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7a, 1p	BBQ with Franklin	Taste of Louisiana	Great American Seafood Cook Off	Taste of Louisiana	BBQ with Franklin
7:3a, 1:30p	Ellie's Real Good Food	Sara's Weeknight Meals	Ciao Italia	Sara's Weeknight Meals	Ellie's Real Good Food
8a, 2p	P. Allen Smith Garden to Table	Dining w/the Chef	Mike Colamenco's Real Food	Dining w/the Chef	P. Allen Smith Garden to Table
8:30a, 2:30p	The Free Range Chef	Jacques Pepin: More Fast Food Family Ingredients Starts 4/5	Taste the Islands: Healthful Indian Flavors Starts 4/5	Jacques Pepin: More Fast Food Family Ingredients Starts 4/5	The Free Range Chef
9a, 3p	Painting the Town	Travel with Kids Bare Feet Starts 4/11	Curious Traveler Dream of Italy Starts 4/2	Travel with Kids Bare Feet Starts 4/11	Painting the Town
9:30a, 3:30p	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope	In the Americas	Journeys in Japan	In the Americas	Joseph Rosendo's Travelscope
10a, 4p	10am - This Old House 4pm - Rick Steves Europe	10am - Woodwright's Shop 4pm - Rick Steves Europe	10am - Ask This Old House 4pm - Rick Steves Europe	10am - Woodwright's Shop 4pm - Rick Steves Europe	10am - This Old House 4pm - Rick Steves Europe
10:30a, 4:30p	Rough Cut - Woodworking with Tommy Mac	Woodsmith Shop	American Woodshop	Woodsmith Shop	Rough Cut - Woodworking w/Tommy Mac
11a, 5p	P. Allen Smith's Garden Home	Growing a Greener World	Garden Smart	Growing a Greener World	P. Allen Smith's Garden Home
11:30a, 5:30p	Make Your Mark	Craftsman's Legacy	For Your Home	Craftsman's Legacy	Make Your Mark

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 6:30 Body Electric
 7:00 Wild Kratts
 7:30 Ready Jet Go
 8:00 Nature Cat
 8:30 Curious George
 9:00 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
 9:30 Cat in the Hat
 10:00 Splash & Bubbles
 10:30 Sesame Street
 11:00 Dinosaur Train
 11:30 Peg + Cat
 12:00pm Super Why
 12:30 Thomas and Friends
 1:00 Clifford

1:30 ART PROGRAMMING

Mon Painting with Wilson Bickford
 Tues Best of Joy of Painting
 Wed Painting & Travel w/Roger & Sarah Bansemmer
 Thur Beauty of Oil Painting
 Fri Paint This

2:00 SEWING PROGRAMMING

Mon Fit 2 Stitch
 Tues Quilt in a Day
 Wed Sewing with Nancy
 Thur Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting
 Fri Knit & Crochet Now

2:30 HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Mon Classical Stretch
 Tues Healing Quest
 Wed Happy Yoga
 Thur Sit & Be Fit
 Fri Second Opinion

Tea Time

3:00 M-T EastEnders
 W British Antiques Roadshow
 Th Keeping Up Appearances
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3:30 M-F As Time Goes By
 4:00 M-F Biz Kid\$
 4:30 M-F Homework Hotline
 5:00 M-F Charlie Rose

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- Jens Jensen: The Living Green - 4/3
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- Trees in Trouble - 4/5
- Frederick Law Olmsted: Designing America - 4/8
- Standing on Sacred Ground: Profit & Loss - 4/10
- America ReFramed: Reversing the Mississippi - 4/11
- Independent Lens: The Great Invisible - 4/12
- The Crowd & the Cloud: Citizens + Scientists - 4/13
- Pacific Heartbeat: Na Loea-The Masters II - 4/17
- Standing on Sacred Ground: Fire & Ice - 4/18
- Independent Lens: SEED-The Untold Story - 4/19
- The Crowd & the Cloud: Viral vs. Virus - 4/20
- The New Metropolis: A Crack in the Pavement - 4/21
- American Masters: A Fierce Green Fire - 4/22
- Eyes on the Prize: Then and Now - 4/23
- Pacific Heartbeat: Ever the Land - 4/24
- Keeping the Potomac: The Politics of Water - 4/25
- The Crowd & the Cloud: Citizens4earth - 4/26
- Making Sense of Place: Portland - 4/30

