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Hannoush Jewelers comes to Queensbury

By Cathy DeDe
Chronicle Managing Editor

Hannoush Jewelers, which has stores on Wolf Road in Colonie and Route 9 in Clifton Park, has opened in Queensbury, at the former Louis Jewelers site on Route 9.

Brothers and co-owners **Albert and David Hannoush** purchased the property in December from **Louis Carciobolo**, who operated Louis Jewelers in the former Sutton's complex.

They opened on April 21, and plan a grand opening with ribbon cutting Thursday, June 13.

David Hannoush spoke to the *Chronicle*. He didn't reveal their

Third store for Albany based-biz



Hannoush Jewelers comes north — David Hannoush and his brother Albert own Hannoush Jewelers. He is pictured with **Jennifer Carusone**, manager of the new Queensbury location on Route 9, in the former Sutton's complex. *Chronicle photo/Cathy DeDe*

purchase price, but said they put about "a half-million dollars" into a complete interior redo at the 4,000 square foot store. He termed it "a significant investment because we're going to be here for a long time."

Mr. Hannoush said Mr. Carciobolo contacted them last September with his plans to retire, and again in December. "My brother and I weren't

thinking about opening a location or expanding," Mr. Hannoush says. But after the second call, "We took a drive up and visited." He said of Mr. Carciobolo, "We had a lot of similar views on the industry, how to take care of the customer, building relationships. My brother and I definitely recognize that this is a growing

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Cedar waxwings dead in City Park

Alerted by a trusted *Chronicle* source, we asked the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation about a die-off of birds last weekend in City Park.

It confirmed, "DEC's Division of Wildlife received a report on May 4, regarding approximately **20 to 30 cedar waxwing birds found deceased in front of Crandall Library** in the city

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Cornell Lab website All About Birds

Q&A: View of campus protests

By Mark Frost
Chronicle Editor

This week's Question to Chronicle digital subscribers was **What do you think of the protests going on at many colleges?**

Answer: Columbia college has assets of over 18 billion dollars and Harvard has assets of over 80 billion dollars. No college students have the right to fly a Palestine flag, take over college buildings and make other students afraid to go to their class. The federal and state govern-

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Painting, courtesy of Shane Newell

Supervisors now balk at \$1-million to fund Joseph Warren Museum ▶ 13

Tick boom!

By Ben Westcott
Chronicle Staff Writer

At a Johnsburg Town Board meeting, Councilman Paul Heid mentioned that this is the worst year for ticks he's seen.

It prompted *The Chronicle* to reach out to **Holly Ahern, Associate Professor of Microbiology at SUNY Adirondack, who has put a focus on Lyme Disease.** She "strongly" agrees with Mr. Heid's assessment. "There is definitely an

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Mild winter adds to Lyme danger

Lucky Puppy in Argyle

By Ben Westcott
Chronicle Staff Writer

Since opening in 2019, Lucky Puppy Great Beginnings Adoption Center in Argyle said it has placed approximately 2,000 dogs in safe, loving homes.

The dogs come from the western Florida panhandle. **Lucky Puppy Rescue was founded in Bonifay, Florida in 2008** at a 125-acre family farm.

How its adoption center ended up at 511 Pleasant Valley Road in Argyle starts with some Saratoga Springs snowbirds who wintered in Florida. They volunteered at Lucky Puppy, eventually bringing some pups back.

Founder Teri Mattson says, "We would ship up a few dogs at

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