



BRIGHT-EYED pair of grey striped kittens are among the pets available for adoption at the Columbia-Cover Humane Society Shelter at Greenvale. Interested persons who wish to give the kittens a home can call 828-6044. (Jessie Gilmer)

Chatham assessment roll is completed

The tentative Chatham town assessment roll has been completed, according to John Surra, board of assessors chairman. A copy of the roll will be available for inspection at the town hall through Monday, June 16, Surra said. An assessor will be on hand to answer questions about the roll from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, June 7, from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Monday, June 9, and from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, June 10.

The Board of Assessment Review will receive formal grievances Tuesday, June 17. Grievance forms and information on the review schedule are available in the town clerk's office, Chatham Centre, 392-3262.

Dining Out

Sleepy Hollow

THE SLEEPY HOLLOW Restaurant on Route 9-H Kinderhook, has our recommendation as one of the better restaurants we have found in our visits to area dining places.

Here are the ingredients. Young Billy Christopher, the chef, direct to us from the Brasserie in New York City. An experienced food and beverage manager from the Hilton Hotel in New York and the now famous Hot Town in Lancaster, Pa. Food which is absolutely fresh - nothing frozen. Meats are butchered on the premises. An unstinting generosity in every aspect of dining including service, quality of food and quantity of portions.

The service is deliberately paced so you enjoy the courses one by one. Begin with crabites and grape leaves wrapped around faintly flavored rice. Savor the taste of this middle Eastern delicacy until a platter of hot hors d'oeuvres arrives. The tenderest chicken liver wrapped in crispy bacon, a skewer of lamb bits and onions, and the piece de resistance, huge shrimp dipped in a beer batter and ever so gently fried for a split instant resulting in crispiness without the harsh taste of frying. Each morsel is an absolute delicacy, and these are just for openers, although, incredibly, without any extra charge.

The menu is French in flavor yet the middle Eastern and Continental style is very much present. Choose from the specialties of Medaillon de Veau aux Champignons, Crepe de Poulet or Brochette des Fruits de Mer, Grilled Game Hen aux Fines Herbes or prime Filet Mignon from the charcoal broiler. We chose Duckling a L'Orange at \$10.50 and the fresh Filet of Lemon Sole, Amandine at \$8.50. After you've chosen your entree, you will be served the soup of the day. We were blessed with Minestrone so thick it could have been eaten with a fork. We identified no less than nine fresh ingredients, all spiced to perfection. Delicious! Then you will be treated with a salad which we can truly say is incomparable in this area. Not only is every conceivable fresh salad ingredient included but there is a dressing, named for 10-year-old Alexander

Christopher's fresh herbs, vinegar and oil. The ingredients are all finely diced and chopped, a skill peculiar to the Middle Eastern philosophy of dining, and much appreciated by anyone who has ever struggled with the usually huge hunks of lettuce and unmanageable quartered tomatoes. And then the entree. The Lemon Sole Amandine was ever so slightly crispy on the outside, baked in a fresh lemon juice and covered with thin almond slices. The fish was garnished with fresh lemon halves, sprinkled with spices. As for the Duck a L'Orange the flavor was perfect, not sweet and sticky with sugars and thickeners but pure orange juice and fresh orange slices. Wild rice and a broiled tomato accompanied the duck. The vegetable of the day was tiny fresh carrots, al dente, flavored with a butter sauce.

Although the portions are more than generous, do leave room for dessert. The Baklava and Nut Kolach are specialties of the house. Bill Christopher's restaurant is new to our area, and we welcome it with applauding taste buds. Sleepy Hollow will be open for dinners every evening except Monday from 4 to 9 p.m. Fortunately Mr. Christopher is adding a supper hour during which he will serve Omelet Soup Gratinée, Welsh rarebit or other late night snacks after theatre. Late supper will be served from 9 p.m. to 12 during the week, and from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. on Friday and Saturdays. Also for your dining pleasure, Sam Wang, a talented organist, plays nightly from 7:30 on.

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—castleton/schodack— Town tax roll completed, set June 17 grievance day

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The tentative Town of Schodack tax roll for the current year has been filed with Edgar A. Swartz, Schodack Town Assessor.

The assessor will be in attendance with the roll at the Schodack Town Hall on June 9 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., June 10 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and on June 11 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Persons wishing to file grievances should request the proper form from the assessor.

The Board of Review will meet on Grievance Day at the Schodack Town Hall on Tuesday, June 17, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

* Veterans granted exemptions

The Schodack town board voted unanimously Thursday for a new law which gives veterans in the town the same proportion exemption as they

received under partial assessment.

