



# WOMEN'S CLUB NEWSLETTER

## From the President. . .

Our 71<sup>st</sup> year has begun!

Our New Member Reception was a huge success. We welcomed many new members to our Club. The tour of the "Brain Museum" was fabulous, along with the refreshments, and informational presentations from our activities representatives. Thank you to Julia Cohan and Kim O'Donnell for this wonderful reception. By the time you read this message our Fall Luncheon will have taken place at the Orchard Park Country Club. Thanks to Andrea Borgioli, Barbara Kaye and Beth Hornung for chairing this event.

Please mark your calendars for our events listed in the tri-fold, watch the newsletters and your e-mail for more information on the events. Now that the Ramada will be closed as of September 30<sup>th</sup> we have had to find new venues to hold some of our events. Please watch for the new locations on the reservation forms!

I'm looking forward to another great year! Remember, UB students benefit from all of our events!  
Betty Schaertel

### NEW MEMBER RECEPTION

The first event in our 71<sup>st</sup> year of the UBWC was the New Member Reception held on August 23<sup>rd</sup> in the Atrium of the Biomedical Education Building on the UB South Campus. We extend special thanks to Julie Cohan and Kim O'Donnell for successfully organizing a wonderful reception for our new members. Approximately 50 UBWC members attended, 15 of whom were new members. Dr. Christopher Cohan conducted a very interesting tour of the Brain Museum and answered a multitude of questions. We also thank the members who brought delicious treats to share. After the tours were completed, several members shared information about our various Activity Groups to the new members. What a wonderful way to start off our new year.  
Debra Berger  
Vice President

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

**October 23 (Sunday)..... 6:00 pm**

**INTERNATIONAL FEAST:** German

*Location:* Rizzotto Ristorante, 930 Maple Road, Williamsville

*Co-Chairs:* Alice Russ, Carol Greiner

**November 10 (Thursday).....2:00-4:00 pm**

**BUFFALO FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUB TEA**

*Location:* Buffalo State President's Home, 152 Lincoln Pkwy, Buffalo

*Co-Chairs:* Buffalo Federation of Women's Clubs

**December 2 (Friday).....11:30 am**

**HOLIDAY LUNCHEON AND POINSETTIA DISTRIBUTION**

*Location:* Banchetti by Rizzos, 550 North French Rd, Amherst

*Co-Chairs:* Phyllis Staslowski, Linda Eaton (Luncheon)  
Beth Hornung, Ellie Grieco (poinsettia Distribution)

**February 3 (Friday) .....6:00 pm**

**DINNER AND WINE TASTING**

*Location:* The Fairdale Banquet Center, 672 Wehrle Dr. Amherst

*Co-Chairs:* Luella Kenny, Pat Pogodzinski, Debra Berger

**March 12 (Sunday) ..... 6:00 pm**

**CHINESE BANQUET**

*Location:* Golden Duck Restaurant, Williamsville

*Co-Chairs:* Jill Lucci, Debbie Loccke

**March 29 (Wednesday).....7:30pm**

**DIVA by DIVA**

*Location:* Park School, 4625 Harlem Rd, Amherst

*Co-Chairs:* Marilyn Ciancio, Linda Lee Sciortino

**April 29 (Saturday).....11:00 am**

**ELECTION LUNCHEON AND FASHION SHOW**

*Location:* Banchetti by Rizzos, 550 North French Rd, Amherst, NY

*Co-Chairs:* Betty Schaertel, Debbie Berger,

**May 18 (Thursday) .....noon-5 pm**

**SPRING FLOWER DISTRIBUTION**

*Location:* Banchetti by Rizzos Grove, 550 North French Rd, Amherst, NY

*Co-Chairs:* Betty Schartel, Ethel Enserro

**May 20 (Saturday) ..... 11:30 am**

**SPRING LUNCHEON & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**

*Location:* Russell's, 6675 Transit Rd, Williamsville

*Co-Chairs:* Jane Meka, Nancy Albano

**NOTE: Board meetings will start at 6:30 PM all year.**

**Buffalo Federation of Women's Clubs:**

The Buffalo Federation of Women's Clubs (BFWC) will be holding a fabulous Fashion Show, "PUTTING ON THE RITZ" on Saturday, October 1, 2016 at Salvatore's Italian Gardens. Doors open at 10:30 AM with Lunch at 12:00 PM. Menu: Chicken Picata, Salmon with Dill Sauce, or Roasted Veggies with Orzo.

