achieved academic excellence by being on the principal’s list and receiving the PSAT Commended Scholar Award. He earned the Outstanding Male Vocalist Award for Chorus and an Academic Excellence Award for Biology.

His drama talents included playing Teen Angel in Grease, Tony Abbott in Heaven Can Wait and Sky Masterson in Guys and Dolls. Close participated in the Depot Theatre Summer Drama Program. Simon played the bass clarinet in the band and enjoys tennis and playing the piano.

Simon will be attending Bowdoin College. He stated, “Garrison kids have a choice to make after graduation: Haldane, O’Neill or private school. I could have gotten everything I needed at O’Neill and everything I thought I needed at private school. But only Haldane could give me everything I really wanted. Haldane was just right in a Three Bears sort of way. Haldane afforded me many opportunities that I might not have had at a larger school. When I talk to friends about their experiences at other schools or I see the valedictorian of another school meet his superintendent for the first time a few weeks before graduation, I am reminded of the uncommon intimacy and sense of community between faculty and students that prevails at Haldane. Of the many great things I could say for Haldane, this is one of the most valuable, I think.”

Haldane’s Class of 2013 Valedictorian Carolyn Schaefer, left, and Salutatorian Simon Close
Music Tracks Showcases Master Guitarist and Songwriter Peter Calo

June 22 show at the Depot Theatre brings Calo to Garrison for the fourth time

By Alison Rooney

Peter Calo has been a musician for so long that he’s played every position on the stage, from sideman to star attraction — something he’ll be at his Music Tracks concert at the Depot Theatre June 22. He’s negotiated the complexities of each of these very specific roles, something Carly Simon, someone Calo was long the musical director for, has referred to: “Apparently Peter has a unique ability to mix in the background and then step forward to take the spotlight seamlessly.”

A constantly working producer, guitarist and performer, Calo mixes touring with a variety of artists in multiple genres with production work at his studio in Croton, and, less frequently (this is his fourth show over the years at The Depot) performing his own songs. He calibrates his backup according to the needs of whom he is accompanying, stating how “delicate it is to be supportive and sensitive to what it is that they are communicating, be it music or feelings. I find it fascinating when someone, for example, asks me, ‘Can you give me a little more blue?’ I love being able to figure out what he or she means.”

This carries over to his producing, as well. “I always say, ‘Tell me what you feel. Even people just beginning, recording their first CD — with patience they’re giving you a real insight. It’s so easy to be intimidated, but you can dig and find it out; it all comes down to what would make you feel comfortable with your music.’”

A sample list of those he has performed and/or recorded with forms an eclectic grouping: Queen Latifah, Willie Nelson, Hall and Oates, Linda Eder, Phil Ramone, Jimmy Webb, Kris Kristofferson, Leonard Bernstein, Marc Shaiman, Julie Andrews, and many more. His list is a Who’s Who of the recording world. (Continued on page 11)

Community, Collaboration and Sustainability in Focus at First TEDxLongDock

By Sommer Hixson

The prospect of sitting indoors for an entire day listening to people talk might not appeal to those itching to start their summer weekend. As it turned out, the weather report of unending rain for last Friday was surprisingly accurate, and the Hudson Valley was sufficiently waterlogged by late morning. At Beacon’s Center for Environmental Innovation and Education (CEIE), however; the mood was sunny and contagiously blue-sky.

The 19th-century industrial building nested in Denning’s Point State Park is a green-design renovation owned by the Beacon Institutes for Rivers and Estuaries and is a perfect example of the city’s revitalization. It was also the ideal venue for Beacon’s first-ever TEDxLongDock, a one-day conference for some of the region’s most creative and ambitious thinkers.

