

**78<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL**

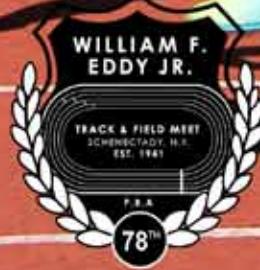
# **WILLIAM F. EDDY, JR.**

## **MEMORIAL TRACK & FIELD MEET**

**Saturday, May 19, 2018, Schenectady High School**



**FLEET FEET**  
*sports*



**new balance**

C U S H I O N E D  
F O R T H E  
L O N G  
R U N



**FLEET FEET**

*sports*

ALBANY + MALTA

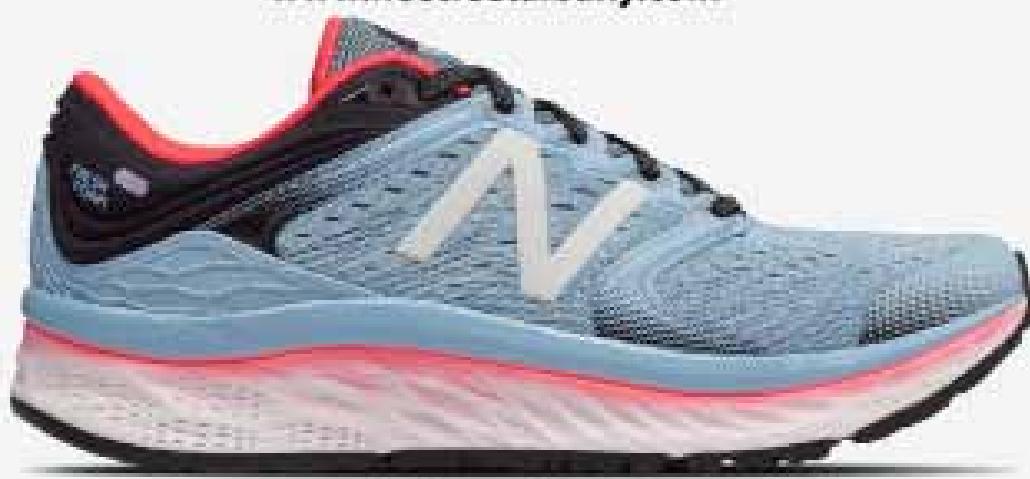
Fleet Feet Albany  
155 Wolf Road  
Albany, NY 12205  
518.459.3338

Fleet Feet Malta  
Rte. 9/Shops of Malta  
Malta, NY 12020  
518.400.1213

[www.fleetfeetalbany.com](http://www.fleetfeetalbany.com)

FRESH  
FOAM

1080



BEAUTIFULLY CUSHIONED RIDE



**new balance**



ENGINEERED TO WITHSTAND THE DISTANCE

**FLEET FEET**

*Sports*  
ALBANY • MALTA

**880v8**

Fleet Feet Albany  
155 Wolf Road  
Albany, NY 12205  
518.459.3338

Fleet Feet Malta  
Rte. 9/Shops of Malta  
Malta, NY 12020  
518.400.1213

[www.fleetfeetalbany.com](http://www.fleetfeetalbany.com)

A large, bold, black letter 'G' is positioned on the left side of the image, partially overlapping the word 'TEAM!' below it. It has a thick, rounded design.

# TEAM!

123 Rt 50 (Saratoga Road) • Socha Plaza • Schenectady, New York 12302  
(518) 399-3887

# INDEX

- |    |                                    |
|----|------------------------------------|
| 7  | Event Staff                        |
| 10 | PBA Executive Board                |
| 14 | Letter from the PBA                |
| 18 | Letter from Judge Matt Sypniewski  |
| 19 | Letter from Judge Mark Blanchfield |
| 20 | Armed Forces Day                   |
| 26 | Order of Events                    |
| 30 | Eddy Meet Records                  |
| 34 | 2016 Photos                        |
| 38 | History of the Eddy Meet           |
| 40 | Fallen Officers                    |
| 43 | Crime Prevention Tips              |
| 44 | Track Meet Patrons                 |
| 44 | Business Listings                  |
| 54 | Special Thanks                     |
| 55 | Score Sheet                        |

CHEVROLET SUPERSTORE

**DEPAULA**



*Come Join The Family!*®



THE CAPITAL DISTRICT'S ONLY 8-TIME  
CONSECUTIVE CHEVY DEALER OF THE YEAR

**#1**

**Volume Chevy Dealer  
in the Capitol Region for the  
3RD YEAR IN A ROW**

**DePaula.com**

785 Central Avenue, Albany  
(518)-712-7236

FIND NEW ROADS™

\*BASED ON MANUFACTURER'S NEW CAR SALES REPORTS FOR 2015 & 2016 AND ELITE LEADER SALES REPORT FOR 2017.

CHEVROLET





# 78th Annual William F. Eddy Jr. Track & Field Meet

## **Timing**

Leone Timing Services

## **Trophies/Medals**

Country Engravers  
Lees Trophies/Proforma  
William Gannon

## **Program by**

Kyle Derkowski  
Laura Derkowski

## **Photographer**

Chip Treacy

## **Meet Director**

Bradley Carlton

## **Meet Co-Chairs**

Jason Slingerland  
Bobby Young  
Kristin Florell  
Timothy Higgins  
Nick Mannix

## **Track & Field Officials**

Clerks: Chris Petersen  
& Bob Headwell

Starters: Paul Northrup  
& Dave Sammons

Finish Line: Tom Christopher

Shot Put: Alicia Arasim

Discus: Jason Kruger

Long Jump: Jim Foster

Triple Jump: John Ashley

Pole Vault: Carl Matuszek

High Jump: Walt Eaton

Carolyn Wilk

Dan MacGregor

Ray Van Epp



“If you’re not ready to fall, you’re not ready to hurdle.”  
—Tonie Campbell

# Centre Street



A Public House & Garden

308 Union Street  
Schenectady, NY 12308  
518-393-2337

*[www.centrestreetpub.com](http://www.centrestreetpub.com)*

# REFORM ARCHITECTURE





# PBA

## SCHENECTADY



### PBA Executive Board

**Peter J. Mullen**  
*President*

**Brian Whipple**  
*1st Vice President*

**Matt Dearing**  
*2nd Vice President*

**Kristin Florell**  
*Secretary*

**Robert Young**  
*Treasurer*

**Edward Ritz**  
*Inside Guard*

**Timothy Rizzo**  
*Chairman Trustee*

**Timothy Higgins**  
*Trustee*

**Nick Mannix**  
*Trustee*

### Fundraising

Tim Higgins  
Michael Randle  
Nick Mannix  
Sgt. Michael McLaughlin  
Bob Young  
Kristin Florell  
Pat Irwin  
Aaron Zampella  
Pat Verett  
Pete Verett  
Scott Bobrowich



# Free or low-cost health insurance.

**Find out if you are eligible today.\***

MVP Health Care® has a range of affordable, high-quality health plans available through the NY State of Health™ Marketplace.

