



FINGER LAKES TIMES



ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS
— Business, Page 1C

THURSDAY, SEPT. 9, 2010

Title quest

The Clyde-Savannah girls tennis team started its quest to build on a successful 2009 Wayne County campaign, edging Lyon, 3-2 on Wednesday. — Page 1B



Recognition

Geneva mason Jim DeGraff has his work featured in this month's *Log Home Living* magazine. — Page 6C

One step at a time

Stepping Stones aims to help local families living in poverty. — Page 6A

Coming Friday ...



Home & Garden

Keep your tools handy — there's plenty left to do before winter comes.

Sports

The fall high school sports season kicks into high gear.

Also...

The latest winner in our "CLICK" photo contest.

Follow the Times on

9 YEARS AFTER 9/11



Spencer Tufts / Finger Lakes Times

Maria, Dominic and Len DeFrancesco of Geneva work on the flower bed near the long pier in preparation for the 9/11 ceremony that will be held there at 10 a.m. Saturday. The Hildreth Hill Neighborhood Group (formerly Upper West) adopted the flower bed.

On HWS campus, service goes hand in hand with remembrance

By SEAN McCracken
smccracken@times.com

GENEVA — As Sept. 11 events roll out across the region this weekend, a Hobart student has come up with his own way of commemorating the ninth anniversary of the terrorist attacks that shocked a nation. Yesterday through Friday, Dan Boysen, a senior majoring in political science and public policy, is setting up shop in the Scandling Campus Center and having his fellow students write their thoughts, prayers and commitments to service on small

“This is a great opportunity to honor the remembrance and service day.”



— DAN BOYSEN
SENIOR, HOBART COLLEGE

Boysen said the bags will be set up on sidewalks around the

night and illuminated using electronic candles.

This is the second year that HWS has commemorated Sept. 11 as a National Day of Service and Remembrance, and Boysen, who works in the Colleges' Center for Community Engagement and Service, said he did his best to adapt the ideas of his two predecessors into something new.

Last year, two William Smith students, senior Heather Cosgrove and junior Lindsay Hagan, had students around campus write pledges on quilt squares and patched them

See SERVICE on Page 4A

Weekend observances

The following observance of the ninth anniversary of the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, will be held Friday:

Yates County

Keuka Park

At noon, the college's Center for Spiritual Life will host a 30-minute remembrance ceremony at the Norton Chapel steps at Keuka College. In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved inside the chapel. For more information, call chaplain Eric Betar at 279-5231, ext. 5378.

◆ ◆ ◆

The following observances will be held Saturday:

Ontario County

Canandaigua

The ninth annual Patriot Procession in the city of Canandaigua in collaboration with the Canandaigua Fire Dept., Canandaigua Ambulance, Canandaigua Police Dept., Ontario County Sheriff's Dept. and Canandaigua American Legion, will include:

8:30 a.m. — A flag-raising ceremony involving local firefighters, EMS, law enforcement and military units. The 9/11 memorial flag will be raised at 8:45 a.m. Both events at the Commons on South Main Street.

7 p.m. — A procession of emergency vehicles and marchers will start at Ontario Street and proceed

See 9/11 on Page 4A

9/11 observances (Continued from Page 1A)

our health is reflected in your smile.

Did you know that your oral health is directly linked to your overall health?

... true, oral disease has been linked to many medical conditions such as heart disease, stroke and diabetes, gum disease, stroke and respiratory disease. Healthy gums answer your needs from a professional dental care center.

LAKE COUNTRY DENTAL
We look out for your best of health.

24 William Street • Geneva, NY • 315.789.3067
reside Ralph, 315.405 • www.lakecountrydds.com

12th Annual

Caring for the Caregiver CONFERENCE

"The Caregiver Journey"

This conference is designed to give you a break from your daily routine and answer questions about providing care and support.

north on Main Street to American Legion Post 256 for a candlelight memorial. For information, call Donna Schaeffert at (585) 289-4871.

Clifton Springs
At 9 a.m. there will be a dedication of the village's Veterans Monument, included in the memorial is a women's veterans' memorial. State Sen. Michael Nozzolio, R 54 of Fayette, will be the keynote speaker.

Farmington
The Veterans of Foreign Wars, District 8 (Monroe, Wayne, Seneca, Yates, Ontario counties), will host a ceremony at Finger Lakes Race Track and Casino. VFW members will arrive about 11 a.m. and present the colors at noon in the Winner's Circle area. Donna Pullano will sing "God Bless America," which will be followed by "Taps" in honor of those who died that day.

The annual "VFW Day" will follow the 9/11 ceremonies.

Geneva ★
The city of Geneva will hold a commemoration at 10 a.m. at the lakefront flappole, beginning with the Striking of the Four Fives. Mayor Stu Einstein and Assemblyman Brian M. Koff, R 129 of Canandaigua, will speak. Lucile Mullard will perform the national anthem, and the American Legion color guard will have a rifle salute volley. Karen

Noonan, executive assistant to Nozzolio, will present the city with a new 9/11 National Remembrance Flag. ★

There will be an observance at noon at Hobart College's Boswell Field prior to the Statesmen's football season opener against Dickinson College. The Geneva Fire Department will present the colors. Also, the 9/11 National Remembrance Flag will be flown during the game, and Joanne Galvin, of Wolcott, who designed the flag along with her late husband, will be honored. The Statesmen Bell also will be rung to honor four men with connections to Hobart who died in New York City on Sept. 11, 2001.

Seneca County

Ovid
The Ovid Fire Department will present "Patriot Day — Never Forget 9/11/01: An Evening of Remembrance" at 7 p.m. in the Ovid Village Park. Master of Ceremonies will be Carlos Young. The program will include:

Striking of the Four Fives with Chief Dale Stannard of the Interlaken Fire Department; the posting of the colors by the Ovid Fire Department color guard; remarks by Ovid Mayor David Terry Sr., Ovid

Town Supervisor David Dresser, Waterloo Police Chief Doyle Marquart and Ovid Fire Chief William Palmer; a keynote address by Mike Bellone, former New York City firefighter; a memorial prayer led by James Hinman of the Romulus Fire Department; a bagpipe performance by Tim Burgess; laying of the wreath by Bonnie Palmer and Leona Deming; a rifle squad salute volley by VFW Post No. 6200 Color Guard; "Taps" played by Robert Gerlach; and a candlelight memorial service called "Where were you when the world stopped turning?"

Wayne County

Savannah
"Tribute to America" will be at 6:30 p.m. in the Potato Fest fields west of the hamlet. The events will include a flyover, a patriotic drill by horses and riders, the Pledge of Allegiance led by children, and the presentation of a flag flown over the U.S. Capitol to retired Air Force officer Lt. Col. Debbie Heit. The national anthem will be sung by her husband, retired Col. Ed Heit. The night will end with a flag burning ceremony. Veterans and firefighters will be honored. The event may also feature appearances by Nozzolio and a restored memorial 9/11 fire truck, schedule permitting.

SERVICE

Continued from Page 1A

together to create a mosaic. Boysen said that based on the response he got Wednesday, his biggest concern would be not having enough candles to light all the bags.

"This is a great opportunity to honor the remembrance and service day," Boysen said. "It's easy to get into a lull [this early in the year], but this is a visual reminder, and they're actively writing [something they're willing to contribute]."

Boysen is also suggesting community programs that students can donate their time and energy to.

He said he plans to take the bags down at about 9 p.m. to avoid any of them getting knocked over or harmed. He only plans to put them out the night of Sept. 11, but Boysen said he's willing to do so again if enough people want to see them.

