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School Budgets Approved Across Putnam

By Holly Crocco

School budgets passed all six districts in Putnam County on May 19, with a mix of incumbents and newcomers being elected to the boards of trustees.

Carmel Central School District's \$152.7 million budget passed by a vote of 1,427 to 862.

Elected to the school board were incumbent Jordi Douglas and Daniel Minieri, with 1,039 and 1,029 votes, respectively. Jacob Yount received 847 votes, Elizabeth Alvarez received 648 votes, and incumbent James Wise received 579 votes.

Following the vote, Superintendent of Schools Michael Plotkin expressed gratitude, on behalf of the administration and the school board, for the community's support of a budget that includes a one-tenth of 1 percent decrease in the tax levy.

"Your participation in this milestone reflects both your commitment to our schools and your trust in our efforts to balance fiscal responsibility with the needs of our students," he said. "With this support comes an important responsibility. We remain committed to the hard work of educating and caring for every student while serving as

careful stewards of the community's resources. We will continue to make thoughtful decisions that prioritize student needs, uphold strong educational programs, and maintain transparency and accountability."

Minieri said the voters chose two different candidates with two different perspectives on the current state of the district.

"The results show that our community continues to value the work Jordi Douglas has done over the past three years, while also expressing a desire for a new approach from a candidate who is willing to

draw firm lines in the sand and ask tough questions to help ensure a strong future for both our children and our taxpayers," he said. "I have heard you, and beginning on day one I will get to work on the priorities we have discussed over the past month."

At the Mahopac Central School District, the \$148.3 million budget passed by a vote of 1,831 to 875. Also approved was a proposition to purchase buses, a proposition to establish a capital reserve fund, and propositions to spend \$12.4 million and \$8 million on facility upgrades.

Rejected was a proposition

to spend \$10.5 million on athletic facility improvements.

Elected to the school board were Joseph Catalli with 1,771 votes, Lindsay DiCerbo with 1,373 votes, and Adam Savino with 1,318 votes. Alana Sweeny received 923 votes, Jaime Dickson received 886 votes, incumbent Michael Mongon received 741 votes, and Evan Fu received 197 votes.

At the Brewster Central School District, the \$128.4 million budget passed by a vote of 669 to 491. Elected to the school board were incumbents Kerry Cunningham with

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Shannon O'Shea's class from Mahopac visited Tilly Foster Farm in Brewster on May 13 to celebrate student Liam Lopez's winning name selection for a new calf.

Welcome, Oreo!

Mahopac Student Names New Calf at Tilly Foster

Lakeview Elementary School kindergartner Liam Lopez was one of the winners of a community contest to name a newborn calf at Tilly Foster Farm in Brewster.

The adorable Holstein/Scottish Highland heifer was born Feb. 11, and local elementary school students were invited to submit name ideas for the calf. Liam's submission, Oreo, was selected as the winning name, and the official unveiling took place May 13 at the farm with his class in attendance.

"Our class had the opportunity to tour the farm, pet the animals, and meet Oreo – the adorable baby calf," said kindergarten teacher Shannon O'Shea. "The students had an amazing time and it truly was a core memory and such a special experience for our class to be part of."



Environ. Findings For Fjord Trail Challenged in Court

By Holly Crocco

Separate Article 78 proceedings were filed last week challenging findings determined under the State Environmental Quality Review Act conducted by the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation for the Hudson Highlands Fjord Trail project, which basically say there will be little to no impact on the environmental, social, or fiscal health, and character of the communities the project will encompass.

On May 19, Protect the Highlands and four residents of Cold Spring filed joint proceedings, as did the Village of Cold Spring and

the Town of Philipstown. Putnam County declined to join the town and village in the lawsuit.

Protect the Highlands is a grassroots coalition based in Cold Spring that was formed in response to the Fjord Trail project, which is a proposed 7.5-mile-long publicly accessible linear park that would serve as a shared-use pedestrian and bicycle trail. It would run along the eastern shore of the Hudson River between the City of Beacon and Cold Spring. State Parks served as the lead agency for the SEQRA.

The project is being advanced by Hudson Highlands

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Putnam Seeks Solutions to Food Insecurity

By Rob Sample

Putnam County regularly ends up on lists of the most wealthy counties in both the U.S. and in the state. Yet, studies have shown that one in nine Putnam residents are affected by food insecurity.

During a recent meeting of the County Legislature's Health Committee, lawmakers discussed ways to resolve the resource shortages that keep food insecurity a nagging public concern. Committee Chairwoman Nancy Montgomery, D-Philipstown, noted that taking action was made critical by the federal government's recent suspension of funding for Port Chester-based Meals on Main Street, which served locations in Putnam.

"My goal tonight is to listen,

gather information, identify gaps, and better understand how county government can support the incredible work already happening throughout Putnam," she said. "I want to acknowledge that many of the people in this room are volunteers of small organizations operating under tremendous strain, and we appreciate your work and the compassion you bring to our communities."

Department of Social Services Commissioner Sarah Servido provided legislators with an overview of the service landscape.

"We're hearing through my department that individuals on the western side of the county... feel resources are difficult to get to," she said. That's mainly

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Mahopac Youngsters Enjoy 'Liberty 250'



Bill Weineke demonstrates how tents were assembled during the Revolutionary War.

Austin Road students use quill pens during the school's recent Liberty 250 celebration. Photos courtesy of Mahopac Central School District.

Austin Road fourth-graders enjoyed a full day of educational experiences designed to bring Colonial America and the Revolutionary era to life as the Mahopac elementary school recently hosted its Liberty 250 celebration.

"We are so grateful to all of the community experts who shared their time and knowledge with our students," said teacher Mary Jean Cerbini, who spearheaded the event. "Their passion and enthusiasm helped bring history to life in a very special way."

Throughout the day, students rotated through a variety of hands-on stations led by historians, storytellers, and historical interpreters dressed in historical

costumes to lend authenticity to the event.

Television and podcast host Don Wildman of "Mysteries at the Museum" demonstrated the art of quill writing as it would have been done in 1776, while master storyteller Jonathan Kruk brought the era to life through dramatic stories of local Revolutionary War legends such as Sybil Ludington and Chief Daniel Nimham.

Historical interpreter Jack Sherry portrayed Benjamin Franklin, sharing humorous stories and descriptions of his many inventions, while Celeste Sherry demonstrated 18th century spinning and fiber arts, giving students a glimpse into daily

Colonial life.

Outside, Bill Weineke guided students through demonstrations focused on Revolutionary War soldiers and camp life, including how tents were assembled during the era. Later in the afternoon, local historian Vincent D'Aquino expanded on the story of Ludington and her famous midnight ride through Putnam County.

"This was a tremendous experience for our students because they were able to truly immerse themselves in history through hands-on learning," said Principal Bryan Gilligan. "Our fourth grade teachers did an incredible job planning this event... Long after our students leave Austin Road and even graduate high school, this is the kind of experience they will remember."

Celeste Sherry demonstrates 18th century spinning and fiber arts.



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Putnam Theater Alliance Brings 'DIRT' Back to Three Stages

As part of the Putnam REV250 project, the Putnam Theater Alliance will present three staged readings of its successful 2024 production "DIRT" at three locations across the county during the first weekend in June.

The readings will be held at the Southeast Museum on Friday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m., in partnership with the Putnam History Museum (make reservations at <https://forms.gle/r6gDY2vFKB3jiN-QH6>); at Mahopac Public Library on Saturday, June 6 at 1 p.m. (free); and at Boscobel Home & Gardens in Cold Spring on Sunday, June 7 at 1 p.m. (tickets



available at www.boscobel.org/events/dirt-america-250).

On the verge of the American Revolution, all the land in what would become Putnam County belonged to the Philipse family

after they wrested it away from the Wappinger people who had cultivated the rich soil of the Hudson River Valley for generations. This little-known history of the region was crafted into a play about the struggle for that land, written by established playwrights Kate Moira Ryan, Vickie Ramirez, and Nan Nelson-Ewing.

Several professional actors in the cast of the 2024 production will repeat their roles in the staged readings, directed by Alice Jankell.

Hasan Gray, Jaz Astwood, Jolie Coulter, Devin Gibbs, Damien Hughes, and Gabriel Pages will be joined by Liz Keifer as Mary Philipse and Matt C. Cross as Chief Daniel Nimham.

The Putnam Theater Alliance was formed in 2020 by Arts on the Lake in Kent, the Philipstown Depot Theater in Garrison, and Tompkins Corners Cultural Center in Putnam Valley to share resources, talent, and stages to provide the Hudson Valley with relevant, vibrant and original plays, musical performances, and events.

The full production of "DIRT" sold out all performances in 2024 at the Alliance's three theaters.

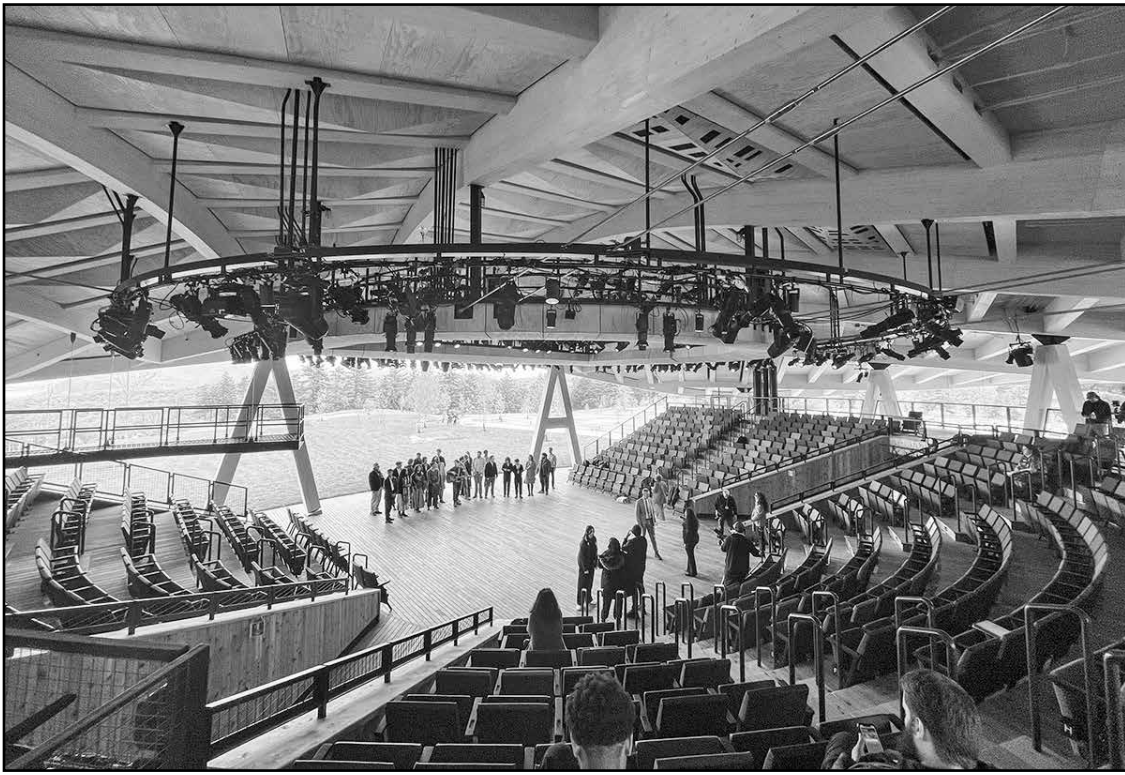
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The Samuel H. Scripps Theater Center in Garrison opened as the new home of Hudson Valley Shakespeare on May 14. Photo by Thornton Tomasetti consulting firm.



Roy and Lucille Ettere, founders of The Nicole Ettere Memorial Gardens Foundation, Inc., at the new Garden of Hope & Healing in Carmel. Photo by Chloe Gordon-Wareham.

Hudson Valley Shakespeare ‘Raises the Curtain’ on New Venue

The new home of Hudson Valley Shakespeare – the Samuel H. Scripps Theater Center in Garrison – opened May 14 with a ribbon-cutting ceremony, celebrating the culmination of a seven-year journey to create the company’s first permanent home and theater.

The summer season will kick off in June, featuring William Shakespeare’s “As You Like It” and “King Lear.”

The \$33 million project, which includes is the first public purpose-built LEED Platinum theater in the U.S., and ecological land restoration, was supported by a combined \$15.25 million investment from the New York State Council on the Arts, Empire State Development, the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation, and the NYS Education Department. An additional \$250,000 investment combined from Assemblymember Dana Levenberg, former Assemblymember Sandra Galef, and State Sen. Peter Harckham contributed to the overall \$15.5 million state investment in this world-class arts venue.

“To be among NYS’s historic grant recipients is a profound honor, and has been instrumental in getting us to this moment where we are opening a permanent home for our theater that is rooted in language, landscape, and community,” said Hudson Valley Shakespeare Artistic Director Davis McCallum. “For our artists, audiences, students, and neighbors, this campus creates new possibilities for gathering, learning, and experiencing the arts in one of the most extraordinary settings in New York.”