- Free or low-cost New York State sponsored Medicaid Managed Care and Child Health Plus
- \$0 and \$20 premium Essential Plans
- Many individual and family plans

 Call **1-800-TALK-MVP** (825-5687)  
TTY: 1-800-662-1220

 Visit **mvphealthcare.com**



Look for MVP Health Care when applying for health insurance on the NY State of Health™ Marketplace. To learn more about applying for health insurance through The NY State of Health™, The Official Health Plan Marketplace, visit [nystateofhealth.ny.gov](http://nystateofhealth.ny.gov) or call **1-855-355-5777**.

Health benefit plans are issued or administered by MVP Health Plan, Inc.; MVP Health Insurance Company; MVP Select Care, Inc.; and MVP Health Services Corp., operating subsidiaries of MVP Health Care, Inc. Not all plans available in all states and counties.

\* Discounted rates are dependent on subsidy eligibility and are not available in all counties. Individual premium rate may vary.

PETER J. MULLEN  
*President*  
BRIAN WHIPPLE  
*1<sup>st</sup> Vice President*  
MATT DEARING  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President*  
KRISTIN FLORELL  
*Secretary*  
ROBERT YOUNG  
*Treasurer*

TIMOTHY RIZZO  
*Chairman Trustee*  
TIMOTHY HIGGINS  
*Trustee*  
NICK MANNIX  
*Trustee*  
EDWARD RITZ  
*Inside Guard*



*Founded  
In 1911*

*Strength In  
Unity*

POST OFFICE BOX 460, SCHENECTADY, NY 12301-0460

Dear Friends,

The 2018 William F. Eddy Jr. Memorial Track Meet Committee and the Schenectady P.B.A. welcomes you here today for our 78<sup>th</sup> annual track meet. It is an honor to carry on a tradition started by The Schenectady P.B.A. in 1941. Over the many years, the Eddy Meet has continued to be one of the most competitive events in the Northeast and offers some of the best talent for track and field events.

The 2018 Eddy Meet would like to thank the many volunteers and sponsors for their countless hours and personal sacrifices that make this great meet possible. Many local businesses and community members have contributed throughout the years helping to make the meet successful year after year.

The 2018 William F. Eddy Jr. Memorial Track Meet Committee along with the Schenectady P.B.A. commends the many young athletes here today as they display their personal talents and diligence to succeed. The best of luck to all athletes and hope to have some record-breaking moments at this year's meet! The P.B.A. hopes that you find this to be an exciting event and that you join us again next year.

The 2018 William F. Eddy Jr. Memorial Track Meet Committee,

Jason Slingerland  
Bobby Young  
Kristin Florell  
Timothy Higgins  
Nick Mannix



We're All About Food.  
We're All About Savings.  
We're All About You.



TUNE UP • OIL CHANGE  
BRAKES • A/C SERVICES  
EXHAUST • STRUTS & SHOCKS  
AXLE • HEAD GASKETS

INSURANCE  
ESTIMATES

# AMP AUTO BODY & REPAIR INC.

JAZZ MOTOR CORP.

Expert in  
**FOREIGN & DOMESTIC  
COLLISIONS, REPAIRS &  
N.Y. STATE INSPECTIONS  
CUSTOM MUFFLERS**

**1301 ALBANY STREET  
SCHENECTADY, NY 12304**

**OFFICE: 518.382.1120  
FAX: 518.382.1550**



RADIATORS  
BELT & HOSES  
ALTERNATORS & STARTERS  
PAINT CARS, TUCKS & SUV

ALL WORK  
GUARANTEED



2018 EDDY MEET



**FOOD & SPIRITS**

**(518) 399-8401 • [www.tjsflightlinepub.com](http://www.tjsflightlinepub.com)**

**Pizza • Sandwiches  
Salads • Soups**

**Monday - Friday • 11:30am  
Saturday & Sunday • Noon**

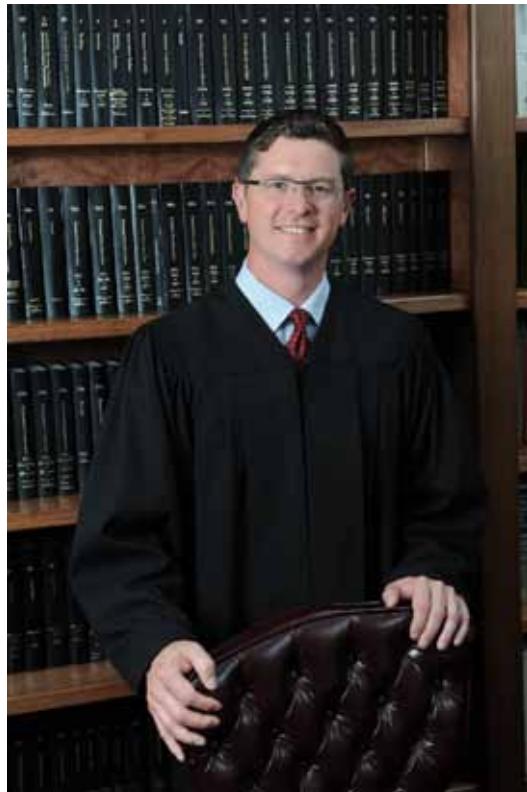
*No separate checks please.*

Peter J. Mullen, President  
Schenectady PBA

Dear President Mullen:

I want to commend the Schenectady Police Benevolent Association and its many volunteers for continuing their 78 year commitment to organizing the "Eddy Meet," New York's premier high school track & field competition. Good luck and congratulations to all our 2018 student-athlete participants!