Fashions from the Jacqueline Shop; Elegant Vintage Gowns by Dr. Ellen DeWind; Furs by Russell's; and Children's Fashions from The Children's Place.

There will be a huge Basket Raffle, Share the Wealth, Wine Basket Raffle and Table Prizes.

\$32.00 per adult - pre-paid reservations only. RSVP by September 24th. Make checks payable to BFWC indicating menu choice and mail to: Terry Lisowski, 111 Messer Ave., Depew NY 14043.

NOTE: All members of UB Women's Club are automatically members of the Buffalo Federation of Women's Clubs. Please attend any of our monthly luncheons or special events!

Any questions, please call Marcia Sickau, UBWC/BFWC Liaison, 472-6412 or email me [atmsickau@buffalo.edu](mailto:atmsickau@buffalo.edu)

**Craft Group:**

The Craft Group meets the fourth Monday of the month at a member's home. We do crafts that are seasonal or of interest to the members. Light refreshments are served. The dues are \$3 per year. The following crafts will be done this year:

September 26-Red felt ice skate Ornaments for the Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural Site to sell at their Holiday Event.

October 24 Continue with Ornaments

If you would like to join this group contact Lona Allendoerfer at 688-1734 or email at [lona.allendoerfer@gmail.com](mailto:lona.allendoerfer@gmail.com).

**Mah Jong Group**

Our group meets at Congregation Shir Shalom at 4660 Sheridan Drive in Williamsville every week, alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:00. Light refreshments are served, and we take turns acting as hostess. Experienced players are welcome to join us (but please let us know if you are coming).

We offer lessons for new players in the fall (beginning sometime in October).

For more information, contact Kim O'Donnell at 939-2288 ([kim3737@gmail.com](mailto:kim3737@gmail.com)) OR Susie Siegel ([shosh1946@aol.com](mailto:shosh1946@aol.com)).

**Tri-Fold Corrections**

After our Tri-Fold went to the printer, we received notification that the Ramada Hotel & Conference Center would be closing down as of October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

Consequently, four of our events scheduled to be held at the Ramada had to be rebooked at new venues. The dates, times and chairpersons remain the same. Please note these changes of venues:

HOLIDAY LUNCHEON & POINSETTIA DISTRIBUTION (Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> 11:30 AM)

New Location: Banchetti by Rizzo's, 550 N. French Rd., Amherst

DINNER & WINE TASTING (Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> 6:00 PM)

New Location: The Fairdale Banquet Center, 672 Wehrle Dr., Amherst

ELECTION LUNCHEON & FASHION SHOW (Apr. 29<sup>th</sup> 11:00 AM)

New Location: Banchetti by Rizzo's, 550 N. French Rd., Amherst

SPRING FLOWER DISTRIBUTION (May 18<sup>th</sup> 12:00-5:00)

New Location: Banchetti by Rizzo's Grove, 550 N. French Rd., Amherst

Please take a moment to make these changes in your tri-folds, so you won't miss out on any of these wonderful events.

