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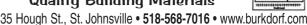
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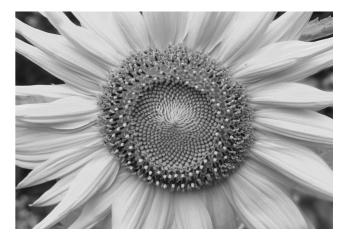
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#### **Dollars** and sense

## by David Uffington Study: Many parents don't have a will

Almost half of all parents don't have a will. That's a stunning number of people who haven't put their final wishes in writing. A Princeton Survey Research Associates International's poll for Caring.com asked adult children across the country for their knowledge about their parents having a will.

Here are some of the statistics:

- Forty-four percent of parents don't have a will or living trust, period.
- Sixteen percent of adult children don't know whether their parents have a will.
- Of those who know there is a will, half of adult children don't know where to find those documents, and most don't know what's in them.
- Only 40 percent of parents have updated their wills within the past five years.

- One-quarter of adult children don't know if the wills have ever been updated.
- More females than males know what's in the wills, but men are more likely than women to know where the wills are.
- Older adults, who have older parents and therefore should be much more informed about the location and contents of wills, aren't much better off than young adults. In the 50-64 age category, 38 percent don't know what's in the will and 29 percent don't know where it is.

No matter your age, if you're a parent, you need a will. Consider what happens if you suddenly pass away without having made written instructions about what's to happen to your house, your financial accounts and all your other assets. Not only are you leaving your loved ones in a bad position at an emotional

time, it's also going to be expensive for them to sort out.

Dying without a will is called intestate, and each state has different rules about how your property will be divided. Those rules won't necessarily coincide with your wishes.

If you consult an attorney about having a will written, ask about revocable living trusts laws in your state. It's possible (not guaranteed) that your inheritors can avoid the delays of probate.

If you have a will, update it periodically to add or revoke provisions by having a codicil (an amendment) added to it.

Have all your important documents in one place: insurance policies; information about how to contact your attorney, CPA and financial adviser; and your will. And be sure your family knows where this information is stored.

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#### **Collecting**

by Larry Cox Miniature cars

**Q:** I have 12 unopened boxes of Hudson Miniatures Old Timer car kits from the 1950s. Can you advise me whom I should contact for an estimate value and possible sale of these items? — Al, Rio Rancho, NM

A: I checked the eBay listings and found several sets, including two that seemed typical: a 1903 Rambler and 1904 Oldsmobile. They were being offered for sale for \$20 each. I would think the value for your sets would be in the \$20 to \$35 range. As with most collectibles, there are always exceptions to the rule. I suggest you contact antique and collectible dealers in your area to see if there is any interest. If not, eBay might be your best bet.

**Q:** I have a Shirley Temple dish set that was given to me when I was a child. It includes a cereal bowl, pitcher and glass – all cobalt blue glass. I would like sell the set but need to know the approximate value before I take the pieces to an antique shop. — Eileen, Albuquerque, NM

A: I do not appraise items in this column. Prices vary from region

to region. If I tell you, for example, that your set is worth \$150 and you later discover that in your area it is valued at \$300, you would not be happy. That is why I avoid placing values on antiques and collectibles. If that is what you need, I suggest you show your set to several dealers to see what amounts they offer.

The cobalt sets were made by the Hazel Atlas Glass Company and U.S. Glass Company from 1934 until 1942. The pitcher, mug and bowl were given away as premiums in boxes of Wheaties and Bisquick. Incidentally, all three pieces have been reproduced.

**Q:** In one of your recent columns, you mentioned Fostoria. I have inherited several pieces, and I would like to add to my collection. Do you have any suggestions? — Susan, Sun City West, Arizona

A: The Fostoria Glass Society of American is one of the better groups for collectors and might be helpful for you. Contact is P.O. Box 826, Moundsville, WV 26041; www.fostoriaglass.org: and 304-845-9188.

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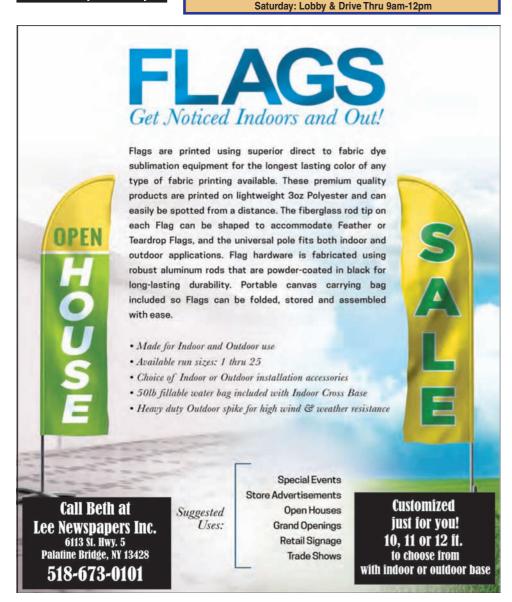
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## Find the best method of treating warm weather insects

Homeowners know that the arrival of spring also marks the re-emergence of insects. While not every insect is harmful, if an infestation grows considerably or if insects begin to move from the outdoors into a home, it may be time for homeowners to call in a professional.

The Entomological Society of America points out that homeowners cannot count on bitterly cold winters to help control the numbers of insects in their yards. Insect ecology is affected by various factors and is not solely dependent on temperature. Furthermore, what occurred one year certainly may not be repeated the next, as homeowners who have had various insect infestations in their yards can attest. One year a yard may be overcome with ants, while the next year it may suffer through an earwig infestation.