In 2022, Hudson Valley Shakespeare moved from its longtime site at Boscobel House & Gardens to a 98-acre property in Philipstown provided by philanthropist Chris Davis as a permanent home for the nonprofit theater company. The new Samuel H. Scripps Theater Center establishes more versatility for the actors, audience, and back-of-house for one of New York’s most beloved open-air theater companies.

Designed by the renowned architecture and urban design practice Studio Gang, the

14,850-square-foot venue is protected from the elements yet open to the landscape, accommodating a performance season from June through September. Construction began Sept. 25, 2024.

At the heart of the campus is a 6,800-square-foot, 451-seat open-air theater, whose curved timber-framed grid shell and columns rise naturally from the land, creating a dialogue with the Hudson Highlands. The stage’s proscenium arch is carefully oriented to frame iconic views of the Wey-Gat (“Wind Gate”) of Storm King Mountain, the Hudson River, and Breakneck Ridge, allowing performers to emerge directly from the surrounding topography.

Anchored by the theater, a series of thoughtfully designed pavilions – including rehearsal studios, a costume shop, teaching and education spaces, artist accommodations, administrative offices, concessions, and public amenities – are clad in natural materials that reflect the region’s character. Outdoor gathering areas, picnic lawns, and a scenic

overlook invite visitors to linger before and after performances in an extraordinary natural setting.

“The Hudson Valley Shakespeare campus is a landmark investment for the Mid-Hudson region – one that strengthens our cultural identity, drives economic growth, and sets a national standard for sustainable design,” said Mid-Hudson Regional Economic Development Council Co-Chairs Dr. Marsha Gordon and Dr. Kristine Young. “By bringing together world-class architecture, ecological stewardship, and the performing arts, this project proves that economic development and environmental responsibility can go hand in hand.”

Hudson Valley Shakespeare’s first permanent home is named in honor of Samuel H. Scripps (1927-2007), a visionary philanthropist whose passion for theater and dance profoundly shaped American culture. From an early age, Scripps developed a deep love for Shakespeare, which would guide his lifelong commitment to the arts.

Garden of Hope & Healing Dedicated

Those mourning the loss of a loved one through suicide now have another place to honor their memories, with the Garden of Hope & Healing, located along the Putnam County Trailway in Carmel, just behind CoveCare Center on Route 6. The location was dedicated May 15 by The Nicole Ettere Memorial Gardens Foundation, Inc.

Nicole Ettere was born Jan. 14, 1980, the second of four children – all brothers.

According to her parents, Roy and Lucille Ettere, from a young age, Nicole saw the good in people and always tried to help them. “As an adult, she worked in the medical field and enjoyed

interacting with and taking care of her patients,” they said. “All who knew her loved her.”

After experiencing a period of medical issues, depression, and isolation, Nicole ended her life at the age of 37, on Sept. 19, 2017.

“Our family will never have the answers to the whys and what ifs,” said Roy and Lucille.

Since her death, the Eteres have met many other families who have experienced trauma and sadness from the heartbreaking loss of loved ones. “Through the creation of the Gardens of Hope, it is our hope to keep their loved ones’ memories alive and raise suicide awareness,” they said.

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State Delays EV Bus Mandate

By Holly Crocco

The New York State Legislature last week approved a five-year delay to the state's electric bus mandate.

Once lawmakers in Albany pass the state budget (it has so far undergone 14 deadline extensions), school districts will have until July 2032 to stop buying diesel buses, compared to 2027 under the previous mandate. Districts will have until 2040 to fully electrify their fleet, a change from 2035.

Almost all districts in Putnam County opposed the mandate and expressed concerns over the reliability, cost, and availability of electric buses, in addition to not having enough energy available on current electrical grids.

Putnam Valley School Board Trustee Sam Oliverio Jr., a former Democratic legislator, expressed his opposition at the County Legislature's March 30 Audit Committee meeting.

"We're not talking about a car, we're talking about a bus that carries children. A bus that costs \$475,000 compared to a hybrid at \$225,000, or a gas-powered at \$185,000," he said. "People are being killed by the school taxes... As far as grants and anything else, it's miniscule. We've gone and applied and the costs were still double what we would pay for any other bus."

Oliverio also noted that going electric in New York State won't make a pinprick in the global climate.

"These buses are not going



School districts across the state now have a few more years before they have to electrify their bus fleets.

to change the climate one iota – not until countries like Pakistan, India, China, countries in Africa stop burning coal and oil," he said. "We can be the cleanest nation in the world; it's not going to help this planet until we stop the mass deforestation of the Amazon – knocking down all those trees and breeding animals that put methane and everything else in the air."

Brewster School Board Trustee Scott Seaman said studies have shown that it would cost Brewster roughly \$36 million, with state incentives, to switch over to an all electric fleet; it would cost Carmel and Mahopac about \$38 million.

"That's for the whole nut," he said, meaning the buses and infrastructure.

And infrastructure upgrades would definitely be needed, since the electric buses are much heavier than gas-powered vehicles, and not build for local roads, he said.

"They're probably two to

three times heavier, so there's more wear and tear on the roads, and a lot of our curbing and stuff on the roads are not designed to stop them," said Seaman. "It is the best thing for our students to get them out of gas buses and fuming buses. Fine. It's on the timeline – to think we can replace, in New York State, 700 school districts, roughly 10,000 school buses... That's \$3.5 billion."

Haldane Central School District Superintendent Dr. Gail Duffy weighed in on the topic during an April school board meeting.

"As a district, we believe in New York State's long-term goals – clean air and better health for our students are essential – but we might need more time," she said. "The district is exploring options with NYSERDA-recommended consulting firms to develop a state-mandated fleet electrification plan and assess the costs of owning versus leasing."

Nutrition Corner

By Allison J. Stowell
MS, RD, CDN



Easy, Breezy Summer Meals

Memorial Day marks the unofficial start of "flexible eating," when routines loosen and cookouts, picnics, and spontaneous gatherings become more frequent. Shared summer meals can have a light, breezy feel for everyone, including the host. A key ingredient for this "easy-for-the-host" recipe is less cooking and serving during the event. It all comes together to create a summer soiree with more fun and less work.

Grain Bowls

Your turn to host book club or a similar gathering? Limit effort and join the conversation with a grain bowl bar. This versatile "bar", served warm or cold, appeals to a variety of tastes, and can be mostly made ahead. For your grains, choose quinoa, rice, Israeli couscous, orzo, or maybe unique noodles like rice or soba. Offer proteins like cubed tofu, diced chicken, or ground turkey (seasoned and browned). Serve alongside an array of vegetables and other toppings like seeds, nuts, beans, shredded or crumbled cheese, or diced fruit. Finish with sauces, salsa, and other flavorful add-ons.

Topping Bars

You may still have to grill, but an abundant toppings bar turns a simple burger into something more fun (with little effort). Begin with burgers that fit different tastes and dietary preferences. Then go beyond the regular toppings with grilled vegetables, assorted greens, sprouts, sliced colorful tomatoes, cucumber, radish, guacamole, hummus, cucumber dip, and other unique and unexpected options like Grilled Peach Salsa (recipe on GuidingStars.com)

Protein Boards

No one wants extra work when we're excited to enjoy a long summer evening with friends. Enter a satisfying protein board, built with simple options. Build your board with cubed marinated tofu, beans, rolled turkey breast, lean roast beef, "cracker cut" cheese, grilled chicken strips, hummus, bean dip, plain Greek yogurt, hard boiled eggs, or chilled shrimp. For balance, serve salad or a colorful veggie plate too.

Allison Stowell MS, RD, CDN is a registered dietitian for Hannaford Supermarket. For more information about free, virtual nutrition classes and more, visit Hannaford.com/dietitians. To learn more about the Guiding Stars nutrition guidance program, visit GuidingStars.com.

Grilled Swordfish with Tomato-Olive Relish and Couscous (3 Guiding Stars) Hannaford.com

This simple and flavorful dish defines the essence of a great summer meal. A bright and herby tomato-olive relish provides a hit of flavor for meaty swordfish, and fluffy couscous rounds out the Mediterranean-inspired dish.

Ingredients:

- 1 lemon
- 2 cups grape tomatoes, diced
- ¼ cup Kalamata olives, pitted and diced
- ½ cup chopped fresh parsley
- 3 Tbsp. olive oil, divided
- 4 (6 - oz.) swordfish steaks, about 1-inch thick
- 1 cup couscous

Steps

1. Into a medium bowl, grate 2 teaspoons zest from lemon. Cut lemon into wedges and set aside. To bowl, add tomatoes, olives, parsley and 1 tablespoon oil. Season with salt and pepper and toss to combine. Set aside.
2. Pat steaks dry with paper towels. Brush both sides lightly with remaining 2 tablespoons oil and season with salt and pepper.
3. Set grill to medium-high. Clean and oil grates to prevent sticking. Place steaks directly on hot grates. Grill until grill marks appear and fish releases easily and is cooked through, 4-6 minutes per side. Transfer swordfish to a platter and rest 5 minutes.
4. Meanwhile, cook couscous according to package directions. Fluff with a fork. Spoon the tomato-olive relish over fish. Serve with lemon wedges and couscous.

Tuna, Feta and Dill Salad

(Family Features)
Mediterranean Tuna,
Feta and Dill Salad

Ingredients:

- 3 cups arugula
 - 1 cup cherry tomatoes, each cut in half
 - 1/2 English cucumber, cut into 1/2-inch chunks
 - 1/2 cup feta cheese chunks
 - 1/4 cup sliced red onion
 - 2 tablespoons chopped fresh dill or 1 teaspoon dried dill, plus additional for topping (optional)
 - 2 cans (5 ounces each) Genova Yellowfin Tuna in Olive Oil
- Dressing:**
- 2 tablespoons fresh-squeezed lemon juice
 - 1 tablespoon fresh chopped dill
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 tsp ground black pepper



Directions:

In large bowl or on platter, lay arugula. Place cherry tomatoes, cucumber, feta, red onion and dill over arugula. Top with tuna; reserve oil from cans. To make dressing: In small bowl, combine lemon juice, dill, salt and pepper. Whisk in reserved olive oil from tuna cans until mixture is well blended. Before serving, drizzle dressing over salad and top with additional chopped dill, if desired.
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Attendees enjoy a prior Birds of Prey Day at Green Chimneys.

Birds of Prey Day to Take Off June 7

Green Chimneys is gearing up for its annual Birds of Prey Day on Sunday, June 7, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at 400 Doansburg Road, Brewster.

It's a day of education and grand display where falconers and top wildlife experts join together to share their passion for magnificent birds of prey, stories of rescue and rehabilitation, and firsthand knowledge of health and sustainability concerns for numerous species.

Highlights will include free-flying bird demonstrations, an animal expert stage show, and the live release of a rehabilitated bird. Featured guests include James Eyring with "Hawk Tales," Brian Bradley presenting "Sky-hunters in Flight," and Suzie

Gilbert of the New York State Wildlife Rehabilitation Council-Pace Alliance at Teatown Lake Reservation.

Tickets are \$17.79 for adults and \$7 for youth age 3 to 11, with family passes available. Purchase them at www.greenchimneys.org/preyday.

The 2026 "raptor ambassador" for Birds of Prey Day is a female Swainson's hawk brought to Green Chimneys by a rehabber who found her as a juvenile lost on migration. The hawk had an injured keel and was nursed back to health, but due to the young bird not knowing how to properly migrate, Green Chimneys is now her permanent home.

Green Chimneys Farm & Wildlife Center is a renowned

rehabilitation facility licensed by the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation and the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, and one of the few centers to hold proper licenses and permits required for rehabilitation of bald eagles. In the last year, the center has cared for more than 200 animals, providing rehabilitation services for 47 distinct bird species.

Of these rescues, 81 animals were successfully released back to their natural habitat.

Launched 35 years ago as a fundraiser to build Green Chimneys' first aviary, Birds of Prey Day has grown into a full-day celebration with top wildlife experts and falconers from across the tristate area and more than 100 live raptors.



NYSSBA Area 10 Director Sheryl Brady presents an award to Brewster High School CLAWS Program Co-Coordinators Glenn Palmieri and Jess McCann, alongside Superintendent Dr. Michelle Gosh.

Brewster High School CLAWS Program a 'Champions of Change'

Brewster Central School District was presented with a prestigious Champions of Change award from the New York State School Boards Association at the May 12 school board meeting, for Brewster High School's innovative CLAWS Program.

The award was presented by NYSSBA Area 10 Director Sheryl Brady and celebrates school districts across the state for transformative initiatives that make a meaningful impact on students.

Representing Brewster High School at the ceremony were CLAWS Program Co-Coordinators Glenn Palmieri and Jess McCann, who accepted the recognition alongside Superintendent Dr. Michelle Gosh.

CLAWS, which stands for Career Learning And Workplace Skills, is designed to provide students with meaningful workplace experiences connected to relevant

academic coursework across a variety of career fields. The program helps bridge the gap between classroom learning and real-world experience while strengthening partnerships between students, schools, and the broader community.

"The awards committee looks out in the community for programs that highlight positive programming in schools, and the CLAWS program provides students with real-life experience, putting their learning into action so that they can learn to fix things themselves or possibly pursue a career in the trades," said Brady. "The program also connects students with community businesses."