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6:30 AM Cyberchase	6:30 PM Ready Jet Go!
7:00 AM Cyberchase	7:00 PM Wild Kratts
7:30 AM WordGirl	7:30 PM Wild Kratts
8:00 AM Arthur	8:00 PM Old Squad
8:30 AM Arthur	8:30 PM Old Squad
9:00 AM Peg + Cat	9:00 PM Arthur
9:30 AM The Cat in the Hat Knows a Lot About That!	9:30 PM Arthur
10:00 AM Super WHY!	10:00 PM Super WHY!
10:30 AM Clifford	10:30 PM Sesame Street
11:00 AM Thomas & Friends	11:00 PM Sesame Street
11:30 AM Thomas & Friends	11:30 PM Dinosaur Train
12:00 PM Caillou	12:00 AM Dinosaur Train
12:30 PM Sid the Science Kid	12:30 AM Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
1:00 PM Bob the Builder	1:00 AM Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
1:30 PM WordWorld	1:30 AM Splash and Bubbles
2:00 PM Super WHY!	2:00 AM Nature Cat
2:30 PM Sesame Street	2:30 AM Ready Jet Go!
3:00 PM Sesame Street	3:00 AM Wild Kratts
3:30 PM Dinosaur Train	3:30 AM Wild Kratts
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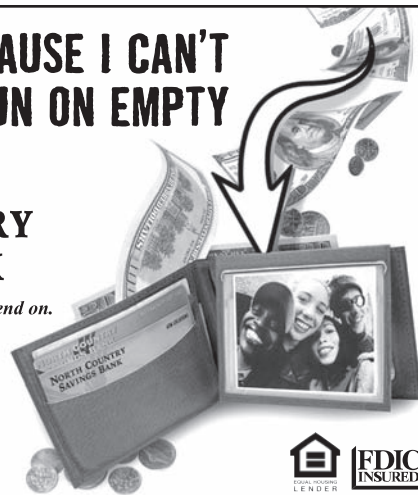


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 Throughout the medium of our lives---these waking times exist
 Flowering ways have sunlight beginnings
 Perceptions give way to brighter forms and somethingness



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1. Who released "Tiny Dancer," and when?

2. What group released "I Wanna Be Sedated"?
3. Who was the lead singer for Simply Red?
4. Where did Flo and Eddie get their start?
5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "I always will treasure them so close to my heart, They always will haunt me although we're apart."

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6th Annual North Country Folk Festival

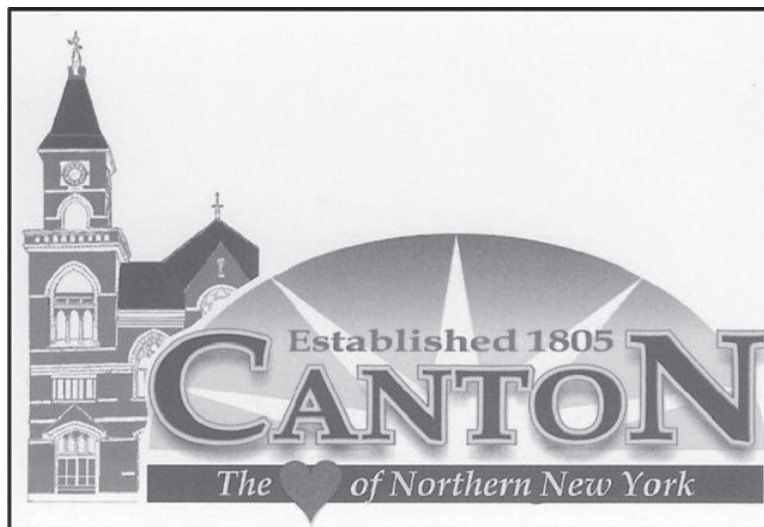
The 6th Annual North Country Folk Festival Canton, NY - is an all-day event, featuring eleven hours of music, from both local and nationally touring bands, a contra dance, dinner, and many local vendors and demonstrators. The Festival is a family-friendly celebration of folk music, folk arts, local living, and traditional skills of the North Country.