TEDx, a division of the well-known TED conference, offers individuals or groups guidelines for organizing local, independent TED-like events in their own communities. Organized by BEAHIVE + Antidote Collective’s Scott Tillitt, with a local team that... (Continued on page 14)
The Calendar
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3 P.M. GLYNWOD, COLD SPRING
845-265-3338 | glynwood.org
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NHF Pizza Night and Ice Cream Social
4 – 7 P.M. NORTH HIGHLANDS FIRE DEPARTMENT
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Wine Tasting
4 – 7 P.M. ARTISAN WINE SHOP
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7:30 P.M. PHILIPSTOWN DEPOT THEATER
10 Garrison's Landing, Garrison
845-424-3960 | dptdocs.life

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8 P.M. BOSCOBEL | 1601 Rd 9D, Garrison
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8 P.M. THE BEACON THEATER
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845-265-5000 | coldspringdepot.com

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8 P.M. WHISTLING WILLIE'S
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The Stacks
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914-631-3390 | tarrytownmusichall.com

The Klubn Band
9:30 P.M. MY MAIN MAN
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6:30 P.M. HUBBARD LODGE
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9 – 10 A.M. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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4th Wall Summer Camp Open House
10 A.M. – 4 P.M. BEACON THEATRE
445 Main St., Beacon
845-906-3578 | 4thwalltheatre.org

Graduation Ceremony
10:30 A.M. MALDANE HIGH SCHOOL
15 Craigslist Drive, Cold Spring
845-205-9254 | hlaealschool.org

Clearwater Festival
11 A.M. – 1 P.M. CROTON POINT PARK
845-236-5956 | clearwaterfestival.org

Happy Days Marathon (Season One)
NOON – 3 P.M. NEWLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY
313 Main St., Beacon
845-831-1134 | beaconlibrary.org

Spring Sheepshearing Celebration
NOON – 4 P.M. GLYNWOD FARM
362 Glynwood Road, Cold Spring
845-265-3589 | glynwood.org

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Trout Weekend
NOON – 4 P.M. WILDLIFE EDUCATION CENTER
25 Boulevard, Cornwall-on-Hudson
845-291-1381 | wilec.org

Bannerman Island Tours
2:30 P.M. BEACON DOCK
800-979-3370 | bannermancastle.org

Marrow Registry Donor Drive (ages 18-44)
1 – 6 P.M. GERMANY PEDIATRICS
34 Route 403, Garrison | 917-646-7098
bethmatchfoundation.org/fgo/962

Meet the Animals
2:30 P.M. WILDLIFE EDUCATION CENTER
25 Boulevard, Cornwall-on-Hudson
845-534-7781 | nhfd.org

Wine Tasting
3 – 6 P.M. ARTISAN WINE SHOP
See details under Friday.

Project Code Spring
4:30 P.M. DISCHARGE-FRIENDLY LIBRARY
472 Route 403, Garrison
codessprings.org

Public Canoe Trip
5 P.M. CONSTITUTION MARSH AUDUBON CENTER
127 Woman Landing, Cold Spring
845-265-2061, ext. 15
constitutionmarsh.org

Free Admission to Children’s Museum
5 P.M. GARDINER'S STRAND GALLERY
845-453-7781 | nhfmuseum.org

Cold Spring Film Society Benefit
7 P.M. SKYBAY STUDIO
75 Main St., Cold Spring | coldspringfilm.org

Health & Fitness
Tai-Chi Chuan Group
9:30 A.M. ARTS ON THE LAKE
640 Route 52, Kent Lakes
845-228-2685 | artsonthelake.org

Arts & Design
Free Admission to Boscodel Grounds
9:30 A.M. – 5 P.M. 1601 RD 9D, GARRISON
845-265-3638 | boscodel.org

En Plein Air Painting Workshop (First Session)
10 A.M. – 3 P.M. GARRISON ART CENTER
23 Garrison’s Landing, Garrison
845-424-3960 | garrisonartcenter.org

Free Admission for Beacon Residents
11 A.M. – 6 P.M. DEPT SQUARE, BEACON
3 Bookman St, Beacon
845-440-0100 | sbfoundation.org

House, Studio and Landscape Tour
11 A.M. – 1 P.M. MANITOGA
See details under Friday.

