centuries. The program will include the premier of selected movements from the Suite for Solo Cello by Pete Cody, a New Paltz native, as well as music by local composers Shirley Warren and Bob Lukomski. Other composers to be featured include Charles Ives, George Martin, Bill Delp, Erzsébet Szönyi and Katherine Hoover.

Ticket prices are $20 adults and $3 for students with valid ID.

**Remembering Gail Kniceley**

Friends and family of Gail Kniceley will gather as a community to celebrate her love and raise funds for her family this Friday, April 3, 7 p.m., at the Rosendale Theatre.

Kniceley passed away peacefully, surrounded by her family and loved ones, on February 11. She volunteered for many causes and for over a decade was the vendor coordinator for the Rosendale Street Festival.

Music will be provided by the funk and soul band Pheloton Plunk and world-class musicians and performers Jimmy Eppard, Pete Levin, Joey Eppard, Mikhail Horowitz and Gilles Malkine.

**New Paltz Chamber to hold its annual business showcase**

The New Paltz Regional Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual business showcase on April 23 from 1 to 5:30 p.m., followed by a networking mixer from 6 to 8 p.m., at Novella’s in New Paltz.

The expo will celebrate the Hudson’s Valley’s diverse businesses, while providing professionals with new networking opportunities.

Showcase speakers include: Brian Tjeite from LinkedIn, Laura Flaccus-Fenstein from Via Associates, Harold King, executive director Council of Industry; and Michael Hein, Ulster County Executive.

For additional information, call 255-0243 or visit www.newpaltzchamber.org.

**New York Mets bus trip on June 14**

Calling all baseball fans. The New Paltz Central School District Foundation for Student Enhancement is planning a trip to flushing Meadows on Sunday, June 14 to see the New York Mets play the Atlanta Braves at Citi Field. The trip’s $70 price tag includes a game ticket (section 140), round-trip coach bus transportation and snacks on the bus. Game time is 1:10 p.m.

The bus will leave New Paltz High School at a 10 a.m. sharp. Tickets are limited and will be sold on a first-come, first-serve basis until May 15. This trip will proceed rain or shine. For more information, call John Fracase at 750-2924.

**Rock and Snow Bridge 2 Bridge five-mile run**

The Shawangunk Runners club will host the Rock and Snow Bridge 2 Bridge five-mile run on Saturday, April 11 at 9 a.m. The race will start and finish at the Spring Farm Trailhead on Upper 27 Knolls Road off Mohonk Road in High Falls. The event offers an accessible five-mile race across gently rolling carriage roads on a course that is basically flat with one hill halfway through.

The race will go off rain or shine, and the clearly marked course will feature water stops. All runners receive a commemorative t-shirt and enjoy free post-race refreshments. Prizes are awarded to the overall winners in ten-year age groups. The local Bruderhof community helps with the race as volunteers, and last year baked all of the fresh peach pies that were part of the prizes awarded.

Entry fees are $25 for Preserve members or $30 for non-members paid online in advance of the race. Registration costs $40 on the day of the event for all participants. Registration for the race is limited to 300 runners, advance registration is recommended.

More information is available by visiting www.shawangunkrunners.com.