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## Blue Skies and Blueberries

On Saturday, along Canal Street and at Liberty Square in Ellenville vendors lined both sides of the streets. The parade of attendees at the 16th Ellenville Wawarsing Chamber of Commerce Blueberry Festival walked to the ongoing music provided by the four bands that played throughout the event. Children with painted faces, had a lot of fun scaling the climbing wall or playing on the huge inflatables.

The aroma of the many ethnic foods tantalized anyone's appetite. There were samples of tasty treats along the way served by some of the local restaurants.

And of course there were Blueberry treats galore, including Blueberry Water!

According to event organizer, Dianne Turner, a/k/a Mother Blueberry, there were approximately 175 vendors selling their wares including Blueberry Festival hats and T-Shirts, Jewelry, soap, Terrariums, Jams & Jellies, baked goods, arts and crafts, paintings, and much more.



Sam, the Smiling Blueberry added the right touch to the Sprague & Killeen exhibit.



Dianne Turner, known as Mother Blueberry has watched this event grow over the years. Her hard work and great organizational skills certainly has made this event a huge success for everyone! Great job Mother Blueberry and all you helpers! Thank you!



A glance up Canal Street shows just a few of the tremendous crowds of people who enjoyed this year's Blueberry Festival under the bright blue sunny skies on Saturday.

## Bygone Days in Denning

An outstanding part of the Town of Denning History Afternoon hosted by the Time and the Valleys Museum on Sunday was the memorial display honoring several Denning residents who passed away since last year's Denning Day event. Those remembered were Vincent George, Fred Ahrens, John Higgins, Jean Switzler and Harold VanAken.



The tables were filled with many interesting documents and artifacts connecting the past to the present bringing life to the history of the Town of Denning. (Contd. Pg. 3)



## Elias Education Fund



Photo from left: Fran Elias-Donor Family; Rose Ahearn-Physical Therapist-Award Recipient; Steve Kelley- President & CEO Xiangie Salgado Vazquez- Manager, Outpatient Services-Award Recipient; Bill Gettel-ERH Foundation Board Member; and Patty Steinhoff-Donor Family. Missing: Taylor Briwa-Nursing Assistant-Award Recipient

On Thursday, July 30, 2015, Steven L. Kelley, President and CEO of Ellenville Regional Hospital, Fran Elias and Patty Steinhoff distributed the Fourth Annual Elias Education Fund awards to three employees of Ellenville Regional Hospital.

Rose Ahearn, Physical Therapist, was awarded \$500 to pursue a Wound Care certification.

Xiangie Salgado Vasquez, RN, Manager, Outpatient Clinics and Employee Health, was awarded \$500 to assist her in pursuing her Bachelor's in Nursing degree.

Taylor Briwa, Nursing Assistant, was awarded \$500 towards his pursuit of an Associates in Nursing degree.

Hon. Ronald Elias was a long-term Ellenville Regional Hospital Board Member. His wife Fran and his family established the Elias Education Fund in his memory to aid in the hospital's mission of providing quality healthcare in Ellenville and the surrounding communities.

## Congressman Gibson named Friend of the National Parks



Congressman Gibson is seen here with NPCA President W. Clark Bunting (left) and NPCA Senior Vice President Craig Obey (right).

Congressman Chris Gibson (NY-19) was presented the Friend of the National Parks Award by the nonpartisan National Parks Conservation Association (NPCA) during a recent ceremony in Washington, DC. (Contd. Pg. 12)

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**ON THE FRONT BURNER:** And the Spirit of the Lord will come upon thee, and thou shalt prophesy with them, and shalt be turned into another man. Samuel 10:6

## OBITUARIES

**Ruth Ann Mickelson** of Woodbourne passed away on Thursday, July 30, 2015 at Catskill Regional Medical Center with her loving husband by her side. She was 74. She was the daughter of the late Leo L. and Mary Hartman Rexford, born April 4, 1941 in Monticello.

She was the past Vice President of the Ferndale Troopers Wives Association, secretary at the Tri-Valley Central School, cashier at R&H Banner Market in Woodbourne and chairman of committees of the Susquenango Chapter of the Family Motor Coach Association. Most recently many will know her from being co-owner of R.A. Mickelson & Son Construction. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and friend that will be dearly missed by everyone that knew and loved her.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond A. Mickelson; her sons, Garth Mickelson of Connecticut, and Patrick Mickelson and his wife, Tara of Woodbourne; grandchildren: Michael J. Foster, Colin and Sierra Mickelson; her brother, Bernard of Loch Sheldrake; step-sister, Margaret Reid of Carlisle, England; step-brother, John Tierney of London, England; many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A celebration of her life was at the Grahamsville Reformed Church on Saturday, August 8, 2015, the Rev. Paul Ruter officiating. A burial of ashes followed at the Grahamsville Rural Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, PO Box 2151, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38101-2151.

**Herman W. Probst** of Grahamsville passed away peacefully on Tuesday, August 4, 2015 at home. He was 87.

He was the son of the late Herman H. and Catherine Schneider Probst, born on August 22, 1927 in Islip, NY.

Herman served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a supervisor of the steam laundry department at Woodbourne Correctional Facility until his retirement, after which he began driving buses for Gershowitz Bus Company.

He was a past Patron of the Order of the Eastern Star and a member of Liberty Masonic Lodge #521 F&AM. He dedicated 50 years to the Grahamsville Fire Department as a fireman; he was an honorary member of the Grahamsville First Aid and Rescue. Lastly, he was a member of the Sullivan County Volunteer Fire Fighters Association.

He is survived by his loving daughter, Lynn Osterhout, his grandchildren, Jennifer Edwards and her husband, Joseph of Liberty, Benjamin Osterhout and his wife, Joelene of Palm Coast, FL, and Andrew Ostershout of Hurleyville; three great-grandchildren: Sebastian, Rayne, and a host of friends. He was predeceased by his devoted wife, Marion Probst; son-in-law, Thomas Osterhout and his brother, William Probst.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions in Herman's name can be made to the Grahamsville Volunteer Fire Department, 205 Main St., Grahamsville, NY 12740

**Eleanor Johaneman**, a longtime resident of Willowemoc, entered into eternal life on Saturday, August 8, 2015 surrounded by her loving family. She was 90 and the widow of Emil Johaneman. She was the daughter of the late Henry and Clara Young Specht, born on October 25, 1924 in Acidalia, NY.

Eleanor was a member and trustee of the Willowemoc Baptist Church for many years, and a Republican Chairman in the Town of Neversink. She was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and friend to many. She enjoyed playing pinocle, poker and rummy and loved having company to talk to. She always made her home a warm and welcoming place for all to come and visit and she treated everyone like they were her family. She will be sorely missed.

She is survived by her children, Carol Froehlich and her husband Gene of Willowemoc, NY., Rita Banks of Hewitt, NJ., Joseph Johaneman and his wife Julianne of Blair, SC., Mary Eck of Livingston Manor, NY., and Donna Johaneman and partner David Diescher of Norwalk, CT. Her cherished grandchildren are Steven Froehlich and fiancé Linda Jordan, Jeff Froehlich and his wife Lori, Kevin Banks and his wife Amanda, Cheryl Cipolla and her husband

James, Joseph Johaneman, Justin Johaneman and his partner Gretchen Hoffman, Jessica Peterson and her husband Tyler, and Christopher Dombrowski, her great grandchildren Cody, Allison, and Emily Froehlich, Caroline and Christian Banks, and Dylan and Kyle Cipolla. She is also survived by many beloved nieces and nephews and her beloved pets, Whiskers, and Kitty Cat.

She was predeceased by her husband of 54 years Emil Johaneman, her sisters Stella Fredenburg, Marie Oestrich, Dorothy Steenrod, Ethel Urso, and brothers Clarence Specht, Harold Specht, Martin Specht, Arthur Specht, Burton Specht, and William Specht and her great granddaughter Marissa Froehlich.

A funeral service was held on Wednesday, August 12, 2015 at the funeral home at 11:00am with Pastor Chris DeLong officiating. Interment will follow at Claryville Cemetery, Claryville, NY.

Memorial Contributions in Eleanor's name can be made to the Willowemoc Baptist Church, 95 Main Road, Livingston Manor, NY 12758.

Arrangements were under the direction of Colonial-Bryant Funeral Homes for further information please call 845-439-4333 or visit [www.colonialbryantfuneralhome.com](http://www.colonialbryantfuneralhome.com)

## DAYS OF YORE....

## Today's History

**August 17, 1955** - Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Osterhout of Grahamsville are parents of their second son, born August 6, 1955. The older boy, James will be a year old in September.

Frank Carlsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Carl Carlsen, spent a week at the Bankers School of Agriculture at Cornell University in Ithaca on a scholarship which he won last year.

Architect Harry Halverson of Kingston, presented some general drawings and proposals to the Board of Education of the Tri Valley School District. He reported that the drawings represented a list of rooms and service areas as suggested by the Buildings and Grounds Division of the State Education Dept. to satisfy current and future housing needs for the student population of the district. The expansion included the addition of six elementary and eight high school rooms, a new double-size gymnasium and the enlargement of the present homemaking, art, cafeteria and library services.

**August 11, 1965** - Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Shursky of Hurleyville have recently opened the hardware store in Grahamsville previously owned by the late Charles H. Currey. Mr. Shursky owns the lumber mill on the Woodbourne Road. Alfred Currey, Charles Currey's father, purchased the store in 1904 at a tax sale. According to Vernon Pierce of Curry, who knew Charles Currey from the time he was old enough to walk, the hardware store was previously operated by Len Hornbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mentnech are the parents of a daughter, Patti Ann, born on August 4, 1965 at Liberty Maimonides Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 11 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Fernald DuBois are the maternal grandparents.

**August 27, 1975** - Karl D. Shader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Shader of Denman Mt. Road, is now at Fort Leonard Wood in Missouri after having enlisted in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on July 22nd. Karl received his Associates Degree in May from SUNY Morrisville. While at Morrisville, he was a Dean's List student and plans to continue his studies while in the service.

**August 22, 1985** - Bessie Bailey of Denning Rd., Claryville died Tuesday, August 13 at Ellenville Community Hospital after a long illness. She was 90. The daughter of the late John and Ann Woeltzie, she was born June 15, 1895 in Watertown. She was the widow of Melvin Bailey. Survivors include one son, Harry Bailey of Claryville; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Addie Tompkins of Yeagerville Road, Napanoch, a retired chambermaid with the Fallsview Country Club, Ellenville, and a life-long Napanoch area resident, died Saturday, Aug. 17 at Kingston Ave. Hosp., Kingston. She was 76. Survivors include one daughter, Mildred Brackman of Neversink and one son, Water Tompkins of Moira; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.



## A Round About Tri-Valley

-Carol Furman

Condolences to the family and friends of Ruth Ann Mickelson, age 74, who passed away on Thursday, July 30th. A celebration of Ruth Ann's life was held on August 8th at the Grahamsville Reformed Church.

James A. Ward also passed away on July 30th at the age of 77. Sympathy to his family and friends.

Spencer and Jackie Quick of Grahamsville will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on August 15th. Congratulations! The Quicks recently returned from a wonderful trip to Canada with "Barbara's Bunch". I believe Peggy Geyer also went on the trip. Barbara Hahl plans amazing trips!

Get well wishes to Eleanor Johannaman of Willowemoc (Carol Froehlich's Mom) who is in the hospital following surgery. The surgery is the result of complications due to diabetes.

Feel better wishes go out to Pat Drown and Kim Nash both from Neversink. They both are in need of our prayers.

Margaret Dolan fractured a vertebra in her back last week, but seems to be doing quite well now. We all missed seeing her and Carol Newman at the Grahamsville Methodist Church luncheon on the 4th.

Julie Furman and her Dad, Steve Ehrets, recently returned from a 10 day trip to Germany. They had a wonderful time seeing all the sights. Some of Steve's family members were originally from Germany.