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Glywood Farm in Cold Spring, where tours take place on Friday and a Spring Sheepshearing Celebration on Saturday.

Nature Play Area (ages 2-10)
9 A.M. -4 P.M. OUTDOOR DISCOVERY CENTER
See details under Saturday.

Beacon Farmers’ Market
11 A.M. -3 P.M. SCENIC HUDSON’S RIVER CENTER
Long Dock Drive, Beacon
845-234-9235 | thebeaconfarmersmarket.com

Clearwater Festival
11 A.M. -8:30 P.M. CROTON POINT PARK
845-236-5506 | clearwaterfestival.org

Trot Weekend
NOON - 4 P.M. WILDLIFE EDUCATION CENTER
See details under Saturday.

Bannewman Island Tour
2:30 P.M. BEACON DOCK
800-979-3370 | bannewmanestate.org

Children and Families: Silhouettes
1 P.M. STORM KING ART CENTER
See details under Saturday.

Children’s Day
1 - 4 P.M. NEW WINDSOR CANTONMENT
374 Temple Hill Road, New Windsor
845-561-1765 | nysparks.com

Meet the Animals
2:30 P.M. WILDLIFE EDUCATION CENTER
See details under Saturday.

Kids’ Open Mic Night
6 - 8 P.M. 12 GRAPES
12 N. Division St., Peekskill
914-737-6624 | 12grapes.com

Health & Fitness
Pick-up Adult Soccer
8:45 A.M. BEACON MEMORIAL PARK
mixuptown.com/hudsonvalleypicosoccer

Free Level 2 Yoga Class
8 A.M. LIVING YOGA STUDIOS
3162 Route 5, Cold Spring
845-809-5900 | livingyogastudios.com

Art & Design
Drop-in Art Sessions
9:30 A.M. -12:30 P.M. DRAWING AND PAINTING
From LIFE (LONG POSes)
10 A.M. -1 P.M. BASIC ETCHING
1:30 - 3:30 P.M. PRINTMAKING CENTER
GARRISON ART CENTER
23 Garrison’s Landing, Garrison
845-424-3960 | garrisonartcenter.org

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11 A.M. -1:30 P.M. MANITOYA
See details under Friday.

Free Admission for Beacon Residents
11 A.M. -6 P.M. D/L/BEACON
See details under Saturday.

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Matisyahu
7 P.M. TARRYTOWN MUSIC HALL
13 Main St., Tarrytown
914-633-1300 | tarrytownmusichall.org

RELIGIOUS SERVICES
See philipstown.info/churches for Sunday listings

MIDNIGHT, JUNE 17

KIDS & COMMUNITY
Bridge Club
9:30 A.M. HOWLAND CULTURAL CENTER
176 Stormville Road, Hopewell Junction
845-230-4763 | howland.qast.org

Putnam Hospital Center Golf Tournament
10 A.M. TRUMP NATIONAL GOLF CLUB
176 Stormville Road, Hopewell Junction
845-424-3691 | phclowlandcenter.org

Yoga for Toddlers
10 A.M. BEACON YOGA CENTER
464 Main St., Beacon
347-489-8408 | beaconyogacentre.com

Garden Activity for Kids
3 P.M. MALBANE SCHOOL
15 Craigside Drive, Cold Spring
845-265-9254 | haldaneschool.org

Sponsored by Haldane Garden Committee
Rescheduled from June 10

HEALTH & FITNESS
Grandparenting 101
4 P.M. HUDSON VALLEY HOSPITAL CENTER
1980 Crompond Road, Cortlandt Manor
914-734-3906 | hvhc.org/events

Yoga With a View
8 P.M. BOSCOBEL | 5001 Route 9D, Garrison
845-265-3638 | boscobel.org

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TUESDAY, JUNE 18

Kids & Community

Indoor Tot Park
9 - 11 A.M. & Noon - 2 P.M. PHILIPSTOWN RECREATION CENTER | See details under Friday.

