

Locals handle Snoopy balloon, Macy's parade

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While many of us are tuning into the 99th Macy's Thanksgiving Parade on NBC, the Caimano family of Queensbury, dressed in matching coveralls, will be helping guide Snoopy down Sixth Avenue.

Matt and Judy Caimano, their grown children **Sarah** (with boyfriend Sam Libby) and **Ross** (with girl-

Caimanos of Qby; role of Abby, 2020 grad who landed 'dream job' with Macy's



friend Savannah Bond) got their final assignment last week.

"We're on the Beagle Scout Snoopy balloon, the most iconic balloon in the parade," Matt Caimano tells *The Chronicle*. Ironically, the only im-

mediate family member not on the ropes is **Ross's twin sister Abby**, who **actually works for Macy's** and got the family "in."

Abby Caimano, a 2020 Qby grad and former "theater kid," says her interest in backstage work led to a dream gig at Ma-

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Jerad Ross at O'Malley's Log Grill

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Solar & the birds in Fort Edward

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Boralex, the Canada-based renewable energy producer, **plans to build a 100 megawatt solar power facility on 530 acres leased from about 30 private land owners** in Fort Edward.

The Schuylerville-based not-for-profit, **the Grassland Bird Trust**, **claims it will be "disastrous" to birds** and wants more acreage preserved than is planned or required.

In an Oct. 31 press release, the Trust said it "supports renewable energy and did not attempt to stop this project" but has

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Big doings for 'Knox Train'

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From Dec. 4-13, Henry Knox's 'Noble Train of Artillery' will be celebrated as part of the nation's 250th Anniversary of the American Revolution.

In the winter of 1775, Knox — a 25-year-old bookseller — led the way in transporting 60 tons of cannon from Fort

As U.S. marks our 250th, key event in the Revolution went from here

Ticonderoga to Boston.

Their arrival **'changed the tide of the Revolution,'** Fort Ticonderoga writes, **'freeing Bos-**

ton from a nearly year-long siege by the British.'

"When the fight for independence broke out, Henry Knox was just 25 years old with a passion for military science and a deep belief in the cause of liberty," says Saratoga County's 250th Anniversary American Revolution website.

"What Knox lacked in formal

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