The first step homeowners looking to curtail insects in their yards can take is to determine if the insects they see are genuine threats to their lawns. Some bugs emerge and swarm early in the season, but then gradually disappear as spring turns into summer. Other insects may come out of hiding if a homeowner is doing a lot of yard work or construction around a house. Practice a waitand-see approach to determine if you really have an insect problem or just

have stirred up activity.

Homeowners also must decide if it is bearable living with the insects. If insects are not doing any damage or if they can be controlled relatively easily, then you might be able to avoid calling in the professionals. However, if critters like termites and certain species of woodeating insects are invasive and damaging your yard, you may need to take action.

Anyone concerned with the side effects of pesticides and insecticides can first try to remedy the problem naturally. Sometimes it's just a matter of making a yard less hospitable to insects. Remove leaves and clean up debris close to the house. as these can both encourage infestations. Piles of rotting wood or leftover firewood can be a food or shelter source for a number of insects. Inspect water spigots for leaks and improve suspect drainage on your property, as these things can be welcoming to bugs that like moist surroundings. Remove standing water whenever possible to eliminate spots for mosquitoes to incubate larvae.

Natural remedies also may do the trick. Mint, bay leaves, catnip, and garlic can repel insects like roaches and ants. Citrus can be a natural flea deterrent. Some homeowners have had success planting

marigolds around their yards to serve as a natural bug repellent because the flowers produce a scent that many insects find repulsive. Thai lemon grass plants also can be used to keep mosquitoes at bay.

Remember, natural predators, such as birds, bats, spiders, and larger insects, feed on nuisance bugs. Keeping these helpful predators around may be an effective and natural way for homeowners to control annoying pests.

If an insect problem seems out of control or if you need a professional opinion about the damage being done to your home or landscape, consult with an exterminator. Licensed exterminators have the training and expertise to assess insect concerns and create a plan of action that will minimize the risk to inhabitants of your home and nearby wildlife. An exterminator will know what it takes to treat insects and maximize the chances of removing the problem promptly and effectively.

Warm weather is synonymous with many things, including the return of insects. Homeowners may be able to treat unruly bugs on their own, but especially problematic infestations may require the help of experienced exterminators

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#### Collecting

#### by Larry Cox Fiesta Ware

**Q:** I have a dinner set of Fiesta from the 1940s in various colors, including blue, yellow, green and orange. Do these pieces have any value? — David, Sun City, AZ

**A:** Fiesta dinnerware is produced by the Homer Laughlin China Company in 14 colors, in addition to several special promotions from 1936 until 1972. The original colors were Cobalt Blue, Green, Ivory, Red, Turquoise and Yellow. During the 1950s, Chartreuse. Forest Green, Gray, Medium Green and Rose were added.

Fiesta ware is quite collectible. To find out how much the pieces you have are worth, I suggest you invest in a good price guide. I especially like "Warman's Fiesta Ware: Identification & Price Guide" by Mark F. Moran (Krause Books). It is available at amazon.com or from the publisher, www.krause.com.

**Q:** Recently, I purchased a partial set of flatware in the Colfax pattern. It was made by the Durgin Silver Company. Will it be difficult to complete this set? — Barbara, Knoxville, TN

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**Q:** I have a teapot made by the Clifton Art Pottery studio of New Jersey. What can you tell me about this company? Laura, Palm Beach, FL

A: The Clifton Art Pottery company was started by Fred Tschirner and William A. Long in Newark, NJ. From 1905 until 1911, it made art pottery and then transitioned into tile. According to "Lehner's Encyclopedia of U.S. Marks on Pottery. Porcelain & Clay" by Lois Lehner, the company made two distinct types of pottery: Crystal Patina and Indian Ware. By 1914, the plant seemed to be devoted mainly to tile when the name was changed to the Clifton Porcelain Tile Company.

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#### **Antiques & auctions...Going, going...yours!**

#### Female singer/songwriters to woo the crowd June 13 as MVC Summer Concert Series continues at Unity Hall

FORT PLAIN. NY — Five bands fronted mainly by female performers will strum listeners' heartstrings on Saturday, June 13, as the curtain goes up on the second of the Mohawk Valley Collective's Summer Concert Series at Historic Unity Hall beginning at 6 p.m.

Wooing the crowd with their silken voices, their alluring harmonies, and the percussive striking of acoustic chords. New York City-based alternative folk musician Christie Belanger (http://christiebelanger.bandcamp.com), NPR-featured vocalist Caitlin Canty

Musicians will take the stage at the site of the former Universalist Church at 19 Center St., Fort Plain, starting at 6 p.m. Advance tickets are \$7.50 and can be purchased at www.brownpapertickets.c om/event/1433747. They can also be purchased at

some mighty fine singing."

Other exceptional local, national, and international performers from a gamut of musical genres and styles will headline other weeks' programs with a mix of acoustic and amplified performances: On June 28, Germanbased Stromorchester will

the door for \$10 each.

Before those seasonending performances, however, the MVC will host local talent including Spike and the Boys, Rumpus. Cosby Gibson & Tom Staudle, Stone Soup, and Jocelyn Arndt during the non-profit organization's third annual River Through Time benefit in Fort Plain's Haslett Park on Saturday, Aug. 8. The Haslett Park performances are free. Also featured

during the event are the

popular and well-liked raf-

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chicken barbecue. Reminiscing about the village's Erie Canal past, when operatic and theatrical performances by notable performers were commonplace, MVC Officer Tolga Morawski said, "We can have great music right here in Fort Plain again."