Schenectady County Court Judge Matt Sypniewski  
Schenectady High School Class of '93



Dear President Mullen:

It is with great pleasure that I join you and your PBA membership in welcoming the finest track and field competitors to this year's William F. Eddy Meet.

The Eddy Meet has provided so many high school athletes the opportunity to showcase their talents and enjoy the spirit of competition. It has been a regular stop for college coaches looking for athletes that can compete at the highest collegiate levels. Of course, it has also been a "must see" for so many fans of high school track and field.

Just as importantly, the Eddy Meet has been a great example of the Schenectady Police Benevolent Association's commitment to our community and to the young people that will eventually lead us into the future.

Please thank all of your PBA members, present and past, for all their dedication to this annual event.

And a special thanks goes out to Director Carlton and to all the volunteers, without whom this year's Eddy Meet would not be the success that we know it will be.

Very Truly Yours,  
Judge Mark W. Blanchfield  
Schenectady County Family Court Judge



# ARMED FORCES DAY

SATURDAY MAY 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2018



IN HONOR OF ARMED FORCES DAY WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL OF OUR BRAVE MEN AND WOMEN WHO ARE CURRENTLY SERVING OR HAVE SERVED IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY BRANCHES.

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF THE SCHENECTADY POLICE DEPARTMENT WHO HAVE SERVED AND ARE SERVING OUR COUNTRY WHILE SERVING THEIR COMMUNITY AS ACTIVE PATROLMEN:

DET. TOM ADACH  
PTL. DUANE BECHAND  
DET. NICHOLAS CONTOMPASIS  
PTL. SEAN CLIFFORD  
PTL. MICHAEL CROUNSE  
PTL. ANDREW DANNIBLE  
PTL. ROSS FLOOD  
PTL. STEVEN FLOOD  
SGT. WILLIAM FOWLER  
DET. MATTHEW HASKIN  
PTL. PATRICK IRWIN  
PTL. AARON LANG  
DET. JOSE LOPEZ  
SGT. DARYL MALLARD

PTL. KEVIN MALONEY  
PTL. B. MANCINO  
LT. MARK MCCRACKEN  
PTL. YONI MOSKOW  
PTL. STEVE NELSON  
PTL. CHRISTOPHER NORTH  
DET. ERIC PETERS  
PTL. J. PETERS IV  
PTL. BRIAN POMMER  
PTL. MICHAEL POMMER  
PTL. CORY SHIELDS  
PTL. RICHARD VERZONI  
PTL. ZAC WEAKLEY  
PTL. MARK WEEKES



“ Today let us, as Americans, honor the American fighting man. For it is he--the soldier, the sailor, the Airman, the Marine-- who has fought to preserve freedom. It is his valor that has given renewed hope to the free world that by working together in discipline and faith our ideals of freedom will always prevail. ”

Admiral Forrest P. Sherman

# SCHENECTADY VETERANS OF WWII • KOREA • VIETNAM

---

Honoring the men and women of the United States Armed Forces

---

718 UNION STREET  
SCHENECTADY, NY 12305



# **ORDER OF EVENTS**

## **PRELIMINARY EVENTS BEGIN AT 9:00 A.M.**

	<b>Minimum Standards</b>
1. Girls 400-Meter Relay Semi (8 Fastest to Finals) .....	55.00
2. Boys 400-Meter Relay Semi (8 Fastest to Finals).....	47.00
3. Girls 100- Meter Hurdles Semi (8 Fastest times advance to finals).....	16.2
4. Boys 110-Meter High Hurdles Semi (8 Fastest times advance to finals).....	17.10
5. Boys 100-Meter Dash Trials (8 Fastest times advance to finals).....	11.30
6. Girls 100-Meter Dash Trials (8 Fastest times advance to finals).....	13.10
7. Girls 3200-Meter Relay .....	10:00
8. Boys 3200-Meter Relay .....	10:00
9. Girls 200-Meter Dash Semi (8 Fastest times advances to Finals).....	27.6
10. Boys 200-Meter Dash Semi (8 Fastest times advances to Finals).....	23.45

## **FINAL EVENTS**

	<b>Minimum Standards</b>
1. Boys 110-Meter Hurdles	
2. Girls 100 Meter High Hurdles	
3. Boys 100-Meter Dash	
4. Girls 100-Meter Dash	
5. Girls 800-Meter Non-Seeded (2 Sections)	
6. Girls 800-Meter Run	
7. Boys 800-Meter Non-Seeded (2 Sections)	
8. Boys 800-Meter Run	
9. Girls 400-Meter Dash (6 Sections by Time).....	01:02
10. Boys 400-Meter Dash (6 Sections by Time).....	52.00
11. Boys 400-Meter Int. Hurdles (6 Sections by Time).....	01:02
12. Girls 400-Meter Int. Hurdles (6 Sections by Time).....	01:12.6
13. Girls 400-Meter Relay.....	55.00
14. Boys 400-Meter Relay .....	47.00
15. Girls 1500-Meter Run Non-Seeded	
16. Girls 1500-Meter Run Seeded	
17. Boys One Mile Run Non-Seeded	
18. Boys Invitational One Mile Run	
19. Girls 200-Meter Dash	
20. Boys 200-Meter Dash	
21. Girls 3000 Meter Run Non-Seeded	
22. Girls 3000 Meter Run Seeded	
23. Boys 3200 Meter Run Non-Seeded	
24. Boys 3200 Meter Run Seeded	
25. Girls 1600-Meter Relay (Sections by time).....	04:15
26. Boys 1600-Meter Relay (Sections by time).....	03:33

# ORDER OF EVENTS

## FIELD EVENTS BEGIN AT 9:00 AM

(ALL FIELD EVENTS FLIGHTS – 3 JUMPS – 3 THROWS – MORE IN FINALS, BEST 9 GO TO FINALS)

	<b>Minimum Standards</b>
1. Pole Vault- Starts 9:30 AM (Girls Pole Vault followed by Boys).....	9' / 12'
2. Boys Discus- Starts at 9:30 AM.....	130'
3. Girls Shot Put- Starts at 9:30 AM.....	31'
4. High Jump- Starts at 9:30 AM (Girls High Jump followed by Boys).....	4'10" / 6'
5. Girls and Boys Long Jump (flights).....	19' / 15'
6. Boys Shot Put.....	45'
7. Girls Discus.....	90'
8. Girls and Boys Triple Jump (flights).....	40' / 32'

We will be using flights this year.