Gosh reflected on the significance of the recognition, saying, "We know special things are happening here in Brewster every day. We see it," she said. "But it's nice to be acknowledged externally. It means the world to us."

Mahopac Library Vote & Trustee Election is June 2

Registered Mahopac Central School District residents may vote on the Mahopac Public Library's 2026-27 budget Tuesday, June 2 between 7 a.m. and 9 p.m., at the library, 668 Route 6, Mahopac.

The Board of Trustees and Director Michele Capozzella say they have worked to minimize the increase to the tax levy, putting forth the first increase since 2020 while accounting for rising costs. They say it supports the library's mission while acknowledging the challenging economic times by remaining below the allowable tax cap amount.

Voters will be asked to elect three trustees to the board. There are four candidates seeking election: incumbents Eugene Boesch and Diane Travis, and Annysa

Polanco and Mary Killean Zayani. The three open seats will be filled by candidates who will each fill a three-year term.

Applications for absentee ballots are available at the Main Desk beginning May 12. Applications must be completed and returned to the election clerk (Capozzella) before ballots can be issued. The application can be returned in person to the library, or mailed.

The completed application must be received no later than Tuesday, May 26 if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, and no later than Monday, June 1 if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. Completed ballots must be received no later than 5 p.m. Tuesday, June 2.

Applications for early vot-

ing ballots are also available at the main desk. To receive an early voting ballot, applications must be hand-delivered no later than the day before the election, or received in the mail no later than the seventh day before the election. Applications may not be submitted more than 30 days prior to the election.

Early voting ballots must be received no later than 5 p.m. Tuesday, June 2, to be counted by the election Inspectors.

The public will have the opportunity to meet the board of trustee candidates at the library's annual meeting Monday, June 1 at 7 p.m.

For more information, contact Capozzella at 845-628-2009, ext. 107.

Audition for 'A Cricket's Tale'

The Brewster Theater Company will hold auditions for a new musical, "A Cricket's Tale," on June 7 and 8 at the Theater at Drew Methodist Church, 28 Gleneida Ave., Carmel. Auditions are available by appointment only, by emailing BrewsterTheater-Info@gmail.com with "cricket audition" in the subject line.

Character descriptions and vocal ranges are available at brewstertheater.org. This show will include the use of puppets, which will be taught to inter-

ested performers. An extended rehearsal period is anticipated for some roles to incorporate acting, singing, and puppetry. All lead roles are open, and BTC is additionally seeking a strong stage ensemble.

The performance is scheduled in early December.

"A Cricket's Tale" is a new musical of the 'Pinocchio' story you thought you knew... but do you?" according to Alyssa Reit, who wrote the book, lyrics, and music. "I can't wait to see the

show come to life."

Stacy Dumont, director of the show, knew she wanted to be involved with this piece when she read its submission to the Brewster Theater Company as a new, local play. "I'm attracted to making complex art, and 'Cricket' will certainly fit the bill," she said.

The vocal director is former Metropolitan Opera singer Ellen Lang, and the musical director is Broadway musician Peter Reit. Bob Dumont is the producer.



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Vendors Sought for Youth Biz Market

Registration is now open for youth vendors interested in participating in the third annual Youth Business Market on Sunday, June 14, at Tilly Foster Farm in Brewster.

Young entrepreneurs age 5 to 17 looking to showcase and sell their products or services can now sign up at PutnamCountyNY.gov/YBM.

Building on the success of last two years – which have seen thousands of visitors and hundreds of youth vendors attend – the Youth Business Market provides a one-of-a-kind retail opportunity for young entrepreneurs to gain real-world business experience. Vendors will have the

chance to offer handmade goods, food, collectibles, services, and more.

“When we first started this two years ago, we weren’t really sure what to expect,” said Putnam County Executive Kevin Byrne. “We’ve been blown away by the creativity and determination of our young entrepreneurs. The Youth Business Market is an opportunity for them to hone their skills, build real businesses, and learn valuable lessons in commerce.”

Youth vendors interested in participating must register in advance. For more information, call the Youth Bureau at 845-808-1600.

Frank Miele to Lead 2026 Columbus Day Parade



This year’s Putnam County Columbus Day Parade & Festivities honorees include, from left, special honoree Paul Camarda; Grand Marshal Frank Miele; scholarship recipients Lola Lauro, Jake Lauro, and Gabriella Bartholdi; Miss Columbus Madeleine Zeolla; and Honorary Grand Marshals Jake D’Angelo, Carmine Cedrola, and Urania Cedrola.

We Will Miss

Brewster

Johanna G. Militano, 85, May 13. Beecher Funeral Home, Brewster, NY, (845) 279-3615.

Lawrence J. Elliott, 82, May 14. Beecher Funeral Home, Brewster, NY, (845) 279-3615.

Carmel

Jayne Sandra D’Ambrosio, 70, May 4, Balsamo-Cordovano Funeral Home, Carmel, (845) 225-2144

Cold Spring

Vincent Francis Burke,

84, May 3. Clinton Inc Funeral Homes, Cold Spring, (845) 265-3333.

Jaclyn Pollard, 89, May 14. Clinton Inc Funeral Homes, Cold Spring, (845) 265-3333.

Kent

Robert John Pallatto, 72, May 15. Clinton Inc Funeral Homes, Cold Spring, (845) 265-3333.

Garrison

Nancy Jane Travis Schnaars, 78, April 26. Heritage Funeral Home, Putnam Valley, (845) 526-3000.

The Italian American Club of Mahopac recently announced the names of its 2026 Putnam County Columbus Day Parade & Festivities honorees.

Mahopac Superintendent of Schools Frank Miele, a former athletic director, coach, and teacher in the district, has been named the grand marshal. Honorary grand marshals include Urania Cedrola, a member of the IAC



Parade Grand Marshal Frank Miele.

Board of Directors; Carmine Cedrola, culinary master and member of the IAC; and Jake D’Angelo, Putnam County legislator.

The special honoree is Paul Camarda, a local real estate developer and philanthropist.

Miss Columbus is Madeleine Zeolla, Little Miss Columbus is AnnaMaria Amato, and Master Columbus is Jake Lauro.

Honorees will be celebrated

at a gala June 14 at Villa Barone Hilltop Manor, starting at 2:30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

All the honorees were invited to dinner during the club’s May membership meeting, where they were introduced to the membership along with three scholarship recipients: Lola Lauro, Gabriela Bertholdi, and Jake Lauro – who were also presented with certificates and checks, and read their essays on “How the Italian culture has influenced my life.”

This year’s Columbus Day parade is scheduled Sunday, Oct. 4 at 2:30 p.m. Lineup will include public officials, military groups, dance schools, karate schools, Boy/Girl Scouts, community organizations, antique and classic cars, fire departments, and more. Any organization or business interested in joining the lineup with a banner, vehicle, or float should contact Giulio Cefaloni at 845-745-2655.

For more information, visit italianamericanclubofmahopac.org.

Putnam Chorale Presents ‘An American Tapestry’

This summer and fall, the 35-member Summer Ensemble of the Putnam Chorale will present “An American Tapestry,” a seven-concert series across Putnam and Dutchess counties, commemorating the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

Blending music and history, “An American Tapestry” traces the evolving story of America through song – from the Colonial era to the present day. The program features works by early American composer William Billings alongside iconic music by Aaron Copland, Leonard Bernstein, and Irving Berlin, as well as spirituals and patriotic favorites.

“Through music, we trace the arc of freedom in this program,” said Music Director Dr. Jason Tramm. “The repertoire reflects liberty, the American experience, and our shared heritage

– featuring both rediscovered works and beloved classics like ‘Battle Hymn of the Republic’ and ‘God Bless America.’”

Putnam County performances are scheduled Friday, May 29 at 7 p.m., at Sacred Heart Church in Patterson (free); Sunday, June 14 at 2 p.m., at Mahopac Public Library (free); and Thursday, July 23 at 7 p.m., at Old Southeast Church in Brewster. Tickets to the Brewster performance are \$15 for adults, \$12 for seniors and students, and free for children age 12 and younger, and available at <https://events.ticketleap.com>.

Now in its 41st season, the Putnam Chorale is a dynamic ensemble of more than 85 voices dedicated to presenting high-quality choral music to audiences across Putnam, Dutchess, and Westchester counties. The Summer Ensemble is a subset of those performers, featuring singers.

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Putnam County Community Events

Book Sales

Friends of Kent Library will hold “third Saturday” Book Cellar sales in May, June, July, and August, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

‘Fixers’ Needed

Sustainable Putnam needs volunteer “fixers” with skills in either sewing, gluing, basic electrical or mechanical work, to help at its Repair Cafes. These “repair coaches” work together to diagnose and repair a wide array of household items. Volunteers are provided with snacks and lunch. Email volunteer@sustainableputnam.org or call 646-598-6560.

Farmers’ Market

The Town of Carmel Recreation & Parks Department will host a farmers’ market every other Sunday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. through Oct. 19 at the Michael Geary Memorial Hockey Rink at 740 Route 6, Mahopac. Live music, food, vendors. Updates available on social media @CFMatlakemahopac.

Tuesday, May 26

‘Top Gun’

Patterson Library will show “Top Gun” on Tuesday, May 26 at 1 p.m. Celebrate the 40th anniversary of the original movies and watch Maverick and Goose upend the U.S. Navy’s Fighter Weapons School. Adults 18 and older. Register at 845-878-6121 or www.pattersonlibrary.org.

Wednesday, May 27

Pluto Program

Get “Lost in Space” with Dr. Z at Kent Public Library on Wednesday, May 27 at 6 p.m., featuring “Pluto: Small World, Big Controversy.” This year is the 20th anniversary of Pluto’s “demotion” to dwarf planet and the launch of the New Horizons interplanetary space probe. Discuss Pluto, its formation, its current planet status, and an overview of the New Horizons mission. Ages 7 and older.

Thursday, May 28

‘To Bee or Not to Bee’

Join CCE-Putnam 4-H Educator Brandy Keenan, and Jenna Sadecki of Agriventures Agway for a beginner’s guide to beekeeping during “To Bee or Not to Bee” on Thursday, May 28 from 6 to 7:30 p.m., at Tilly Foster Farm in Brewster. This family-friendly introduction will include hive site selection, equipment, buying your bees, installing them in their new home, weekly and monthly maintenance of the colony, overview of pests and disease, and resources to help keep you on track. Light refreshments will be served. \$20. Register at <https://cceputnam-county.org>.

Friday, May 29

Putnam Chorale

The Putnam Chorale Summer Ensemble will present its “American Tapestry” concert series Friday, May 29 at 7 p.m., at Sacred Heart Church, 414 Haviland Drive, Patterson (free); Sunday, June 14 at 2 p.m., at Mahopac Public Library (free); and Thursday, July 23 at 7 p.m., at Old Southeast Church in Brewster. Tickets to the Brewster performance are \$15 for adults, \$12 for seniors and students, and free for children age 12 and younger, at <https://events.ticketleap.com>. Featuring work by American compos-

ers including Samuel Barber, Aaron Copeland, Randall Thompson, and Leonard Bernstein.

Flower Show

The Lake Mahopac Garden Club will present a flower show titled “Spring’s Palette” On Friday, May 29 from 1:30 to 4:45 p.m., and Saturday, May 30 from 10 a.m. to 4:45 p.m., at Mahopac Public Library, 668 Route 6.

Saturday, May 30

Broadway on a Budget

Join Kent Library on Saturday, May 30 at 1 p.m., on Zoom, for a webinar where theater enthusiast Brian Stoll will discuss all things Broadway – the history and importance of the Broadway Playbill and money-saving tips on how to see shows for less than \$60 a ticket. Registration required at kentpl.librarycalendar.com.

Mattress Recycling

Putnam County will host its first mattress (and box spring) recycling event Saturday, May 30 from 8:30 to 11 a.m., at 526 Gage Road, Brewster. Free for Putnam residents. Up to four items per household. Advance registration is required through Eventbrite. <https://PutnamMattressRecycling.eventbrite.com>.

Tag, Plant & Bake Sale

Holmes Camp will host a tag, plant, and bake sale May 30 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., at 65 Denton Lake Road, Holmes. Have items to sell? Reserve a spot for \$10 by emailing Holmes@holmescamp.org.

German Fest

The German-American Social Club of Putnam Valley will hold German fest on Saturday, May 30 from 3 to 10 p.m., and Sunday, May 31 from noon to 7 p.m., at 11 Kramers Pond Road. \$10, with those 14 and younger admitted free. First responders admitted free on May 31 with ID. Featuring music by Red, White & Brews, and die Spitzbaum.

Tag Sale

The Brewster Theater Company will host a tag sale May 30 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., at 69 Gleneida Ave, Carmel. Accepting donations starting April 25, every Saturday from noon to 1 p.m., at the same location. Nothing broken, torn, chipped or soiled; no medical/healthcare equipment; no cosmetics or underwear/socks. For information email btceventscom@gmail.com.

NY’s Role in the Revolution

“The Forgotten Four Months: New York’s Role in Saving the Revolution” is scheduled May 30 at 2 p.m., at Putnam Valley Library, 30 Oscawana Lake Road. August through November 1776 were critical months in the existence of our fledgling nation. New York City and Westchester County were the site of the period’s most significant events that allowed the new nation to endure.