> The non-profit MVC has the mission of supporting arts and cultural events in Montgomery County. It is also dedicated to the restoration and adaptive reuse of Unity Hall and another of the area's historic architectural gems, the former West Hill School in

Vocalist Caitlin May and guitarist Philip Arcuri, members of the upstate-New York American Honey Band, perform during the Mohawk Valley Collective's May 16 concert at Historic Unity Hall in Fort Plain. Five bands fronted by mainly female performers will hit the 19 Center St. stage on Saturday, June 13, for the second of the MVC's 2015

(http://caitlincanty.com), energize the audience Canajoharie.

and Amsterdam resident Sarah Bogran www.facebook.com/pages/Sarah-Bogran), performing with local resident Joe Gyurik, will leave listeners longing

For those with a yen for Indie rock, singer/songwriter Carrie Erving of Brooklyn-based Ponyhof http://ponyhofmusic.com ) will synthesize an electrifying performance with her electronic music; and Vermont-based Alpenglow www.alpenglowmusic.co m) will present a sound that their website describes as hard hitting, "combining psych-guitars, melodic bass lines, chugdrums, synthy strings, stringy syths, and with their Electro-Iconic Bridge: 9th Symphony for Electrophonic Orchestra. This special, free concert bridges the city of Minden, Germany, and sister municipalities in the United States.

Indie rock musician Ross Cashiola of Hotel Brotherhood, who hails from Marfa, Texas, and Mike Doughty, formerly of the famous '90's group, "Soul Coughing," will entertain listeners with their solo performances on July 11; and Leah Shaw and Aviva Jaye, Monica Garrido, eBone Underground, Eugene Tyler Band, and AJ Ghent Band will close out the summer with Southern Rock and Soul

summer concerts. The performances begin at 6 p.m.

Each year since its inception, the concert series expanded evolved. Funding for 2015 programs and the River Through Time event has been made possible, in part, through grants by the Erie Canalway National Heritage Corridor, the NYS Canal Corporation, and additional funding from the Montgomery County Occupancy Tax administered by Montgomery County Legislature. Also partnering in support of the concert programming is the Erie Station of Fort Plain and WEXT-97.7 FM.

The support of corporate and individual sponsors is also appreciated;

and a Kickstarter camа i (ww.kickstarter.com/projects/415408752/secondannual-summer-musicseries) has launched. Anyone interested in supporting the River Through Time benefit event or the summer concert series is asked to contact the MVC at HY-P E R L I N K "mailto:info@mohawkvalleycollective.com" info@mohawkvallevcollective.com or by calling 518-

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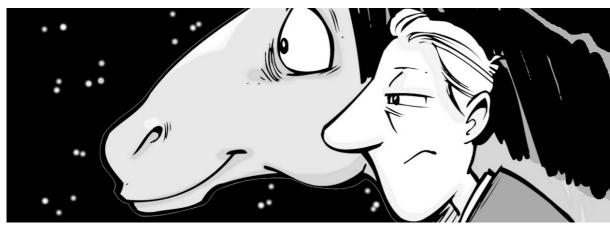
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LUCA - 1 1/2 year old male tiger. Found on a porch in Palatine Bridge. Came to the shelter on April 7th. Cuddly and likes to be held.



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al Day when OESJ High ca Bruce, Teresa Krutz and Samantha LaCoppola joined their art in-



An unveiling of a St. Johnsville community mural depicting the different branches of the U.S. Armed Forces, designed and painted by 4 OESJ High School teens and displayed on the side of the American Legion building, took place in the early morning of Memorial Day.

structor Sara Thibodeau and the members of St. Johnsville's Morris J. Edward's American Legion Post 168 to unveil the Community Mural the girls had designed and painted for the community.

Hung high on the side of the American Legion building at the corner of Main and Center Streets, and directly across from Stewart's, the mural can be clearly observed by anyone traveling east on Route 5 through the village of St. Johnsville.

The mural depicts the Statue of Liberty and men and women in uniform from all branches of the military.

Folks began gathering for the unveiling ceremony at 6:45 a.m. The students, Thibodeau, Susi veteran Charlie Weaver boarded a lift, which elevated them up to the 8'x20' mural where Susi presented them with a banner thanking them and recognizing their service.

Thibodeau noted that

all of the work on the mural was done by the four girls and that she

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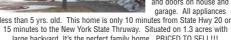
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JUNE 1-30

#### Arkell Center Events for June

Arkell Center, Canajoharie, NY. Arkell Center Programs for all area seniors during June are as follows:

Monday-Friday: 11:45 am. OFA Meals of Montgomery Program serves hot meals. suggested \$3 donation for 60 and older. Call 673-2000 for reservations.

Mondays-Fridays: 10-12 noon. Arkell's Indoor Walking Program will continue. Seniors invited.

Mon, Wed & Fri: 10-10:30 am. Senior Exercise Program is in the basement. Open to all area Seniors. Coffee served after.

Wednesdays: 2:30-3:30 pm. Gentle Yoga with instructor Patty Pietrowicz in the basement. Open to all Area Seniors. Thursdays: 10:15 am. Join the Diet Club in the Gallery. The goal is to be accountable while losing or maintaining your weight. Call Grace 673-

#### SPECIAL EVENTS

June 10, 17 & 24: 12:30-4 pm. Senior Citizens Pinochle Card Party, donation \$2, prizes & refreshments. If you would like to sub, call Terry-673-5635.