## OPENING HEIGHTS WILL BE THE FOLLOWING (BASED OFF THE STANDARDS):

Boys High Jump- 5' 8"

Boys Pole Vault- 11' 0"

Girls High Jump- 4' 6"

Girls Pole Vault- 6' 6"







# KIA

## FUCCILLO KIA OF SCHENECTADY

3900 STATE STREET • SCHENECTADY, NY 12304 • 518-847-0800

Hours: MON-FRI 9AM-8PM, SAT-SUN 9AM-6PM

[FuccilloKiaSchenectady.com](http://FuccilloKiaSchenectady.com)

WARRANTY IS LIMITED POWERTRAIN WARRANTY. FOR DETAILS, SEE RETAILER OR GO TO KIA.COM

### NEW 2017 KIA OPTIMA EX HYBRID PLUG-IN

LEASE FOR  
**\$199**

/MONTH  
FOR 36 MONTHS!  
TOTAL AMOUNT  
DUE AT SIGNING:  
\$1,249.00

STK# 72722. MSRP: \$36,250.



2017 KIA OPTIMA EX HYBRID PLUG-IN \$199/month lease is for 36 months at 10,000 miles per year. \$0.20 per mile over 30,000 miles due from customer at lease end. MSRP: \$36,250. \$1,249.00 due at signing. Amount due at signing includes first monthly payment of \$199. \$199/month payment structure includes tax, tags, DMV fees, \$650 acquisition fee and \$12,249.00 Kia Lease Cash; \$1,100 NYS Drive Clean Incentive (Factory incentives expire soon and are subject to change). Tax rate based on 8%. No Security Deposit required. Customer responsible for maintenance, repairs and excess wear and tear. \$400 Disposition Fee. No Early Termination fee. Pricing available upon approved credit through Kia Motor Finance. Prior sales excluded. See dealer for details. Pricing available from May 1, 2016 through May 31, 2016.

**NEED FINANCING? APPLY FOR PRE-APPROVAL AT:  
[HugeKiaCredit.com](http://HugeKiaCredit.com)**

# EDDY MEET RECORDS

## BOYS' RECORDS

**100 Yard Dash**- 09.6 seconds

Lilo Thomas, *Thomas Jefferson HS, Brooklyn, NY, 1975*

**100 Meter Dash**- 10.48 seconds

Jermaine Stafford, *Franklin HS, Rochester, NY, 1993*

**200 Meter Dash**- 21.33 seconds

Joe Carr, *Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake HS, Burnt Hills, NY, 2012*

**400 Meter Dash**- 47.22 seconds

Roger Hunter, *Thomas Jefferson HS, Brooklyn, NY, 1983*

**800 Meter Run**- 1:50.6

Mark Belger, *Mepham HS, Bellmore, NY, 1974*

**One Mile Run**- 4:09.92

Brain Rhodes-Devey, *Guilderland HS, Guilderland, NY, 2007*

**3200 Meter Run**- 9:06.78

Chris Stogsdill, *Marcellus HS, Marcellus, NY, 2009*

**110 Meter High Hurdles**- 13.7 seconds (13.90 FAT)

Joe Galeano, *Centerreach HS, Centerreach, NY, 1987*

**400 Meter Intermediate Hurdles**- 52.21 seconds

Jeff Reinhardt, *Whitesboro HS, Whitesboro NY, 1998*

**400 Meter Relay**- 41.8 seconds

Thomas Jefferson HS, *Brooklyn, NY (Lilo Thomas, Frank Moss, Larry Lathan, Bernard Nesby) 1975*

**800 Meter Relay**- 1:27.5

Boys HS, *Brooklyn, NY (Donald Johnson, Mark Buchanan, Ricky Jones, LaSalles Lewis) 1970*

Dewitt Clinton HS, *Bronx, NY (Howard Adams, Ricky Bloomfield, Brady Crain, Richard Massey) 1974*

**1600 Meter Relay**- 3:16.65

New Rochelle HS, *New Rochelle, NY (Ed Smith, Mike Batterman, Carl Johnson, Bruce Ward) 1984*

**3200 Meter Relay**- 7:47.39

Schenendehowa HS, *Clifton Park, NY (Ben Derkowski, Chris Jones, Dan Tebbano, Rob Cloutier) 1999*

**Distance Medley Relay**- 10.22.0

Walt Whitman HS, *South Huntington, NY (John Gargano, Don Lee, Don Baossardet, Rich Lippert) 1977*

**High Jump**- 7' 1½"

Dan Olson, *Albany Academy, Albany, NY, 2001*

**Pole Vault**- 15' 6"

Joel Carusone, *Guilderland HS, Guilderland NY, 1999*

**Long Jump**- 23 ft. 11¼ in.

Marvin Forde, *Uniondale HS, Uniondale, NY, 1993*

**Triple Jump**- 49 ft. 8 ½ in.

Kenneth McBryde, *Mount Vernon HS, Mount Vernon, NY, 1971*

**Shot Put**- 63 ft. 8 ½ in.

Ronald Taylor, *Canandaigua Academy, Canandaigua, NY, 1967*

**Discus Throw**- 198 ft. 10 in. \*New York State Record

Andy Bloom, *Niskayuna HS, Schenectady, NY, 1991*

**One Mile Walk** (No longer contested)- 6.22.3

Tim Lewis, *Shenendehowa HS, Clifton Park, NY, 1980*

# EDDY MEET RECORDS

## GIRLS' RECORDS

### **100 Yard Dash**- 12.30 seconds

Deborah Gibson, *Albany HS, Albany, NY, 1990*

### **100 Meter Dash**- 11.96 seconds

Keyon Soley, *Uniondale HS, Uniondale, NY, 1997*

### **200 Meter Dash**- 23.98 seconds

Kyle Plante, *Colonie HS, Colonie, NY, 2012*

### **400 Meter Dash**- 54.43 seconds

Kyle Plante, *Colonie HS, Colonie, NY, 2012*

### **800 Meter Run**- 2:08.96

Kim Certain, *Half Hallow Hills HS, Dix Hills, NY, 1986*

### **1500 Meter Run**- 4:32.81

Kelsey Chmiel, *Saratoga Springs HS, Saratoga Springs, NY, 2016*

### **3000 Meter Run**- 9:18.09 \*National Record - Sophomore Girls

Kelsey Chmiel, *Saratoga Springs HS, Saratoga Springs, NY, 2017*

### **100 Meter High Hurdles**- 14.09 seconds

Aviana Goode, *Bay Shore HS, Bay Shore NY, 2016*

### **400 Meter Intermediate Hurdles**- 59.95 seconds

Kyle Plante, *Colonie HS, Colonie, NY, 2010*

### **400 Meter Relay**- 47.36 seconds

Uniondale HS, *Uniondale, NY (Shelly Antoine, Shuana Quinn, Jatoya Moore, Keyon Soley) 1998*