Debra Berger  
Vice President

**Needlework Group:**

The Needlework Group meets the third Thursday of the month at a member's home. We do any type of needlework including embroidery, knitting, etc. Light refreshments are served. Our next meeting will be on October 20. If you would like to join this group, contact Lona Allendoerfer at 688-1734

# ACTIVITY GROUPS

**COORDINATORS:** Shirley Barone (662-5063) Elizabeth Hornung (662-5545)

**ART APPRECIATION:**

*Meets last Friday/month.  
Announcements will be emailed*  
JUDIE CHAMPLIN ..... 633-4008

**BOOKS:**

*Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday from 1 to 3 pm, Canterbury Woods Clubhouse*  
CAROLYN GIAMBRA ..... 863-8945  
LOIS KELLY ..... 649-8015

**BRIDGE (Adv / Inter):**

*1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays from 10 am - 2 pm at Bing's (1952 Kensington Ave.)*  
LOIS SINDONI ..... 633-9182

**BRIDGE FLIGHT:**

MEENA RUSTGI ..... 632-5768  
PREM LATA MAHESHWARI ..... 689-0940

**CRAFTS:**

*Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM*  
LONA ALLENDOERFER ..... 688-1734  
SARAH DINATALE ..... 633-9762

**FRENCH CONVERSATION:**

*Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Monday at 2:00 PM in members home. Members are asked to speak in French only.*  
MIMI SWADOS ..... 839-2483  
JEAN JAIN ..... 635-5932

**GOURMET EVENING:**

*Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday at 7:00 PM, in members home.*  
Kathy Alaimo –Cronberger ..... 553-8180  
Kathy Coppola ..... 636-3104

**GOURMET TECHNIQUES:**

*Meets as emailed*  
LINDA EATON ..... 854-3564  
JUDIE CHAMPLIN ..... 633-4008  
DEBRA BERGER ..... 691-0279

**MAH JONGG:**

*Meets In Members Homes, Dates Vary*  
KIM O'DONNELL ..... 939-2288  
SUSAN SIEGEL ..... 884-6960

**MOVIES:939-**

*Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday, time varies. Email will be sent each month.*  
JOAN RYAN ..... 626-9332

**NEEDLEWORK:**

*Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 1:00 PM. Light refreshments served.*  
LONA ALLENDOERFER ..... 688-1734  
SUN MI FUNG ..... 689-8147

**TENNIS:**

*Meets every Thursday at 1:30 at the Village Glen*  
MARY LAING ..... 839-3069

WEEK #	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1	<b>BRIDGE</b> Inter / Advanced (10 AM @ Bings)  <b>FRENCH</b> (2:00 PM)	<b>MOVIES</b> (various times By email)		<b>TENNIS</b> Village Glen (1:30pm)	
WEEK 2	<b>BOOKS</b> (1:00 PM @ Canterbury Woods Clubhouse)	<b>MAH JONGG</b> (Every Other Week)		<b>MAH JONGG</b> (Every Other Week) <b>TENNIS</b> Village Glen (1:30pm) <b>Gourmet Techniques</b> (TBA by email)	
WEEK 3	<b>BRIDGE</b> Inter / Advanced (10 AM @ Bings)	<b>EVENING GOURMET</b>		<b>TENNIS</b> Village Glen (1:30pm)  <b>NEEDLEWORK</b> (1:00 PM)	
WEEK 4	<b>CRAFTS</b> (1:00 PM)			<b>TENNIS</b> Village Glen (1:30pm)	<b>ART N LUNCH</b> (by email)

## **UB WOMEN'S CLUB BOOK GROUP 2016-2017**

CHAIRS: Carolyn Giambra, 863-8945; Lois Kelly, 649-8015



UB WOMEN'S CLUB BOOK GROUP 2016-2017

CHAIRS – Carolyn Giambra, 863-8945; Lois Kelly, 649-8015

Meetings are on the second Monday of the month. Dues are \$3/year

Time: 1 pm refreshments, 1:30 pm discussion

Location: Canterbury Woods Clubhouse, 671 Downing Lane, off Ayer Road, Williamsville

Public library copies of each title are plentiful and titles are also available for purchase.