I went to Forestburgh Theatre's "The Music Man" on August 5th. It was a delight to see! I did see Mary Burkhart, former Tri-Valley Kindergarten teacher, performing on stage! Mary, now retired from teaching, is always so full of energy.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Phil Coombe Jr., Coordinator of the Daniel Pierce Library building project, asked that I remind everyone who volunteered or helped in any way with the Library project to come to the Library between 2:00 and 4:00 pm on Sunday, August 30th. The efforts of over 1,000 people helped to make our beautiful Library a reality! Phil has compiled a binder with the names of all who helped and/or volunteered their time, talents and money. While you are enjoying ice cream and cookies, you can locate your name in the memorial binder, which will eventually be kept in the Library. Plan to attend this wonderful "THANK YOU" celebration!

We had two beautiful full moons in the month of July- one on July 1st and another on July 31st. The second full moon in a given month is called a "blue moon" and is somewhat of a rare occurrence, hence the expression "once in a blue moon". The TV weatherman reported that the next blue moon will occur 2 1/2 years from now

**Words of Wisdom:** Add light to your day and bring cheer to those you encounter by offering a smile, a kind word, a moment of laughter, or a gesture of help and hope. Make a difference today and brighten the lives of those you meet!

## Bygone Days in Denning (From Pg. 1)

Many members of families linked to the history of Sundown and Claryville were busy glossing over records and photos, while others conversed and compared notes, or took a tour of the Time and the Valleys Museum.

It was a wonderful experience for all who attended. Each year a little more history is presented inspiring new thoughts about olden times of the town some of us now call 'home' and other's visit.

The event was coordinated by George and Helen Elias and Susan Smith.

The Time and the Valleys Museum is open from Memorial Day Weekend through Labor Day, Thursday - Sunday from noon-4 p.m.; September through November on weekends from noon-4 p.m. The research room is open on Thursdays from 1-4 p.m. and Sundays by appointment. Admission is by suggested donation of \$5 for adults, \$2 for children ages 6-16, and free for children under the age of six. On Thursday, Town of Neversink residents are invited to visit at no charge and the first Saturday of each month, Town of Denning residents are invited to visit at no charge.

The Time and the Valleys Museum is also a Blue Star Museum, one of more than 2,000 throughout the United States that offers free admission to the nation's active-duty military personnel and their families, including National Guard and

Reserve, from Memorial Day through Labor Day.

To learn more about the Time and the Valleys Museum, special events and programs and the latest exhibits, visit the website at [www.timeandthevalleysmuseum.org](http://www.timeandthevalleysmuseum.org). To learn more about bringing your group or organization on a tour, please call Donna Steffens at 845-985-7700.

## Still a few Seats Left for Fall Crafts & Tour of Lyndhurst Mansion

There are still 12 more seats left for the Fall Crafts & Tour of Lyndhurst Mansion, a National Trust Historic Site. This is a great outing for the entire family. We will leave on Saturday, September 19th from the Town Hall at 9 am and return approximately 6 pm. The Tour 1 hour guided tour of the mansion. View over 275 leading artist and craft peoples works. Tickets are \$20 for Neversink Residents and Tri-Valley Students and \$40 for non-residents. If you want to take advantage of this amazing trip, contact Jamie Brooks as soon as possible at 985-2262 Ext. 312.

## Time and the Valleys Museum to Sponsor Bus Tour

Time and the Valleys Museum is now taking reservations for the bus tour of the Delaware Water Supply System on Saturday, September 26. The price is \$25 per person who is a member. \$30 for non-members. It begins at 8:30 a.m. with a complimentary breakfast. A lunch stop will be made (not included). We will visit Cannonsville, Pepacton, Neversink and the Rondout Reservoirs.

## The Neversink Association's 2015 Annual Meeting, Program and "Bring Your Own Picnic"



This year's annual event will be on Sunday, September 6, 2015, at noon in Claryville.

The site is the Tison property at the north end of Denning Road. In case of rain it will be held in the big red barn of Susan and Paul Ten Eyck on Hunter Road. (Call Pat Wellington if in doubt at 845-985-7156).

Program speakers are Carolyn Summers, owner of Flying Trillium Gardens and Preserve in Bradley (Neversink) NY and native plant expert ([www.flyingtrillium.com](http://www.flyingtrillium.com)). Also speaking is Brett Barry who will present "Afloat and Afoot" about John Burroughs. He is host of public radio's Sound Beat [www.soundbeat.org](http://www.soundbeat.org) and producer of the Route 28 audio driving guide [www.drive28.com](http://www.drive28.com).

Membership is open to anyone who owns or leases property or resides for a portion of the year within 10 miles of the Neversink River watershed or be a member of the immediate family of such a person. In order to vote at the meeting one's dues must be paid by the annual meeting of the current year (\$10 an individual or \$20 a family). Currently there are 135 individual or family members.

## 136th Little World's Fair

The fair will open on Thursday evening from 5:00 - 9:00 pm Carload Night Unlimited Rides for one price!

Friday 9:00 am - 10:00 pm, Saturday 9:00 am - 11:00 pm and Sunday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm Ride Bracelets will be available

New this year, Dinosaur on the Loose! Enjoy the Incredible T-Rex this year! The dinosaur will be around all weekend.

Studio Two - Beatles Tribute Band will play on Saturday. They are hailed as "New England's Best Beatles Tribute Band" by The British Beer Company, Beatles tribute band, Studio Two, continues its tour in celebration of the 50th anniversary of The Beatles coming to America. Studio Two is a headlining Beatles band that pays tribute to the early Beatles years.

## Nature Column - Linda Comando

A tribute to the memory of all of the Townsman ladies that we have lost and loved so much... Peggy DeWire, Avril Pappa, Joan Hall, Polly Hill and Joyce Lockhart.

## Why are Squirrels Turning Black?

Has anyone noticed all of the black squirrels? There was a time when it was a rare occasion to see a black squirrel, but for the past few years, now black squirrels are quite popular in the Tri-Valley area.



Mutation that causes the change in the genes has not been restricted just to humans. Have you wondered why the coat of a black squirrel is different from the grey squirrel we have been so used to seeing?

The black squirrels that are becoming an increasingly common sight are a result of a genetic mutation which stops their fur from turning to grey. Scientists are saying that this due to a faulty gene that could also make them more immune to diseases.

If you look closely at grey squirrel hairs, they are not actually grey at all but are a combination of white, black and orange stripes. However, the hairs of black squirrels have no stripes; they are just plain black.

In grey squirrels the pigment gene works by producing two hormones.

Researchers claim that one hormone turns the switch on to make black fur, and a different hormone turns the switch off to make orange and white fur. In the grey squirrel, as the fur is growing, the switch turns on and off to make the stripes. However, in the black squirrel, because there is a piece of DNA missing, a piece of the switch is also missing.

The first hormone that switches it on still works and black fur is made, but the second hormone that should switch off, actually switches on as well. The off switch fails and the black fur continues to grow. In black squirrels the missing piece of the gene means this 'switching off' process never happens and their fur remains jet black.

The mutation in pure black squirrels is not a threat to our grey squirrels. The black squirrel is the same species as the grey squirrel. Black squirrels can mate with grey squirrels and if this happens offspring will have a combination of faulty and fully working genes. The mutated gene is inherited from both parents that have a piece missing which is involved in producing pigment.

The first black squirrels were sighted in the early 1900's, but it was a very scarce sighting.

The call is still out on what has caused this mutation in an animal that has inhabited this country for eons. When the first settlers landed in America, there were probably a billion squirrels living in the dense hardwood forest that blanketed eastern America. Would you believe that a squirrel could travel from Grahamsville to Mississippi without ever coming down to the ground.

One hundred years later when our wilderness began to be opened up by lumbering and burning and settlers planting corn and grain fields in the woodland clearings.

In the shrinking habitat squirrels overran the small farms and were shot by the thousands.

In the early 1900's, hunting seasons were established and the squirrel population leveled off throughout the U.S.

Today in America squirrels have adapted to living at the edge of human civilization quite comfortably. Squirrels still live in city parks where they compete with pigeons, on farms and in our backyards, they occasionally visit our birdfeeders.

If one of these little visitors to your birdfeeder isn't one of the mutated squirrels, maybe soon you'll get lucky and have a black squirrel appear at your feeder, too.

## Household Hints

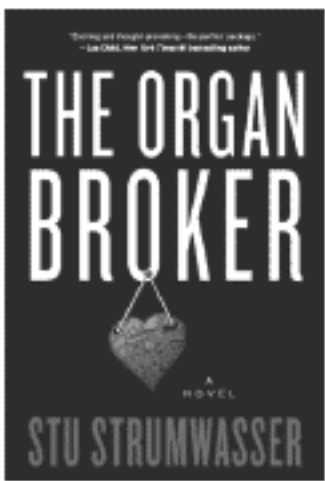
### Clean your Hummingbird Feeder

There are a lot of Hummingbird Feeders on back porches throughout the Tri-Valley area. Hummingbirds are innately discriminating creatures, so don't expect to see them flocking around a dirty, sticky, or crusted-over sugar-water feeder. Regularly clean your feeders by thoroughly washing them in equal parts apple cider vinegar and hot water. Rinse well with cold water after washing, and air-dry them outdoors in full sunlight before refilling them with food.





**The Organ Broker**  
Mysterious Book Report No. 206  
by John Dwaine McKenna



Are you aware that there are now more than 120,000 patients-folks just like you and me who are on waiting lists for organ transplants in America . . . or that there are three-hundred thousand more on kidney dialysis, but not yet on transplant lists . . . and shamefully, that here in America, twenty people are dying every day from renal (kidney) failure because of a lack of organ donors? The average wait for a donated organ, eighty-five percent which are kidneys, is **Seven Years**. People are dying before they make it to the top of the list for a replacement. This fact, and it is indeed a tragic fact-and wait, it gets worse-has given rise to a modern phenomenon known as transplant tourism. Simply put, those who can afford to pay are going to foreign transplant specialists where they get a healthy, life-saving new organ. "Well isn't that just dandy," you say . . . but then, after a moment's reflection you ask, "So, where, exactly, does this life-saving and healthy new donor organ come from?" Well Mr. and Mrs. Peabody, that's where the rub comes in. The transplant specialists are located in countries with large and growing populations of poor people. Human beings whose yearly income can be stated in hundreds of dollars.

*The Organ Broker*, (Arcade Publishing, \$24.99, 280 pages, ISBN 978-1-62872-523-0) by Stu Strumwasser, is an outstanding new novel by a debut author whose voice speaks loud and clear about a critical issue of our times-one with important legal, ethical and moral overtones that could very well affect every one of us at some point in our lives. Best of all, he's fitted his information into a beautifully-written crime novel that's full of intrigue, action, suspense and treachery. Just what we enthusiasts love in summertime reading!

The protagonist, a shady character known as 'New York Jack,' is the organ broker. He's living large, enjoying life on a lavish scale, traveling first-class, dining in exclusive restaurants and staying in five-star hotels. He tells himself that he's saving lives by procuring human organs for those who are wealthy enough to buy them. Jack gets \$150,000 for a kidney, which he splits with a cohort, a man who goes by the name Wallace, he's the one who obtains the clients-those sick enough and rich enough to buy whatever they wish, no matter what the price. Kidneys are called "eighty-fives," because they're 85 percent of the pairs transplant business, and they've done thousands of them over the years. "Fifteens" are livers. They go for half-a-million a pop. And hey, great news for the organ donors, fifteen regenerate. Eventually. But the big money, the really big money . . . the kind that will buy a whole Caribbean Island and a lifetime of anonymity . . . that only comes with specials. Those are hearts. A healthy one only comes one way, with death. Excluding accidents and executions, the only other way to get one creates a moral barrier that only a sociopath is willing to cross . . . Don't miss *The Organ Broker* by Stu Strumwasser. It might be the most talked about book of the summer of 2015. It's certainly one of the best!

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**Legislator's Corner**

By Kitty Vetter / District 3 Legislator



Kitty with her two children Gene and Danielle

Hello everyone,

Once again I am happy to share what is going on in the County!