Senior Day Center
10 A.M. - 2 P.M. MOTHER LURANA HOUSE 169 Old West Point Road East, Garrison 845-424-3184 | phlrecreation.org

Driftwood Boat Building
1:30 - 3:30 P.M. SCENE Hudson River Center Long Dock Road, Beacon 845-473-4440, ext. 273 | scenehudson.org

Kids’ Craft Hour
4 P.M. DESMOND-FISH LIBRARY | 472 Route 403, Garrison | 845-424-3020 | desmondfishlibrary.org

Meetings & Lectures

Knitting Club
10 A.M. HOWLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY 313 Main St., Beacon 845-831-1134 | beacononlibrary.org

Highland Knitters
NEON. DESMOND-FISH LIBRARY 472 Route 403, Garrison 845-424-3020 | desmondfishlibrary.org

Board of Trustees
6:30 a.m. LAW FIRM INTERVIEWS VILLAGE HALL | 85 Main St., Cold Spring 845-265-3611 | coldspringny.gov

Haldane School Board
7 P.M. HALDANE SCHOOLS | 15 Craigsville Drive, Cold Spring | 845-265-3624 | halhaldaneschool.org

Health & Fitness

Putnam Hospital Center
3 P.M. JOINT REPLACEMENT INFO SESSION 6 P.M. DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP 670 Stoneleigh Ave, Carmel 845-279-5711, ext. 2482 | health quest.org

Hudson Valley Hospital Center
4 P.M. LOOK GOOD … FEEL BETTER, FOR WOMEN WITH CANCER 6 p.m. Weight Loss Surgery Seminar 1980 Comorond Road, Cortlandt Manor 914-734-3896 | hvhc.org/events

Theater & Film

Al’s Wolf That Ends Wolf (Preview)
7 P.M. BOSCOBEL | See details under Friday.

The Nov Rijksmuseum (Documentary)
7:30 P.M. JACOB BURNS FILM CENTER See details under Friday.

Music

Beacon Historic Pipe Organs Tour
7 P.M. St. John the Evangelist Church 35 Willow Street 8 P.M. ST. LUCY’S CHURCH 815 W. Main St., Beacon

Beacon Library Board Meeting
8 P.M. 85 MAIN ST., BEACON | 845-831-1134 | beaconlibrary.org

Meetings at Village Hall
7 P.M. PLANNING BOARD 85 MAIN ST., COLD SPRING 845-265-3611 | coldspringny.gov

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7:30 P.M. PLANNING BOARD 85 MAIN ST., COLD SPRING 845-265-3611 | coldspringny.gov

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19

Kids & Community

Indoor Tot Park
9 - 11 A.M. & Noon - 2 P.M. PHILIPSTOWN RECREATION CENTER | See details under Friday.

Brain Games for Adults
10 A.M. HOWLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY 313 Main St., Beacon 845-831-1134 | beacononlibrary.org

Senior Day Center
10 A.M. - 2 P.M. MOTHER LURANA HOUSE See details under Tuesday.

Health & Fitness

Breast Feeding Support Group
10 A.M. - Noon. HEALTH DEPARTMENT 1 Geneve Road, Brewster 845-800-1350, ext. 43530 | putnamcountry.gov

Pick-up Adult Soccer
5:30-7:30 P.M. SARAI TAYLOR PARK Old Main St., Fishkill | meetup.com/hudsonvalleysoccertogether

Breast Cancer Support Group
7 P.M. PUTNAM HOSPITAL CENTER See details under Tuesday.

Dance • Drum • Sing • Hum
7:30 P.M. BEACON YOGA CENTER 438 Main St., Beacon | 845-202-7500

Theater & Film

The Three Musketeers (Preview)
7 P.M. BOSCOBEL | See details under Friday.