**June 9, 16 & 23:** - 10-11 am. Montgomery Co. Office for Aging is sponsoring a Tai Chi workshop coordinated by Earl O'Brien. This is provided by Grant Monies making it free of charge to all seniors who wish to participate.

**June 6:** 9 am to 2 pm. Arkell Resident Council Garage Sale at Arkell Center.

**June 8:** 6:45 pm. The Del Nero's Musical Group will perform at Arkell Center, bring a friend.

June 12: 1:30 pm. Glen Bentz - Iroquois Indian Reenactment. Join us and bring a friend.

June 18: 2 pm. Carolyn Crouch shares slides on Mt.

#### **Calendar of Events**

Rushmore & the Badlands. June 23: 11:15 am -12:15 pm. Blood Pressure Clinic. Home Health Care Partner's Corp. (Co-Sponsored by St. Mary's & Nathan Littauer Hospital). Home Health Care Partners Corp. also provides health and wellness informa-

June 26: 1:30 pm. We will be holding an ice cream social sponsored by Arkell Hall and a guest speaker from the American Cancer Society will speak. All are welcome to join.

Aug. 11 & Sept. 12: 9 am -3pm. Defensive Driving/Point Reduction 6 hour course through the Shults Agency. Call for reservations 673-4408. **MEETINGS** 

June 12 & 26: 1 pm. Canajoharie Senior Citizens Club Meetings

June Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregiver Support Group meeting in the Gallery.

#### JUN 6

#### Crum Creek Lutheran Church Ice Cream Social

110 Co. Hwy. 108, St. Johnsville, NY. 6-8 pm. All are welcome at this community event, sponsored by the Crum Creek Church Preservation Society, Inc.

#### Crum Creek Lutheran Church Open House and Community History Day

110 Co. Hwy. 108, St. Johnsville, NY. 11 am - 3 pm. All are welcome at this community event, sponsored by the Crum Creek Church Preservation Society, Inc.

#### Kayak and Canoe Tour in Conjunction with ECOS: The Environmental Clearinghouse of Schenectady

Schoharie Crossing Boat Launch. 9 am. For more information about these events and more, please call the Visitor Center at 518-829-7516, e-SchoharieCrossing@parks.ny.g ov . For more information about New York State Parks visit the website at www.nysparks.com

#### Organic Milk / Stephanie Arndt with Pandora the Painted Cow & SUNY Cobleskill

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Stop Hunger Now! Meal

Harry Hoag School, 25 High St., Fort Plain, NY. 9 am. For more information or to participate, call Fort Plain Reformed Church at 518-993-4302.

#### The Ghost Seekers of Utica

Illion Little Theater, Illion, NY. 7 pm. Presentation on paranormal investigation in the theater. Refreshments available after.

#### JUN 6-7

#### Hammer In

Fort Klock Historic Restoration, 1820 Fort Clock Blacksmith Shop, St. Johnsville, NY. 10 am - 4 pm. All blacksmiths are invited to attend and demonstrate how iron items were created in early times. Call 518-568-7779. On Internet at www.fortklockrestoration.org

#### JUN 6, JUL 4, AUG 1

#### **Acoustic Coffee House**

Fultonville, NY. 6:30-10 pm. And don't forget the Acoustic Coffee Houses' 7th Annual Party in the Perk Summer Special Open Mic on June 20 outside in Fultonville Park from 3-8 pm.

#### Country Jamboree

Crystal Chandelier Wedding & Banquet Facility, (CC Pub Grille) 7 mi. N. of Herkimer, Rt. 28, Middleville, NY. 1-5 pm. \$10/person. Question? Call 315-866-2011.

#### Crum Creek Lutheran Church 6th Annual Reunion Service, CCCPS Annual Meeting, Reception

110 Co. Hwy. 108, St. Johnsville, NY. 1 pm. All are welcome at this community

#### JUN 9

Discussion on Diabetes Arkell Center, 55 Montgomery St., Canajoharie, NY. 1-2 pm. For any questions call the Diabetes & Education Center at 841-3717 or Joan Cimino at 673-4408.

#### JUN 9, 16, 23 & 30

#### Putman Porch Music

Schoharie Crossing State Historic Site, Yankee Hill Lock, 553 Queen Anne Rd. Tuesdays in June 6-8 pm. For more information call 518-829-7516.

JUN 10, 17, 24, JUL 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, AUG 5, 12, 19 **& 26** 

#### Learn To Meditate

Canajoharie Library & Arkell Museum, 2 Erie Blvd., CanaORIGINAL VALLEY PENNYSAVER June 13, 2015 • **B3** 

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#### **Calendar of Events**

joharie, NY. 5:30 pm. Call 518-428-4692 or e-mail melaniep@meditateup state.com to learn more RSVPs welcome.

