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No new movies; classics click at drive-in

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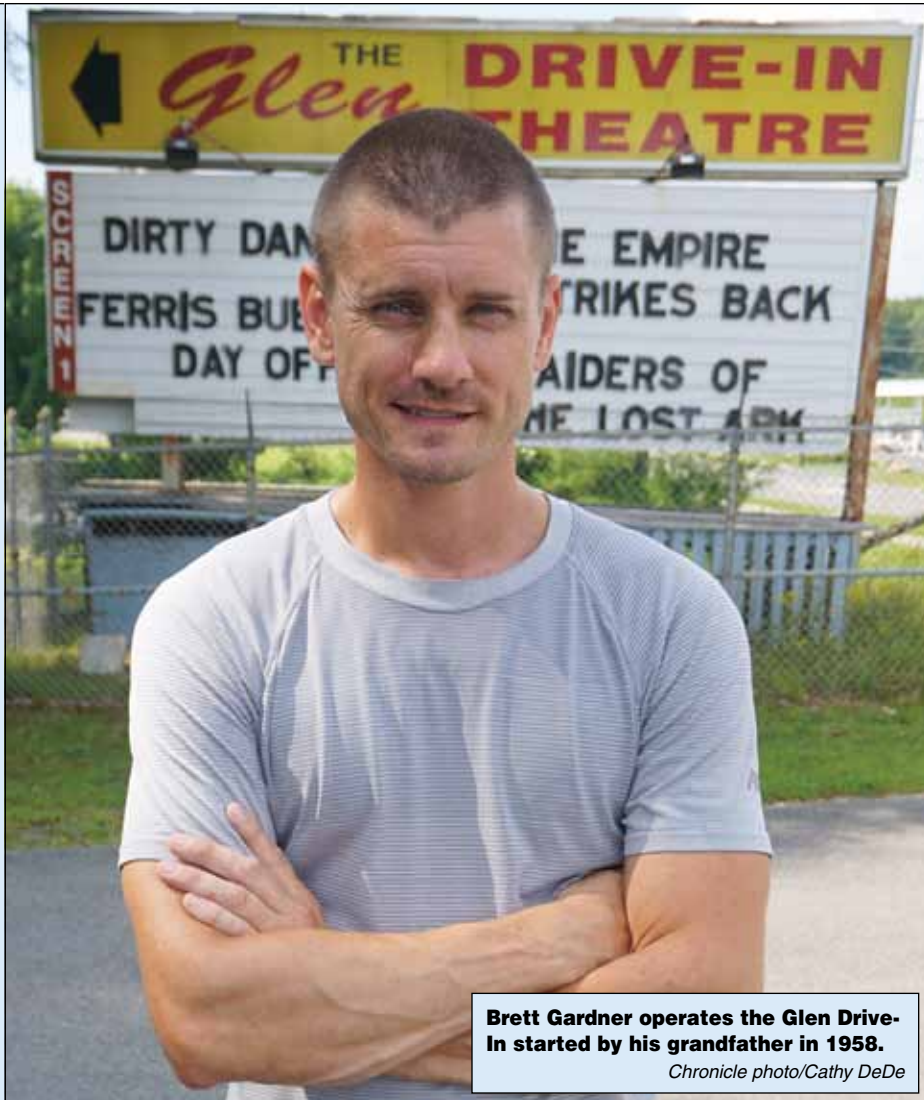
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The good news for the Glen Twin Drive-In in Queensbury is that drive-in movies are one of the few pandemic-allowed, crowd-drawing entertainments.

The bad news is that Hollywood studios aren't releasing any first-run hits that are the lifeblood of movie theaters.

"I was a little apprehensive with the older movies," **Brett Gardner**, 39, the third-generation owner of the Glen Drive-In, told *The Chronicle*.

But his fare of popular classics — *Back to the Future*, *Raiders of the Lost Ark*, *The*



Brett Gardner operates the Glen Drive-In started by his grandfather in 1958.

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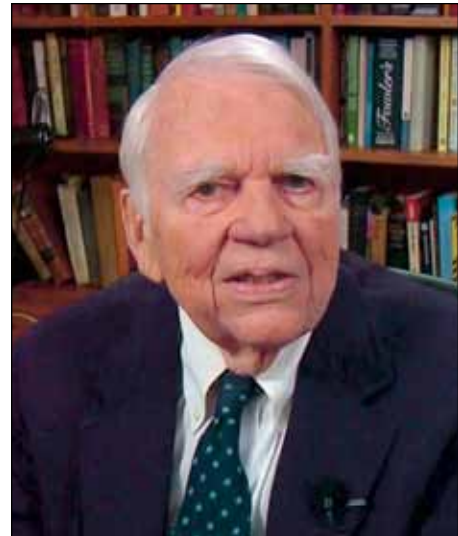
Empire Strikes Back, *Ferris Bueller's Day Off*, *Grease* and *American Graffiti* on a double header — is working.

"Attendance has been pretty good," Mr. Gardner says. "It

looks like we're going to be able to pay the bills and taxes and everything, and employees." He has 10.

"We did get a Payroll Protec-

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Andy wrote: gloomy on Lake George

For *Chronicle* Issue 100 in September **1984**, Mark Frost sought an interview with **Andy Rooney**, star commentator on CBS's *60 Minutes*

on CBS and former seasonal resident on the east side of Lake George. Here's his reply. (He died in 2011 at the age of 92.)

Dear Mark,

We don't get to The Lake much any more. We still own the place...but my sister's in it and we're more comfortable at a place we own in Rensselaerville. Any-

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Isom Bay observer: Another boat ends up on the rocks...

Mark,

Dan Pratt from Isom Bay here. Another true rock story. [Isom Bay is near Echo Bay on the east side of Lake George.]

The illogically marked & unforgiving Isom Bay Rocks once again does in another boat motor, stranding the occupants.

This is my first whole day at the Lake this year and boom, a familiar crashing sound of a

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Misses our Dining Magazine; offers his '3 Faves'

Hi Mark,

When I found out that *The Chronicle* would not be publishing its annual Summer Dining Guide this year, I was quite sad, as I have been contributing (and collecting those) for a decade. However, I am just relieved that *The Chronicle* is still publishing weekly and that it is as chock full of news and commentary as

ever!

I had been making notes throughout the year as to my top choices and I would like to offer them and hope you will consider publishing them. I would also encourage my fellow *Chronicle* readers to do the same in hopes of creating more positive community dialogue and helping our area restaurants during this pandemic.

My top 3 restaurants are: **Lizzie Keays in Warrensburg**, which I discovered during an event with the Warrensburg Historical Society. It has quickly

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