Sunday, May 31

Women’s Chorus

The Brewster Theater Company will present a benefit concert for the Westchester Women’s Chorus, “Echoes of Liberty: Women’s HER-story in Song,” on Sunday, May 31 at 4:30 p.m., at The Theater at Drew UMC, 28 Gleneida Ave., Carmel. Tickets are \$35 at brewstertheater.org.

Monday, June 1

Cancer Survivors’ Day

Putnam Hospital will host a Cancer Survivors’ Day on June 1 from noon to 2 p.m., featuring guest speakers, music, refreshments, arts and crafts, display and informational tables. In the Michael T. Weber Auditorium/ground-floor atrium. Registration required; email phcancersurvivorday@nuvancehealth.org and include name, phone number, email, and number of attendees.

Tuesday, June 2

Garden Club

The Lake Mahopac Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday, June 2 at 11:30 a.m., at the home of member Mary R. on East Lake Blvd. For directions, call 201-218-8742. The lunch is potluck so let Mary know what you are bringing. Rain date is Wednesday, June 3.

Storytime

Local author Julie Gonzalez will read from her latest picture book “Don’t Splash Grandpa!” followed by some fun and games, Tuesday, June 2 at 11 a.m. (for ages 3 to 5) and 4:30 p.m. (for ages 4 to 8) at Mahopac Public Library. Registration is required at www.mahopaclibrary.org or 845-628-2009, ext. 139.

Kent Town Board

The Kent Town Board will meet at Kent Town Hall at 7 p.m. (unless otherwise noted) on: June 2 and 16, July 7 and 21, Aug. 4 and 18, Sept. 8 and 15, Oct. 6 and 20, Nov. 10 and 17, and Dec. 1 and 15.

Wednesday, June 3

Library Meetings

Reed Memorial Library’s Board of Trustees will meet June 3, July 1, Aug. 5, Sept. 2, Oct. 7, Nov. 4, and Dec. 2, in Carmel.

Carmel Town Board

The Carmel Town Board will meet at 7 p.m. the following Wednesdays, at Carmel Town Hall: June 3, 10 and 17; July 1 and 8; Aug. 5 and 12; Sept. 2, 9 and 16; Oct. 7, 14 and 21; Nov. 4, 10 and 18; and Dec. 2, 9 and 16.

Spelling Bee

CoveCare Center’s adult spelling bee returns Wednesday, June 3 at 5:30 p.m., at Centennial Golf Club in Carmel. Have fun while raising funds and awareness for various causes. Register at <https://covecare-center.org/2026-spelling-bee>.

Thursday, June 4

Carnival

The Brewster Elks Lodge will hold its second annual carnival Thursday and Friday, June 4 and 5 opening at 5 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday, June 6 and 7 opening at 2 p.m., at 1430 Route 22. Rides, games, food and fun.

Greeting Cards Craft

Tina Vaitkus will take participants through a greeting card workshop Thursday, June 4 at 1 p.m., at Patterson Library. Learn tips and techniques to create four one-of-a-kind cards. Adults 18 and older. Register at 845-878-6121 or www.pattersonlibrary.org.

Councilwomen Office Hours

Patterson Town Councilwoman Stacy Dumont will hold office hours at the Putnam Lake VFW on

the first Thursday of the month at 6:15 p.m., before the Putnam Lake Park District meeting. Councilwoman Gwen Dougherty will hold office hours the third Tuesday of each month at Patterson Town Hall from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Both Stacy and Gwen invite the public to request a meeting at a time convenient for residents. Email StacyDumont@PattersonNY.org or GwenDougherty@PattersonNY.org.

Friday, June 5

‘Dirt’

As part of the Putnam REV250 project, the Putnam Theater Alliance will present staged readings of its successful 2024 production “DIRT:” at the Southeast Museum on Friday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m., in partnership with the Putnam History Museum (make reservations at <https://forms.gle/r6gDY2vFK-B3jiNQH6>); at Mahopac Public Library on Saturday, June 6 at 1 p.m. (free); and at Boscobel Home & Gardens in Cold Spring on Sunday, June 7 at 1 p.m. (tickets available at www.boscobel.org/events/dirt-america-250).

Saturday, June 6

Armchair Actors

Brewster Theater Company’s Armchair Actors will present a reading of “Lysistrata” by Aristophanes, on Saturday, June 6 at 7:30 p.m., at the Theater at Drew, 28 Gleneida Ave., Carmel. S chorus of woman organizes a sex strike as a means to peace. Tickets are \$15 at brewstertheatercompany.org.

Union Valley

Cemetery Assoc.

The Union Valley Cemetery Association will hold its annual meeting of plot holders and trustees June 6 at 10:30 a.m., in the chapel at the cemetery. All are welcome.

Defensive Driving Class

Kent Public Library will host a defensive driving class Saturday, June 6 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Save on your insurance and receive up to a 10 percent discount on your motor vehicle collision and liability insurance premium for up to three years, and up to a four-point reduction on your driving record. \$40. Register at kentpl.librarycalendar.com.

‘Battle of the Redcoats’

Step back in time and witness history come alive during “Putnam County Heroes Battle the Redcoats” on Saturday, June 6 at Putnam County Veterans Memorial Park in Carmel/Kent. Tactical battle reenactments living-history experiences, soldier tents and camp cooking displays, military drills and demonstrations, fife and drum music, and musket firing exhibitions. Shop among coffees, teas, candles, glassware, and stoneware to flags, T-shirts, and more. Free.

The Lonetown Boys

Tompkins Corners Cultural Center will host a special evening of classic country as The Lonetown Boys take the outdoor stage Saturday, June 6 at 6 p.m., at 729 Peekskill Hollow Road, Putnam Valley, bringing the timeless music of Hank Williams to life. Tickets are \$25 and may be purchased at Eventbrite.com or at the door.

Sunday, June 7

Birds of Prey Day

Green Chimneys will hold its annual Birds of Prey Day on

Sunday, June 7, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at 400 Doansburg Road, Brewster. The celebration features top wildlife experts and falconers from across the tristate area and over 100 live raptors. Free-flying demos, stage show, and the live release of a rehabilitated bird. Tickets at www.greenchimneys.org/preyday.

Farmers’ Market

The Town of Carmel Recreation & Parks Department will host a farmers’ market Sundays from June 7 to Oct. 18, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Mahopac Chamber Park. Local vendors, live music. No market July 5 and Sept. 6.

Monday, June 8

Lake Carmel Parks Dept.

The Lake Carmel Parks Department Advisory Board will meet at Kent Town Hall at 7 p.m. on June 8, July 13, Aug. 10, Sept. 14, Oct. 26, Nov. 9, and Dec. 14.

VA Benefits

Veterans needing help with VA benefits and claims may visit Patterson Library on Monday, June 8 between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., to meet with a national veterans accredited veterans service officer.

‘The American Revolution’

Reed Memorial Library of Carmel will continue its special six-month series with “The American Revolution – Episode Three: The Times That Try Men’s Souls” (July 1776-January 1777) on Monday, June 8 from 1 to 3 p.m. A Film by Ken Burns, this is a powerful portrait of a fragile revolution fighting to survive its earliest trials. It explores Washington’s desperate efforts to keep the Continental Army alive, and the iconic moments that tested the resolve of patriots everywhere.

Tuesday, June 9

Art Workshop Series

Discover the joy of creating outdoors during a three-part plein air workshop that blends creativity with exploration using a variety of mediums, Tuesdays, June 9, 16, and 23 at 1 p.m., at Patterson Library. Through a series of guided exercises and thought-provoking prompts by Sharon Nakazato, experiment with new ways of seeing and responding to surroundings, reconnect with creativity, and develop a fresh appreciation for artistic voice. Age 18 and older. To register, call 845-878-6121 or go to www.pattersonlibrary.org.

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Next Up on 'Carmel High Five'



Mahopac high school students work in front of the camera, and behind the scenes, to produce a news show each week.



Every Friday at Carmel High School, students tune in for "Carmel High Five," a 5-minute news show packed with school updates, sports, birthdays, and upcoming events. But unlike traditional network broadcasts, this student-run production delivers the news with plenty of personality and humor.

Behind the cameras are members of the Video 3 class, a team of students who spend the week writing scripts, filming segments, editing graphics, and pulling the entire production together before it airs on the "Carmel High Five" YouTube channel.

The process begins every Monday when producer Lillian gathers the crew to brainstorm story ideas and plan the week's episode. From there, students take on a variety of roles both on camera and behind the scenes.

Gabby, a junior and the show's director, said the studio has become her second home. "I come into the studio during all of my free time," she said.

Junior Killian serves as executive producer while also leading the school's film club as president. His responsibilities range from overseeing scripts and graphics to coordinating the student talent appearing on screen.

Sometimes, when regular student anchors are unavailable, the crew heads to the cafeteria in search of volunteers willing to step into the spotlight as temporary news anchors.

Amanda balances multiple jobs on the show. Sometimes she operates the teleprompter or writes scripts. Other times, she does field reporting and anchors the broadcasts. Still, Amanda said the production is very much a team effort. "Really, everyone pitches in," she said.

That collaborative spirit extends beyond the Video 3 class itself. On a recent broadcast, Evan, a freshman from the Video 1 class, stepped in to deliver the sports report. "I just drop in when I can and help out with anything," he said.

The class is designed to welcome students with all kinds of talents, not just video experience.

This semester, student teacher Cole Patterson of Manhattanville University helped teacher Tim Raney lead the class.

"The class is called Video 3, but there is no prerequisite to sign up," explained Raney. "We naturally get the kids with video skills, but we need some kids with other backgrounds as well. We want students from all departments to join us. We want English and creative writing students to help with scripts, art students to help with design."

For the students behind "Carmel High Five," the weekly broadcast is more than just a news show – it's a creative collaboration that gives students across the school a chance to share their talents, build new skills, and bring the school community together.



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Street Photography On View at Mahopac Library



Images by Debra Mayer will be on display June 3 through 25 at Mahopac Public Library.



“Seen” is a new photography exhibit coming to the Third Floor Gallery at Mahopac Public Library, on view June 3 through 25, featuring a series of portraits from the world travels of Mahopac resident Debra Mayer.

The exhibit explores the extraordinary cultural heritage revealed not in museums or tourism campaigns, but in unscripted encounters around the globe: a child gesturing with a shy smile, a woman enjoying street food, a goatherd proudly showing off a newborn kid.

“These photographs ask the viewer to slow the act of looking at a stranger, until it becomes an empathetic act of recognizing the power of the person being seen,” said Mayer.

The images were gathered over years of street photography from Mayer’s travel across five continents. Together they form a multi-dimensional portrait of humanity itself – complex, vibrant, and fascinating.

The photographs in “Seen” reveal the artistic side of Mayer, an attorney whose 30-year career was built on legal advocacy and artistic expression. She co-found-

ed an entertainment litigation firm focused on protecting world-class creators in fine art, documentary film, photography, and publishing. Earlier, she worked at a music boutique and the storied Cravath, Swaine & Moore.

Educated at Georgetown University Law Center, American University, and The Madeira School, Mayer spent 20 years tutoring and mentoring students in Harlem classrooms where she deepened her commitment to seeing – and respecting – those too often overlooked.

“Seen” is the culmination of that work: unscripted photographic portraiture that invites the viewer to see that every person is deserving of unhurried attention.

For library hours and exhibit information, visit mahopac-library.org/art-galleries or email mplgallerycommittee@gmail.com.

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Winners of the annual Earth Day poster contest show off their creations.

Earth Day Poster Contest Winners Announced

Assemblyman Matt Slater and the Putnam Arts Council in Mahopac recently announced the winners of their annual Earth Day poster contest, which encouraged local students to showcase their creativity while promoting environmental awareness and sustainability.

Students participating in the contest created posters focused on protecting the environment and caring for the planet.

This year’s winners were all fifth-graders, and included Emilia Whitbourne of Haldane Elementary School (Cold Spring) in first place, Kate Adams of George Fischer Middle School (Carmel)

in second place, and Piper Sherman of Haldane in third place. Honorable mentions went to Abby Jones and Viviana Tufano, both of Fulmar Road Elementary School (Mahopac).

“The creativity and thoughtfulness displayed by these students was truly incredible,” said Slater. “This annual contest is a great opportunity to encourage young people to think about environmental stewardship and the importance of protecting our communities for future generations. I want to thank the Putnam County Youth Bureau and Putnam Arts Council for their continued partnership in making this event possible.”

PAC Executive Director Joyce Picone said the annual Earth Day poster contest is a program the organization always look forward to.

“Each year the submissions are creative and original, and the Earth Day theme reminds the children how important it is to be kind to our planet,” she said. “This year’s responses were varied, colorful, unique, and inspiring, and the reception for the young artists and their families has been most rewarding. Although we help select several posters to receive special recognition, we believe everyone who participated is a winner.”

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Family Sustainability in a Time of Uncertainty

In law school, my professors used casebooks filled with cases dating from the 19th and early 20th century. If you closed your eyes and opened your imagination, it was possible to picture the subjects of these cases: blacksmiths, cobblers, horse-drawn carriage coachmen, Pullman porters, and whalers.