Schodack Supervisor Jeffrey Haber said he wasn't entirely satisfied with the new law, blaming the state legislature for not drafting a more definitive law for towns to use. According to Haber, the state legislature is considering a bill which will supersede the present law.

Individual tax rates for non-veterans will increase five to six percent, Haber said. There are 110 people in Schodack who have a 100 percent exemption and 250 who have an exemption of more than 50 percent, he added.

* Van is available to service center

A van from Schodack to the Rensselaer Area Senior Service Center will be available at 10:30 a.m. Monday, June 16.

The Jays events at the center on Third St., Rensselaer, will include the Fantastic Rhythm Band, a Flag Day picnic luncheon at noon, a van trip to Price Chopper and N-Mart, a crime program at 1 p.m. and legal help from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.



EAGLE SCOUT Scott S. Simpson, a member of the South Schodack Boy Scout Troop 253, is shown with Schodack Town Supervisor G. Jeffrey Haber who presented him with the Town Award during recent Court of Honor. Scott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson of Kingman Road, Nassau.

(William Lisosky)

Scott Simpson presented Scouting's highest award

Scott S. Simpson of Kingman Road, Nassau, was recently presented the Boy Scouts highest honor, the Eagle Scout Award. Scott, a member of South Schodack Boy Scout Troop 253, received the award during formal ceremonies in which fellow Scouts, family and friends attended at the South Schodack Fire Hall on May 24.

Presenting the citation was Dale Goodall, local Troop 253 Committeeman. Taking part in the formal presentation was Edward C. Swartz, a long-time family friend of Scott and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson.

Scott, an 18-year-old student at Maple Hill High School, is a member of the 1980 graduating class. He has been involved in Scouting for the past seven years during which he became an Order of the Arrow member.

* Berry earns Clarkson degree

Thomas A. Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Berry, Schodack Landing, was among the 900 men and women awarded undergraduate and graduate degrees from Clarkson College at the May 18 commencement ceremonies.

He received a bachelor of science degree in civil and environmental engineering.

* CSP representative to be at town hall

A representative from the Community Services Program is at the Schodack Town Hall each Thursday from 11 a.m. until noon time.

Working at the town hall is Dora Faulkner, a Human Service Worker, ready to provide information concerning community services, foster grandparents programs, head start operations, senior aides, energy programs and WIC information.

CSP is the backbone of all CEO (Commission on Economic Opportunity) programs. It provides outreach, referral, technical assistance and community organization assistance to low income individuals and families.

For additional information persons should call Troy at 272-6012.

* Old Chatham nurse to work in Thailand

Loenie Weinheimer, daughter of Elaine Weinheimer and the late Arthur Weinheimer of Old Chatham, left this week to work the next three months at Khao-I-Dang refugee camp in Thailand with a medical relief team.

The team was organized through Cornell-New York Medical Center and funded by the International Rescue Committee.

Khao-I-Dang camp, directly east of Bangkok and about five miles from the Cambodian border, houses approximately 100,000 displaced Cambodians. The camp has a 1,000-bed hospital housed in numerous thatched buildings. Different hospital units are staffed by medical relief teams from European nations and the U.S. The Cornell-New York

A Word To The Wise: The trouble with marriage, according to the Sour Philosopher, is that a guy falls in love with a dimple and then makes the mistake of marrying the whole girl.

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Jaynees name new officers

Janice Fox, Maple Hill Road, Castleton, has been elected president of the Castleton Schodack Jaynees. Mrs. Fox installed last Saturday evening as the new leader of the local chapter, succeeds outgoing President Jean Smith of South Schodack.

Also installed were Vice President Denise Warrander of South Schodack, Secretary Nancy Jordan of Castleton, Sherry Martenson of Clearview Heights, Treasurer and Director Karen Trussbach of South Schodack and Hobbe Buono of Clearview Heights.

Also stepping down from office were Lolly Bennett who served as vice president, Mar-

cia Della Rocca, the former organization secretary, Denise Warrander as treasurer and Pat Paulson as director.

The newly elected president has previously served as director of the organization during the 1979-80 year and previous to that as local vice president.

Mrs. Fox was a recipient of the locals' Jaynee of the Year award in 1978. The award was presented after her first year as a Jaynee for her unique quality of vitality and endless enthusiasm she brought with herself as a new member, working on many of the major projects the local Jaynee Chapter members were involved in for the community.

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