### **800 Meter Relay**- 1:42.52

Bayshore HS, *Bayshore, NY (Precious Moore, Kelie Castro, Latrice Ewing, Shayna Stanton) 2001*

### **1600 Meter Relay**- 3:45.60

Bayshore HS, *Bayshore, NY (Danica Dupuy, Kellie Castro, Christine Williams, Shayna Stanton) 2001*

### **High Jump**- 5' 10"

Shelly Choppa, *Glens Falls HS, Glens Falls, NY, 1990*

### **Pole Vault**- 12' 6"

Alana Carroll, *Averill Park HS, Averill Park, NY, 2017*

### **Long Jump**- 19 ft. 11½ in.

Keyon Soley, *Uniondale HS, Uniondale, NY, 1997*

### **Triple Jump**- 39 ft. 5¼ in.

Marlene Ricketts, *Westbury, 2010*

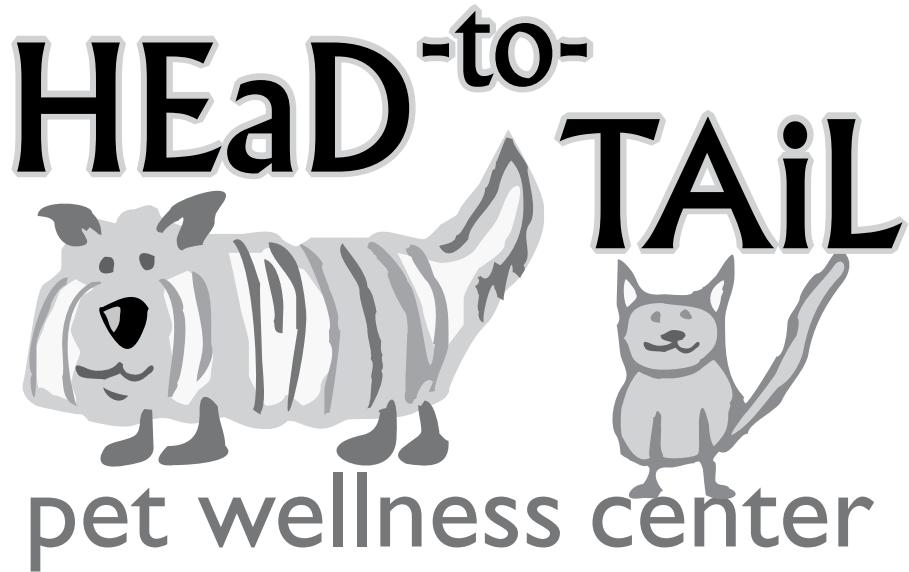
### **Shot Put**- 46 ft. 5 ½ in.

Dehsaya Williams, *Saratoga Springs, Saratoga Springs, NY, 1997*

### **Discus Throw**- 158 ft. 7 in.

Stacey Shroeder, *Grand Island HS, Grand Island, NY, 1992*





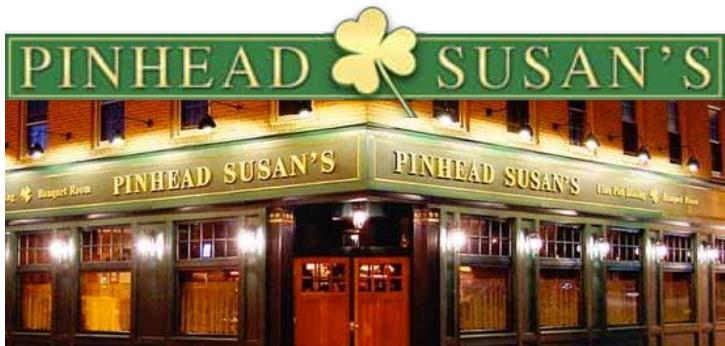
# HEAD-to-TAIL

pet wellness center

Complete grooming services for dogs & cats,  
day care adventure, spa treatments,  
holistic, natural & organic food & treats, toys,  
supplies, gifts, gourmet dog biscuits & love...

1604 Union St. Schenectady, NY 12309  
Welcoming appointments at 280-9898

We proudly carry...Holistic Select • Eagle Pack • Wellness • Orijen •  
Acana • Weruva • Natural Balance • FF • Tiki • Merrick • Dogswell •  
California Natural • Evo • Innova • Halo • Fromm • Bravo • Blue •  
Ziwi Peak • Stella & Chewy's • Dave's • Royal Canin • Solid Gold •  
Chicken Soup • Taste of the Wild • Nupro • HomeoPet • Davis •  
Frontline • Pet Naturals of Vermont • Earthbath • Tropiclean • Spa •  
PetzLife • PlaqClenz • Puppia/Pinkaholic • Lupine • Kong •  
Mighty Dog • Premier • Planet Dog • Spiffy Dog  
& other best quality brands...