Another upcoming event that may interest you is the Hazardous Waste Cleanup. Bill Cutler from Public Works is the man in charge. Dates have been set to allow you to bring in any/all of your hazardous waste to the county landfill to be properly disposed of and remove them from your property. The designated dates August 30th. You MUST contact Mr. Cutler in advance to get a date/ time assignment and explain what you are bringing in. This is a vital step that will both expedite the process and insure the safety for all in securing the materials properly. If you wish to use this "Clean Up" opportunity please call Bill at 845-807-0291.

There are a number of other projects ongoing at the County level. The Agriculture & Sustainability Committee is working with various towns on two major projects which are moving forward:

- 1) Helping towns decrease energy costs by switching out lighting systems to the more efficient LED systems that will save in overall town electricity costs.
- 2) Climate Action Plans & Micro Grid Projects that will help in Energy Cost savings and decrease the adverse effects should we be affected by energy shortages (brown/black outages).

Finally, I want to remind you that this November will be an Election Year for not just Legislative seats in our County Government but also for County Clerk, County Treasurer and Coroner. People will be coming around asking you to sign petitions to allow candidates to be placed on the ballots. I will also be asking for your help. If you are a registered voter please sign the petition, the petition only goes to party association allowing candidates to be on the November Ballot. If you are not yet registered to vote, I encourage you to do so, remember it is both a privilege and a right as an American Citizen that many people in other countries do not have. Elections that impact you are not limited to the National Elections it is the county level that holds many decisions and policies that govern your everyday life.

Please reach out to me and let me know how you feel regarding these developing topics.  
Your Legislator, Kitty Vetter  
(Kitty.Vetter@co.sullivan.ny.us)  
845-807-0441

**County Historian John Conway presents the 2015 Minnie Feldman Memorial Lecture 'Revolution - Revolution: The 1760's to the 1960's; Heritage Tourism in the County'**

Thursday evening, August 13th at 6:30 p.m. Sullivan County Historian John Conway will present this year's Minnie Feldman Memorial Lecture entitled: 'Revolution - Revolution: The 1760's to the 1960's; Heritage Tourism in the County' at the Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library in Monticello, N.Y.

John Conway has been the official Sullivan County Historian since 1993 and had taught a class on Sullivan County History at SUNY-Sullivan since 1998. He is a popular lecturer and presenter and has written several books, dozens of magazine articles and more than one thousand newspaper columns over the years.

This program is free and open to the public; doors open at 6:15 p.m.

Library Address: Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, 393 Broadway, Monticello, N.Y. 12701

**Fiddler on the Roof comes 'to life' at the Rivoli**

(South Fallsburg, NY) A fiddler on the roof - sounds crazy, no? Perhaps, but the premise of the cherished musical that centers on "tradition" has been delighting audiences since its Broadway debut in 1964 and in revivals over the past five decades. The latest incarnation of the story of Tevye, the milkman and the trials and tribulations of the people of Anatevka will come "to life" onstage at the Rivoli Theatre in South Fallsburg for three weekends in August as the Sullivan County Dramatic Workshop stages the classic, *Fiddler on the Roof*.

Set in Czarist Russia in 1905, *Fiddler on the Roof* with music by Jerry Bock, lyrics by Sheldon Harnick, and book by Joseph Stein is based on Tevye and his Daughters (or Tevye the Dairyman) and other tales by Sholem Aleichem. The story centers on the father of five daughters, and his attempts to maintain his religious and cultural traditions in a small Jewish shtetl as outside influences encroach upon the family's lives. The memorable score includes "Tradition," "Matchmaker," "If I Were a Rich Man," "To Life," "Sunrise, Sunset" "Far From the Home I Love" and many more.

Seasoned Director, Lori Schneider and Musical Director, Scott Eckers have assembled a talented cast to bring the story to life, including Richie Chiger (Tevye), Heather Strauss (Golde), Lindsay Malman, Deanna Pereira, Stephanie Krom, Lily Siciliano and

Abigail Ruef as their five daughters, Travis Benson (Motel, the Tailor), David Hilfstein (Perchik), Harold Tighe (Lazar Wolfe), Arlene Hussey (Yente, the Matchmaker), Blanche Agugliaro, Daniel Aguirre, Demid Bagirov, Alfred Bungard, Armaan Butler, Naomi Frumess, Scarlet Frumess, Anthony Hartnett, Valeria Henry, Aaron Kaplan, Steve Levy, Melissa McTague, Cole Phillips, Lynne Porter, Joshua Rosengrant, Jeremy Rudick, Lori Schneider, Kailan Odell Schreier, Robert Schreier, John Seidito, Phil Spechler, Michael Steup, Lillian Tighe, Allysia Watts, Rusty Watts and Tyler Young. With Technical Direction by Jim Schmidt, Choreography by Naomi Frumess, Scenic Design by Aaron Kaplan, Costume Design by Ed Berens, Stage Management by Joshua Rosengrant and ASM Samantha Krom, Properties by Jenny Silverman, Makeup by Jeremy Rudick, Fiddler on the Roof is being produced by special arrangement with Music Theatre International, Inc.

Whether you're seeing it for the first time or "reliving the tradition," this is a production you won't want to miss! *Fiddler on the Roof* will run for nine performances - Friday and Saturday, August 14, 15, 21, 22 at 8:00 pm and Sunday, August 16, 23 at 2:00 pm in the Nartoff-Wells Auditorium of the Rivoli Theatre, 5243 Route 42 (Main Street), South Fallsburg. Tickets are \$22 for Adults, \$18 for Seniors, Students, Veterans and Military. Opening Night Special - all tickets half price. Tickets can be ordered in advance online at [www.ShowTix4U.com](http://www.ShowTix4U.com) and will be on sale at the Rivoli Theatre Box Office one hour prior to curtain for each performance. Advance purchase is recommended for this production. For additional information, phone (845) 436-5336 or log onto [www.SCDW.net](http://www.SCDW.net)

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## The Olive Jar - By Carol LaMonda

### A Shrinking World

Up to age sixteen, my world consisted of my block, my neighborhood, my town of Freeport, Long Island, and a few trips to my grandparents' homes in New Jersey and Brooklyn. I could get as far as my feet, my bike, a bus, the LIRR, or my parents' car could take me. College expanded my world not much further. In fact, my entire scope of reality was the small campus and town of New Paltz, New York. I did not know about Sputnik until I went home on a spring break because we did not get much reception from the one television in the common lounge. It was a life immersed in academic studies and college fun. It was a time of irresponsibility in the garb of isolation of Academia.

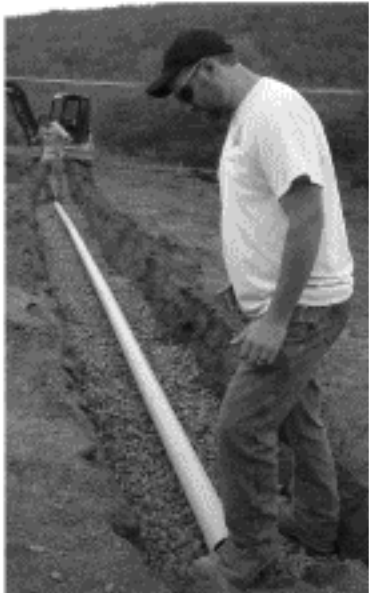
By today's standards, my life was "provincial." I was married with children and forty before I flew on a plane. My first big trip was to Greece with my entire family. My eyes beheld the possibilities of travel and revealed how vast and diverse a world could be. I feasted on new tastes and the cacophonous sound of languages I could not understand. Each new trip opened doors of humanity. At first, I focused on what made us different...unique cultures with colorful outfits, various smells, new and old architecture. Now I focus on what makes us all the same.

My world now seems very small. I can face-time someone in Norway. I can text someone in Mexico. I can face-book someone in Africa. I am bombarded with information and timely news. I have traveled to dozens of countries. I now see that we all want the same thing. Our family's needs for health, food, safety, peace and love are common goals.

Now that we can put faces to our "enemies" and instantly translate their words, we might be able to communicate our common needs and live together on this shrinking planet. Let us hope.

### NEWS from the Catskill Watershed Corp

Brian Komosinski, foreground, and Tim Townsend of Delaware Bulldozing lay pipe in a trench as they install the drain field for a replacement septic system at the home of John and Nancy Cianci in Bovina. The system was engineered by Ed McCarthy of Steele Brook Engineering, Delhi. A slide show on the project, from start to finish, is on the CWC's website, [www.cwconline.org](http://www.cwconline.org) (go to Resources/Presentations, or Programs/Septic Rehabilitation and Replacement page). The CWC has funded repairs of more than 4,500 systems in the Catskill-Delaware NYC Watershed since 1997, protecting water quality, aiding homeowners and businesses and supporting dozens of construction, engineering and supply firms and their employees in the region.



### CWC Slates Stormwater Training

Town and village planning and zoning board members, code enforcement officers (CEOs), engineers, contractors and others involved in the review, design or implementation of stormwater controls are invited to a training workshop sponsored by the Catskill Watershed Corp. (CWC) in Margaretville on Friday, Sept. 11. The free workshop will be held at American Legion Post #216, 903 Main Street, Margaretville. Register at [www.cwconline.org](http://www.cwconline.org). CEOs may receive two hours of in-service credit. Planning and zoning board members may apply this session towards their annual four hours of mandated training, with approval of municipal governing boards. Sign in is at 9:30 a.m. The morning session, led by NYS Department of State trainers, begins at 10 a.m. "Stormwater Regulation for Local Review Boards" will examine types of development and the potential for environmental damage from increased run-off; best management practices to control it, and the role of project development review boards in mitigating stormwater impacts using local, state and federal regulations. Following lunch, the afternoon session will address specific programs geared toward stormwater controls in the New York City Watershed west of the Hudson River. "Planning and Funding Stormwater Projects in the Watershed" will address NYC and NYS regulations as they apply to construction projects in the Watershed, and how the CWC's Stormwater Retrofit and Future Stormwater Programs can help pay for design and implementation of these projects. NYC DEP and CWC Stormwater Program Staff will be the presenters.

### CWC Stormwater Grant Applications due Oct. 1

Applications are now available from the Catskill Watershed Corporation (CWC) for grants to fund the design, construction, and maintenance of stormwater treatment practices to address existing runoff that is degrading water quality. Deadline for submission of proposals is October 1, 2015.

The Stormwater Retrofit Program provides funds to municipalities, businesses and individuals to correct conditions that are causing erosion or pollutant loading from existing impervious surfaces in the New York City Watershed west of the Hudson River.

Grants of up to \$50,000 are also available to municipalities to conduct or update community-wide assessments of existing stormwater infrastructure to identify and prioritize potential retrofit projects.

This is the first of five rounds of renewed Stormwater Retrofit Grant funding, which has not been available for several years.

Program rules, applications and instructions can be found at [www.cwconline.org](http://www.cwconline.org), go to Programs/Stormwater. Contact Program Specialist Kim Ackerley at 845-586-1400 for more information. Proposals will be evaluated by CWC and NYC DEP staff, and will be approved by the full CWC Board of Directors in December.

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The CWC is a non-profit, Local Development Corporation responsible for several environmental protection, economic development and education programs in the New York City Watershed West of the Hudson River.

### Continuing to "Build a Better Ulster County" County Executive Mike Hein Expands the Unprecedented Infrastructure Investment Program- Glenford-Wittenberg Road In Woodstock Is The First Additional Project And Will Be Repaved In August



Ulster County Executive Mike Hein announces that the highly successful "Building a Better Ulster County" program will be expanded to include additional projects. The program provides for an unprecedented investment of \$15 million in repairing, upgrading and replacing county roads and bridges and will now include additional projects with no increase in the budgeted cost. This inclusion was made possible by close project oversight, leveraged procurement and construction efficiencies achieved by the County's Department of Public Works. The many projects already completed have been designed beyond traditional construction and repair, and instead make roads safer by widening road shoulders for pedestrian and bike use and use new geo-stabilization technology to reinforce vulnerable road foundations to protect against damage from events such as hurricanes and prevent potential collapses in the

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future. The resurfacing of a 2.3 mile stretch of Glenford-Wittenberg Road in Woodstock is the first additional project made possible by cost savings achieved by the "Building A Better Ulster County" infrastructure initiative with construction scheduled to begin today and be completed in approximately two weeks.