#### JUN 12

#### Ayres Memorial Animal **Shelter Fundraising Event:** Murder Mystery Dinner

Beardslee Castle, 123 Old State Highway Route 5, Little Falls, NY. 7 pm. Call Elaine at 315-491-4572 or Joe at 518-774-4883 for information and reservations

#### Pageant

4 divisions this year: Little Miss 5-8 years. Little Mister 5-8 years, Princess 9-13 years, Prince 9-13 years. Applications will be available soon at www.violetfestivalny.com

#### JUN 12-14

#### Violet Festival

Historic Dolgeville, NY. For more information and event applications please visit www.violetfestival-nv.com

#### JUN 13

#### 2nd Annual Picnic Day at the Homestead & Stewart's ice cream

Van Alstyne Homestead & Museum. Open every Saturfrom Memorial Day weekend - Labor Day weekend from 1-4 pm. On Inter-

www.facebook.com/vanalstynehomestead

#### Alfred Dolge Street Play

Chapter 4 "New Beginnings" will explore the Railroad, Partnership and Marriage. 9:30 am - Scene 1 will begin at Arthur's on Main St. and follow the parade route. Scene 2 at 2 pm at Helterline Park. Scene 3 at 5 pm at Auskerada Place.

#### Chicken BBQ

Root Historical Society, Flat Creek, NY. 2 pm until gone. \$6 for 1/2 chicken, \$8 for full meal. Call Bill at 518-922-5606 for more information.

#### Free Clothing Giveaway

Valley Alliance Church, State Highway 5 just 1 mile E. of the Nelliston traffic light. 9-11 am. Doors open at 8:45 am. Refreshments will be provided.

#### MVC Summer **Concert Series**

Christie Belanger and NPR featured vocalist Caitlin Canty; Carrie Erving of Ponyhof; Alpenglow and Sarah Bogran, with co-performer, Joe Gyurik. Unity Hall, Fort Plain. Advance tickets \$7.50. For more information contact info@mohawkvallevcollective.com or

by calling 518-993-5506.

#### JUN 13-14

Blacksmith Hammer-In Fort Klock, 7214 NY-5, St Johnsville. 10 am - 4 pm. All blacksmiths are invited to attend and demonstrate how iron items were created in early times. The public is invited. For more information www.fortklockrestoration.org or call 518-568-7779.

#### **JUN 14**

#### Duck Derby

Beaver Brook. Tickets on sale now for \$5 see a committee member or call Sarah at 315-717-3004.

#### JUN 14, JUL 12, AUG 9

#### Church in the Park

Haslett Park, Fort Plain, NY. All events start at 6 p.m. Jun 14: Music by Delnero Family. Evangelist Jimmy Foster. Jul 12: Music by Pete Rose. Pastor Donnie Semple. Aug 9: Music by 4 Ever 1. Pastor Dave Prashst.

#### JUN 16

#### 3rd Annual Presentation: 10 Healthful Herbs

St. John's Lutheran Church, 774 St. Hwy. 163, Fort Plain, NY. Presented by Bill Naples. 7 pm. Refreshments. Free admission.

#### JUN 19

#### Rick Alberico Jazz Project

The Other Side, 2011 Genesee Street, Utica, NY, Tickets are \$15 adult and \$8 student. \$25 adult and \$ 10 students tickets will give you admission to jazz event on Jun 26 "Just Friends." Retickets at Domenico or by phone 315-735-4825 kodomenico@verizon.net

#### JUN 20

#### 7th Annual all free Party in the Perk Summer Special Open Mic.

George P. Snyder Park, corners of Union & Franklin Sts. & Union & Washington Sts. in Fultonville NY. 3-8 pm. Any questions call 518-

#### Illion First Baptist Church presents:

#### Living with Bi-Polar

8 Second Street, Ilion, New York 13357. 10 am - 1 pm. Speakers Jane Ueninga and Tom Doone. Light brunch will be served.

#### Yogurt Day & Stephanie Arndt with Pandora the Painted Cow & SUNY Cobleskill

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#### **JUN 26**

#### Mike Dubaniewicz 'Just Friends

The Other SIde, 2011 Genesee St., Utica, NY. Adults \$15, students \$8. Reserve tickets at Cafe Domenico, by phone 315-735-4825 or ekodomenico@verizon.net

#### **JUN 27**

#### Palatine Cheese and NYS Wine Pairing by the FRC

Van Alstyne Homestead & Museum. SUNY Cobleskill will be visiting during National Dairy Month. Open every Saturday from Memorial Day weekend-Labor Day weekend from 1-4 pm. On Internet www.facebook.com/vanalstynehomestead

#### JUN 28

#### **MVC Summer Concert** Series

German based Stromorchester 9th Symphony for Electrophonic Orchestra. For more information contact info@mohawkvalleycollective.com or by calling 518-993-5506.

#### **JUN 30**

#### Celebrant Singers to Perform

Church of the Annunciation. 54 West Street. 7 pm.

#### JUL 4

#### Independence Day Celebration

Fort Klock Historic Restoration, St. Johnsville, NY. Noon 4 pm. Also a strawberry festival of homemade cakes. strawberry shortcake, Stewart's ice cream and refreshments for a small fee. Bake sale, Call 518-568-7779, On Internet at www.fortklockrestoration.org

#### Independence Day Strawberry Festival

Fort Klock, 7214 NY-5, St. Johnsville. 12-4 pm. The Declaration of Independence reading will be at 1 pm followed by a Tryon Militia salute. For more information visit www.fortklockrestoration.org

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#### 800 Oakridge Terrace, Herkimer