Last Call at the Oasis (Documentary)
7 P.M. BEACON INSTITUTE 199 Dorenings Ave., Beacon 845-766-2721 | beaconinst.org

Inconce (Short) Plus Discussion
7:30 P.M. JACOB BURNS FILM CENTER See details under Friday.

Music

Beginning Fiddles, Cello & Mandolin
7 P.M. GARRISON ART CENTER 23 Garrison’s Landing, Garrison 845-424-3990 | garrisonartcenter.org

Purple Knit
8 P.M. DOODSOCKET 47 E. Main St., Beacon | 845-202-7500

Rock & Jam Showcase
8:30 P.M. 12 GRAPES | 12 N. Division St., Poughkeepsie | 845-737-6624 | 12grapes.com

Meetings & Lectures

Leave No Trace Awareness Workshop
6:30 P.M. HUDDSON HIGHLANDS LAND TRUST 20 Nazareth Way, Garrison 201-512-9348 | nyntc.org

Zoning Board of Appeals
7 P.M. VILLAGE HALL | 85 MAIN ST., COLD SPRING 845-265-3611 | coldspringny.gov

Lament of an Expat by Leonora Burton (Signing)
7 P.M. DESMOND-FISH LIBRARY 472 Route 403, Garrison 845-424-3020 | desmondfishlibrary.org

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Thursday, June 20

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Meetings & Lectures

Credit Seminar With Jeannine Kelly
10 A.M. RAMADA INN 542 Route 9, Fishkill 866-283-8818 | jeanninekelly.net

Library Board Meeting
7 P.M. BUTTERFIELD LIBRARY 10 Morris Ave., Cold Spring 845-265-3040 | butferlibrary.org

Meetings at Village Hall
7 P.M. PLANNING BOARD 85 MAIN ST., COLD SPRING 845-265-3611 | coldspringny.gov

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Music Tracks Shows Master Guitarist and Songwriter Peter Calo
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Calo described his music as “in the singer-songwriter mode, song-based but with a little bit of jamming. Since I’m known as a guitarist, I’ll pick up the electric. The music tends to be original, with a little bit of jamming. Since I’m a longtime resident of the Hudson Valley, Calo has released five CDs: Cape Ann, Wired to the Moon, Cowboy Song, Here Comes the Sun and Peaceful Easy Feeling, a Tribute to the Eagles. He has also composed music for over 10 children’s DVDs for SpokenArts. He was featured on Carly Simon’s Concert at Grand Central Station and Linda Eder’s Christmas Concert, both shown on PBS and Lifetime. Calo wrote music for the film The Conscientious Objector and has played on the films The Lorax, Across the Universe and Hairspray. He was recently guitarist for Showtime’s The Big C. Calo’s jingles include one for Entenmanns, which the company hopes inspires you to pick up a box of cake. Happy to be returning to the Depot Theatre, which he describes as “having a great, funky feel to it,” Calo will be sharing the stage with Steve Chizmadia, whom he calls a “wonderful singer-songwriter” and whose latest CD he just produced. “We’ll be doing the show together. Steve will open and myself, Chris Marshall on drums and Pete Donovan on bass will be his back-up band. Then we’ll reverse, with the same players.” He has performed this type of shared concert around the country. Calo feels it’s both economical and collegial: “You can split it by sets or rotate by song. Either way, it’s a great way to present a concert,” he said.

The performance begins at 8 p.m. and admission is $15. Tickets can be purchased through brownpapertickets.com or by phoning the Depot at 845-424-3900.
Support Santos Family, Be a Bone Marrow Donor
Community encouraged to join Be the Match Registry

Saturday, June 15, and Sunday, June 16, friends of the Santos family are host- ing a donor registry drive to increase awareness of the need for marrow donors and to find a matching donor for 41-year-old Melissa Santos, who was diagnosed with Stage 3 multiple myeloma (a cancer of the plasma cells), and other patients who suffer from her condition.

Philipstown residents between the ages of 18 and 44 are asked to join the Be the Match Registry between 1 and 6 p.m. on Saturday at Gergey Pediatric in Garrison and from 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Sunday at Our Lady of Loretto Church in Cold Spring using a simple cheek swab.