"County roads and bridges in Ulster County are getting dramatically better, and through strong project management we are able to do even more than was originally planned. This is an unprecedented project as we are in the midst of the largest single year infrastructure investment in Ulster County's history," said County Executive Mike Hein. "Our Department of Public Works team has been amazing in completing this enormous task. Thanks to their ability to complete the work on time and under budget, we are now able to pave additional miles of roads, and we are starting in the Woodstock area."

**Donald Gregorius, Ulster County Legislator** "The results of County Executive Hein's "Building A Better Ulster County" program are being seen all across the County," said Ulster County Legislator Donald Gregorius. "I want to commend the County Executive for making this important investment in our infrastructure which has been ignored far too long yet is so important to the economic well-being of Ulster County."

**Jeremy Wilber, Town of Woodstock Supervisor** "I want to thank County Executive Mike Hein for making this investment in Woodstock, he understands the importance of safe roads for our community," said Town of Woodstock Supervisor Jeremy Wilber. "I am sure that I speak on behalf of all of Woodstock when I say that this important upgrade to our infrastructure is greatly appreciated."

In 2015, 7 bridges will be repaired/replaced and 51.8 miles of county roads will be reconstructed and repaved under the Building a Better Ulster County program. The repaving projects include a 13.9 mile stretch of Lucas Avenue, from Route 209 to the City of Kingston. The Ulster County Department of Public Works is also continuing its regularly scheduled road maintenance and repaving projects which include an additional 37.2 miles of roadwork to be completed this year. In total, Ulster County will be repaving/resurfacing more than 89 miles of county roads in 2015, over 20% of all county roads in a single year.

### "Poetry of a Watershed Stream,"

"Poetry of a Watershed Stream," a short film highlighting the beauty of Catskill Mountain waterways, will premiere at the Catskill Great Outdoors Experience Festival to be held August 15 and 16 at the Maurice D. Hinchey Catskill Interpretive Center, Mt. Tremper. The film will play continuously throughout the two-day event.

Filmmaker Tobe Carey's six-and-a-half minute production focuses on one feeder stream for the Ashokan Reservoir. The stream stands for the beauty of all Watershed creeks and rivers and emphasizes the need to keep them clean. The film was edited from more than 4600 clips of audio and video collected between August 2014 and August 2015, along with selected materials recorded in previous years.

The four-season imagery speaks for itself, enhanced by the song "Catskill Thunder," composed by the late Artie Traum, and performed by Artie Traum, Molly Mason and Jay Ungar on the CD, The Catskill Collection. A brief call to action drives home the message of the film.

The film will be offered free of charge to schools, libraries and groups in the Ashokan Watershed and will be available online for free downloading. "Poetry of a Watershed Stream" is the perfect short film to set the tone for water conferences, stream management meetings and public gatherings.

"Poetry of a Watershed Stream" was produced and directed by Tobe Carey of Willow Mixed Media, producers of "Deep Water," an award-winning documentary about the building of the Catskill Water Supply of the New York City Water System. Both projects were funded in part by the Catskill Watershed Corporation in partnership with the New York City Department of Environmental Protection. Willow Mixed Media has also produced popular local history films, "The Catskill Mountain and The World Around," "Sweet Violets," and "Rails to the Catskills" and can be found online at [willowmixedmedia.org](http://willowmixedmedia.org).



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The Family Memoir, PROSILIO... in Greek means "Toward the Sun," was written by Carol Olsen LaMonda. Carol writes the column "The Olive Jar" for *Ye Olde Tri-Valley Townsman*. This local author has been busy guesting at book clubs who have chosen this local memoir as their book choice. As summer approaches, the story of a carefree vacation in the Catskills should be added to your summer "must-read" list. The memoir is available at Amazon or Barnes and Noble on-line as a soft or hard cover or as a downloadable e-book for Nook or Kindle. Go to [amazon.com](http://amazon.com) or [barnesandnoble.com](http://barnesandnoble.com) and type in *Prosilio* in the search to order your copy of *Prosilio*

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### UC Continues to Lead the Way in Environmental Stewardship and Has Been Awarded a \$500,000 Energy Efficiency Grant from Central Hudson -

*The Grant Will Be Used To Upgrade Lighting Systems In County Buildings, Reducing Power Usage and Saving Taxpayers Money*

Kingston, N.Y. - Ulster County Executive Mike Hein announced the award of an energy efficiency grant worth over \$500,000 from Central Hudson. The grants will provide for the installation of high efficiency LED lighting systems at county facilities which will conserve 632,754 kWh of electricity each year, which translates into an annual savings of over \$82,000 for taxpayers.

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"I am proud of what we have accomplished in Ulster County; but our work is not done," said County Executive Mike Hein. "Already, 100% of our electricity comes from renewable sources and we are the only net carbon neutral county government in New York State. Now with this efficiency grant, we can replace inefficient lighting systems throughout county facilities and reduce our carbon footprint even further. In addition to the environmental benefit, we will save over \$82,000 a year going forward which will benefit our taxpayers. We expect to complete the work this year."



Amanda LaValle, Coordinator, Ulster County Department of the Environment - "The County Executive has placed a top priority on helping our environment while simultaneously protecting taxpayers," said Amanda LaValle, Coordinator, Ulster County Department of the Environment. "Even though the County already purchases all of its electric from renewable sources, it is still important to reduce energy consumption. This grant not only allows us to significantly reduce our lighting energy consumption but also reduces costs and expenses."

The Central Hudson grant, which totals \$517,125.00, covers the entire cost of the purchase of the LED lighting systems, as well as the installation which will be done by GreenLeaf Energy at thirteen county locations including the County Office Building and the Ulster County Law Enforcement Center. The electricity saved by the upgrades is the equivalent to the amount of electricity used by 60 residential homes in a year.





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**Statement from Ulster County Executive Mike Hein on the Passing of Gold Star Mother Marie Kennedy**



"It is with profound sadness and a heavy heart that I learned of the passing of Marie Kennedy, a lifelong resident of Kingston. Ulster County's oldest Gold Star Mother, her son John Senor was killed in action in Vietnam, and a staunch advocate for Veterans, she was a pillar of our community and will be deeply missed. She touched so many of our lives with her grace, dignity and sense of humor and I had the honor and privilege of having known her. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends during this difficult time. Consistent with Mrs. Kennedy's devotion to helping others, her family suggests that expressions of sympathy in lieu of flowers may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project. She truly was a special human being."

**Weather FORECAST**

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HIGH: 82°F LOW: 63°F

**The Biggest Ever Night Out in Fallsburg**

"This looks like the biggest turnout ever," said Town of Fallsburg Supervisor Steve Vegliante as he thanked the hundreds of people at the Annual Fallsburg Night Out against Crime that was part of the 32nd National Night Out (NNO) involving 16,540 communities around the country. The Supervisor acknowledged the organizers for bringing so many people together in a display of community spirit. Police Chief Simmie Williams echoed Vegliante and expressed what so many at Brian Ingber Park felt: "This is about keeping our children safe and having families celebrating together." NNO's focus is for young people to make good decisions in their lives, to obey the laws, to respect adults, strengthen neighborhood spirit, and to stay away from crime and drugs.



One of the many dozens of happy families that attended the evening's event: In the back are father Benjamin Santos and mother Fiorella Santos; in the front left to right are Benjamin Jr, Jennifer and Marilyn.

Many companies and individuals supported the success of the evening with donations of time, money and materials. To name a few are Kathy Kreiter and husband John who did the barbecuing; M&B Associates and Nat Kagan Company for providing the meats; Stewart's Shoppes for water, snacks, and supplies; Shop-Rite for donating salads, snacks, and several staff; the Hurleyville Fire Department for discounting and setting up two large tents to protect the social service agencies speaking with families and the people enjoying the food; Pepsi-Cola for their truck filled with soft drinks; Police Officer Chris Rosa with Police Dog Cobra; and Greg Bennett and the Fallsburg Parks and Recreation Department;

The main organizer of the event for the past eleven years is the Fallsburg Community Coalition (FCC), with the full support of the Fallsburg Police Benevolent Association, the Town of Fallsburg, and the Fallsburg Central School District. FCC, through Charles Davis and Barbara Durbak, acknowledge the dozens of volunteers, over twenty service agencies with information for families; organizations and individuals that provided beautiful gift baskets and other items for raffle prizes; those who organized three hours of great basketball competition among the boys and girls; DJ Lisa Love; Upstate Karate; Lisa Tracy Zumba; and the many people that literally and figuratively served food, drinks, and happiness to make the evening of August 4, 2015 a memorable night out!

**A Reminder from Cooper-**

**The "Grahamsville Little World's Fair" starts this Friday**



Cooper is up to his usual, and asked owner, Bob Drown me to send us a few pictures and to remind everyone that the "Grahamsville Little World's Fair" starts this Friday and that the Annual Car Show will be held on Sunday in the horse rink from 12 noon - 4 pm. The Grahamsville Little World's Fair, will take place at the fairgrounds in Grahamsville, NY in Sullivan County, is the longest running independent fair in New York State. Now in its 136th year, the fair features agricultural shows, tasty food, games, entertainment, rides for all ages, and a whole lot more.





## Equestrian Day Campers at Frost Valley YMCA Show Off New Skills



Among the various Day Camp programs offered at Frost Valley YMCA, Equestrian Camp is quite popular with local families. On Thursday, August 6, day campers in the six-week Western Adventures program showed off their new horseback riding skills at an afternoon performance set to music in the Frost Valley Equestrian Arena.

Younger campers guided their horses two-by-two walking, trotting, and weaving alongside each other, demonstrating their guidance skills. A second act featured older riders, who performed more advanced techniques such as bringing horses to a canter (faster than most horses' trot but slower than a gallop) and agility exercises.

The Western Adventure Six-Week Session at Frost Valley is for campers entering grades five and up who are looking to improve their riding skills and horsemanship abilities. Campers are given the opportunity to work with the same staff and horses throughout the session, as they progress and learn new skills each week. Western Adventure campers still enjoy participating in traditional camp activities (swimming in Lake Cole, games, and other fun), however, the focus of the program is on horses.

Although this program has ended, families interested in introducing children to the world of horses can still register for the Pony Camp B session of Day Camp. This program runs from August 31-September 1 and is for children entering grades K-3.

Pony Campers will enjoy pony rides, and learn about grooming, horse care, and more. Arts and crafts, treats, and games are centered on a horse theme, and campers still get to enjoy traditional camp activities. (Pony Camp is designed for campers with little or no horse experience.)

Spots are still open in Frost Valley's inaugural Farm Day Camp, also taking place August 31-September 1 on Frost Valley's 515-acre working farm. Campers entering grades K-8 learn how to grow and harvest food, create farm-to-table recipes, care for animals, and more.

Families interested in sending their children to Day Camp can register online at [FrostValley.org](http://FrostValley.org) or by calling 845-985-2291.

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## Adrienn Kantor and Erika Allen Perform "An Evening of Chamber Music"

For the third concert in its 2015 series, the Shandee Music Festival welcomes, Adrienn Kantor, flute and Erika Allen, piano, for "An Evening of Chamber Music" on Thursday, August 20, 2015.



Adrienn Kantor, an internationally acclaimed and prize-winning flautist, has performed in 11 countries over the past five years. She has toured with prestigious orchestras and performed at Alice Tully Hall, NYC, Shanghai Grand Theater, National Center for the Performing Arts in Beijing, Mariinsky Theater in St. Petersburg, Great Hall of Moscow Conservatory, Konzerthaus Vienna, and Konzerthaus Berlin. Ms. Kantor appeared at Carnegie Hall at the age of 19, and was praised by Eugene Chan of examiner.com for "her graceful adornment in the slow movement of the Brahms Double Concerto." As a soloist, she recently performed Carl Reinecke's Flute Concerto with the American Symphony Orchestra, where Kevin T. McEneaney of The Millbrook Independent said she "excelled in nuance, tone, and poetic edge."