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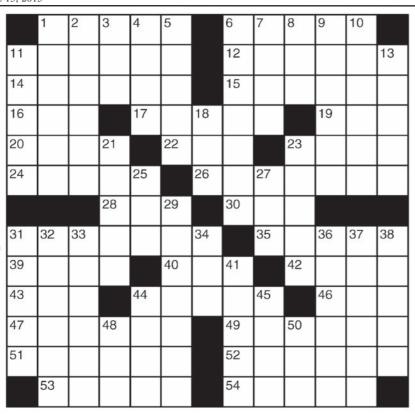
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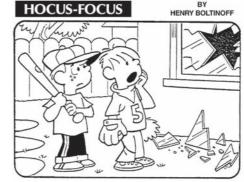
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301 Gray St, Herkimer
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343 3rd Ave, Frankfort
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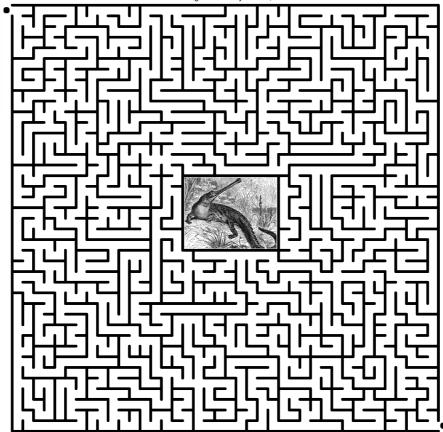
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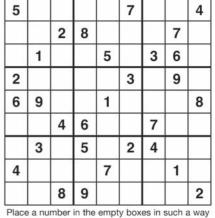
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**Sophocles** 

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## Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle



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JUL 4, AUG 1, SEP 5, OCT 3, NOV 7 & DEC 5

#### Acoustic Coffee House

Fultonville United Methodist Church. 6:30 pm. Any questions call 518-986-2758.

#### JUL 11

#### Artifact Identification at Schoharie Crossing Canal Days

Fort Hunter, NY. For more information about these events and more, call the Visitor Center at 518-829-7516 or e-mail SchoharieCrossing@parks.ny. gov

#### MVC Summer Concert Series

Indie rock musician Ross Cashiola of Hotel Brotherhood and Mike Doughty will entertain listeners with their solo performances Unity Hall, Fort Plain. Advance tickets are \$7.50. For more information contact info@mohawkvalleycollective.com or by calling 518-993-5506.

#### Van Alstyne Homestead & Museum

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#### JUL 11-12

#### Canal Days

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Schoharie Crossing State Historic Site. More information to come. Check www.nysparks.com call 518-829-7516 or find Schoharie Crossing on Facebook.

#### JUL 18

#### Van Alstyne Homestead & Museum

Van Alstyne Homestead & Museum. 7-9 pm Safety Committee Meeting Reenactment. Open every Saturday from Memorial Day weekend-Labor Day weekend from 1-4 pm. On Internet at www.facebook.com/vanal-stynehomestead

#### JUL 24

#### Music night at Fort Klock 7 pm. For more information visit www.fortklock.com.or

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#### JUL 25

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#### AUG 1

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#### 'Physics is phun' - Physics day for kids

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#### AUG 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

#### Not Just for Kids Storytelling

Schoharie Crossing State Historic Site Visitor Center. 6:30 pm. For more information call 518-29-7516.

#### AUG 4-6

#### Young Pioneer Program

Fort Klock, 7214 NY-5, St Johnsville. A three day educational program for Children between the ages of 9 & 13. The children will experience frontier life and colonial lifestyles will having fun learning about what life was like for children of that period. Call 518-568-7779 to register. A small fee is charged.

#### AUG 8

#### 'Home, Home on the Homestead' - Ask a Big Animal Vet

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stynehomestead

#### MVC Hosts Local Talent -3rd Annual River Through Time Benefit

Haslett Park, Fort Plain, NY. Free admission. For more information contact info@mohawkvalleycollective.com or by calling 518-993-5506.

#### AUG 15

#### 'Open Wide' - Dental care, cancer screenings, & more Van Alstyne Homestead &

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#### AUG 22

## 'It's Getting Hot in Here..' Canajoharie Volunteer Fire Department - Fire Safety Course

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#### MVC Summer Concert Series

Leah Shaw and Aviva Jaye, Monica Garrido, eBone Underground, Eugene Tyler Band, and AJ Ghent Band. Unity Hall, Fort Plain. Advance tickets are \$7.50. For more information contact info@mohawkvalleycollective.com or by calling 518-993-5506.

#### Youth and Open Horse Show

Herkimer Fairgrounds, Frankfort, NY. Starts at 9 am. 18 and under in youth classes compete free all day. Open classes \$3 entry fee. Contact Jeff Elthorp at 315-895-7464. E-mail: info@herkimercountyfair.org . Website: www.herkimer-

#### AUG 29

countyfair.com

#### 'For the Birds' - Presentation on the Birds of the Mohawk Valley

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#### SEP 5

#### The Van Alstyne Family Reunion & VAHS Membership Appreciation Day Pot Luck Lunch

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#### SEP 12-13

Two Day Giant Craft Fair Fort Klock Historic Restoration, St. Johnsville, NY. Sat. 10 am - 5 pm, Sun. 10 am -4 pm. Free admission and parking. Call 518-568-7779. On Internet at www.fortklockrestoration.org

#### DEC 6

#### St. Nicholas Day

Fort Klock Historic Restoration, St. Johnsville, NY. 12-3:30 pm. All children will receive a homemade wooden ornament from St. Nicholas. Tryon Co. Milita will drill, storyteller, roaring fires, pine bough decorations and a tree. Call 518-568-7779. On Internet at www.fortklock-restoration.org





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#### **Town of Root Museum**



Town of Root Historian Bill Maring and Catholic Charities Community Engagement Coordinator Shauna Sitts.

