Bank foundation awards grant

The Ulster Savings Charitable Foundation recently awarded grants to nonprofit organizations in the Poughkeepsie area. The Mid-Hudson Children’s Museum received $5,000. The museum will use the grant to support the implementation of “Museums for All,” an initiative designed to ensure that every child and family has access to high-quality children’s museum experiences by implementing a permanent, reduced admission for any family presenting an Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) card and a valid photo ID. The initiative was created by the Association of Children’s Museums and the Institute of Museum and Library Services. The Mid-Hudson Children’s Museum has a goal that within three years, 10 percent of its annual visitation will be by families from Ulster, Dutchess and Orange counties utilizing this program.