Patients in need of a transplant are most likely to match someone who shares their same race or ethnicity.

The total cost to add a new member to the Be the Match Registry is about $100. Be the Match relies on financial contribu- tions to help cover costs. Contribu- tions to Be the Match Foundation assist the Be the Match Registry is about $100.

From Oakwood School
Henry Harms Graduates
Henry Harms of Nelsonville graduated from Oakwood Friends School in Foughkeepoo in June 7. Harms had been at Oakwood Friends since eighth grade and is among a graduating class of 26.

At Oakwood, Harms was active in school musicals, urged to do so by Vince Vincent, chair of the arts department and is among a graduating class of 26. At Oakwood, Harms was active in school musicals, urged to do so by Vince Vincent, chair of the arts department, his role of the Emcee in Cabaret. "Vince was very much a mentor," Harms. "He pressed me and then he taught me how to sing."

A self-described “numbers person,” Harms will be attending Allegheny Col- lege in Pennsylvania, participating in a “3-2” program, in which he will study economics for three years. Assuming requisite progress, he will then study mechanical engineering at Columbia University in Manhattan for two years. In the end he will have two undergradu- ate degrees, one from each institution.

Commencement at Oakwood Friends, a school based on Quaker principles, is different than at most area schools. The night before, there is a senior class din- ner with faculty, friends and family. Af- ter the dinner, all go to a candlelit meet- ing for worship where some participants, after silent contemplation, are moved to speak extemporaneously. All students, not just the seniors, attend graduation the next morning. It is held outdoors un- der a sprawling copper beechn tree on the grounds of the school. The graduates sit in front of the tree facing the audience. Speeches by those other than graduates are limited, saving time for one of the more unusual aspects of an Oakwood Friends School commencement: Each graduate speaks for up to three minutes in an often-emotional reflection on her or his years there.

Oakwood Friends School was founded in 1796 and is an independent, coedu- cational, college preparatory day and boarding school guided by Quaker val- ues, serving grades 6-12.

Students, Staff and Eco Moms Plant in Native Garden at Garrison School
Friday, May 31, Garrison School stu- dents, teachers and Eco Mom volun- teers took part in a ceremony to place identification markers next to plants and trees in the Native Garden located in the school’s front courtyard. Students from several grades participated and the pro- cess took a year to complete.

The project began when local landscap- e architect Anne Symmes and the original Eco Moms, a Garrison School PTA group, transformed the courtyard from rocks and weeds to a native garden.

As a result of the group’s commitment, Symmes was able to obtain a National Wildlife Federation certification for the garden as a native wildlife garden. When Garrison mom and environmental edu- cator Cathy Bakker joined the team, she launched a project in which students would research and identify the native plants and trees with both the Latin and common names.

To support the project, Bakker and the Eco Kids raised $500 from the sales of eco-friendly products at school events. Local artist Debbie Haviland and Gar- rison School art teacher Coulter Young teamed up to help students create color- ful plant-identification plaques. Bakker and Symmes met with teacher Leslie D’Onofrio to create a map of the plants in the garden.

One student selected one or two plants and flowers, researched their traits and created a poster about the specimen. At the May 31 ceremony, third-graders pre- sented their plants to an audience, and sixth- and seventh-graders worked with the third-graders to use the map to place each plant with its corresponding plant.

“Garrison School has this beautiful wildlife garden, a learning center within the school that is accessible for students to explore,” said Bakker. “The plants in this garden attract other native species such as butterflies and birds and represent an ecosystem that hasn’t been intruded by invasive species.”

Desmond-Fish Hosts Book Programs Starting June 20
Local authors discuss and sign works
Local artists discuss and sign works
L eonora Burton will discuss her mem- ory Lament of an Expat: How I Dis- covered America and Tried to Mend It Thursday, June 20, at 7 p.m. Much of the book takes place in Philipstown and de- tails how strange the United States looks through this pair of Welsh eyes.