Not a growth career in the bunch, at least from my mid-1990's perspective. Of course, some of the career paths of 30 years ago seem as outdated and antiquated as a steam pipe fitter.

What all of this means is that the expectation of a familiar career path for your adult child, which leads to financial stability, may be a pipe dream.

The reality of our disruptive times is that our children will require a level of financial and

emotional support that goes beyond what previous generations provided. Estate planning with lump sum distributions set for a later event does not address the current needs of a post-graduate student or entry-level, underemployed adult child. Income streams that pay for rent, healthcare, food, and other living expenses have to be considered in a parent's estate plan.

Principal assets can continue to grow while the income flows out in smaller, but useful streams for your children's bills. Educational and housing costs have accelerated beyond anything we have seen in our lifetimes, and this includes the stagflation of the late 70s and the short-lived, super high interest rates of the early 80s.

If you want to call this "pragmatism planning," go ahead. With

employers navigating a still-evolving AI landscape and shifting hiring priorities, a young person's career path—at the outset—is foggy, to say the least. Add in educational loans, and the financial pressure on your children is immense.

A parent's influence on a child's career path is a topic worth discussing. Children exposed to a parent's professional workplace may move them either toward that profession or away. Having a parent already established in a child's chosen profession is a definite advantage. They can impart specific wisdom and push certain levers to remove barriers that other candidates have to face. If a parent owns a professional practice, a family business, or is engaged in a lucrative hobby with growth potential, there are planning steps that could carve out a space for your child as an employment landing spot.

Business succession planning is one way to provide additional security for your child if they do choose to stay with you professionally. Even if your child's skillsets and interests diverge from the usual core competencies of your business, there may be a fit in other areas of the company.

Growing up, we heard the "school of hard knocks" stories and they stuck. Building a career brick by brick is something to cherish and deserves all of the respect that path is afforded. But successful families realize you can mix hard work and determination with a concentrated level of support that only a family can provide.

Estate planning should not be a wave goodbye. It should be a step stool—the lift your child needs to get to that place just a bit out of reach.

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Attorney General Letitia James speaks at a "Blue Wave Brunch" on May 16 at the Highlands Country Club.

Putnam Dems Welcome NY Attorney General

A crowd of 100 strong—mostly Putnam County Democrats—who attended a "Blue Wave Brunch" May 16 at the Highlands Country Club in Garrison welcomed two candidates for statewide office.

Attorney General Letitia James is running for reelection. First elected in 2018 and reelected in 2022, she advocated for traditional Democratic values including access to reproductive health care, education, defense of the environment, and civil rights for all New York residents. James particularly emphasized her support of efforts to ban surveillance pricing that uses personal data to

set prices. "New Yorkers are already facing higher prices everywhere they look, and we must use every tool at our disposal to protect families from predatory pricing schemes," she said.

Former New York City Council Speaker Adrienne Adams is a candidate for lieutenant governor, running on the ticket with Gov. Kathy Hochul who is seeking reelection. She described herself as a fighter for the rights of ordinary people.

"We will not back down from defending our schools, our community centers, our health care, and our rights," she said.

School Budgets Approved Across Putnam

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912 votes and Melissa Finateri with 878 votes, and Dehisy Jimenez-Vazquez with 839 votes.

At the Putnam Valley Central School District, the \$65.2 million budget passed by a vote of 985 to 876, with the Putnam Valley Library's \$514,000 budget also passing, 1,018 to 844.

Jay Lee defeated incumbent Crystal Hernandez for a school board seat, with a tally of 900 to 836 votes.

"I am humbled to have been elected as a trustee for the PVCSD school board," Lee wrote on social media after election. "I am stunned and touched. Thank you for that trust—I do not take this responsibility lightly. I'm mindful that this was a close race, and am more than open to hearing from all members of the community in the coming days (and years) on your priorities and perspectives."

At Haldane Central School District, the \$31.8 million budget passed by a vote of 591 to 215, and the Julia L. Butterfield Memorial Library's \$101,000 budget also passed, with a vote of 654 to 151.

Also approved were propositions to purchase a school bus, replace the tennis courts, and create a transportation reserve.

Adam Burgoon was elected to the school board, defeating Tracy Bunye.

Over at the Garrison Union Free School District, the \$15.5 million budget passed by a vote of 221 to 56. Also approved were propositions to extend two- to five-year contracts with the Haldane and Highland Falls-Ft. Montgomery central school districts to educate Garrison students in grades nine through 12, with transportation.

Elected to the school board were incumbent Dan Jasnow and Ted A'Zary with 218 and 201 votes, respectively. Mac Lake received 79 votes.

Superintendent Greg Stowell expressed his appreciation for the community's support of the district by approving the budget.

"We are incredibly grateful for the strong turnout and the overwhelming support for our district's direction," he said. "This outcome reflects a shared commitment to providing our students with meaningful opportunities, innovative academic programs, and access to high-quality high school experiences, while also maintaining careful stewardship of community resources. We recognize that this level of support is rooted in the strength of our community and the trust you place in our schools."

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Putnam Seeks Solutions to Food Insecurity

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because of transportation issues, but increases in food prices have exacerbated the situation, according to Servido.

Seniors are perhaps most acutely affected.

“Our senior and disabled residents often get denied SNAP benefits because of excess income, or they get the minimum in SNAP of \$24 a month,” said Servido. “So, we really try to fill the gap. We do have a small food pantry... We frequently get donations from constituents for grocery store gift cards and those have been extremely helpful, especially over the past 12 or 14 months.”

Martha Elder, a Kent resident who heads Second Chance Foods,

agreed that access is the biggest issue faced by food providers.

“We live in a very rural county with limited transportation options,” she said. “One of our programs, our community-supported nutrition boxes, distributes about a third of those boxes through church volunteers to people’s homes because there are a lot of homebound, or people who just don’t have transportation.”

Elder noted that surveys of ALICE data (asset-limited, income-constrained employed) indicate that with the high cost of living in Putnam, there is a big gap between people’s resources and eligibility criteria for government assistance.

“That’s why Second Chance Foods puts freezers in places like libraries and the senior centers, so that anybody can access those meals – no questions asked, no paperwork,” she said.

Legislature Chairman Dan Birmingham, R-Brewster, noted that a line item in the 2026 budget has \$150,000 in funding that’s available to countywide food-as-

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Fjord Trail, Inc., a subsidiary of Scenic Hudson.

The lawsuits, filed as Article 78 proceedings in New York State Supreme Court, challenges State Parks’ acceptance of the final generic environmental impact statement for the project, stating that the agency failed to identify and mitigate the adverse effects of the project, including harm to the environment, increased traffic, and more.

According to Protect the Highlands, State Parks’ own projections indicate the project would draw up to 268,000 new visitors annually to the area – bringing total annual visitation to as many as 1 million people.

“The state had an obligation to honestly evaluate the impacts of this project on our communities and our environment,” said Dave Merandy, president of Protect the Highlands. “Instead, it rubber-stamped a flawed review that ignored the concerns of the people who live here... We are not opposed to improving trail access or pedestrian safety. We are opposed to a project that sacrifices the very things that make this place worth visiting.”

During the May 20 Cold Spring Village Board meeting, Mayor Kathleen Foley said the village is taking the action because it is the only avenue by which it can challenge the determination of State Parks. The proceedings ask a judge to decide, based on public record, whether the SEQRA determination made is correct, or whether it is flawed, incomplete, or “arbitrary and capricious.”

“It is the only legal pathway forward” for the village, said Foley. “That’s how the system works. It’s the option we have.”

The judge can essentially make one of three determinations: they can conclude that the environmental review was thorough and proper, in which case the project moves forward as is; they can conclude that parts of the

review are flawed, in which case the project sponsor would have to redo those parts; or they can determine that the entire review is insufficient and flawed, in which case the project sponsor would have to go back to the drawing board.

What the outcome of the Article 78 will not do, is stop the project.

“It is our job to note that a project might be a great idea, but we have to ask how it will be paid for and how it will impact life in the village,” said Foley. “We would be delinquent in our duties if we did not challenge the findings of New York State Parks in the SEQRA... I can say with certainty that even if every resident in this village stated their unconditional support for the Fjord project, this board would still be asking fiscal, environmental, and quality-of-life questions.”

Village Board Trustee Andrew Hall likened the filing of an Article 78 to a homebuyer conducting an inspection on a desired property, calling the proceedings “the only option open to the village at this point,” since the village disagrees with the SEQRA determination.

The Philipstown Town Board voted earlier in May to join the village in filing the proceedings.

“We are not seeking to stop the Fjord Trail, simply to rectify the shortcomings of the findings statement and related FGEIS, and require mitigation measures for our communities,” said Supervisor John Van Tassel. “The Fjord Trail should also be subject to local land use review by our zoning, planning, and conservation boards.”

While the local municipalities are unwavering in their belief that the environmental review needs another look, the county declined to join them in filing the Article 78.

During the Putnam Legislature’s May 13 Protective Services Committee meeting, Legislator Tommy Regan, R-Brewster, said the county executive’s office sent a letter to the body two days prior, requesting that the county join the lawsuit.

“This committee has not been provided with any of the proposed Article 78 draft petitions, any underlying proceed-

sistance organizations.

“That’s probably well below the need that’s out there, but that’s what we have now,” he said. “I can’t speak to the 2027 budget, (but) we’re going to be getting a budget document from the county executive probably in the beginning of October,” which might provide information on future funding.

Melissa O’Leary, director of Putnam Community Action Partnership, said her organization serves 450 families each month via its Brewster food pantry. CAP also operates a soup at First Baptist Church in the village, which is open four days a week and serves 70 meals per day.

“We service the entire county, but obviously it’s very hard for us to do so on the western side of the county,” said O’Leary. “We partner with other food pantries and other community resources to meet those needs. Obviously, the demand is increasing.”

O’Leary said the organization struggles with having enough cold storage space. “We would

love to be able to offer more milk, more eggs, more perishable items,” she said. “We do offer those things, but we would love to have more cold storage to increase that amount.”

She also noted that the organization was approved for an American Rescue Plan Act grant to purchase a vehicle, but the amount was insufficient to cover the purchase as well as the costs for drivers, gas, and maintenance, so it was forfeited.

Kiko Lattu, coordinator of the Philipstown Food Pantry, noted that the area is home to several mobile home parks, which are largely occupied by seniors on limited incomes.

“Many pantry guests visit frequently – often weekly – indicating ongoing food insecurity,” said Lattu. “Over the course of 2025, we saw a slow, steady increase in both new and returning clients with a notable uptick in the last quarter of 2025. January, February, March, pantry utilization increased 41 percent compared to the same period last year.”

New York.”

While the nay-sayers are speaking up on the issue, there are also many who support the project.

Paul Thompson, co-founder of Philipstown Advocates for Trails, said his organization is satisfied with the results of the environmental review process for the Fjord Trail.

“Protect the Highlands represents a loud minority of the Philipstown community that are opposed to the Fjord Trail,” he said. “Meantime, Philipstown Advocates for Trails is made up of local residents who support the trail. We are raising our voice and urge the village and town municipal leaders to work with, not against HHFT to ensure the trail adequately addresses the concerns and preferences of local people.”

Putnam County Legislator Nancy Montgomery, D-Philipstown, said the project has been

Stacy Farley operates two farms in Philipstown that provide an unusual solution to hunger: donating fresh produce to area soup kitchens and food pantries.

“We’re trying to grow as much food as we can and give it away as fast as we can,” she said. “Our second field that we farm is in the Town of Philipstown, which belongs to the town... We grow an acre of sweet potatoes and a little bit of butternut squash. Once a year we have a townwide dig where we dig it up and give it to over 21 different pantries and soup kitchens and banks.”

Montgomery announced the formation of a new countywide group called the Putnam County Hunger & Food Access Coalition, which would serve to coordinate government and volunteer resources to address food insecurity countywide.

“Hopefully, I’ll have that formulated by the next Health Committee meeting,” she said. “This is the first of many discussions – and it’s a really important issue.”

thoroughly vetted.

“As the only representative from county government who has had a seat at the table throughout this process, I have seen firsthand the years of planning, public engagement, environmental review, and collaboration that shaped this project,” she said. “I continue to believe many residents support thoughtful investments in public safety, environmental protection, and managed access along this corridor, even if those voices are not always being heard by local leaders.”

Philipstown Town Councilperson Judy Farrell was the only town board member to vote against the filing.

“I know the town and the village are stretched for funding,” she said. “We have a lot of infrastructure needs... Spending money on lawyers and consultants when we have other needs in the town and village is really concerning to me.”

Please be advised that, under New York State Public Service Commission Order in Case 24-M-0586, residential water service cannot be terminated for non-payment on any day of the year when the heat index is forecast to reach or exceed **90 degrees Fahrenheit**. This protection goes into effect on **June 1, 2026**. To access the full order, please visit: mywater.veolia.us/heatprotections

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Brewster

LEGAL NOTICE VILLAGE OF BREWSTER BOARD OF TRUSTEES PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Brewster will hold a Public Hearing on Proposed Local Law No. 5 of 2026 pertaining to updating Chapter 263 of the Village Zoning Code. Copies of the proposed local law will be available on the Village website, www.brewstervillage-ny.gov, and at Village Hall. The Public Hearing will take place during the Village Board Meeting of June 10, 2026, at 7:00 P.M. at Village Hall, 50 Main Street, Brewster, NY 10509, followed by a special meeting at 7:01 PM or soon thereafter, at Village Hall. At said Public Hearing, all interested persons shall be heard on the subject thereof. The Board of Trustees will make every effort to ensure that the Public Hearing is accessible to persons with disabilities. Anyone requiring special assistance and/or reasonable accommodations should contact the Village Clerk. Anyone wishing to speak may do so.

