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DEC black bear file photo. This is not the bear involved in this week's campsite shutdown, capture and euthanization.

### Beware of bear ends in its death

"On Monday, July 6, DEC Forest Rangers and Wildlife staff trapped a nuisance bear that had been aggressively approach-

ing campers in the Lake Colden area of the Adirondack High Peaks over the past few weeks," Department of Environmental Conservation

spokesman David Winchell told The Chronicle Tuesday.

"Due to a documented escalation of the bear's aggressive behavior since 2018, DEC determined the bear was a threat to public

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# **Delayed since May 15,** opened as of June 26 The canal and locks are operational from Waterford to Comstock. **But still closed is Whitehall Lock 12,** for maintenance, said the NYS Canal Corporation. It said it's expected back into service on Aug. 10. The Whitehall lock connects the canal to Lake Champlain, the St. Lawrence Seaway and the world. Chronicle photo/Mark Frost

## So much news...

#### By Mark Frost

**Chronicle Editor** 

Holidays are typically slow news times, but not July 4th this

year. Here's some of what's happened in recent days.

 Covid 19 cases resumed. Warren County went weeks in June without new cases, but a flight from Florida resulting in three residents being found Covid positive started a daily drum-

beat of fresh diagnoses, one or two daily. The operator of an unidentified "personal care" business was diagnosed, causing 25 contacts, including 11 clients, to be contacted and quarantined.

- New York State imposed a 14-day quarantine on travelers from eight, then 16, now 19 states, as Covid cases soar from Florida to California and beyond.
- Warren County demanded that 'big box stores' Walmart, Lowe's and Home Depot in

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#### **Apologizes to 'people** of color'; 'profound impact' on them & him

Mark Frost,

This is Jeff York, a local real estate broker. I wanted to tell about a recent experience I have had.

After the killing of George Floyd I felt that I needed to do something meaningful. I started approaching any people of color that I encountered and saying, "I want to personally apologize for the outrageous treatment that people of color have received in this country. I will promise you that I will vote for any measure which will improve your personal safety and well being.'

Mark, I have to tell you that the reaction to my personal apology has been amazing. I have run into many people, particularly in Lake George, and the reactions have been overwhelming. Without exception,

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#### **On Chronicle's 40th** year: 'Paper positive even when discussing contentious issues'

To the Editor:

The short answer to why I read the Chronicle is to keep up on the news in the Glens Falls area, I suppose.

In terms of feedback, I would say that I enjoy the layout, the font is easy enough to read and not too small, and the color

photos are nice to view.

I feel the paper is overall very positive, even when discussing contentious issues.

There is a different spin than the *Post-Star* on the same information; the Chronicle seems more informational and willing to consider both sides and let the reader decide, rather than trying to intentionally make people angry or react in a certain way.

I often feel that the Chronicle Please turn to page 10



