**LITZ and LITZ, ESQS.**  
143 Clinton Street  
Schenectady, New York 12305  
PHONE: (518) 372-3329 FAX: (518) 372-3358

**Kenneth P. Litz, Esq.** **Joseph L. Litz, Esq.**  
[kplitz@litzandlitz.com](mailto:kplitz@litzandlitz.com) [jllitz@litzandlitz.com](mailto:jllitz@litzandlitz.com)  
**Renee L. Litz-Taylor, Esq.**  
[rllitz@litzandlitz.com](mailto:rllitz@litzandlitz.com)

*Family owned and operated since 1952*



Rinaldo DiLegge  
**R&J Auto Repair**  
Specializing in Foreign Automobile Repair  
Rinaldo DiLegge Inc

828 State Street  
Schenectady, N.Y. 12307  
(518) 372-4486  
(518) 688-1041 Fax

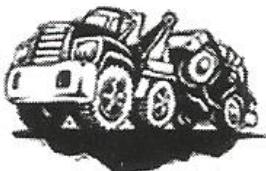


**Mike McDonald**  
(518) 348-7999  
[info@vandycklounge.com](mailto:info@vandycklounge.com)

[VanDyckLounge.com](http://VanDyckLounge.com) [MadJackBrewing.com](http://MadJackBrewing.com)

**H & K Towing**  
24-Hour Prompt, Professional Service

**Wheel-Lift • Flat Bed  
Exotic Car Transport**



533 Van Der Bogart St.  
Schenectady, NY 12308

90 Watervliet Ave.  
Albany, NY 12206

(518) 374-8374  
Fax (518) 374-3860

**MARINO'S**  
*Pizza  
and  
Restaurant*

1301 State Street, Schenectady

**346-6992**  
Sunday: 3pm - 11pm  
Monday - Thursday: 4pm - Midnight  
Friday - Saturday: 4pm - 1am

**OPEN LATE • CASH ONLY**

*Remembering...*

# THE 2017 EDDY MEET





# *DeMarco - Stone*

## FUNERAL HOME, INC.

---

*since 1921*



Independent Family Owned & Operated

1605 Helderberg Ave. • Rotterdam, NY 12306 • 355-5770

5216 Western Trnpke • P.O. Box 430 • Guilderland, NY 12084 • 356-5925

Email: demarcostone@nycap.rr.com  
Website: [www.demarcostonefuneralhome.com](http://www.demarcostonefuneralhome.com)



**Colonial**  
CAR WASH

*Keep it Clean ALL Year Long*

**Colonial Car Club**

30 Day Recurring Car Wash Club

**Unlimited Washes**

**One LOW Monthly Price\***

**[www.colonialcw.com](http://www.colonialcw.com)**

\*Prices subject to change

**SERVICE (Inside & Out) & EXPRESS Detailing**

**1587 State Street Schenectady (518) 382-0600**

**EXTERIOR AUTOMATIC**

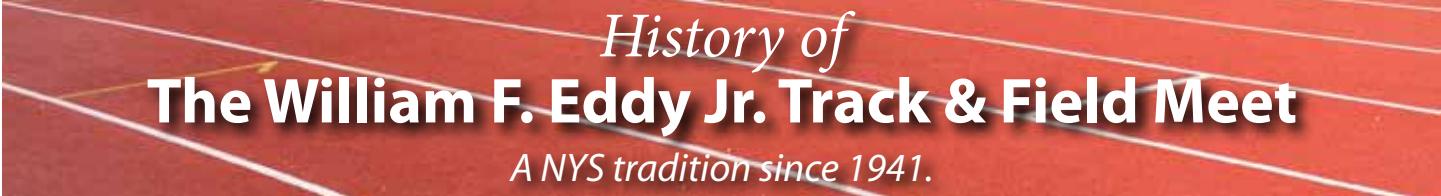
**1530 Altamont Ave. Rotterdam (518) 382-0600**

**1769 Western Ave. Guilderland (518) 382-0600**

**LASERWASH & SELF SERVICE BAYS**

**410 Nott Street Schenectady**

**1765 Western Ave. Guilderland**



# *History of*

# **The William F. Eddy Jr. Track & Field Meet**

*A NYS tradition since 1941.*

The Eddy Meet is one of the most competitive events on the east coast and offers some of the best competition for track and field events in the northeast. It attracts hundreds of top-level high school athletes from around the area. Much time and energy goes into organizing a tournament of this magnitude. It is one of the oldest and finest interscholastic track and field meets of its kind.

In 1940, then Schenectady Police Benevolent Association (PBA) President William Shirkey, along with his executive board, went to the membership with an idea of doing something special for the young people. A committee was organized to plan the event. The committee contacted William F. Eddy Sr., a local high school coach, who had a reputation for excellence, to help organize that first track meet. Bill Eddy would serve as Meet Director for the next 42 years.

The first meeting of this annual series was held on May 31, 1941 at the Mont Pleasant High School. Originally the Eddy Meet would be known as the PBA Field Day. The first meet attracted an outstanding host of athletes from 35 high schools with 546 runners taking part. The meet grew by leaps and bounds to the point that hundreds of schools from all over the Eastern Seaboard were competing. The meet grew so large that following the 1957 meet, State Officials refused to sanction out of state schools.

The Eddy Meet has been held as various locations within the City of Schenectady since 1941. The members of the PBA spent considerable time changing the grassy field at Mont Pleasant into the athletic field we know today. That first year, off duty police officers built a track at Mont Pleasant High School with picks, shovels, and wheelbarrows. Through combined efforts of the members of the PBA, the City Engineers office and the City Department of Public Works the track was resurfaced. All new jumping and vaulting pits were constructed, steel posts

were erected around the track and a high steel flag pole, which stood for many years, was raised on the eastern end of the field.

In 1942 the meet was moved to Union College and remained there until 1961. In 1962 the meet was transferred to a new track facility at Linton High School until 1969. In 1970, through the joint cooperation of the Schenectady Board of Education and the PBA, an all weather track was installed at Mont Pleasant High School. In 1982 the meet was moved back to the beautiful facility at Union College. Only one year in 2005 was the meet moved outside of Schenectady to Niskayuna High School because of scheduling conflicts. Since 2011 the event has been held at the recently renovated and state of the art track facility at Schenectady High School.

William Eddy, in failing health passed the meet directorship on to Peter MacKay. In turn Peter passed the reins on to Co-Meet Directors Larry Cottrell and Raymond Vacca. From 2009 to 2016, Sam Gonzalez, who competed several times in the meet, served as Meet Director. Finally, in 2017, Brad Carlton took the reins as Meet Director. Many of those police officers, athletic coaches and officials who worked the meet over the years have departed. We owe them and their fellow workers thanks for carrying on the tradition. It is through the unselfish efforts of these individuals that the William F. Eddy Jr. Annual Field Day, the prestigious event that it is.

As the years have passed, thousands of outstanding athletes have competed in these meets, and they represented the best in their events. Included in this list were hundreds of Sectional and High School Champions. Many have continued on in track and field events in all levels of college competition or have even joined the ranks of the Olympians. Some of their records still stand today. Regardless of the outcomes, the rewarding experience of striving to be better, faster, and stronger teaches valuable life lessons that make each athlete a winner.