By Order of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Brewster
Michelle Diebold
Village Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Brewster Schools

Brewster Central School District Transportation Center 40 Farm to Market Road, Brewster, NY 10509 845 279-4700 fax 845 279-3458 NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Brewster Central School District of the Town of Southeast, New York (in accordance with Section 103 of Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law) hereby invites the submission of electronic bids on BlueBird and International School Bus Parts for use in the school bus transportation department. Bids will be received through 10:00 AM at www.bidnetdirect.com on the 12th day of June 2026. By the office of the Supervisor of Transportation at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened. Specifications and bid form must be obtained electronically at www.bidnetdirect.com The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids. Any bid submitted will be binding for *60* days subsequent to the date of bid opening. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids.

Board of Education
Brewster Central School District
of the Town of Southeast
County of Putnam, New York
30 Farm to Market Road
Brewster, New York 10509
By Mary E Smith
(Supervisor of Transportation)

Date: May 22, 2026

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Carmel

LEGAL NOTICE ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town of Carmel, 60 McAlpin Avenue, Mahopac, New York 10541, until 11:00 AM on **Wednesday, July 1, 2026**, at which time all bids will be publicly opened, read and recorded by the Town Clerk for the following:

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CONTRACT #C313 THE COLLECTION OF REFUSE, GARBAGE, RECYCLABLE MATERIALS AND BULK COLLECTION - CLUSTER

All bidders must comply with Section 103(a) and 103(d) of the General Municipal Law relating to non-collusive bidding and waiver of immunity against criminal prosecution.

Specifications may be obtained at the Office of the Town Clerk, at the above address or by emailing ady@townofcarmelny.gov beginning **Wednesday, May 27, 2026** between the hours of 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Monday through Friday.

Bid envelope shall be marked "BID" plus bid title and number.

The Town Board of the Town of Carmel reserves the right to reject any and all bids and abandon the proposal or may reject all bids and re-advertise at a future date.

By Order of the Town Board of the Town of Carmel
Alice Daly, Town Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Patterson

TOWN OF PATTERSON PLANNING & ZONING OFFICE

Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Town of Patterson Planning Board of a public hearing to be held on June 4, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as may be heard, at the Patterson Town Hall, 1142 Route 311, Patterson, Putnam County, New York to consider an application entitled "Caiola Subdivision Application" in order to subdivide a 44.6-acre parcel into three residential lots. The three lots vary in size from 10.59 to 19.78 acres. Each lot will have a single-family house and associated improvements built upon it. On-site wastewater treatment systems and private wells are proposed to service each lot. Access to each lot is gained from Birch Hill Road, a town road. The subject parcel is currently identified as 465 Birch Hill Road (R-4 Zoning District & Open Space Overlay District), Patterson, New York. All interested parties and citizens will be given an opportunity to be heard in respect to such application.

By Order of the Planning Board
Ron Taylor, Chairman

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Philipstown

The Philipstown Conservation Board will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, June 9th, 2026 at 7:30 p.m. at the Philipstown Town Hall, 238 Main St., Cold Spring, NY.

If you are unable to join in person but would like to watch, the meeting will be livestreaming on youtube.com, search for Philipstown Conservation Board June 2026.

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Putnam

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

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COUNTY OF PUTNAM
In the matter of the foreclosure of tax liens
Index No. 500513/2026
by proceeding in rem pursuant to Article Eleven
Consolidating Index No.: 01638 / 2020

of Real Property Tax Law by the County of Putnam

affecting parcels located in the Towns of Carmel,

Kent, Patterson, Philipstown, Putnam Valley and Southeast

NOTICE OF PETITION

AND NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

TO THE PARTY TO WHOM THE ENCLOSED IS ADDRESSED: You are presumed to have, own, or have a legal interest in one or more the parcels of real property described in the attached PETITION AND NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE, and the relevant pages of the List of Delinquent Taxes (In Rem List) attached as Schedule A. A proceeding to foreclose on such property based upon the failure to pay real property taxes has been commenced. Foreclosure will result in the loss of ownership of such property and all rights in that property. To avoid loss of ownership or any other rights in the property, all unpaid taxes and other legal charges must be PAID ON OR BEFORE JULY 15, 2026 at 4:00 p.m. or you must interpose a duly verified Answer in the proceeding. You must make payment by sending a certified check, cashier's check or money order (no personal checks will be accepted) to: Putnam County Department of Finance 40 Gleneida Avenue Carmel, New York 10512. Checks should be made payable to the Putnam County Commissioner of Finance. You may wish to contact an attorney to protect your rights. After **JULY 15, 2026** the Court will enter judgment authorizing the transfer of the property to the County of Putnam. Should you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact the undersigned. Dated: March 11, 2026
Mahopac, New York, JENNIFER M. HERODES, ESQUIRE
Herodes Law, P.C. Attorney for Tax District, 888 Route Six, Mahopac, New York 10541, (845) 628-1100

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PETITION AND NOTICE OF

FORECLOSURE

The above-captioned proceeding is hereby commenced to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes or other lawful charges, which have accumulated and become liens against certain property. The parcels to which this proceeding applies are identified on the attached List of Delinquent Taxes (hereinafter referred to as the "In Rem List"), which is annexed hereto and made a part hereof as Schedule A. This document serves both as a Petition of Foreclosure and a Notice of Foreclosure for purposes of this proceeding. **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT ON THE 11th**

PUBLIC NOTICE

DAY OF MARCH, 2026. THE PUTNAM COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE (SOMETIMES HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "ENFORCEMENT OFFICER") OF THE COUNTY OF PUTNAM (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "TAX DISTRICT"), PURSUANT TO LAW, FILED THIS PETITION OF FORECLOSURE WITH THE CLERK OF THE COUNTY OF PUTNAM.

Effect of Filing: All persons having or claiming to have an interest in the real property described on the In Rem List, attached hereto as Schedule A, are hereby notified that the filing of this Petition constitutes the commencement by the Tax District of a proceeding in the Court specified in the caption above to foreclose each of the tax liens therein described by a foreclosure proceeding in rem.

Nature of Proceeding: This proceeding is brought against the real property only and is to foreclose the tax liens described on the In Rem List, attached hereto as Schedule A. No personal judgment will be entered herein for such taxes or other legal charges or any party thereof.

Persons Affected: This notice is directed to all persons owning or having or claiming to have an interest in the real property described on the In Rem List, attached hereto as Schedule A. Such persons are hereby notified further that a duplicate of this Petition has been filed in the office of the Enforcement Officer of the Tax District and will remain open for public inspection up to and including the date specified below as the last day for redemption.

Right of Redemption: Any person having or claiming to have an interest in any such real property, and the legal right thereto, may on or before July 15, 2026

redeem the same by paying the amount of all such unpaid tax liens thereon, including all interest and penalties, and other legal charges which are included in the lien against such real property, computed to and including the date of redemption. Such payments should be made payable to the Putnam County Commissioner of Finance and mailed to:

Putnam County Department of Finance 40 Gleneida Avenue, Carmel, New York 10512

Payment must be made by certified check, cashier's check or money order. Personal checks will not be accepted. In the event that such taxes are paid by a person other than the record owner of such real property, the person so paying shall be entitled to have the tax liens affected thereby satisfied of record.

Last Day for Redemption: The last day for redemption is hereby fixed as the 15TH day of July, 2026.

Service of Answer: Every person having any right, title or interest in or lien upon any parcel of real property described on the attached In Rem List may serve a duly verified Answer upon the Putnam County Attorney, the attorney for the Tax District, setting forth in detail the nature and amount of his or her interest and any defense or objection to the foreclosure. Such Answer must be filed in the Office of the Putnam County Clerk and served upon the attorney for the Tax District on or before the date above mentioned as the last day for redemption.

Failure to Redeem or Answer: In the event of failure to redeem or answer by any person having the right to redeem or answer, such person shall be forever barred or foreclosed of all his or her right, title and interest and equity of redemption in and to the parcels described on the In Rem List, attached hereto as Schedule

SCHEDULE "A" 2020 ACTION

TOWN	TAX MAP NO.	OWNER
Carmel	44.11 - 1 - 14	Kalafus, Marion J.
Carmel	54.5 - 1 - 22	Kaufman, Alice
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Kent	22.56 - 1 - 4	Oakes, Richard
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Kent	22.82 - 1 - 50	Schiavetti, Louis Frank, Jr.
Kent	33.26 - 1 - 46	Weber, Susan M.
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Kent	33.80 - 1 - 5	Mirro, Robert
		Mirro, Richard
		Mirro, Ronald
Patterson	4.19 - 1 - 9	Antonucci, Linda
		a/k/a Linda Lee, Estate of
Patterson	3.20 - 1 - 12	Rinaldi, James J.
		Schwartz Rosann
Patterson	25.40 - 1 - 19	Rinaldi, Salvatore C.
		Anderson, Richard
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		Rinaldi, James J.
		Schwartz Rosann
		Rinaldi, Salvatore C.
		HFO Properties 101 LLC
		Allsave Development, LLC
		Shepper, Edmond
		Nam, Jaewon, Dr.
		Nam, Jaewon, Dr.
		Kelly, Richard
		Gragert, Doris H
		Gragert, Howard B.,
		as Trustee
		Tatarin, Igor
		Tatarin, Igor
		Yu, Jim
		Yudutu, LLC
		Heffernan, William J.
		Hickey, Colleen
		Hayes, Mark
		Hayes, Loren
		Sep, Joan M.
		Sep, Stephen E.
		Sep, Joseph W.
		Sep, Michael N.
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		Fam TR
		Glickenhau Brewster
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Southeast	57.12 - 1 - 2	
Southeast	78. - 2 - 34	
Philipstown	16. - 1 - 1	
Philipstown	27.16 - 1 - 32.6	
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A, and a judgment in foreclosure may be taken by default. Dated: March 11, 2026

Mahopac, New York, Enforcement Officer: William J. Carlin, Jr., Putnam County Commissioner of Finance JENNIFER M. HERODES, ESQUIRE Herodes Law, P.C. Attorney for Tax District, 888 Route Six, Mahopac, New York 10541 (845) 628-1100

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PUBLIC NOTICE

County of Putnam Local Law #5 of 2026

A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND CHAPTER 25 ENTITLED "ARTICLE IV VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK ADVISORY BOARD"

Chapter 25 of the Putnam County Code is amended to establish the Putnam County Veteran Memorial Park Advisory Board which shall direct its efforts toward preserving and protecting the character and integrity of the Putnam County Veterans Memorial Park, and provide support related to the Row of Honor flag installation and maintenance on the shore of Lake Gleneida.

PLEASE NOTE:

A copy of the Local Law can be found on the Putnam County Website on the Legislature page and is also available at the office of the Clerk of the Putnam County Legislature.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

County of Putnam Local Law #6 of 2026

APPROVAL/LOCAL LAW/ AMEND CHAPTER 41/ CODE OF PUTNAM COUNTY/ENTITLED "DEPOSIT AND INVESTMENT POLICY"

Amending the Code of the County of Putnam, as approved and adopted by the Putnam County Legislature on April 7, 2026 by resolution #76, by amending Chapter 41, section 5 of the Code, entitled "Designation of official depositories"

Section 41-5, Designation of official depositories to be amended to provide authorization to potential successors and assigns in the event an authorized Depository experiences a change in control.

This Local Law shall take effect immediately.

PLEASE NOTE:

A copy of the Local Law can be found on the Putnam County Website on the Legislature page and is also available at the office of the Clerk of the Putnam County Legislature.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

County of Putnam Local Law #7 of 2026

APPROVAL OF A LOCAL LAW AMENDING ARTICLE V OF CHAPTER 220 OF THE CODE OF PUTNAM COUNTY TO (1) CLARIFY APPLI- CATION OF REAL PROPER- TY TAX LAW #467 AND (2) INCREASE THE MAXIMUM SENIOR CITIZEN PROPER- TY TAX EXEMPTION

Amending the Code of the County of Putnam, as approved and adopted by the Putnam County Legislature on April 7, 2026 by resolution #82, by amending Chapter 220, section 29 and section 30, entitled "Exemp-

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tion Granted" and "Schedule of Exemptions" respectively, to ensure the County exemption administration operates with the full framework of Real Property Tax Law section 467 and applicable Town-level options; and to align the County's maximum exemption authority with current state law, permitting exemptions up to 65%.

This Local Law shall be filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York and shall take effect as of March 1, 2026.

