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Back row: Karen Fingar (volunteer), Anna Furman (volunteer), Lion Stu Wizwer, Benjamin Wizwer (volunteer), Lion Secretary Stacey Wizwer, Lion Aaron Wizwer, Lion Claire Rennison, Veterinarian Dr. Joseph Nebzydoski, Lion Merri White
Front row: Lion Maryann Cosentino, Lion Esta Jacob, Lion Ilene Wizwer, Joshua Wizwer (volunteer), and Lion Claire Rennison

On Saturday, June 22, 2024, The Tri-Valley Lions held its first Rabies Clinic since well before Covid hit us. We are thankful to Veterinarian Dr. Joseph Nebzydoski of the Youngsville Animal Hospital who generously donated his time giving vaccines to the 29 cats and dogs who came through the Clinic which was held from 2pm to 3:30pm under The Pavilion at the Grahamsville Fairgrounds. (Contd. Pg. 4)

Aktion Club Enjoys Spring Fling Dance



Group Picture of Aktion Club Members and Advisors

On June 1, 2024, The Aktion Club of Sullivan County held their first Annual Spring Fling Dance at the Barn at The Center for Discovery in Hurleyville NY from 6:00pm-9:00pm. The theme of the dance was enchanted forest. (Contd. Pg. 4)

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More than ever, thank you for your continued support.

ON THE FRONT BURNER: I sought the Lord and he heard me and delivered me from all my fears.

Psalm 34:4

OBITUARY

Donald Edward Daggett Sr.



passed away on the afternoon of Sunday, July 7, 2024 at Bay State Hospital in Springfield, MA.

One of three boys, Donald was born to Alice B. Daggett and William O. Daggett Sr. on October 18,

1941 in Bronx, NY. He is survived by his eldest brother William O. Daggett Jr. and predeceased by his younger brother Peter B. Daggett.

Don is predeceased by his late wife Gale G. Daggett and survived by his daughter Deborah Daggett-Murphy and her husband Michael Murphy, his daughter Jennifer Allison Griswold and his son Donald E. Daggett Jr.

Don's grandchildren Joshua Allison, his wife Anna-Marie Allison and their three children Miles, Lea and Isabelle Allison, Alexander Allison Griswold, his wife Olivia Griswold and their daughter Rayna Griswold, Abigale Fedorenko, her husband Michael Fedorenko and their children Coral and Roman Fedorenko and Hannah Griswold.

At this time, no services are scheduled and the family hopes to plan a Celebration Of Life sometime in the upcoming months.

DAYS OF YORE...

Today's History

July 28, 1954

George K. Knight, 81, of Grahamsville, died July 24th at Liberty Loomis Hospital after a long illness. He was born in Youngsville August 28, 1872, the son of Nathan and Sarah Krom Knight. His wife, Sarah Walter Knight, whom he married November 30, 1897, died April 30, 1948. One son, Arthur and three grandchildren survive. He is also

survived by one sister, Mrs. Carried Barkley of Altamont; two brothers, John and Howard, both of Grahamsville.

N. Jean Bassett and Gordon V. LeRoy were united in marriage at the Methodist Church in Warrensburg, N.Y. on Saturday, July 17th. Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy will make their home in Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver Grey of Kerhonkson are the parents of a baby girl, Jane Ann, weighing 6 lbs. 1 oz., born on July 15th at the Veterans Memorial Hospital in Ellenville. Mr. and Mrs. George Christensen of Greenville are the maternal grandparents.

July 8, 1964

Mrs. Katherine A. La Polt, 81, died on July 3rd at Liberty after a long illness. She was born in Woodbourne on March 26, 1883, the daughter of Nathan and Susanne Miller Erts. She was married to James La Polt at St. Andrews Church, Ellenville on September 28, 1904. A lifelong resident of Woodbourne, Mrs. La Polt was a housewife. She belonged to the Immaculate Conception R.C. Church, Woodbourne. She is survived by four sons: Raymond, Martin and James La Polt of Woodbourne and George of South Fallsburg; a daughter, Mrs. Irene Kile of Woodbourne; two brothers, George Erts of Woodbourne and Frank Erts of Kingston.

Mrs. Robert Wood, the former Joan Grey of Napanoch, gave birth to a bouncing baby girl. The baby is named Laurie Lyn. Mrs. Dorothy Grey, the maternal grandmother, is caring for the other grandchild, Lisa.

July 17, 1974

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dice of Claryville, the proud parents of a baby boy, David Michael. He was born on July 10th at Liberty Loomis Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs. 10 oz.