Photo by Ryan Lorey

Members of the Root Historical Society in Montgomery County worked together with the Advancing Tobacco Free Communities program of Hamilton, Fulton and Montgomery Counties to sign a tobacco free grounds policy on May 20, 2015. The policy, which applies to all areas of the Town of Root Mu-

seum on Carlisle Road in Sprakers, is part of the society's commitment to providing a safe and healthy place for those who will visit the museum. Exposure to secondhand smoke is known to cause death and disease and is the third leading cause of preventable death in this country, killing over 50,000 non-

smokers each year. To learn more about how your organization can protect workers and patrons from secondhand smoke or to adopt a tobacco free grounds policy, contact Sitts at Catholic Charities of Fulton and Montgomery Counties at 518-762-8313.

#### Unveiling from B1 .

ect. She emphasized that all work had been done in the student's spare time and that they had even given up their

ect. She emphasized that lunch time to work on all work had been done the project.

"We are very proud of these students for sharing their talent to support our community and country," remarked Tony Susi, Commander of Post 168. "We can't thank them enough!"



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### Whatchamacallits

Walter Schlierman provides this week's Whatchamacallit.

He stopped by Lee Publications recently with a device he wanted to know a little more about. It's a metal crank of some sort — with three arms; two are movable and one is in a fixed position.

Each arm has a curved hook on the end and when the hand crank is turned clockwise, the two movable arms retract.

You may remember a few Whatchamacallits ago when we featured a carpet stretcher with a similar design and process. This device looks to be from the around same era as that carpet stretcher.

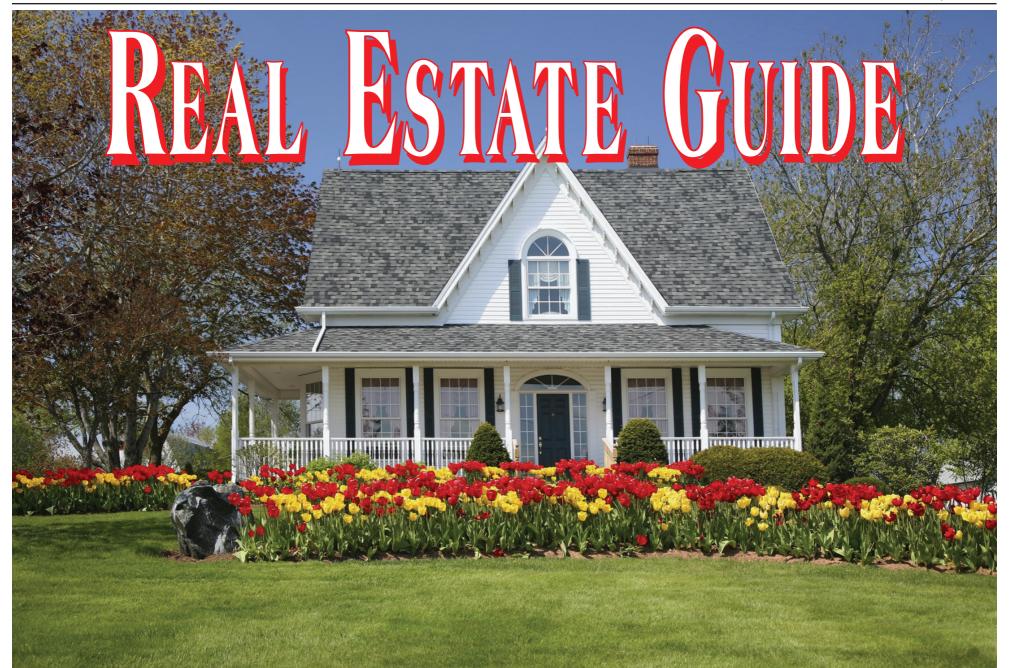
If you recognize this antique contraption or would like to offer up your best guess, please send in your idea to the Lee Publication's Editorial Department via email, phonecall or U.S. Postal Service.



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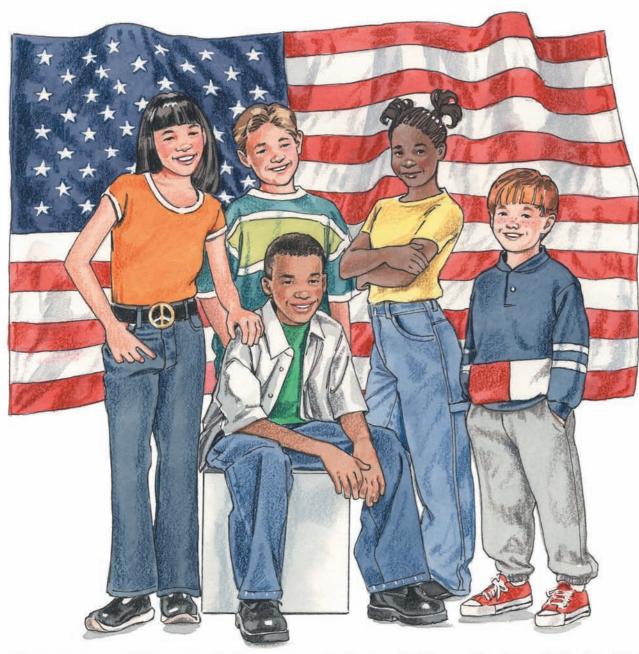
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- Many historians believe that the first American flag was designed by Congressman Francis Hopkinson and sewn by Philadelphia seamstress Betsy Ross.
- ★The original American flag consisted of 13 stripes alternating red and white, and 13 white stars in a blue field which represented the "New Constellation" of 13 colonies.
- ★Our flag's colors are also symbolic. Red signifies hardiness and valor; white stands for purity and innocence; and blue represents vigilance, perseverance and justice.