Ms Kantor is a prize winner of the New York Flute Club's Competition and the Bard Conservatory's Concerto Competition. After winning two competitions at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, she was invited to play two flute concertos in 2015 with the RCS orchestra in Glasgow. Currently pursuing her Master of Music degree at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, Ms. Kantor is participating in the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra's mentoring scheme. She holds a Bachelor of Music in Flute Performance from the Bard Conservatory and a Bachelor of Arts in German Studies from Bard College.

Erika Allen began her musical studies at age 7. She received her Master's Degree in collaborative piano from Juilliard, and while there, she was awarded the Irene Diamond Graduate Fellowship, James Friskin Scholarship, and Howard & Ethel B. Ross Piano Scholarship. Ms. Allen's Bachelor's Degree is from Oberlin Conservatory where she soloed in 2006 with one of Oberlin's chamber orchestras after winning the school's Mozart Piano Concerto Competition. In the spring of 2008, she completed a Master's Degree at the New England Conservatory.

Ms. Allen has served as a staff pianist for Sejong International Music Festival at the Curtis Institute, Bowdoin Music Festival, Juilliard, New England Conservatory, and Boston Conservatory. In past summers, she has attended Kneisel Hall Chamber Music Festival, Banff, Eastern Music Festival, and Bowdoin International Music Festival. She is currently on the faculty at Bard College in New York.

The program for "An Evening of Chamber Music" with Adrienn Kantor and Erika Allen will feature Pour in voquer Pan by Claude Debussy, Fantasie by Phillippe Gaubert, Sonata by Poulenc, Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso by Camille Saint-Saens, and Sonata for Flute and Piano by

Sergei Prokofiev.

All performances in the Sunset Concert Series begin at 8 p.m., and each concert will be followed by a specialty dessert reception. The Shandee Music Festival Sunset Concert Pavilion is located at 442 J. Young Road, Livingston Manor.

Concert tickets are \$30 for adults, \$25.00 for Shandee Music Festival members and \$10.00 for students 17 and under. Advanced concert reservations are required by calling 845-439-3277. Online reservations can be made at <http://www.shandee.org/concerts/tickets.htm>.

About the Shandee Music Festival: Founded in 1993, the Shandee Music Festival is the manifestation of a love for the arts and the recognition of the human spirit. A private, not-for-profit organization, the Shandee Music Festival's philosophies and goals provide for the further development and nurturing of an individual's creativity and passion for music while enriching the cultural community of Sullivan County.





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**LESSON 24: The Complete Subject and Complete Predicate**

*"When you really know somebody you can't hate them. Or maybe it's just that you can't really know them until you stop hating them."* -Orson Scott Card

A sentence can be divided into the complete subject and the complete predicate. The complete subject consists of all of the words that tell who or what the sentence is about. The complete predicate consists of the verb and all of the words that tell what happened in the sentence. Every word in a sentence is part of that sentences complete subject or complete predicate.

The easiest way to identify these two parts is to first identify the simple parts and then separate the sentence between them. Sometimes a word or a phrase will be between the simple subject and simple predicate. Just ask if the word or phrase adds meaning to the subject or the verb and you'll have your answer. If it is the subject is is part of the complete subject, if it adds meaning to the verb then it is part of the complete predicate.

Beware inverted sentences or those with adverb prepositional phrases.

Underline the complete subject in each sentence.

1. River looks much taller next to her piano.
2. Maureen's new car is a white Subaru Impreza.
3. The beat up, old truck belongs to Thorn.

Underline the complete predicate in each sentence.

1. Anchovies and herring always smell tasty to me because I'm both Sicilian and Swedish.
2. From the sky dove the large, blue heron.
3. The pointy faced fellow in the white hat and trenchcoat is spying on the pointy faced fellow in the black hat and trenchcoat.

The answers to this lesson will be in the next installment of The English Language. If you want to see the answers now, go to: [workadaywriter.com/lesson24](http://workadaywriter.com/lesson24) and scroll to the bottom of the content.

Answers to last week's questions: Compound Subject/Compound Predicate: the stage lights and the house lights/blew, Squirrels and chipmunks/eat, Coffee and tea/are tasty and have caffeine, Birds and airplanes/fly

**"Mr. Holmes" Starring Ian McKellen, Laura Linney at Callicoon Theater**

Delaware Valley Arts Alliance and the Callicoon Theater present Bill Condon's Mr. Holmes (PG) starring Ian McKellen and Laura Linney.



Mr. Holmes is a new twist on the world's most famous detective. 1947, an aging Sherlock Holmes (Ian McKellen) returns from a journey to Japan, where, in search of a rare plant with powerful restorative qualities, he has witnessed the devastation of nuclear warfare. Now, in his remote seaside farmhouse, Holmes faces the end of his days tending to his bees, with only the company of his housekeeper (Laura Linney) and her young son (Milo Parker). Grappling with the diminishing powers of his mind, Holmes comes to rely upon the boy as he revisits the circumstances of an unsolved case involving a beautiful woman.

The film is directed by Bill Condon, who helped launch McKellen's modern film career with Gods and Monsters in 1998.

Mr. Holmes will screen Friday, August 21 through Thursday, August 27, nightly at 7:30 p.m., with matinees at 2 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. The Callicoon Theater is located at 30 Upper Main St, Callicoon, NY. Admission is \$10.50 (\$8.50 admission on Mondays and matinees) and \$7 for children under 12 at all shows.

CineArt is a partnership between Delaware Valley Arts Alliance and the Callicoon Theater that promotes and screens independent, foreign, and art films. A percentage of the profits and \$1 per person from ticket sales benefit the programs and services of the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, the Arts Council for Sullivan County. For more information, call (845) 887-4460 or visit [www.DelawareValleyArtsAlliance.org](http://www.DelawareValleyArtsAlliance.org)

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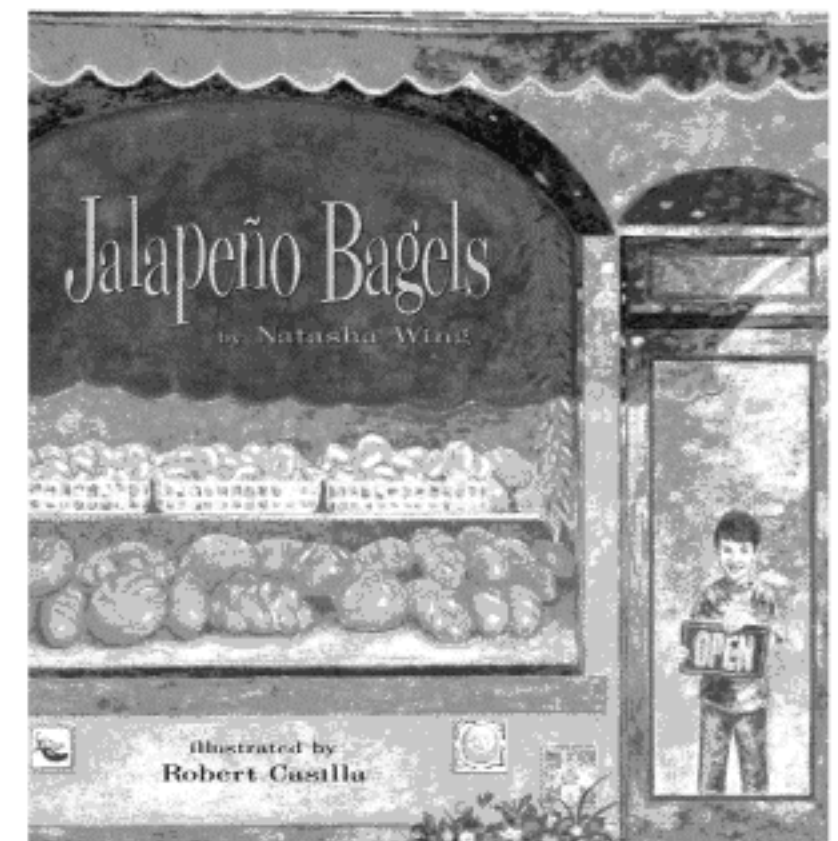


Sprague & Killeen is in the process of collecting school supplies for its annual drive to benefit the Ellenville Central School District. Paper, pens, pencils, highlighters, notebooks, glue sticks, boxes of tissues, crayons, supply boxes, book bags are all needed. If you would please consider dropping off a donation at our office at 116 Canal Street, Ellenville, the result will be a grateful child.

*Dwight and Ginger Coombe with the 15 boxes of supplies collected last year!!*

For arrangements with pickup please call Jamie Brooks at 647-9100 ext. 110 or email at [jamiebrooks@sprague-killeen.com](mailto:jamiebrooks@sprague-killeen.com) Dwight Coombe, CIC, President will deliver the supplies on Thursday, September 3. Feel great about ensuring that a child starts the school year off great with the tools they need to succeed! Sprague & Killeen thanks you in advance for your generosity!

**STORYWALK® Along Broadway in Monticello**



Starting Monday, August 10, you can walk along Broadway in Monticello and enjoy a children's book along the way! The Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library has created a StoryWalk® that can be enjoyed by the entire community. A StoryWalk® is a fun, educational activity that places the pages from a children's book along a popular walking path. It combines reading a children's book with the benefits of walking outdoors with friends and family. StoryWalks® created by the library will be rotated seasonally, and the first one is up in time for the Monticello Bagel Festival!

The chosen book for the StoryWalk is *Jalapeno Bagels*, written by Natasha Wing and illustrated by Robert Casilla. The book celebrates diversity and family. After reading the story, kids can stop by the library for a jalapeno bagel recipe.

For more information on the StoryWalk® along Broadway, please contact Joanna the library: 845-794-4660 ext. 8. For a full list of library programs, please visit [www.ebcrawfordlibrary.org](http://www.ebcrawfordlibrary.org), or pick up a program calendar at the library. The StoryWalk® Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Vermont Bicycle & Pedestrian Coalition and the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. *Jalapeno Bagels* was reproduced by permission of the publisher, Atheneum Books for Young Readers, New York, N.Y.

**Mark Ruffalo and special guests Natalie Merchant and Jon Bowermaster Celebrated 100% Leadership and RenewableNY and Supported The Solutions Project at the Catskill Brewery**



Local, refreshing beer and samples of great food were enjoyed by guests at one of the country's greenest breweries, the Catskill Brewery on Old Rte 17, Livingston Manor, NY.

Families and friends mingled this past Saturday, listened to good music and inspiring words from The Solutions Project co-founder, Mark Ruffalo and Executive Director Sarah Shanley Hope, while supporting work to transition New York to a renewable future. Guests soaked in the good vibes of the Catskills and celebrated the seven 100% Leadership Fund award winners in NY who are making clean energy more accessible and affordable for their communities.

Half of all proceeds from beverage and food sales went to the 100% Leadership Fund, a part of The Solutions Project.

Renewable NY is a program of the Catskill Mountainkeeper located at 47B Main St, Livingston Manor, New York 12758.



### Congressman Gibson named Friend of the National Parks (From Pg. 1)

He was recognized for his support of legislation that upholds the standards and integrity of the National Park System. "The scenic and cultural resources of our National Parks not only stir the soul, they give us a deeper connection to the rural landscape that saw the birth of the United States," said Congressman Gibson. "This network of open spaces and historic sites is also a vital component of our outdoor economy. I am honored to be an advocate in Congress for programming that brings more people into contact with these national treasures."

### Ulster Gets High Marks for Low Stress - Again

#### County Comptroller Applies State's Fiscal Stress Test to County Operations

Kingston, NY (August 6, 2015) - Ulster County Comptroller Elliott Auerbach has released a Quarterly Report for 2015 which subjects Ulster to a State-designed test measuring the level of fiscal stress a municipality is under. Auerbach's office was among the first in the state to utilize the test as a predictive tool when the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) released it in the fall of 2012.