Oct 10 – Rise of the Rocket Girls by Nathalia Holt, c2016

Leader: Beth Kaderabeck Hostesses: Barbara Rock & Allene Falk

Nov 14 – I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai with Christina Lamb, c2013 Leader: Lois Kelly Hostesses: Pam Pollock & Susan D'Angelo

Dec 12 – The Little Paris Bookshop by Nina George, c2015

Leader: Mary Ann Jumper Hostesses: Kathleen Macaluso & Dianne Burns

Jan 9, 2017– Contested Will: Who Wrote Shakespeare? By James Shapiro, c2011

Leader: Barbara Libby Hostess: Zelda Feldman & Fran Kurtz

Feb 13 – The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah, c2015

Leader: Joan Ryan Hostesses: Micky Hice, Jeanne Petersen & Norma Heimerl

Mar 13 – Guests on Earth by Lee Smith, c2014

Leader: Susan Busch Hostesses: Lona Allendoerfer & Jerriann Bronson

Apr 10 – The Japanese Lover by Isabel Allende, c2015

Leader: Grace Little Hostesses: Dottie Soong & Marsha Bodine

May 8 – Planning Meeting Leaders: Carolyn Giambra, Lois Kelly, Hostesses: TBA

# 2016 International Feast: Germany

To Benefit  
The Grace Capen Academic Award Fund

**DATE:** Sunday, October 23, 2016

**TIME:** 6:00 P.M.

**PLACE:** Rizzo Ristorante, 930 Maple Road, Williamsville

**COST:** \$30.00 per person

(Gratuity and \$5.00 tax deductible contribution are included)

**A multi-course German Feast  
Prepared by Schnitzel & Co.**

**Family and Friends Invited**

**For Information: Call Alice Russ at 834-6207**

**Please send checks (payable to The UB Women's Club) by Sunday, October 18, 2016 to:  
Alice Russ, 61 Saratoga Road, Eggertsville, NY 14226**

Cut reservation form below and send it along with your check as soon as possible. Limited seating.

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**I would like to attend the 2016 International Feast: German to benefit the Grace Capen Academic Award Fund of the UB Women's Club**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number of people attending:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Check enclosed for \$** \_\_\_\_\_ **@\$30.00 per person.**

**Please list the names of the people in your party below.**

ANNUAL DINNER & WINE TASTING

*Friday, February 3, 2017 at the Fairdale Banquet Center*

Plan to join us for a fabulous evening of Wine Tasting, Hors d’oeuvres, Full-Course Dinner with Wine Pairings and Raffle and Basket Auction. This Annual Dinner and Wine Tasting is our major fundraising event. In order for this to be successful, we need everyone’s help in collecting donations for our basket auction.

PLEASE HELP! We welcome gift certificates from restaurants or for services, tickets, artwork, bottles of wine, food items; and new merchandise, such as beauty products, books, kitchen and home décor, etc.

All donations are tax deductible. Please tell donors they will receive a receipt for tax purposes. A Donation Request Letter is included in this Newsletter. You may make copies or request more. Call 691-0279 or E-mail d-berger3@roadrunner.com if you have questions, concerns or need a donation pickup.

**WE NEED AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

*Chairpersons: Luella Kenny, Pat Pogodzinski, Debra Berger*

**TRIBUTE FUND:**

Contributions may be made to the Grace Capen Award Fund for a special occasion, to honor someone or as a remembrance.

Send a check to Sandy DeMarco, 175 Old Orchard, Williamsville, NY 14221, or call Sandy at 639-3954.

**UBWC APPAREL / COOKBOOKS FOR SALE**

Blue Polo Shirts ..... \$20.00  
White Mock-turtlenecks ..... \$20.00  
Cookbooks ..... \$5.00  
*(All proceeds go to Grace Capen Academic Awards)*  
Call or email Joan Ryan 626-9332  
*ryan1452@roadrunner.com*

Evelyn Muto has sent a donation in memory of Edwin Muto to the Grace Capen Award Fund.

A donation was received to honor Arun Jain from Kathleen Feliciano.

**2016 FALL LUNCHEON**

Our annual Fall Luncheon was held Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at the Orchard Park Country Club. We wish to extend special thanks to Andrea Borgioli, Barbara Kaye, and Beth Hornung for arranging this lovely event. The luncheon was attended by 102 members, 13 of whom were new members. The food was delicious and all attendees were able to sign up for the various Activity Groups of interest. They also enjoyed shopping for chocolate, purses and jewelry. What a wonderful way to start our fund-raising efforts in our 71<sup>st</sup> year!