Coordinated by St. Lawrence University's Green House, the low-impact living theme cottage on campus, the event is on Saturday, April 15 from

noon until 11:00 p.m on campus at the Old Java Quad located directly across from the Brewer Book Store at 92 Park Street. The event is free and open to the public.

Event parking will be in the J-Lot, directly across from the athletic facilities on campus - only a short walk from the outdoor venue. A campus map can be found at <http://www.stlawu.edu/campus-map>.

Stay tuned - more information regarding musical line-up to come!



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5 A cont.
8 Old fogey
12 Geometry measure
13 Born
14 Divisible by two
15 Soared
17 Choose the best
18 Japanese pond carp
19 With resolution
21 Twelve
24 Highway division
25 Saharan
26 Demonstrated, as when on strike
30 Chaps
31 Chess wins
32 Consumed
33 Sank a billiard ball
35 Caspian feeder
36 Addict
37 William Tell's target

38 Formosa, today

- 41 Annoy
42 — Major
43 Fined for speeding, e.g.
48 Indonesian island
49 High-arc shot
50 Basin accessory
51 Help in a crime
52 "Tasty!"
53 Annoyingly slow

- 11 Sans siblings
16 A billion years
20 Tattoo-parlor supply
21 Moist
22 Sandwich cookie
23 Brass component
24 Metric measure
26 Obviously
27 Rainout cover
28 Common Latin abbr.
29 Strike from the text
31 Smaller plateau
34 Persian Gulf nation
35 Maintenance
37 Noah's boat
38 Big brass instrument
39 Bedouin
40 — of Capri
41 Cold War weapon (Abbr.)
44 Debt notice
45 Pair
46 "A mouse!"
47 Parched

DOWN

- 1 Rowing tool
2 Sis' counterpart
3 Common Mkt.
4 Talked on and on
5 Opposed
6 Lawyer's payment
7 Clearly embarrassed
8 Edict
9 Egg
10 Farmer's home?

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Hearthstone: Another Blizzard Masterpiece, Inconceivable!

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Hearthstone was the result of a small group of veteran game developers at Blizzard Entertainment (makers of mega-hits World of Warcraft, Diablo, Overwatch, and Starcraft). Rather than relying on large teams of fifty or more, they formed Team 5, a small group of fifteen game development veterans, and charged them with coming up with something different...something unlike anything Blizzard had never done before. The team started work in 2008, and after multiple prototypes, they released their free online collectible card game to the public in 2014. After only three years they now have over fifty million players, over four times as many as World of Warcraft at its peak. And while the game is free to play, there are a variety of in-game microtransactions available to players. Blizzard's venture

continues to pay dividends, raking in over twenty million dollars per month.

While originally it was only available on OS X and Windows, it has since been ported to iOS and Android, with cross-platform play available. The game challenges players to put together themed decks of thirty cards, centered around nine possible heroes with different core powers. There are currently 1054 available cards, which are gained via leveling up your heroes, completing challenges, crafting, and purchasing card packs. At this point I have played the game for about three months, and have held firm to my resistance to purchase any microtransactions. Nonetheless, I have collected roughly one-third of the total cards, and my heroes range in level from 15 to 31. The game itself starts each hero with thirty health, with the winner being the player who knocks their

opponent down to zero or less health first. I play the game predominantly on my iPad, although I will play it on my computer from time to time. The iOS version of the game scored a 93/100 on Metacritic, and is in my opinion the top game available for the iPad. It boasts extremely high quality hand-crafted graphics, elegant animations, an intuitive user interface, and high quality audio (although I typically play with the volume off).