"Comptroller DiNapoli has provided local government with a tool not only for municipalities in acute distress, but for those, like Ulster, who are performing well," Auerbach said. "We think it's wise to take advantage of this monitoring system and keep taxpayers informed," he continued.

The report concludes that under the scrutiny of the OSC testing standards, Ulster's fiscal position continues to be strong, and reflects sound financial management by the administration.

Within that healthy range of results, Auerbach's audit team also identifies unique factors and trends worthy of attention in ensuring continued success. According to Deputy Comptroller Joe Eriole, "the highest value of the test is to allow management to be ahead of the curve in avoiding fiscal stress. We trust our report will become just one more weapon in the Hein Administration's continued safeguarding of the County's financial resources."

The report, entitled "Ulster County Fiscal Stress Assessment", can be found at the Comptroller's website, [youreyesonulster.com](http://youreyesonulster.com), in the report section, under "Quarterly Reports."

### Governor Cuomo Highlights Savings to Craft Distilleries Across NYS Reforms implemented following summits saved over \$400,000 in fees

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced that policies implemented following the Wine, Beer, Spirits and Cider Summits have saved New York distillers over \$424,000 in fees over the past three years. These savings have been reinvested back into these small manufacturing businesses and encouraged new entrepreneurs to enter the market. In the last year alone, the number of farm distilleries has increased by more than 25 percent from 62 to 78. In 2011, New York had had only 10 such distilleries.

"New York State's beverage industry produces some of the finest wines, beers, ciders and spirits in the world and the incredible increase in the number of farm distillers these last few years is a testament to our efforts to lower costs, cut red tape and make it easier for these producers to open and grow," said Governor Cuomo. "With the small farm based beverage producers on the rise, and their products being shipped worldwide, there is no denying that New York is truly open for business."

As a result of New York's leadership in supporting the industry, the growth of small craft beverage producers is leading to increased tax revenue, job opportunities, increased demand for farm products, and a bolstered tourism impact for the state.

Regulatory and legislative reforms implemented to support the growth and development of New York craft distillers include:

- Elimination of brand label registration fee: On December 17, 2013, the Governor's legislation to exempt small batches of spirits from brand labeling fees went into effect. Since then, the State Liquor Authority has approved 1,699 no fee brand labels, providing \$424,750 in savings for craft distilleries.

- Elimination of duplicative license for farm distilleries: Prior to the 2012 Summit, farm distilleries needed a permit from the Department of Agriculture & Markets in addition to a liquor license, at a cost of \$400. At the 2012 Summit, the Governor eliminated this requirement, saving farm distillers over \$30,000.

As a result of Governor Cuomo ending the SLA's longstanding prohibition against issuing multiple licenses at the same location, 23 distilleries have

obtained multiple liquor licenses at their manufacturing facilities. Prior to this policy change, a farm distillery that wanted to produce whiskey from New York produced grain and also make rum from imported molasses needed to build one distillery for the whiskey and an entirely separate distillery for rum. In addition, since 2011 the number of micro-distillers, micro-rectifiers and fruit brandy producers has risen by over 200%, from 14 in 2011 to 46 today.

"Governor Cuomo recognized from the outset the growth potential of New York's small craft producers," said SLA Chairman Vincent Bradley. "By enacting innovative changes to the state's liquor laws, policies and regulations, in addition to slashing fees and paperwork, this administration has significantly reduced both start-up and operating costs for our manufacturers, creating jobs in our communities and new markets for local farm products."

State Agriculture Commissioner Richard A. Ball said, "Thanks to the Governor's continued efforts to expand our beverage industry, we have seen every aspect of it grow beyond expectation. New York's distilleries have reached new heights over the last few years, and the elimination of unnecessary fees and other cost-saving measures continue to support our beverage producers and boost our agricultural economy."

Brian McKenzie, President, New York State Distillers Guild said, "Since we started our business in 2008, there has been a total transformation in our relationship with state government agencies. It's refreshing to do business in an environment where the State recognizes our contributions to the economy - creating jobs, generating tax revenue, supporting agriculture and creating new tourism opportunities. The regulatory and legislative changes that have occurred over the past 4 years have helped our industry flourish and we believe there are even greater opportunities moving forward."

In October 2012, Governor Andrew M. Cuomo hosted New York's first Wine, Beer and Spirits Summit where he brought together dozens of beer, wine, cider, and spirits producers, as well as farmers, industry officials, and tourism experts. The objectives were to find ways that NYS can continue to cut red tape, increase demand for locally grown farm products, and expand industry-related tourism and economic development. Since that time, continued growth and support have brought the beverage industry an enormous amount of success. To follow the growth of the industry, please visit, <http://www.esd.ny.gov/NYSBeverageBiz.html>.

### Spinal Cord Injury Research Program Releases Funds to Continue Groundbreaking Research and Development Initiatives

(Albany, NY) - Assemblymember Kevin A. Cahill (D-Ulster, Dutchess) announced that New York State's Spinal Cord Injury Research Program (SCIRP) has awarded \$5.7 million to several health facilities across the state that specialize in cutting-edge research and clinical trials for experimental and innovative therapies, which restore functioning for people with mobility impairments and other neurological disorders. Assemblyman Cahill led the charge in securing \$8.5 million in funding for SCIRP in the 2015-2016 state budget. This round of competitive grants is also the first substantial assistance that has been made available to the medical community since monies for the cause were modestly restored in 2013.

"The work this fund has facilitated to date is breathtaking, and this nearly \$6 million sum will help

scientists and doctors move forward with vital research that has been unable to advance due to several years of limited or no assistance," said Assemblymember Cahill. "This money will allow for the expanded study of stem cell spinal implantation, as well as broader development of advanced robotic physical therapies that have shown to improve patient mobility and greatly enhance someone's quality of life."

Seven organizations have been slated to receive assistance ranging from amounts of \$340,000 to \$1.2 million. Among the recipients are: SUNY Downstate Medical Center (\$341,559); Health Research Inc., Wadsworth Center (\$442,373); Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai (\$751,353); Winifred Masterson Burke Medical Research Institute (\$899,397); City College of New York (\$990,000); Regenerative Research Foundation (\$1,097,684); and Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Yeshiva University (\$1,197,182). The allotments will be specifically used for research and experimentation related to cellular regeneration, advancements in rehabilitation methods and equipment and specialized therapeutics.

"Accident victims, people suffering from life threatening sports injuries and even wounded veterans are benefiting from the amazing work being done all over the state, from downstate locations such as NYU and the Burke Center in White Plains all the way to the University of Rochester. Funding SCIRP at its statutorily required amount has made these grants possible, and these additional resources are poised to spur even more scientific advancement and success," added Cahill.

SCIRP dollars come from a portion of a surcharge attached to fines for moving traffic violations. It has been in existence since 1998, but was stripped of its appropriation for several years due to the budget constraints attending the economic downturn of 2008. In 2013, the Assembly paved the way toward financial security by restoring \$2 million and negotiating an increase to \$7 million in the 2014-2015 state spending plan. After years of advocacy, Cahill and his colleagues were finally able to secure the full \$8.5 million appropriation for the program this past legislative session.

"I am elated that the research program is back on its feet and that our ability to peer review potential applications has been established, resulting in this year's research grant awards," said Keith Gurgui, an advocate for individuals with disabilities and a Systems Advocate at the Resource Center for Accessible Living in Kingston, New York. "None of this would have been possible if it were not for the leadership of members in both the Senate and Assembly including Assemblyman Kevin Cahill and Senator John Bonacic as well as those members of the Governor's office that gave us the opportunity to make our case for full funding of the program."

"New York is once again poised to be the pre-eminent state focused on targeted research to cure spinal cord injury," stated Nancy Lieberman, a quadriplegic and co-founder of New Yorkers to Cure Paralysis. "This never would have happened without the strong support of Assemblymember Cahill and his colleagues in the New York State Legislature, along with the deep commitment of the Department of Health to get funding swiftly to researchers."

For more information regarding this incredible research please visit the New Yorkers to Cure Paralysis website at, <http://newyorkerstocureparalysis.org/program-impact/>.

### Senator Bonacic Attends 87th Annual Sullivan County Volunteer Firefighter's Association Parade



Senator Bonacic presents a Senate Proclamation to members of the Liberty Fire Company. Pictured L-R, Past Chief Carlton Fritz, Past Chief Don Nichols, Current Chief H.G. Huggler, Past Chief Mike Chanov, and Past Chief Ben Campanaro.

Senator John J. Bonacic (R/C/I-Mt. Hope) joined members of the local community, Sullivan County fire companies, and local dignitaries at the 87th Annual Sullivan County Volunteer Firefighters Association Parade this past Saturday in Liberty, NY. This year's parade celebrated Liberty Fire Department's 145 years of service to the community. At the parade, Senator Bonacic presented a Senate Proclamation to the Liberty Fire Company, honoring them for their distinguished service to the people of Liberty and the surrounding area.



**Grahamsville Reformed Church Ladies Aid Bake Sale**  
 Saturday, September 5, 2015  
 9 am till sold out!  
**Homemade pies, cakes, cookies, brownies and assorted goodies!**  
 Grahamsville Reformed Church Hall  
 845-985-7480  
 God Bless you and thank you for your continued support!

**Meeting of Long Term Care Council**

The Long Term Care Council is the advisory board for SULLIVAN NYCONNECTS, the single Point of Entry for information on long term services and supports in Sullivan County. The next meeting of the Long Term Care Council will be Wednesday, August 19, from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the Legislative Committee Room (2nd floor) in the Sullivan County Government Center. Meetings of the Long Term Care Council are open to the public and all are welcome to attend.

For further information about the Long Term Care Council, please contact Martha Scoppa, Point of Entry Coordinator, SULLIVAN NYCONNECTS, Office for the Aging, 100 North Street, P.O. Box 5012, Monticello, New York 12701 or (845) 807-0257.

**Roundtable to Discuss Sullivan County's Economy**

Roundtable to Discuss Sullivan County's Economy At the Sullivan County Museum, Hurleyville, NY Sunday, August 23 at 2:00 P.M.

The Sullivan County Historical Society, located in the Sullivan County Museum in Hurleyville has a continuing exhibit, "The Concord Remembered". The exhibit tells the story of what was once the world's foremost resort hotel. Though The Concord no longer exists, the property is being reborn into the Montreign Resort Casino at Adelaar.

As part of the exhibit is a related roundtable discussion, "Sullivan County's Economy: A View to the

**Time and the Valleys Museum Bus Tour**  
 of the Delaware Water Supply System  
 on Saturday, September 26.  
 \$25 per person (members)  
 \$30 per person (non-members)  
 Trip begins at 8:30 a.m. with a complimentary breakfast  
 A lunch stop will be made (not included)  
**Make Your Reservations Now**

Napanoch Public Interest Group  
 Presents Their Annual Free  
**Summer Concert Series**  
 Every Wednesday at 6 pm  
 Aug 12 - Ponytails  
 Aug 19 Breakaway  
 Aug 26 Rivers Edge  
 All concerts are held at Southwyck Square located at the Shawangunk Valley Senior Center, 70 Main St., "Francis Irwin Way" Napanoch.

Vendors Wanted  
 Grahamsville Rod & Gun Club, Inc.  
**Sixth Annual Sportsman's Flea Market**  
 in association with the  
 Neversink-Rondout Antique Machinery Tractor Show & Swap Meet  
 Sat. & Sun. Sept. 19 & 20, 2015  
 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.  
 Antiques, Boating, Camping, Fishing, Trapping Equipment, Knives etc.  
 New and Used  
 Guns Allowed  
 Federal Fire Arms Dealer on grounds for Required Background Checks  
 Table space \$15.00 - Extra Table \$10.00  
 Grahamsville Fairgrounds 4-H Building  
 Refreshments Available  
 For More Information:  
 Christine Imenez (845) 798-5332 Michael Dupuy (845) 798-5723  
 Please leave a message.

Future". Of course, special emphasis will be placed on the progress of the long anticipated Casino and its projected major economic benefits to Sullivan County.