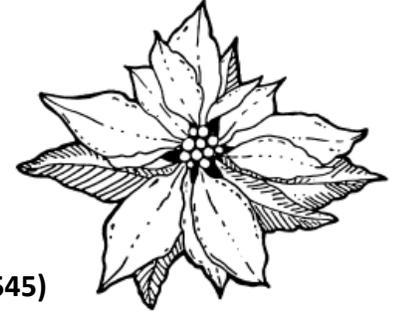
Debra Berger - VP

**UB WOMEN'S CLUB  
2016 HOLIDAY PLANT SALE**

Our 2016 Annual Holiday Poinsettia and Wreath sale is a major fund-raiser with proceeds going to the Grace Capen Academic Awards Fund.  
The plants are beautiful and of high quality. Please support this project with your order.

**Order Deadline:** Friday, November 11th

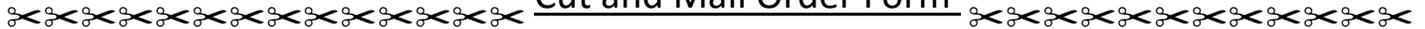
**Pick-Up:** Friday, December 2nd, 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
At the Holiday Luncheon, at Banchetti's, 550 N. French Rd, Amherst



**Checks payable to:** UB Women's Club

**Mail order to:** Beth Hornung, 11 Greenwood Drive, Orchard Park, NY 14127 (662-5545)

Cut and Mail Order Form



**Poinsettias**

4 1/2" - \$4.00	6 1/2" - \$8.00	9" - \$16.50	12" Decorator Pot - \$27.00
_____ Red	_____ Red	_____ Red	_____ Red
_____ Pink	_____ Pink	_____ Pink	_____ Pink
_____ White	_____ White	_____ White	_____ White
_____ Marble	_____ Marble	_____ Marble	_____ Marble

**Center Pieces** - \$18.00

w/1 candle, pinecones, accents  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 12" Round  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 12" Oval

**6 1/2" Cyclamen** - \$10.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Pink  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Purple  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Red  
 \_\_\_\_\_ White

**Mixed Door Swag**

26", Fir, Cedar, Juniper  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Plain - \$12.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Decorated - \$18.00

**Wreaths**

10" Center (finished 22")	14" Center (finished 24")
_____ Plain Frasier Fir - \$16.00	_____ Decorated Mix Greens - \$28.00
_____ Decorated Frasier Fir - \$21.00	
18" Center (finished 28")	
_____ Plain Frasier Fir - \$20.00	
_____ Decorated Frasier Fir - \$28.00	

Thank You for your support

**Total Enclosed:**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Day Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Home Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

# **SAVE THE DATE for Something New & Fun**

In Honor of **WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH** you are Cordially Invited to the

## **UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO WOMEN'S CLUB FUNDRAISER**

A Celebration of Women!

... with songs, readings, humor and quotes by, for, and about women

We hope you will join us at Western New York's longest running theatrical production:

### **“DIVA *by* DIVA”**

*(featuring some U.B.W.C. guest Divas)*

**ON: Wednesday, March 29, 2017 @ 7:30 p.m.**

**AT: O'Connell and Company Theatre**

@ Park School (4625 Harlem Road)

(from Main & Harlem, take a right @ first entrance to

Park School straight back to first building on the right)

And ... after the show, there will be a “Meet & Greet” with wine, goodies & Diva conversation.

All this is the name of U.B. Scholarships for only \$30.00 per person, exclusively for U.B. Women (and their guests). Limited seating will be available, so please make your checks payable to U.B.W.C. and mail no later than March 23, 2017 to:

Marilyn Ciancio  
135 Ruskin Road  
Buffalo, NY 14226

**TRY YOUR LUCK WITH AN AMAZING DIVA DEAL:** Marilyn Ciancio has graciously offered her condominium at St. Elmo's Hotel in the Chautauqua Institution for a three-night, off-season stay valued at \$550.00 to the lucky winner of our drawing which will be held immediately following the show. Your donation of only \$5.00 will allow you one entry to this Diva drawing, or you can get 3 for \$10.00. You may enter as many as you like when you send in your money for the show by completing a form for each entry with your name, phone number and donation amount enclosed. You do not need to be present to win.