...for after the meet.



# **SCHENECTADY POLICE DEPARTMENT**

## *Fallen Officers*

**Patrolman James A. Mynderse**

*End of Watch, March 31, 1900*

**Captain Albert L. Youmans**

*End of Watch, November 28, 1924*

**Patrolman Frank A. Quinlivan**

*End of Watch, September 15, 1925*

**Patrolman John R. Flynn**

*End of Watch, August 28, 1934*

**Patrolman John C. Sherman**

*End of Watch, August 22, 1941*

**Patrolman William J. Hickey**

*End of Watch, July 17, 1949*

**Lieutenant John J. Cummings**

*End of Watch, May 18, 1953*

**Patrolman William A. Koenige**

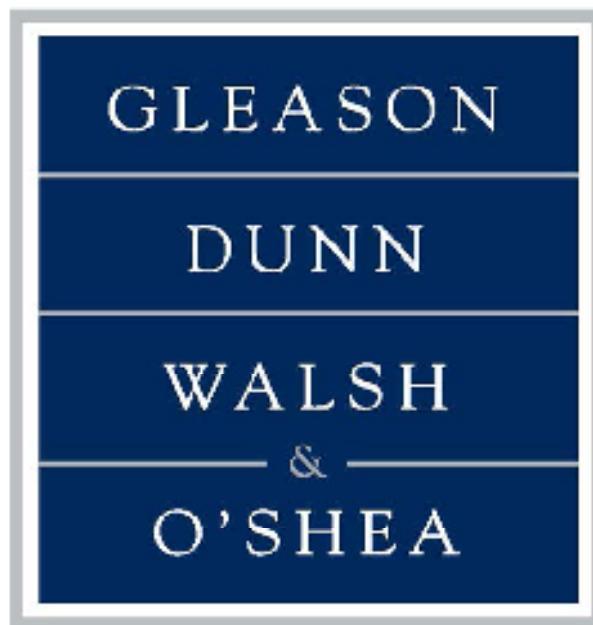
*End of Watch, February 12, 1979*

**Patrolman Eric J. Verteramo**

*End of Watch, April 11, 2004*

“ *Greater love hath no man than this,  
that a man lay down his life for his friends.* ”  
John 15:13

*Good luck to all the participants!!*



***Attorneys for the Schenectady PBA***

---

***Ronald G. Dunn***

***Mark T. Walsh***

***Michael P. Ravalli***

***Lisa F. Joslin***

***Richard C. Reilly***

***Brendan C. O'Shea***

***Thomas F. Gleason***

***Frank C. O'Connor III***

***Tammy L. Cumbo***

***Daniel A. Jacobs***

***Natalie S. Peterman***

***Brendan D. Sansivero***

***Danielle L. Pennetta***

***Christopher M. Silva***

**40 Beaver St.  
Albany, NY 12207**

**(518) 432-7511  
[www.gdwo.com](http://www.gdwo.com)**

**HAPPY HOUR**  
WEEKDAYS • 5-7PM  
FREE UPGRADES ON ALL GERMAN DRAFTS!

185 ERIE BLVD, SCHENECTADY • (518) 433-8517 • WOLFSBIERGARTEN.COM

## Good Luck!!!

To all the participants in this years 78th Annual William F. Eddy, Jr. Memorial Track & Field Meet. Stop into Ez Own Auto where we say Yes to all credit with our In-House Financing and low down payments.

[www.ezownauto.com](http://www.ezownauto.com)

Match your down payment up to!

**\$500**

Ez Own Auto  
533 Saratoga Rd Scotia, NY, 12302  
Tel: 518-384-Auto

**(518) 384-AUTO**



*Serving delicious  
Greek food!*



1725 Union St,  
Schenectady, NY 12309  
MON-SAT: 8am-3pm  
SUNDAY: 8am-2pm  
518-280-1600

DENTAL OFFICES, LLP  
1070 Nott Street  
Schenectady, NY 12308  
518-374-4118

*General Dentistry*

James L. DeLuke, DDS  
Donald A. Liebers, DDS  
Anthony Maiello, DDS

*Oral Surgery & Implants*

Bret Gelder, DDS, MD  
Christopher H. Reilly, DDS, MD



[www.dentalofficesllp.com](http://www.dentalofficesllp.com)

# CRIME

# PREVENTION TIPS

## What Crime is Committed?

Theft of property (any value) from a secured vehicle is Larceny. If damage is caused in the process an additional charge of Criminal Mischief is added. Both are Class A Misdemeanors. This charge is elevated to a Felony if the damage exceeds \$250.

## How Can Your Complacency Affect Crime?

The three elements needed to commit a crime are DESIRE, ABILITY, & OPPORTUNITY. Complacency creates opportunity and ability.

## What Items Are Most Commonly Stolen From Vehicles?

- Briefcases
- Cash
- Computers
- Cell phones (chargers)
- CDs and CD cases
- GPS Units (holder/charger)
- Garage Door Openers
- Gym Bags
- Jewelry
- Keys
- Purses
- Stereos and faceplates
- Tools
- Wallets (even if under seat or inside glove box)

## Steps You Can Take To Prevent Becoming a Victim

### Remove visible items from your vehicle!

If you leave items visible in your car, you are a target! Be aware that someone may be watching as you put a wallet, purse or cell

phone under your seat- especially at a gym. Take these items with you.

### Lock it up!

- Lock your vehicle and take your keys, even for quick errands.
- Lock the trunk, hatchback, or tailgate to block access into the car.
- Close all windows, including vent or wing windows and sunroofs.
- Buy an alarm and use it!



Most people believe that alarms no longer make a difference. However, they do remain an effective deterrent to a burglar. Criminals will choose the easiest target. If they have two cars to choose from- one with an alarm and one without- they will burglarize the one without.

**SCHENECTADY  
POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
Emergency  
**911**  
Non-Emergency  
**(518) 630-0911**

## Park safely!

- At home, park in your garage if you have one. Lock your car and all garage doors.
- Park in a well-lighted area.
- Check to see that your vehicle is visible from pedestrian and vehicular traffic.
- Avoid alleys.