And while all of this is great, what I particularly like about the game is that at its core it really is a sophisticated one-on-one math challenge. Each minion card has core offensive and defensive statistics, as well as a number of possible bonus abilities. There are also a variety of spells you can cast, and it is not simply a quest to find the "best" cards, but rather to find the best combination of cards, cards that work together

er synergistically. The top players have constructed some very clever decks, and it is both in the construction, as well as the execution of tactics during gameplay, that ultimately determines your fate. And as there are no twitch elements (in Starcraft, for example, top players are measured by the number of "clicks per second" they can execute during gameplay), Hearthstone is the closest you will come to a pure Princess Bride style "Battle of the Wits." To keep track of your progress, the game infuses a player ranking system, rewarding players after each month-long season based on how high up the ladder you climb. It also boasts a more casual "Tavern Brawl" mode that is a little more rompy, and exposes players temporarily to new and rare cards. Overall Hearthstone is absolutely rock-solid, and Team 5 certainly succeeded in creating Blizzard's "next big thing."

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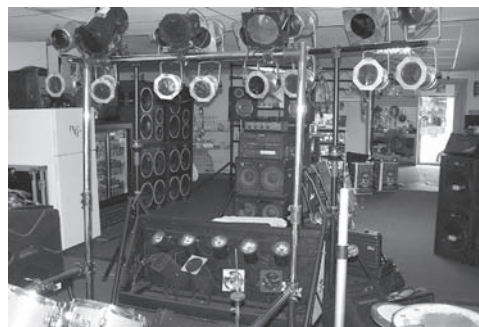
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My line of work has taken me all over the country which is one of the coolest parts of what I do. I've dined at the top of the Space Needle in Seattle and had an ice cream cone as I toured the Boldt Castle on an island in the middle of the St. Lawrence River. If you ever have the chance, get an oyster po'boy with your crawfish platter in the French Quarter or have a slice of the best Key Lime Pie you've ever had in Key West. Don't pass up an opportunity to get a panoramic view of St. Louis by going to the top of the Arch or get a taste of our history moving west in the museum below the Gateway. Oh, and you haven't lived until you've taken a ghost tour through Charleston or walked along the river in Savannah.

However, one of my favorite towns in all my travels is none other than the oldest city in America, St. Augustine, FL. This town is much more than a haven for the saltiest of pirates and the Fountain of Youth, it's a town spilling over with a colorful history. Part of this history includes the Standard Oil tycoon, Henry Flagler and his exclusive Ponce de Leon hotel. This hotel hosted a who's who of his day including such noted personalities as Mark Twain, Theodore Roosevelt and Babe Ruth. The dining hall alone is worth the tour just to see the stained glass windows which were designed by Louis Comfort Tiffany (yes, that Tiffany) which are valued in the millions.

Having heard story after story about this once exquisite hotel now known as Flagler College, the one which makes me laugh every time is about

light switches. Allow me to set this up for you. The Ponce de Leon sat on the forefront of luxury by providing electricity in each of the guest rooms. I know, that by itself makes one laugh because we expect this even in the seediest of accommodations. But this was different for them. First of all, this hotel was wired for lights by none other than Thomas Edison himself. Secondly, each room had a light switch enabling the guests to do away with the oil lamp and just turn a knob to illuminate their residence for the next three months.

There was one problem with this however, the guests were afraid of this new luxurious innova-



Vic Clevenger

tion. They were so frightened that Mr. Flagler was forced to hire locals whose only job was to turn on the lights for the guests. Can you believe this, afraid to turn on a light? Even trying to type this I am laughing because this must've been a sight to see. Can you even imagine being afraid of something new? Something so innovative?