Participating in this roundtable discussion will be: Charles Degliomini, Exec. V.P., Empire resorts, Inc. Scott Samuelson, Chairman of the Sullivan County Legislature. Steve White, CEO, Industrial Development Association (IDA) Roberta Byron-Lockwood, CEO of the Sullivan County Visitor's Association

The interactions of these 4 people will stimulate discussions and expectations of how the County can look for an overall improved economy

Admission is free, but a donation is welcome. For more information call: 845 434 8044. or www.scnyhistory.org


**Claryville Fire Dept All you can eat Pancake Breakfast**



Sunday, Aug. 16  
 Serving 7:00 until Noon  
 Adults \$7  
 Children under 12, \$3  
 Under 5yrs. Free  
 \$50 from the breakfast is donated to the Claryville Reformed Church Food Pantry

**Claryville Community Yard Sale, Craft and Vendor Fair**  
 August 22nd 2015  
 10am-6pm.  
 Set-up for sellers will begin at 9am  
 Claryville Fire Dept.  
 1500 Denning Rd, Claryville NY 12725

  
**ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL MISSION**  
 The Little Church with the Big Heart  
**Sunday, 8:15 am Service of Holy Communion**  
 Music by Fred VanWagner  
 5277 State Rt. 42 South Fallsburg 845-436-7539  
 Coffee hour follows service All are welcome!  
 www.standrewsepiscopalmission.org


**Claryville Reformed Church**  
  
 Claryville Road  
 Claryville, NY 12725  
 845-985-2041  
 Bible Class 9:00 am  
 Worship Services @ 10:00 am  
 Rev. Paul Nulton  
 John Bult, Organist

**CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**  
 (Embraces Fallsburg, Neversink, Sundown and Ulster Heights)  
 6317 Rte. 42, Woodbourne, NY  
**Weekend Mass schedule:**  
 Saturday afternoon: 5:00.  
 Sunday morning: 9:00 am and 11:30 am  
**Holy days of obligation:** as announced in church bulletin.  
**Daily Mass schedule:**  
 Monday afternoon 5:45 (Holy Rosary at 5:30); Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday mornings: (includes Morning Prayer)- 8:30 am (starting Sept. 3 - 8:50 am.)  
**Saturday afternoon confessions:** 4 to 4:45.  
 Rev. John J. Lynch, Ph.D., Pastor. 434-7643.

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**TIME & THE VALLEYS MUSEUM**  
 GRAHAMSVILLE, NY  
 Saturday & Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. through Thanksgiving  
 Three floors of exhibitions, Local History Resource Center and a Museum Shop  
 Time and the Valleys Museum has copies of every Townsman printed since the beginning (1947) classified by year for anyone to research.  
 985-7700  
 timeandthevalleymuseum.org

**CrossWay Assembly of God**  
**Service Times**  
 Sunday School 9:30 am  
 Sunday Worship Service/  
 Children's Church 10:30 am  
 Monday Night Home  
 Bible Study 7 pm  
 Tuesday Night Youth Home  
 Bible Study 7 pm  
 Friday Youth Night 7 pm  
  
**Ismael Berrios**  
 Lead Pastor  
 P. O. Box 480  
 507 Hasbrouck Drive  
 Woodbourne, NY 12788  
 845-434-8263  
 Email: crosswayaog@aol.com  
 www.crosswayaog.com


**Sundown United Methodist Church**  
 Peekamoose Rd., Sundown  
 Sunday Worship Service - 8:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School - after worship (9:40 a.m.)  
 Wednesday Bible Study - 6:45 p.m.  
 Pastor: Rev. Peggy Ann Sauerhoff  
 845-985-2283  
 e-mail: Sundownumc@gmail.com  
**Grahamsville United Methodist Church**  
 Rte. 55, Grahamsville  
 Sunday Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School for grades k-7 - 10:30a.m.  
 Mid-week Bible Study opportunities available!  
 For information contact Rev. Peggy Ann Sauerhoff 845-985-2283  
 e-mail: Grahamsvilleumc@gmail.com

**Loucks Funeral Home**  
**Geoff and Heather Hazzard & Anthony Perito**  
 79 North Main Street  
 Ellenville, New York  
 (845) 647-4343

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 Serving Sullivan County Since 1896  
 66 John Street, Monticello, New York (845) 794-2700  
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 Route 55, Kauneonga Lake, New York (845) 583-5445

  
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 888-856-8619 845-434-7363  
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 WWW.COLONIAL-MONUMENT.COM

**Covered Dish Supper**  
**Covered Dish Supper**  
 August 1, 2015  
 at 5:30 pm at the Sundown United Methodist Church Hall  
 Annual Chicken BBQ  
 Sept 12, 2015

  
**Grahamsville United Methodist Church**  
**July 7, 2015**  
 Thrift Sale & Boutique  
 9 am-1 p.m.  
 Luncheon 11 am p.m.  
**Third Saturday Thrift Sale & Boutique**  
 9 am - 1 pm  
 July 18, 2015

**St. Augustine's Chapel**  
 Watson Hollow Rd. • West Shokan, NY  
 Sunday Mass - 9:30 am  
 Holy Days 5:30 pm  
 Penance 9:00 am, 2nd Sunday of the month  
 Rev. George W. Hommel, Pastor

**Grahamsville Reformed Church**  
 Sunday School 9:30 A.M.  
 Worship Service 9:30 A.M.  
 Rev. Paul Z. Ruter, Pastor  
 845-985-7480



**PUBLIC NOTICES/LEGALS:**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The following positions are available at Tri-Valley Central School for 2015 - 2016

**2 Part-Time Aides  
Start Date 9/8/15**

Interested parties should submit letter of interest or application to:  
Mr. Robert Peters, SS Principal, Tri-Valley Central School District  
34 Moore Hill Road, Grahamsville, New York 12740  
(845)985-2296 ext. 5302

Final date for receiving applications/letters of interest: 8/13/15

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Full-Time 1:1 Special Education Aide  
Start Date 9/8/15

**Job Description:**

- provide individual assistance with student academic and behavioral performance, class work, homework, testing and communication.
- provide assistance monitoring medical conditions, physical needs, personal care, possible feeding, toileting.
- support inclusion, socialization and independence within the school setting
- maintain confidentiality of student records and information,

It is requested that applicants commit to positions for the entire school year. If unable to complete school year, we ask aides to provide the District with ample notice.

Interested parties should submit letter of interest or application to:  
Ms. Christine Snow, Director of Pupil Personnel Services, Tri-Valley Central School District  
34 Moore Hill Road, Grahamsville, New York 12740  
(845)985-2296 ext. 5308

Final date for receiving applications/letters of interest: 8/13/15

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The following position is available at Tri-Valley Central School:

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2015-16 Leave Replacement

ES Special Education Teacher

NYS Certification Required

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Interested parties should apply on OLAS or submit letter of interest and resume to:  
Ms. Christine Snow, Director of Pupil Personnel Services  
Tri-Valley Central School District  
34 Moore Hill Road  
Grahamsville, New York 12740  
(845)985-2296 ext. 5308

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**87th Annual Sullivan County Volunteer Firefighter's Association Parade Trophy List**

1. Blue Ribbon Trophy Forestburg FD Fire Company
2. Best Appearing Large Dress Company (20 & over)- Loch Sheldrake FD
3. 2nd Best Appearing Large Dress Company (20 & over)-White Sulphur Springs FD
4. Best Appearing Small Dress Company-Bloomingsburg FD
5. 2nd Best Appearing Small Dress Company -Summitville FD
6. Best Appearing Large Regulation Company (20 & over)-Roscoe-Rockland FD
7. 2nd Best Appearing Large Regulation Company (20 & over)-Rock Hill FD
8. Best Appearing Small Regulation Company-Hurleyville FD
9. 2nd Best Appearing Small Regulation Company -Kauneonga Lake FD
10. Most Firefighters in the Line of March (In - County) -Roscoe-Rockland FD

**Auxiliary**

11. Best Appearing Auxiliary Large

- Company (11 & over)-White Sulphur Springs FD
12. 2nd Best Appearing Auxiliary Large Company (11 & over) -Rock Hill FD
13. Best Appearing Auxiliary Small Company -Bloomingsburg FD
14. 2nd Best Appearing Auxiliary Small Company -Hurleyville FD

**Apparatus**

15. Best Appearing Antique Apparatus - Out of County - over 25 years-No -one qualified
16. Best Appearing Apparatus - Out of County - 11-25 years - In- Service Jackson Hose
17. Best Appearing Apparatus - Out of County, 10 yrs & under - In-Service-Suffern H& L Company
18. Best Appearing Antique Non-Motorized Apparatus - 20 yrs & older - In County - Not in Service-Roscoe-Rockland FD
19. Best Appearing Antique Motorized Apparatus - 20 yrs & older - In County - Not in Service-Woodbourne FD
20. Best Appearing Apparatus, 20 yrs & older, In Service-Swan Lake FD
21. 2nd Best Appearing Apparatus, 20 yrs & older - In Service-White Sulphur Springs FD

22. Best Appearing Apparatus - 11-19 yrs - In Service-Loch Sheldrake FD
23. 2nd Best Appearing Apparatus - 11-19 - In Service-Rock Hill FD
24. Best Appearing Apparatus - 10 yrs & under - Min. 6 mo. in service -Swan Lake FD
25. 2nd Best Appearing Apparatus - 10 yrs & under - Min. 6 mo. in service- Hurleyville FD

**Out of County**

26. Best Appearing Out of County Company (Out of County)-Jackson Hose
27. Most Firefighters in the Line of March (Out of County) -Jackson Hose
28. Furthest Distance Traveled (Fire Company)- Jackson Hose

**Ambulance**

29. Best Appearing Ambulance Corps.-Rock Hill Volunteer Amb. Corps
30. 2nd Best Appearing Ambulance Corps.-Grahamsville First Aid Squad

**Color Guard**

31. Best Appearing Color Guard-Jackson Hose Bands
32. Best Appearing Musical Organization- Walker Valley Marching Band
33. 2nd Best Appearing Musical Organization Tappen Zee Bridgemen

**Sullivan County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event!**

A Sullivan County Household Waste Collection Event sponsored by the Sullivan County Division of Public Works will be held on SUNDAY, August 30, 2015 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM at MONTICELLO TRANSFER STATION / SCALE HOUSE AREA.

Proof of Residency (2 Forms of ID) Required for Event Admission!

**ACCEPTABLE ITEMS:** Solvents, oil-based paints, antifreeze, pool chemicals, acids, bases, fluorescent bulbs, cleaning products, mercury-containing de-vices, pesticides/herbicides, automotive batteries, roofing tar, wood preservatives, adhesives, creosote, stains and inks.

**UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS:** NO Radioactive materials, explosives, ammunition, electronics, consumer batteries, fire extinguishers, LP/gas tanks, medical waste, refrigeration devices, latex paint. NO commercial or agricultural waste.

This Program is made possible by the Sullivan County Legislature

HHW Event pre-registration procedure for 2015: All participants MUST pre-register by calling 845-807-0291 prior to August 26, 2015, between 9 AM-3 PM Mon.-Fri. If you get the voicemail message, please leave your name, address, phone number and list of HHW materials to be disposed of.

**Sullivan County Chamber of Commerce Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting of We Care Medical Transportation Service**

We Care Transportation Services is excited to announce their grand opening and ribbon cutting at 60 Jefferson Street, Monticello, NY parking lot on August 19, 2015 at 6:00PM followed by light refreshments and cocktails at Albella's Restaurant.

We Care Transportation Services is a minority owned business that will be on call 24/7 to provide for the medical and non-medical transportation needs of our community. We pride ourselves on Safety and Comfort with our late model minivans and clean and professional drivers.