## What You Can Do To Protect Your Property

### Install Lighting Controls

Install motion sensor or photocell lights on the exterior of your garage if you park in your driveway or on the street. Motion sensors will trigger your light to come on when it senses activity in the immediate area. Photocell lights will turn on at dusk and off at dawn automatically.

### Hide Indicators of Valuable Items

GPS and Cell Phone charges, GPS holders, and MP3 connectors all tell thieves to look inside your vehicle for hidden valuables!

### Important Information the Police Will Need

#### Vehicle Information

- License plate number
- Year
- Make
- Model
- Color

Item Information (stereo and/or electronic equipment installed in your vehicle)

- Make
- Model

# **BUSINESS SPONSORS**

**Hartz Family Cleaners**  
1714 Union Street  
Schenectady, NY  
(518) 374-6647

**I Love New York Pizza**  
1705 Union Street  
Schenectady, NY  
(518) 346-7272

**The Open Door Bookstore**  
128 Jay Street  
Schenectady, NY  
(518) 346-2719

**Orion Boutique**  
169 Jay Street  
Schenectady, NY  
(518) 346-4902

**Kelly Flanagin & Family**



---

*“Where What’s Best for You Matters Most.”*



*Serving the  
Capital District North Area  
for Over 30 Years*

**399-6808**

[www.suburbanservicesgroup.com](http://www.suburbanservicesgroup.com)

**Fully Automatic  
Generators**  
**Plus:**

*Service, Repairs, Upgrades,  
Replacement and:*

**Heating/Furnaces**

**All Plumbing  
Services**

**Radon Mitigation  
Systems**

**Air Conditioners**

**\$10 OFF ANY SERVICE WITH THIS AD  
CANNOT BE COMBINED**

*Jones Funeral Home, Inc.*

LET OUR FAMILY CARE FOR YOUR FAMILY

**BRIAN P. LANSLEY**  
OWNER

518-346-3881

JONESFH.NET

1503 UNION ST. SCHENECTADY, NY 12309

FUNERAL OR PRE-ARRANGEMENT COUNSELLING AVAILABLE



**2018 EDDY MEET**

# DeMarco's



## PIZZA & CATERING

**518-370-5222**

**301 Mohawk Avenue • Scotia, NY**





*[www.amedorehomes.com](http://www.amedorehomes.com)*

Dine In • Take Out • Delivery  
DELIVERY \$12 MINIMUM

*Luca's*

518-346-3130

547 Nott St.

Schenectady, NY 12308



Real Estate Services

JOHN DIGESUALDO  
Licensed Associate Real Estate Broker

Cell 518.281.5612

Office 518.370.3170

johndigesualdo@howardhanna.com

480 Balltown Road • Mohawk, NY 12304

## Marty's True Value Paint & Hardware

- Lawn & Garden
- Outdoor Power
- Automotive
- Electrical
- Plumbing
- Glass Cutting
- Screen Repair

1751 Van Vranken Ave.  
Schenectady, NY 12308  
518-372-2311

[Martystruevalue.com](http://Martystruevalue.com)

BEHIND EVERY PROJECT IS A  
**True Value.**



**AUTO PARTS**



**Schenectady Truck and Auto Supply Inc.**

67 Freemans Bridge Rd.  
Scotia, N.Y. 12302  
(518) 370-5600

Auto Parts  
Agriculture Parts  
Truck & Trailer  
Accessories

95 Dahlia St.  
Rotterdam N.Y. 12306  
(518) 393-2148

Paint & Body  
Electrical  
Lawn & Garden  
Marine

Hydraulic Hose  
Welding Supplies  
... and much  
MORE !!

*FLOWERS BY  
Randolph*

726 Michigan Avenue - Schenectady, NY 12303

Phone: (518) 374-1690

[www.Flowersbyrandolph.com](http://www.Flowersbyrandolph.com)

Albany • Schenectady • Clifton Park

**KOURAY AND KOURAY**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
525 STATE STREET  
SCHELENCTADY, N.Y. 12305

518-374-1200

518-374-7400

STEVEN X. KOURAY



**Charlie Palmer, Agent**  
CLU®

119 Mohawk Avenue  
Scotia, NY 12302-2247  
Bus 518 372 5539  
[charlie.palmer.cklw@statefarm.com](mailto:charlie.palmer.cklw@statefarm.com)  
[www.charliepalmerinsurance.com](http://www.charliepalmerinsurance.com)



*The greatest compliment you can give is a referral.*

*La Gioia*  
**ITALIAN DELI**

2003 Van Vranken Avenue, Schenectady, NY 12308  
(518) 372-2949

Specializing in Italian Products  
Catering & Party Platters Available  
Subs Made To Order Daily

Mon. - Fri. 8am - 6pm Sat. 8am - 4pm Closed Sunday

# Kidz Korner Child Care After School Summer Camp

## Guilderland Location

6 weeks—5 years

3770 Carman Road  
Schenectady, NY 12303

Daycare

**518-688-0895**

## After School & Summer Camp

6 yrs—12 yrs

**518-688-0450**

## Colonie Location

6 weeks—5 years

145 Vly Road  
Niskayuna, NY 12309  
**518-688-0470**

[www.KidzKornerChildCare.com](http://www.KidzKornerChildCare.com)

NOW

ENROLLING

\$ ORDER ONLINE FOR SAVINGS \$ [www.PAESANSPIZZA.com](http://www.PAESANSPIZZA.com)



DINE-IN • TAKE-OUT • DELIVERY

**ALBANY**

289 ONTARIO ST.  
518-435-0312

**COLONIE**

1892 CENTRAL AVE.  
518-464-0060

**EAST GREENBUSH**

273 COLUMBIA TPKE  
518-477-6612

**GUILDERLAND**

1785 WESTERN AVE.  
518-464-0725

**LATHAM**

636 NEW LOUDON RD.  
518-785-1104

**ROTTERDAM**

2513 GUILDERLAND AVE.  
518-631-6236

**FREE 2-LITER  
WITH A \$20 PURCHASE**



*The Eddy Meet Committee would like to thank the following businesses  
for their continued support and generosity...*

**Schenectady High School**

**Price Chopper**

**Coca-Cola**

Albany

**White Eagle**

**New Balance**

**Fleet Feet**

**Adirondack Beverages**

**MVP Health Care**

**Sam's Club**



# SCORE SHEET

# BENCHMARK AD