I am sure you are still laughing as well think-

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Take a journey through the look, the sounds, and the feel of the times Wednesday, April 5 when Ogdensburg Command Performances presents Beehive, the 60s Musical. Through song, the six wailing women of Beehive document the dramatic changes that America underwent during the '60s with 43 wigs, 40 costumes, 25 cans of hairspray, and a very hot-hot band. Curtain time is 7:45 pm in George Hall Auditorium at Ogdensburg Free Academy; preshow chat at 6:45. For tickets [\$18 to \$40 with discounts for Seniors, Students, Groups of 15+, and "Friends"] call 315.393.2625 or visit ILoveTheatre.org

Audiences around the world are cheering this exciting and colorful salute to the women who made the music of the 1960s so special - everyone from Lesley Gore to Janis Joplin, from the Shirelles to Aretha Franklin, and everyone in between. Written by agent and playwright Larry Gallagher, Beehive, the 60s Musical includes over forty chart toppers and delivers a solid gold song book of famous hits...One Fine Day, My Boyfriend's Back,

ing, "Those people were afraid to turn on a light?! Bwahahaha" As tears of laughter stream down my face, I wonder what new innovation or idea am I'm afraid to try only to have my great-great grand-kids laugh at me for being such a scaredy-cat. So, the next time you are faced with something new or frightful, just remember this story and flip the switch.

Heat Wave, Where the Boys Are, Proud Mary, Natural Woman, Stop! In the Name of Love, Try Just a Little Bit Harder...to name a few!

Throughout the performance, big screens on the stage will flash relevant images...album covers and promo shots of the original girl groups with their cutesy poses, matching outfits, dresses to midknee, hair in actual beehives and flips...a small window on a world of history!

Here's what the critics said about Beehive:

"Burst with vocal talent and zany humor... one of the liveliest entertainments in town." -NY Times

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Crossword on page 8

— **King Crossword** —

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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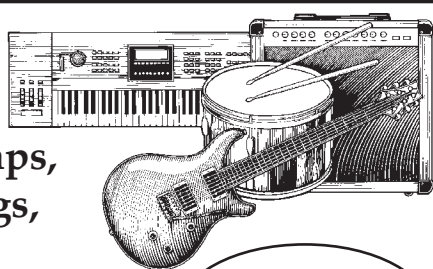
Flashback Quiz on page 6

FLASHBACK ANSWERS

1. Elton John, in 1972. The song didn't do well in the U.S., only hitting No. 41, but that hasn't stopped it from being widely covered. Mangled versions on the TV sitcoms "Friends" and "Will and Grace" changed the lyrics to "Hold me closer, Tony Danza."
2. The Ramones, in 1979. The song was written in a London motel room at Christmas, with nothing to do as everything was closed. Hence the name.
3. Mick Hucknall, who spent 25 years with the group.
4. As lead singers (Mark Volman and Howard Kaylan) for the Turtles, back in 1965.
5. "Those Oldies But Goodies," by Little Caesar & the Romans, in 1961. The group was originally called the Upronts, but change to the Romans once they hooked up with Little Caesar, sometimes wearing togas on stage.

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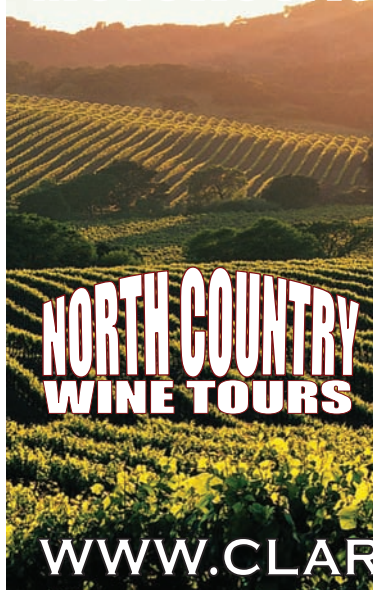
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