Saturday, June 22, at 2 p.m. Roger Lipsey will talk about his new biography Dag Hammarskjöld: A Life. Kirkus Re- views called it “a monumental life, spiri- tual and intellectual more than purely biographical, of the great Swedish diplo- mat and author.”

Patricia King, whose penname is An- namaria Alfieri, will share her new novel Blood Tango and author.”

Get Tipsy the 1800s
Boscobel Shows How to Get Tipsy the 1800s
D id our early 19th-century ancestors imbibe unusual brews? Find out in Boscobel’s West Meadow during a presen- tation by master distiller Jason Grizzanti.

Grizzanti, co-owner of the Warwick Valley Winery and Distillery, will discuss a variety of liquors and brandies and demonstrate how to mix popular 1800s libations with them all. Having trained at Cornell University, the Seibel Institute in Chicago and Heriot-Watt University in Scotland, Grizzanti has a unique ex- pertise in grain and fruit fermentation, practical distillation, as well as distill- ery design.

How to Get Tipsy in the 1800s takes place under the pavilion at Boscobel on Saturday, June 29, 4 – 7 p.m. Each $5 admission ticket will include the presen- tation, cocktail samples, and cheese and crackers. A designated driver rate is available. Friends of Boscobel members receive a 10 percent discount. Advance ticket purchase is required; tickets are available for purchase at Boscobel.org or call 845-265-3538 or stop by during busi- ness hours.

WARIVCK VALLEY
WINERY & DISTILLERY
Image courtesy of Warwick Valley Winery & Distillery

Maloney Calls on Congress to Pass Paycheck Fairness Act
O n the 50th Anniversary of President Kennedy signing the Equal Pay Act of 1963, Representative Sean Patrick Maloney called for Congress to pass the Paycheck Fairness Act, which guaran- tees equal pay enforcement under the law and provides more resources for women to fight pay discrimination in the workforce.

Fifty years after President Kennedy signed the Equal Pay Act, women are still paid only 77 cents for every dollar earned by men. That’s just wrong. As the father of two young girls, I want to en- sure they grow up in a world where they get equal pay for equal work,” said Rep. Sean Patrick Maloney. “We all benefit when women are treated equally under the law. It makes our...”
Two from Local Area Re-Join Beacon Institute Board of Trustees

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Community, Collaboration and Sustainability in Focus at First TEDxLongDock (from page 7)

Advisors in Kingston, did an excellent job of setting the stage for the rest of the day with a presentation on community-driven development in the Hudson Valley. The concept of community was popular with speakers, along with collaboration and sustainability. Catchphrases like “social capital,” “place-making” and “civic protagonism” were duly noted by attendees. Not surprisingly, author and activist Jane Jacobs was conjured more than once, as was Eckhart Tolle (The Power of Now). The only last-minute replacement in a roster that included 16 speakers was Doug Motel, an author and performer from Rosendale. Motel based his humorous monologue on Ram Dass’s seminal book Be Here Now to draw a connection between presence of mind and creativity.

Author and designer Karen Salaman- sohn’s presentation suggested ideas that every corporate manager should pay attention to, including “presentee- ism” and “epeephonies,” to show that a little more fun in the office is the antidote for an overworked, stressed and thereby unproductive workforce. Woodstock resident Sarah Jacob shared her love for tango as a soulful example of the art of partnership. Shawn Dell Joyce, founder and executive director of the Walkill River School, detailed how her nonprofit organization has been working with local artists and farmers to successfully boost tourism in Orange County. The biggest round of applause went to Joe Concra, co-founder and executive director of the O+ Festival in Kingston, where artists barter their contributions directly for medical and dental services from art-loving health care providers. After three years as a local grassroots event, O+ has gained national attention and will launch in San Francisco in 2013. Runner-up for audience enthu- siasm was John Capello, a partner at the Walden-based law firm of Jacobow- itz & Gubits, who advised the audience how to get past legal barriers to build creative, diverse and sustainable communities. His answer to citizens who might have a problem with more green space instead of more parking spaces was, “Deal with it. Walk a little more.”