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## Car buying and selling simplified: Insider secrets to avoiding hassles and saving money

Having a car is a necessity for most people, but buying and selling one shouldn't cause headaches and waste time. Industry insiders know there are steps that can help both buyers and sellers maximize their investment while minimizing stress.

"The process of buying or selling a car can be complicated, but it doesn't have to be," says Mike Dodd, a 25-year veteran of the automotive industry and CEO of Carphoria. "The key is to be smart and thoroughly consider your options. Don't assume you have to sell and buy the same way your parents did."

Dodd offers these tips that savvy car owners can rely on when buying and selling a vehicle:

#### Know your budget

Buying a car is a large purchase, so make sure

to stick to your budget. If you are financing your vehicle, be sure to get pre-approved for a loan at the lowest rate you qualify for. Often getting financed at the dealership doesn't allow you to get the lowest rate. Even a small increase in interest rates can add up to thousands of dollars over the life of your loan. If you do finance through a dealership, ask to speak to the lender directly to confirm you are getting the rate that you actually qualify for, and that you aren't giving a few percentage points to the dealer as part of their "facilitation fee."

#### Buy used rather than brand new

Financially savvy car buyers understand that buying a brand new car is expensive. In fact, new cars decline in value by about 25 percent each



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year for the first five years, according to Edmunds. That means if you change your mind next year, your \$40,000 car will only be worth \$30,000 (and chances are if you financed it, you owe more for it than it is actually worth). Instead, research the car you'd like to own and look for one a year old, with less than 15,000 miles on it. That will instantly save you money. Also, allow yourself some time to shop online and in person so you can find the price you want without feeling pressured to buy on the spot. Remember, there will always be another car you like you don't have to make rushed decisions.

#### Buy and trade separately

Most people leave

money on the table by simply trading in their vehicle when they purchase their new one. You should negotiate your purchase without any sort of trade-in taken into consideration. The same goes for negotiating the sale of your old car. By separating the two, you are able to focus on the getting the best outcome in both transactions.

#### Thoroughly inspect used vehicles

Third-party history reports on automobiles are a great starting point when you are looking to purchase a used vehicle. But half of motor vehicle crashes go unreported, and more than 450,000 vehicles each year have false odometer readings, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety

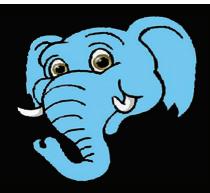
Administration. Whether from a dealer, private owner or personal friend, always get a comprehensive inspection done on used vehicles before signing anything. Having an accurate picture of the current state of everything from the motor to the air conditioner could affect the price you should be paying.

#### Get an extended warranty

Car repairs are an inevitable part of car ownership. However, extended warranties provide peace of mind and can save you a lot of money on repairs once a manufacturer's warranty is up. Shop around to get the highest-quality plan for the lowest cost from a reputable company.



Buyers and sellers can take steps to maximize their car investment and minimize stress.



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Do you take your car's "health" for granted? Only when the check engine light comes on do you realize how important a fully functional vehicle is to your daily life. Feelings of fear, regret and anxiety often rush in: "Will my car break down?" "Should I have

gotten my oil changed sooner?" Can I trust that I'm receiving a fair price for repairs?"

These are all reasonable concerns, according to Joe Wiesenfelder, Cars.com executive editor.

"According to Mintel, on average, drivers spend nearly \$1,000 per year maintaining their cars, and that number will likely only increase as the average age of vehicles continues to get older," says Wiesenfelder. "Even more important, a recent survey by Cars.com and Toluna

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found that one in three drivers don't trust that the prices mechanics quote to them are fair. 'Expensive' and 'stressful' are the top words that come to mind for many consumers when they're thinking about car maintenance and repairs."

Knowledge is power, but for many consumers, car maintenance can be shrouded in mystery. Many don't know which mechanic to go to, how much to pay or if the price they're being quoted is accurate. Thankfully, tools and resources are available to help drivers confidently navigate the automotive service and repair process. Here are a few expert tips, resources and busted myths to arm you with the information you need to make informed, confident decisions about car service:

1. You probably don't need to change your oil every 3,000 miles. Due to technology advancements, many auto manufacturers recommend changing oil at intervals of 7,500 miles or more for new cars.

2. Does a dirty air filter really hurt performance? A clogged air filter won't significantly affect fuel economy, but it can reduce acceleration from 6 to 11 percent, according to a U.S. Department of Energy Study. For that reason, it's a good idea to periodically visually check the engine air filter.

3. Cars.com has launched a new "Service & Repair" feature that provides a fair price estimate for different types of service, helping ensure drivers never overpay. The online tool also helps drivers find local service providers and offers reviews from actual customers to help them find a quality mechanic.

4. Drivers expect the tires that come with their new vehicle to last a long time, but tire life depends on many factors, including: the quality of the tire, its treadwear rating, whether it is an all-season, summer performance or winter tire, the type of vehicle and where and how it is driv-

5. Service engine? If the check engine light

comes on and has a steady illumination, that indicates a possibly serious issue, and it should be dealt with quickly by a mechanic. If the check engine light is flashing, find a place to park the vehicle and turn the engine off as quickly as you safely can. Ignoring your check engine light increases the likelihood of additional problems.

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