PLEASE NOTE:

A copy of the Local Law can be found on the Putnam County Website on the Legislature page and is also available at the office of the Clerk of the Putnam County Legislature.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Southeast SOUTHEAST PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Board/Architectural Review Board of the Town of Southeast, New York, in accordance with Chapters 78 and 138 of the Code of the Town of Southeast, and NYCRR Part 617 of the Environmental Conservation Law (as applicable), will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 8, 2026 at 7:00 p.m., at Southeast Town Offices, 1360 Route 22, Brewster, New York to consider the following:

LINCOLN LOGISTICS – Application is being made for Amended Site Plan and Amended Special Permit for a proposal to amend the previously approved site plan and special permit to allow for 24/7 operations located at 101 and 201 Pugsley Road, Brewster, NY, in the OP3 and RC Zoning Districts, and identified as Tax Map Numbers 45.-1-5 and 45.-1-8.2 In addition, the applicant proposes to install a solid vinyl fence to further screen trucks operating within the parking area.

343 STARR RIDGE ROAD – Application is being made for Site Plan and Conditional Use Permit for a proposal to construct a two-story detached garage and a one-story 688-sf accessory apartment on a 1.59-acre property located at 343 Starr Ridge Road, Brewster, NY, in R-160 Zoning District, and identified as Tax Map Number 79.-1-7. The existing parking area would be expanded by 515 sf. The property is under-sized with several preexisting nonconformities. The Proposed Project requires area variances from the Zoning Board of Appeals and the property is located in the Starr Ridge Road Scenic and Historic Route and requires a Certificate of Appropriateness from the Historic Sites Commission.

BLACKGATE FARM – Application is being made for Minor Subdivision for a proposal to subdivide a 29-acre property into two parcels and amend the special permit for the equestrian center located at 411 North Salem Road, Brewster, NY, in the R60 Zoning District and County Agricultural District, and identified as Tax Map Number 78.-2-67. The property contains two farm operations: a commercial equestrian center and a commercial nursery, which uses would be segregated by the proposed subdivision. Parcel A would contain 20.69 acres and the equestrian center; and Parcel B would contain 8.34 acres and the nursery. No construction or disturbances are proposed as part of the Proposed Project.

SIEBRECHT SHORT TERM

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RENTAL – Application is being made for Conditional Use Permit for a proposed renewal of a short-term rental permit on a 0.86-acre property located at 127 Shore Drive, Brewster, NY, in the R20 Zoning District, and identified as Tax Map Number 45.84-1-1. The applicant proposes to continue to rent the two-bedroom house to 2 to 4 people at a time, for 2 to 4 nights at a time between March and June and between August and October, as was permitted by rental occupancy permit # 23-00374R which expired 4/26/26.

Thomas LaPerch, Chairman
Town of Southeast Planning Board
Dated: May 12, 2026

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) of the Town of Southeast shall hold a public meeting on Wednesday, June 10, 2026, at 7:30 P.M. at the Town Hall, 1360 Route 22, Brewster, NY, where the ZBA will conduct work sessions to review potential applications and to deliberate on applications for which public hearings have been previously held. Thereafter, at or about 8:00 P.M., or as soon as interested parties may be heard, public hearings will be conducted on the following application:

1. **The Thomas and Martina Priolo Family Trust**, owner of property located at 3 Maple Way, Tax Map ID 56.12-1-27 seeks to vary the provisions of the Sections 138-20 and 138-25 of the Zoning Code as the same prescribes minimum setbacks of structures from adjoining property lines to permit the applicant to construct a second story addition to an existing single family dwelling which, as proposed, would be located approximately 4.56' from the side (easterly) property line where a minimum side setback of 20' is required in an R-20 Zoning District.

2. **James & Francine Torhan**, owners of property located at 31 Gage Road, Tax Map ID 57.-1-29, seek to vary the provisions of the Zoning Code as the same prescribes minimum setbacks of structures from adjoining property lines to permit the applicant to reconstruct/repair a pre-existing, non-conforming barn which does not comply with current setback requirements, as follows: Front (easterly) setback where approximately 3.07' exist and a minimum of 50' is required; Rear (westerly) setback where approximately 18.74' exists and a minimum of 20' is required in a R-60 zone.

3. **Timothy & Eileen O'Toole**, owners of property located at 57 Vail's Lake Shore Drive, Tax Map ID No. 79.-1-40.-85 seek to vary the provisions of the Zoning Code as the same prescribes minimum setbacks of structures from adjoining property lines to permit the applicant to reconstruct/repair a pre-existing, non-conforming dwelling which does not comply with current setback requirements as follows: Front (easterly) setback where approximately 15' exist and a minimum of 50' is required; Side (southerly) setback where approximately 10' exists and a minimum of 30' is required; Side (northerly) setback where approximately 10' exists and a minimum of 30' is required; and Total Side yard setback where approximately 20' exists and a minimum of 75' is required in a R-40 zone.

4. **Roxana & Alcides Avelandeda**, owners of property located at 95 Tulip Road, Tax Map ID 69.13-1-7, seek to vary the provisions of the Zoning Code as the same prescribes minimum setbacks of structures from adjoining property lines to permit

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the applicant to construct a deck on an accessory structure which, as proposed, does not comply with current setback requirements, as follows: Front (southerly) setback where approximately 55' is proposed where a minimum of 100' is required; and Side (westerly) setback where approximately 85' is proposed and a minimum of 100' is required in a R-160 zone.

5. **Conrado Wang KeCheng & Flavia Neimeyer**, owners of property located at 201 Joe's Hill Road, Tax Map ID 68.-2-72, seek to vary the provisions of the Zoning Code as the same prescribes minimum setbacks of structures from adjoining property lines to permit the applicant to construct a single family residence on an unimproved lot which, as proposed, does not comply with current setback requirements, as follows: Front (southerly) setback where approximately 80' is proposed and a minimum of 100' is required in a R-160 zone.

6. **Brian Pareschi & Maureen Fitzgerald**, owners of property located at 297 Dingle Ridge Road, Tax Map ID 79.12-1-2, seek to vary the provisions of the Zoning Code as the same prescribes minimum setbacks of structures from adjoining property lines to permit the applicant to construct an inground swimming pool which, as proposed, does not comply with current minimum setback requirements, as follows: Rear (westerly) setback where approximately 33' is proposed and a minimum of 100' is required; and Side (northerly) setback where approximately 35' is proposed and a minimum of 100' is required in a R-160 zone.

By Order of the ZBA
Roderick Cassidy, Chairman

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Town Board of the Town of Southeast shall hold a public hearing at Town Hall, 1360 Route 22, Brewster, NY, on June 4, 2026 at 7:00 PM, or as soon thereafter as interested parties may be heard, to hear public comment on a proposed local law which would enact a new chapter to the Town Code entitled "Filming" to regulate commercial filming on residential and non-residential properties within the Town. Such proposed local law would define "filming" and "filming permit", among other terms; establish the Town Clerk as "Administrator" of the filming permit program; establish the requirement that one possess a filming permit before conducting commercial filming on private or public property; establish limited exemptions from the permit requirements; establish application procedures; establish procedures for the review and approval/denial of permit applications; establish general conditions for the conduct of commercial filming operations within the town; establish minimum insurance requirements; establish fees to be paid to the town in connection with the filming permit; establish provisions for the suspension and/or revocation of a filming permit; establish procedures for the appeal of a permit denial, conditional approval, suspension or revocation of a filming permit; and establish procedures for the enforcement of the provisions of the chapter and the penalties for violations of such chapter. Copies of the proposed local law may be obtained from the Town Clerk during regular business hours. Anyone interested in the subject matter of the proposed local law will be given an opportunity to be heard at this time.

By Order of the Town Board
Hon. Kathleen Chiodina,
Town Clerk

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Supreme Court

SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF PUTNAM.

AMOS FINANCIAL LLC, Plaintiff against UNKNOWN HEIRS TO THE ESTATE OF ISABELLA DELLAROSSA A/K/A ISABEL DELLA ROSSA, et al Defendant(s). Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale dated April 7, 2026 and entered on April 8, 2026, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction will sell at public auction in the courtroom 209 of the Putnam Supreme Courthouse located at 20 County Center, Carmel, NY on June 15, 2026 at 11:30 a.m. premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Southeast, County of Putnam and State of New York, known and designated as Section 47

Block 2 Lot 32.

Said premises known as 11 FOX HOLLOW ROAD, BREWSTER, NY 10509

Approximate amount of lien \$432,756.69 plus interest & costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment and Terms of Sale.

Index Number 500829/2024. JACK E. SCHACHNER, ESQ., Referee

Pincus & Tarab
Attorney(s) for Plaintiff
425 RXR Plaza, Uniondale, NY 11556

{* PUTNAM CO3*}

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK INDEX NO. 500422/2023 COUNTY OF PUTNAM

DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR SAXON ASSET SECURITIES TRUST 2007-3, MORTGAGE LOAN ASSET BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-3

Plaintiff,
vs.

ANNA P. CORRADO, AS HEIR AND DISTRIBUTEE OF THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA LONGAZEL; WILLIAM J. CARLIN JR AS ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF ERNEST LONGAZEL; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DISTRIBUTEES OF THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA LONGAZEL, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an interest in, or general or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assigns of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff; NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

"JOHN DOE #1" through "JOHN DOE #12," the last twelve names being fictitious and unknown to plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the tenants, occupants, persons or corporations, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the premises, described in the com-

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plaint.
Plaintiff designates PUTNAM as the place of trial situs of the real property

SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS

Mortgaged Premises:
8 COTTAGE ROAD, CARMEL, NY 10512

Section: 33.51, **Block:** 1, **Lot:** 5

Defendants.

To the above named Defendants

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in the above entitled action and to serve a copy of your Answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days of the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, or within thirty (30) days after service of the same is complete where service is made in any manner other than by personal delivery within the State. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may answer or appear within sixty (60) days of service. Your failure to appear or to answer will result in a judgment against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. In the event that a deficiency balance remains from the sale proceeds, a judgment may be entered against you.

NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT

THE OBJECT of the above caption action is to foreclose a Mortgage to secure the sum of \$232,000.00 and interest, recorded on April 17, 2008, in Liber 5276 at Page 370, of the Public Records of PUTNAM County, New York., covering premises known as 8 COTTAGE ROAD, CARMEL, NY 10512.

The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described above.

PUTNAM County is designated as the place of trial because the real property affected by this action is located in said county.

NOTICE

YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME

If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you can lose your home.

Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property.

Sending a payment to the mortgage company will not stop the foreclosure action.

YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.

Dated: April 30th, 2026

ROBERTSON, AN-SCHUTZ, SCHNEID, CRANE & PARTNERS, PLLC
Attorney for Plaintiff
Matthew Rothstein, Esq.
900 Merchants Concourse,
Suite 310
Westbury, NY 11590
516-280-7675

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REFEREE'S NOTICE OF

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SALE IN FORECLOSURE
SUPREME COURT -
COUNTY OF PUTNAM

M&T BANK, Plaintiff -
against - **MAUREEN WALLIN**,
et al Defendant(s).

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered on April 3, 2026. I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction in courtroom 209 of the Putnam Supreme Courthouse located at 20 County Center, Carmel, NY 10512 on the 15th day of June, 2026 at 2:30 PM. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Town of Putnam Valley, County of Putnam and State of New York.

Premises known as 76 Pleasant Road, Lake Peekskill, NY 10537.

(Section: 83.65, Block: 1, Lot: 32)

Approximate amount of lien \$155,594.60 plus interest and costs.

Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and terms of sale.

Index No. 500456/2025.
Kenneth Bunting, Esq., Referee.

McCalla Raymer Leibert
Pierce, LLC
Attorney(s) for Plaintiff
420 Lexington Avenue, Suite
840

New York, NY 10170
Tel. 347/286-7409

For sale information, please visit Auction.com at www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832

Dated: April 7, 2026

During the COVID-19 health emergency, bidders are required to comply with all governmental health requirements in effect at the time of sale including but not limited to, wearing face coverings and maintaining social distancing (at least 6-feet apart) during the auction, while tendering deposit and at any subsequent closing. Bidders are also required to comply with the Foreclosure Auction Rules and COVID-19 Health Emergency Rules issued by the Supreme Court of this County in addition to the conditions set forth in the Terms of Sale.

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NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF PUTNAM U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS OWNER TRUSTEE FOR RCAF ACQUISITION TRUST, Plaintiff AGAINST **BRUCE P. MESSUR**, Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered March 10, 2025, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at Courtroom 209 of the Putnam Supreme Court, 20 County Center, Carmel, NY 10512 on June 22, 2026 at 10:30 AM, premises known as 12 Lottie Road, Carmel, NY 10512. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the Town of Kent, County of Putnam, New York, Section 33.82 Block 1 Lot 76 FKA Section 96 Block 4 Lot 1. Approximate amount of judgment \$231,154.14 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index #500912/2024. Julie A. Cherico, Esq., Referee Gross Polowy, LLC 1775 Wehrle Drive Williamsville, NY 14221 24-001430 89601

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LLC

Notice of Formation of **CHORIPANAL PASO LLC**. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/22/2026.

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Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: CHORIPANAL PASO LLC, 29 CARLSON CT., COLD SPRING, NY, 10516. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Sharp Wagon Co, LLC**. Articles of Org filed with SSNY on March 16, 2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Sharp Wagon Co LLC, 12 Main Street, Unit# 2120, Brewster, NY 10509. Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

AVERY TRAVIS CORNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/16/26.

Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o

Saidel & Saidel, P.C., P.O. Box 308, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Del Vecchio Psychological Services, PLLC**. Articles of Org. filed with SSNY on 02/17/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 346 Route 6 #695, Mahopac, NY 10541. Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Arts of Org. of **The Logfather, LLC** filed with SSNY 02/26/26, Putnam Co. SSNY is designated as agent for process & shall mail to 35 Moss Hill Rd., Carmel, NY, 10512. Any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

1037 RT 22, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/27/26. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 1037 Route 22, Brewster, NY 10509. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SAFESTICKER, LLC. Filed with SSNY on 02/24/2026. Formed in DE on 02/19/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 12 OLD ROD TRAIL, PUTNAM VALLEY, NY 10579. DE SOS: 401 Federal St #4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful

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PUBLIC NOTICE

S&K 1638 REALTY, LLC. Filed with SSNY on 02/24/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 121 CANOPUS HOLLOW RD, PUTNAM VALLEY, NY 10579. Purpose: Any Lawful

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PUBLIC NOTICE

S&K 2499 REALTY, LLC. Filed with SSNY on 02/24/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 121 CANOPUS HOLLOW RD, PUTNAM VALLEY, NY 10579. Purpose: Any Lawful

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PUBLIC NOTICE

KEYSTONE TRI STATE PROPERTY, LLC. Filed with SSNY on 01/11/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 31 RED FOX LN, BREWSTER, NY 10509. Purpose: Any Lawful

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538 44TH STREET, LLC. Filed with SSNY on 03/05/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 165 SHORE DR, BREWSTER, NY 10509. Purpose: Any Lawful

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18LAKEVIEWROAD, LLC. Filed with SSNY on 03/11/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 288 TITICUS RD., NORTH SALEM, NY 10560. Purpose: Any Lawful

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PUBLIC NOTICE

COCINITA PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/30/25. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon

whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 543 East Mountain Road South, Cold Spring, NY 10516. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

JMS1952 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/03/26. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 40 Barrett Circle Court, Carmel, NY 10512. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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SIMI MANAGEMENT GROU PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/16/2026. Office loc: Putnam County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 25 Walton Dr, Mahopac, NY 10541. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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GreystonePV LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/19/2025. Office: Putnam County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o 29 Tyler Rd, Putnam Valley, NY 10579. Purpose: any lawful act.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF **Lakeside Sales & Consulting LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 2/19/2026.

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Office location: Putnam County, New York. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: c/o Lakeside Sales & Consulting, 29 Lakeside Rd, Brewster, NY 10509 Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity.

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Notice of Formation of 171 Weber Hill, LLC amended to **6 Brook Avenue, LLC**. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State (SSNY) on 2/2/26. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 346 Route 6, #555 Mahopac, NY 10541. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of **830 VICTORY, LLC**. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State (SSNY) on 3/16/26. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 80 International Blvd, Brewster, NY 10509. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of **JACK OF ALL TRADES HV LLC**. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State (SSNY) on 3/26/26. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 192 East Mountain Road South, Cold Spring, NY 10516. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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LILLIE'S LITTLE GEMS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/22/26. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 27 Kentview Drive, Carmel, NY 10512. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

17 GRANT PLACE REALTY LLC. Filed with SSNY on 02/12/2026. Office: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 34 LAKEVIEW DR, PUTNAM VALLEY, NY 10579. Purpose: Any Lawful

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Notice of Formation of **Tides of Grace LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on May 7, 2025. Office location: Putnam County, New York. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: 20 Meadow Ct., Carmel, NY 10512. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of **Amanda DeChent Certified**

Sustainable Putnam Announces Energy Affordability Campaign

The nonprofit Sustainable Putnam has partnered with the Mid-Hudson Regional Clean Energy Hub to launch the Putnam Energy Affordability campaign, running through October, offering free resources to help residents lower energy bills and increase home comfort.

Putnam residents can schedule free home energy consultations with home energy advisors who provide unbiased guidance, helping residents make informed

decisions. Advice is tailored to each home by reviewing current energy usage, exploring practical upgrades, and explaining available New York State incentives and rebates.

The campaign also includes educational community workshops.

In addition, the Putnam County Home Energy Expo in the fall will showcase energy-efficient technologies and reputable local contractors spe-

cializing in insulation, heating and cooling systems, solar, and more.

“Home energy projects can be complex, and unbiased guidance is hard to find,” said Joe Montuori, executive director of Sustainable Putnam. “Everyone’s home and financial situation is different. Our services simplify the process and empower residents to choose solutions that make sense for them.”

The campaign also provides assistance in obtaining available rebates and tax credits. That’s Sean Seary’s area of expertise. As Putnam County community energy advisor with the Mid-Hudson Regional Clean Energy Hub, Seary can quickly determine the most relevant services and programs, available financial incentives, and even assist with the application process and more.

“The first step is to schedule

a consultation,” he said.

All services provided by the campaign are free. The initiative seeks to support homeowners and renters alike in reducing home energy costs, improving energy efficiency, and enhancing comfort while promoting sustainable living practices across the county.

For more information or to schedule a consultation, visit bit.ly/PutnamEnergy or call 646-598-6560.

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Registered Nurse Anesthetist, PLLC. Articles of Org filed with SSNY on 04/15/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 104 Wicoppee road Putnam Valley NY, 10579, USA. Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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Notice of Formation of **M2O Swim Group, LLC.** Articles of Org filed with SSNY on April 30, 2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 15 Maple Lane, Cold Spring, NY, 10516. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Mine then Yours, LLC** Articles of Org filed with SSNY on 4/6/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mine then Yours, LLC, 36 Kent Lake Avenue; Carmel, NY 10512 Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Elio & Sons Italian American LLC.** Articles of Org filed with SSNY on 3/15/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Elio & Sons Italian American LLC, 41 Secor Rd, Side Unit (Next to Deli), Mahopac, NY 10541. Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **AMMA ELIXIRS LLC.** Articles of Org filed with SSNY on 04/27/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o AMMA ELIXIRS LLC, 15 Kemble Ave., Cold Spring, NY 10516. Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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Notice of formation of **Ship-Point Center LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/18/2026. Office location: Putnam County.

SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to ShipPoint Center LLC at 40 Duke Drive, Carmel, NY 10512-1597.

Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of formation of **Ship-Point Center Properties LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/28/2026. Office location: Putnam County.

SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to ShipPoint Center LLC at 40 Duke Drive, Carmel, NY 10512-1057.

Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Grey Cat Lifestyles LLC.** Articles of Org filed with SSNY on 04/29/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Grey Cat Lifestyles LLC, 1304 Kings Way ,Carmel NY 10512 Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ALTO Amenities LLC. Filed 2/26/26. Cty: Putnam. SSNY desig. for process & shall mail 56 Tanager Rd, Mahopac, NY 10541. Purp: any lawful.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **LAUREN DETTLOFF CONSULTING LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/05/2026. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 701 Route 301, Cold Spring, NY 10516. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CARLTON HUDSON VALLEY LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect’y of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/31/2025. Office: Putnam County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 14 Dancing Rock Rd, Garrison, NY 10524. Purpose: any lawful act.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

AUTONOMOUS CAPITAL LLC. Filed 3/26/26. Office:

PUBLIC NOTICE

Putnam Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 30 Carolyn Way, Patterson, NY 12563. Purpose: General.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SILLY GOOSE BOOKS LLC. Filed 2/25/26. Office: Putnam Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: Christine F Hogan, 80 Longdale Rd, Mahopac, NY 10541. Purpose: General.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

GTA VENTURES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/08/2026. Office loc: Putnam County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Grant Amato, 6 Academy Road, Brewster, NY 10509. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Dragonfly Haven Wellness LCSW PLLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with

SSNY on 11/18/25. Office location: Putnam. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon

whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Dragonfly Haven Wellness LCSW PLLC 11 Traverse Road, Lake Peekskill NY 10537. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Bovine Bomber LLC.** Art. Of Org. filed with SSNY on 3/18/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Bovine Bomber LLC, 160 Ice Pond Rd. Brewster NY 10509 Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Stormsafe Generator Service LLC.** Articles of Org filed with SSNY on 3/02/2026. Office Location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Stormsafe Generator Service LLC, 37 Luigi Road, Putnam Valley 10579. Purpose: any lawful purpose or activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Covington Garden LLC.** Arts. of

PUBLIC NOTICE

Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 3/23/26. Office location: Putnam County. NY Sec. of State designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served, and shall mail process to the LLC, c/o Hogan Rossi & Liguori, 3 Starr Ridge Rd, Ste 200, Brewster, NY 10509. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **North American Critical Logistics, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 3/14/25. Office location: Putnam County. NY Sec. of State designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served, and shall mail process to The LLC, c/o Hogan Rossi & Liguori, 3 Starr Ridge Rd, Ste 200, Brewster, NY 10509. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Lions Den 5.0 LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State (SSNY) on 5/6/26. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC,

CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED - Looking for **FLAGGERS** for outdoor event for 4/25 and 4/26, 5/25 and 5/26, 9/5 and 9/6, 10/10 & 10/11. Call 845-221-6561. 6/24

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WANTED

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PUBLIC NOTICE

64 Clubhouse Drive, Carmel, NY 10512. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **BEAR CREEK SPORTSMAN LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/08/2026. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: THE LLC, 1915 RT. 9 - BOX 263, GARRISON, NY 10524. Purpose: any lawful activities.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Formation of **Grover House LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/08/2025. Office location: Putnam County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 286 Oscawana Lake Road, Putnam Valley, NY 10579. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

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hunting items, rods, reels, lures, all types old or new, paintings of fishing, hunting, wildlife art, bows and arrows, no compound bows. Call 845-878-3665 or 845-661-9059. 6/24

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SALE - Holmes Camp tag, plant, and bake sale - May 30 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., at 65 Denton Lake Road, Holmes. Have items to sell? Reserve a spot for \$10 by emailing Holmes@holmescamp.org. 5/27

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5/27



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Soccer Refs Needed

The Eastern New York Youth Soccer Association is seeking to add new referees to its more than 3,000 refs already on staff. Individuals are needed for the middle and/or on the line as assistant referees in youth soccer games. The minimum age is 14 years old to become certified. With more than 100,000 youth soccer players – both boys and girls – and more than 25,000 volunteers, the non-profit ENYSSA stretches from Long Island to the Canadian border, east of Route 81. For more information, visit www.enysoccer.com or email questions@enysreferee.org. Here, Randy Vogt referees the South Shore Bulldogs. Photo courtesy of Michael Blackton.

Renegades in a Slump

The Hudson Valley Renegades minor league baseball team is mired in a terrible slump.

Heading into a May 22 game, Hudson Valley lost seven of eight. That included a 5-0 loss to the Brooklyn Cyclones on May 21, the first time all season the Renegades have been shut out.

The only respite was a 7-3

victory over the Cyclones on May 19.

The Renegades are in fourth place in the north division of the South Atlantic League. Aberdeen, an affiliate of the Baltimore Orioles, is leading the division.

Hudson Valley returns home Tuesday, May 26, against the Bowling Green Hot Rods.

Girls High School Sports Roundup

It's time for the girls to take center stage... Or center circle, as the case may be.

The Section 1 seeds for high school girls' lacrosse were announced last week and play got under way. Here are the local teams to keep an eye on:

In Class B, Brewster drew the fourth seed and is scheduled to host number five Mahopac on May 26 in a quarterfinal game. That's also the same day that seventh-seeded Carmel is scheduled to play Fox Lane in the quarterfinal.

And in Class D, Putnam Valley was scheduled to square off with Pawling in a 6-11 first round matchup May 23. Haldane is also in this bracket at number 13, and was slated to play at Blind Brook in an opening round game, also on the 23rd.

Nyack High School will serve as the neutral host for the finals in all classes.

Softball

The Section 1 seedings and brackets for girls' high school softball are underway.

Class AA was highlighted by

number 13 Brewster at number four Carmel in a great local first-round game May 22. Mahopac is also in this bracket and was scheduled to host number 10 Fox Lane, also May 22.

Haldane and Putnam Valley were seeded second and third, respectively, in Class B, and are due to host games May 27.

Championship games in all brackets are scheduled for North Rockland Stadium.

Flag Football

Consider it mixed results.

Both the Brewster High School and Mahopac High School girls' flag football teams made the semifinals of the Section 1 Class B tournament. Both were scheduled to play May 20.

Mahopac lost to number two Yorktown, 24-0.

The Bears had their game against top-seeded Tappan Zee rained out. The game was rescheduled for Thursday afternoon, and results were not available as of press time.

In Class C, Putnam Valley lost to number one Westlake/Briarcliff in the semis.

Weapons Charge

At about 2:50 a.m. May 3, New York State Police in Somers conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle traveling eastbound on Interstate 84 in Southeast for a traffic violation.

While interviewing the driver, Jayden Samaniego, 21, of Danbury, troopers reportedly saw a Glock 9mm handgun in plain

view. The firearm was loaded with a magazine containing multiple rounds of ammunition.

Samaniego was charged with one count of second-degree criminal possession of a firearm (loaded firearm), a felony, and arraigned in Carmel Town Court and released on his own recognizance with a future court date.



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