William Itudri Jr., founder and CEO of See.Me, presented the notion of social justice activism as celebration, based on his work building a social network of hundreds of thousands of artists to produce immersive community events. The Hudson Valley’s contingent of food activists was represented by whole foods chef and nutritional coun- selor Margot Schulman, founder of Farleigh Community Kitchen, and Marcus Guilliano, chef of Aroma Thyme Kitchen, the first Certified Green Restaurant in upstate New York. Tony Falco, owner of The Falcon in Marl- borough, stressed the importance of supporting living artists and live perfor- mances as integral to the health of developing communities.

Local Beacon presenters included Stowe Boyd (beaconstreets.com), Erica Hauser (artist), Susan Batton (manag- ing director, Dia:Beacon), Dan Weise (OPEN SPACE) and Thomas Wright (Atlas Industries).

The event reached capacity at 100 registered attendees and included live performances by musicians Ben Neill, David Rothenberg and Kelleigh McKen- zie, poet Edwin Torres and singer Car- ole Rosey. Yoga instructor Amy Soucy led a well-timed post-lunch group med- itation and creative visualization. TEDxLongDock presentations will be available on the official TEDx Youtube Channel within the next few weeks. For more information, visit tedxlongdock.com or beahivelbzzz.com.
Garden Battles: Incisors Off My Eggplant, Flea Beetle!

By Pamela Doan

Something is eating my eggplant. The leaves look like they've been hit by buckshot. An insect found at the scene of the crime, a small black hard-shelled bug that looks like a bird dropping, may or may not be the culprit, but just from the results of my Google search, it might not be a pest. Just about everything we find in nature has a purpose. Most insects are not pests and some are beneficial. Nature has a way of providing and using a pesticide to indiscriminately knock out every insect in the garden will kill the good as well as the bad, not to mention leave a residue behind on the parts of plants that are edible and desirable. They overwinter in the garden and I had problems with them last summer, too. Even though I rotated all my other vegetables into new beds this year, I put the eggplant back in the same bed. That mistake is contributing to my problem now. Those flea beetles woke up this spring and I gave them a meal. Lesson learned.

Flea beetles can damage young seedlings, but might not harm mature plants. At this point, the leaves of the eggplant are suffering enough damage that they might not produce. I have to do something.

To control flea beetles, I can handpick them. I've only got three plants, so this is feasible, if gross. I've been doing this for a couple of weeks and still find more bugs and more damage daily so it isn't working. Row covers are another way to control for them. Basically, the plants are covered and the flea beetles can't get in. Since my flea beetles are already here, maybe next year I can preemptively keep them away.

Radishes and Brussels sprouts can be used as companion plants to draw fire from the eggplant. This is called a "trap crop" and the flea beetles will attack them, instead. I don't have any sacrificial vegetables at the moment, either, but again, something to consider for smarter planting in 2014. These are considered cultural options.

Chemical options include diatomaceous earth, like the stuff that goes in the pool filter, but made for garden application. It can be dusted on the leaves and acts as a repellent for flea beetles. Neem oil and horticultural oil have some effectiveness and can be used in organic gardening. A pesticide, even one that is considered "organic", can still be toxic. The product's label should include both the pest and the plant, or else don't use it. If it isn't there, it means that the product isn't considered safe or effective for that particular combination. Time to harvest indicates the length of time before residue wears off so it's safer to consume the fruit even with natural or organic pesticides.

I've got neem oil on hand from fending off aphids on the viburnum so I'm going to try that. Exploring options for dealing with pests isn't as easy as reaching for a can of Raid, but taking a "do less harm" approach does open up new learning experiences. Flea beetles are so named because of their jumping prowess. Flea beetle Olympics, anyone?

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