We are available for all of your transportation needs including airport drop offs and pickups as well as Medicaid, Fidelis, Hamaspik, cash, and credit card calls. Call us for your Bethel Woods events too!

dispatch@wecaremedicaltransport.com  
845-794-4700



**The Colonial Inn** **\$1 OFF**  
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*Family Style Buffet*

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Southern Fried Chicken • Chicken Breast in a Wine Sauce  
Broiled Flounder • Baked Eggplant Parmesan • Pasta Alfredo  
Garlic & Oil Pasta • Baked Ziti  
Italian Meatballs • Red Cabbage  
Swedish Meatballs • Creamy Mashed & Roasted Potatoes  
Vegetables • Large Salad Bar  
Homemade Desserts & Ice Cream

**Bed & Breakfast with a Full Bar**

**305 Main Street, Pine Hill, NY • (845) 254-5577**



**Town of Neversink Parks & Recreation**

[www.townofneversink.org](http://www.townofneversink.org)

Call for info: (845) 985-2262 extension 312

**Mad Science Camp** Aug 24 to Aug 29 at the Grahamsville Fairgrounds - 9 am to noon: 1/2 session \$160 per child; 9 am to 4 pm Full Day Session \$295. Sign up at [www.midhudson.madscience.org](http://www.midhudson.madscience.org)

**Driving Miss Daisy Forestburgh Playhouse** - Wed., Sept 2. \$30 Neversink Residents and Tri-Valley Students/ \$50 non-residents. Must be paid ASAP. Includes show and lunch

**Crafts & Tour of Lyndhurst Mansion** Sat., Sept 19 Leave Town Hall 9 am return approx 6 pm. \$20 Neversink Residents & Tri-Valley School Students/\$40 non residents. Must be paid A/S/A/P **STILL A FEW TICKETS LEFT!**

**Transportation to NYC** Sat., Dec 5. Leave Town Hall 8 am return approx 8 pm. \$22. Must be paid by Nov. 20



**Daniel Pierce Library** hours of operation beginning September 1, 2011.  
 Tuesday: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
 Thursday: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
 Friday: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
 Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday and Monday: Closed  
 If you have any questions, please call the library at 985-7233.

The Library Board of Trustees meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month. On occasion, a meeting date is changed. Please call ahead to confirm.

**VETERANS** always Free search of the Archives for family or history of Sullivan County at the **Sullivan County Museum**, 265 Main St., Hurleyville, NY. For information call 845-434-8044.

**AL-ANON MEETINGS** - <http://www.al-anon.alateen.org>  
**Mon- 7:00 p.m.** United Methodist Church, 170 N. Main Street, Liberty  
**Thurs- 7:00 p.m.** Immaculate Conception Church Annex, 6317 Rt 42, Woodbourne  
**Sat- 8:00 p.m.** United Methodist Church, 170 N. Main Street, Liberty

**All Aboard!**  
**Join the Fun!**  
**Play Mexican Train**  
 FREE FUN every FRIDAY 1-4 pm in the upstairs meeting room at the Neversink Town Hall  
 Also **WANTED:** People for card games

**2015 Dept. of Motor Vehicles Schedule - Neversink Town Hall**

10:00 am - 2:30 pm

January 15th	May 14th	September 10th
February None	June 11th	October 15th
March 12th	July 16th	November 12th
April 16th	August 13th	December 10th

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- 8/13/15 Town of Neversink Motor Vehicle 10 am - 2:30 pm
- 8/13/15 Town of Denning Planning Board Meeting 7 pm
- 8/15/15 Grahamsville UMC Thrift Sale & Boutique (9:00 am-1 pm)
- 8/16/15 Claryville Fire Dept. All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast 7- Noon Claryville Fire House
- 8/17/15 Grahamsville Fire District - 7 pm
- 8/18/15 Grahamsville UMC Thrift Sale & Boutique (9:00 am-1 pm) & Luncheon(11 am - 1:00 pm)
- 8/18/15 Town of Neversink Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting - 7:30 pm
- 8/19/15 Neversink Rondout Antique Machinery Association Meeting
- 8/20/15 Neversink Fire District Commissioners Meeting 7 pm -Public Meeting 7:30 pm
- 8/22/15 Claryville Fire Department Community Yard Sale, Craft and Vendor Fair from 10am-6pm
- 9/1/15 Town of Denning Town Board Meeting - 7 pm Denning Town Hall
- 9/3/15 Claryville Fire District Meeting 6:30PM
- 9/2/15 Town of Neversink Planning Board Meeting - 7 pm
- 9/5/15 Covered Dish Supper - Sundown Methodist Church - 5:30 pm
- 9/7/15 Town of Neversink HOLIDAY - LABOR DAY
- 9/8/15 Town of Denning Town Board Business Meeting -7 pm Denning Town Hall
- 9/9/15 Town of Neversink Town Board Meeting - 7 :30 pm
- 9/10/15 Town of Denning Planning Board Meeting - 7 pm Denning Town Hall
- 9/12/15 Sundown Methodist Church Annual Chicken BBQ

**Save the Date**

**136th Grahamsville Little World's Fair** - August 14-16  
**Claryville Community Yard Sale, Craft and Vendor Fair** August 22nd 2015 10am-6pm.  
 Sportsman's Flea Market & Neversink Rondout Machinery Tractor Show & Swap Meet t/b/a

Olde Tri-Valley Townsman is available at the following retail stores and restaurants:

**TRI-VALLEY AREA**

SUNDOWN CAMP & BAIT SHOP  
 GRAHAMSVILLE DELI  
 EUREKA MARKET & CAFE  
 CANNIE D'S  
 BLUE HILL LODGE  
 3 GOLDENS

VALERO MINI MALL (Loch Sheldrake) • SC COMMUNITY COLLEGE LIBRARY  
**WOODBOURNE** - CITGO STATION • MO'S GAS STATION • P.D. SMITH ENTERPRISE  
**LIBERTY** - LIBERTY FITNESS • CHARLIE'S PIZZA • AGWAY (Liberty)  
 CLAUDIA'S BEAUTY SALON • SHOPRITE • IDEAL FOOD

**LOCATIONS in the TOWN OF OLIVE & SHANDAKEN**

Boiceville IGA • Snyder's  
 Phoenicia Gas Station • Phoenicia Pharmacy • Phoenicia Deli • Mama's Boy • Brio's  
 Emerson Resort • Phoenicia Diner • Shokan Citgo

**ELLENVILLE**

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**TOWN OF OLIVE MEETINGS ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

Unless otherwise noted, all **Town Board meetings** are held at the Town Meeting Hall, Bostock Road, Shokan at **7:00 pm.** Town Board Meetings are the **second Tuesday of each month** with the **audit/workshop meetings** being held the **Monday preceding the second Tuesday.**

**Town of Olive Planning Board** meets the **first and third Tuesdays of each month.** Meetings start at 7:30 PM at the Town Hall on Bostock Road, Shokan, NY. You can contact the Town Building & Zoning Department to confirm a meeting date if you would like to attend at 657-2015. If there is nothing on their agenda, they will cancel meetings.

**Colonial Tavern**

Fort Delaware Museum of Colonial History in Narrowsburg, NY will be hosting a Colonial Tavern themed weekend August 15 and 16, 2015. The colonial tavern was a place to eat, drink, and be social. A lecture on August 15th at 1:00pm will discuss beer brewing and how the craft has changed from the colonial era to present day. General activities within the Fort on August 16th will include pub music and discussions about the political message of the associated songs. Come explore the significance and culture of pubs in the colonial period and learn about cider, beer, tea, and pub food.

Fort Delaware is owned by Sullivan County and operated through the Division of Public Works. Operating hours are Friday, Saturday, & Monday 10:00am -5:00pm and Sunday from noon until 5:00pm through Labor Day.

For additional information please call (845) 807-0261 weekdays or (845) 252-6660 during Fort operating hours. The complete special events calendar can be accessed through the Fort Delaware webpage at [co.sullivan.ny.us](http://co.sullivan.ny.us).

**Fourth Annual Big Eddy Film Festival Announces Opening Night Selection**

The Big Eddy Film Festival is pleased to announce the official opening night selection for its fourth annual event taking place in Narrowsburg, NY September 18 to 20, 2015. The Festival opens on Friday, September 18 at 8 p.m. with the new romantic comedy/drama "Tumbledown," directed by Sean Mewshaw, written by Desi Van Til, starring Rebecca Hall & Jason Sudeikis, and co-starring Griffin Dunne and Blythe Danner.

Years after the death of her singer-songwriter husband, Hannah (Rebecca Hall, "The Prestige") has settled into a solitary life in the mountains. She spends her days in their lake-front cabin contemplating writing his biography, and indulging in a fling with a local contractor (Joe Manganiello). But a brash New York writer (Jason Sudeikis, "Saturday Night Live") disrupts her quiet existence when he arrives into town to research his own book on her late husband. Initially skeptical of his intentions, she agrees to collaborate with him on the project, leading them both to revelations about life, grief, and love. Featuring supporting performances by Dianna Agron ("Glee"), Blythe Danner, Griffin Dunne, and Richard Masur, "Tumbledown" skillfully balances real life emotions with intelligent humor. It's a story about death without being somber, and a story of love without being sappy.

The cinematography takes full advantage of the rural autumn landscape, and the haunting songs of Damien Jurado (whose sound evokes Elliott Smith, Bon Iver, and Nick Drake) bring to life the gone-too-soon musician husband.

The film premiered earlier this year at the Tribeca Film Festival, and is scheduled for a Valentine's weekend 2016

nationwide theatrical release by Starz Digital. The Big Eddy screening is a great opportunity to see the film long before its release date.

The Hollywood Reporter called "Tumbledown" "a warm, gently funny film about moving on."

Opening night film tickets are \$15. All other individual tickets are \$10. All-Access Festival passes are \$100, and include admission to a Saturday evening cocktail party and a guaranteed seat at all screenings, including opening night. Six-Packs of tickets are available for \$40 (which does not include opening night), or Six-Pack Plus for six films, plus opening night and the Saturday evening cocktail party.

All screenings take place at the Tusten Theatre, 210 Bridge Street in Narrowsburg, NY. For more information and tickets, visit [BigEddyFilmFest.com](http://BigEddyFilmFest.com) or call 845-252-7576.

**Llewellyn Sanchez-Werner Performs in the Young Artist Concert**

- One of the most highly anticipated events on the Shandee Music Festival season will take place on Saturday, August 15 when Llewellyn Sanchez-Werner performs in the 2015 "Young Artist Concert."

A 2014 Gilmore Young Artist honoree, pianist and composer Llewellyn Sanchez-Werner is the recipient of the National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts' only YoungArts gold medal for music in 2015. He also received the Atlantic Council's 2014 Young Global Citizen Award and was selected the youngest-ever Discovery Artist of the New West Symphony.

Sanchez-Werner made Juilliard history at age 14 as the youngest student ever admitted to the College Division. He has performed at the White House for President Obama and for the Presidential Inauguration concert at the Kennedy Center.

Additionally Sanchez-Werner has performed extensively in the US including Lincoln Center in New York City as well as world-wide performances in Spain, Prague, Czech Republic, Ireland, Canada, and Rwanda.

He has also collaborated with the Gershwin Family on a concert and biographical tribute to the Gershwin brothers.

Llewellyn Sanchez-Werner's August 15th Concert Program at the Shandee Music Festival will include Chromatic Fantasy and Fugue, BWV 903 by Johann Sebastian Bach, Alborada del gracioso, from Miroirs by Maurice Ravel, Sonata No. 31 Op. 110 by Ludwig van Beethoven, Polonaise-Fantaisie Op. 61 by Frédéric Chopin, Moment-Musical Op. 16, No. 1 by Sergei Rachmaninoff, and Apres une Lecture du Dante: Fantasia quasi Sonata by Franz Liszt.

All performances in the Sunset Concert Series begin at 8 p.m., and as in past years, each concert will be followed by a specialty dessert reception. The Shandee Music Festival Sunset Concert Pavilion is located at 442 J. Young Road, Livingston Manor.

Concert tickets are \$30 for adults, \$25.00 for Shandee Music Festival members and \$10.00 for students 17 and under. Advanced concert reservations are required by calling 845-439-3277. Online reservations can be made at <http://www.shandee.org/concerts/tickets.htm>.





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