*We are seeking 3-4 U.B. Women to be one of the Divas in the Show. If you think you would like to join in the fun, please e-mail [lindasciortino@yahoo.com](mailto:lindasciortino@yahoo.com) so we can contact & count you in on a first come, first serve basis.*

***Thank you for your support ~***

Marilyn Ciancio, Chairwoman

Linda Lee Sciortino, Co-Chairwoman



September 15, 2016

Greetings,

The University at Buffalo Women's Club is a service organization to the University at Buffalo and its community. We are in our 71st year of participating in educational and charitable activities which directly sponsor the Grace Capen Academic Awards- The money raised from these activities fund academically gifted students from the University.

Please consider supporting our outstanding Dinner and Wine Pairing Event on Friday, February 5, 2016. The event will be held at the Fairdale Banquet Center.

Your donation of merchandise or a gift certificate will help students achieve their educational goals. Please support us in making this another successful event. Your contribution is tax deductible (acknowledged by a receipt) and your participation is acknowledged the night of the event.

On behalf of the UB Women's Club I would personally like to thank you for your contribution in advance. Feel free to contact me at the number below with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Debra Berger' in a cursive script.

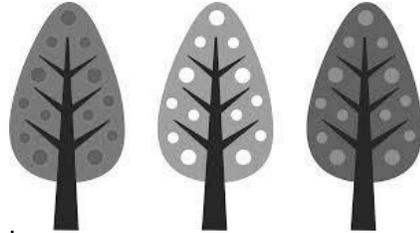
Debra Berger  
Vice President, UB Women's Club  
(716) 691-0279  
1725 Campbell Blvd.  
Amherst, NY 14228



# UB Women's Club

## “Holiday Luncheon”

**Date:** Friday, December 2, 2016  
**Time:** 11:00 AM - Shopping  
12:00 PM - Luncheon  
**Place:** Banchetti By Rizzo  
550 North French Road  
**Cost:** \$28.00 per person



Questions: Call  
Phyllis Stasiowski - 834-2515  
Linda Eaton - 854-3564

### Luncheon Includes

Italian Wedding Soup  
Dinner Rolls and Butter  
Brownie Sundae  
Coffee, Tea and Decaf

### Entree Choices

**Stuffed Pork Chop** - Seasoned herb stuffing with grilled vegetables & twice baked potato  
**Seafood Salad** - Shrimp, Scallops & Crab over mixed greens with grilled vegetables & citrus dressing  
**Pasta Primavera** - Seasonal vegetables sautéed in marinara sauce on a bed of bowtie pasta  
**Chicken Piccata** - Served with lemon butter sauce, grilled vegetables, twice baked potato

**Please make reservations by MAIL no later than Monday, November 21, 2016**

### Make checks payable to UB Women's Club

Mail check with reservation form to:

Linda Eaton  
289 Lakefront Blvd.  
Buffalo, NY 14202

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Entree \_\_\_\_\_

Guest \_\_\_\_\_ Entree \_\_\_\_\_

Guest \_\_\_\_\_ Entree \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed at \$28.00 per person \_\_\_\_\_

# *Women's Club Newsletter*

Read on- line @ [wings.buffalo.edu/org/womens](http://wings.buffalo.edu/org/womens)



**The newsletter deadlines for the 2016- 2017 year are as follows:**

October 13, 2016 (for November issue)  
List of New Members  
Poinsettia Form  
Holiday Luncheon Reservation Form  
Donation Request Letter for Wine Tasting Dinner  
Wine Tasting Announcement  
February 15, 2017 (for March issue)  
March 17, 2017 (for April issue)

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Tonawanda, NY 14150-9107

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