Stephen Schick graduated with a B.S. Degree from the School of Industrial and Labor Relations at Cornell Univ. on June 3rd. In September he will attend law school in New York. (Contd. Pg. 3)

DAYS OF YORE...

Today's History (From Pg. 3)

July 17, 1974

His brother, Hans who attended R.I.P. on a Central Hudson scholarship, graduated last year and is now working for Central Hudson in Poughkeepsie.

July 19, 1984

Henry (Hank) Wolfe of Neversink, a member of the Neversink Fire Dept. and past Sec.-Treas. of the Board of Neversink Fire Commissioners, died unexpectedly Monday, July 16, 1984 at home. He was 75. The son of the late John and Theresa Mayer Wolfe, he was born January 4, 1909 in Welch, W. Va. A long time area resident, Mr. Wolfe was past captain of the Neversink Fire Dept. Ambulance Squad. He was a retired Chief Petty Officer with the U.S. Coast Guard. Survivors include his wife, Marion Wright Wolfe; two sons: Michael of Neversink and John of Saugerties; a stepdaughter, Lorraine Winters of Napanoch; four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

LOOKING BACK

Beatrice Akerley

Published June 27 1996

Before telephones were invented, there was a very special glue which held families and friends together – “Letter Writing”. We wrote about the things that mattered most to us. An=are we faced with future generations that will never know the joy of writing or receiving letters from family and friends?

When I was a child in the early 1900's, my parents gift to the graduate was a nice box of stationery and a book of postage stamps. This was considered a nice gift in the good old days and very much appreciated.

I have a box of letters which are yellow from age and to me are very precious, written to me by friends of long ago. When I am lonely, I take them out and read them. And I received my messages by telephone I would have forgotten them a long time ago. Am I considered old-fashioned? I still write letters.

Household Hint:

Hot Glue Bath Toys

Although fun, kids' bath toys can grow mold on the inside from excess water. Avoid the problem by sealing that hole shut with hot glue!

Nature Column - L. Comando

A tribute to the memory of all of the Townsman Ladies that we have loved so much and lost... Peggy DeWire, Avril Pappa, Joan Hall, Polly Hill, Joyce Lockhart, Jean Helthaler, Karen Curry, Barbara Slater, Shirley Davis, Hulda Vernooy and Carolyn Coombe.

Fake News– Watch Out an Earwig Doesn't Crawl in Your Ear — Fake News!!!

Taking advantage of the nice weather this past weekend I was working in the garden, pulling weeds. All of a sudden I felt a quick pinch on my hand. It was an earwig. Apparently I squeezed it when I was pulling the weeds. It wasn't very happy and let me know.

What is an Earwig! They are stinky little buggers with pincers on their back ends, that they use and can give you a quick pinch. When disturbed an Earwig will also eject a drop of smelly fluid from its body for defense. Maybe that is why Earwigs aren't particularly liked!

There are 2,000 species of earwigs worldwide, 10 native species of earwigs in the United States. It's a non-native earwig, the European earwig (*Forficula auricularia*), that most of us in North America will encounter. They eat vegetation as well as other small insects like aphids or any morsel they can grab with their pincers.

Adult Earwigs are about an inch long, dark brown, have six legs and a flexible abdomen that moves side to side.

They also have two pair of unusual wings that put them in the Dermaptera (leather wing) family.

The short hard front wings cover a bigger pair of rear wings that fold like a fan and then in half to fit under the stubby front wings. Earwigs use their pincers to stuff the folded wings away properly. It's like fitting a whole parachute into a pocketbook. Quite a difficult task for a little bug. Scientists were so impressed at how skillfully Earwigs accomplished the maneuver that they awarded them the prize name *Euplexoptera*, derived from the Greek words, “good folded wings”.

An Earwig's life begins when 20-50 white eggs are laid in a burrow in the ground and hatch two weeks later. Mother Earwigs carefully guard their eggs, tending them for weeks. Baby Earwigs look like small exact copies of their parents. Through five molts, they finally get their wings. This is called simple metamorphosis as compared to complete metamorphosis of a butterfly egg to caterpillar to pupa to butterfly.



ence of danger.

The common name ‘Earwig’ comes from an old superstition. It was believed that these insects crawled into sleeping people's ears. I guess 'fake news' existed even back then. This is absolutely not true. As for the pinch on my hand, I just rubbed the spot where I was pinched and it was fine. I have resolved the pinch was definitely not as bad as the false story claiming one of these stinky little bugs could crawl in your ear!



Tri-Valley Lions Rabies Clinic - June 22, 2024

(From Pg. 1) Several Lions and volunteers helped at the Clinic registering the animals, filling the syringes with the vaccine, giving out rabies tags, and monitoring and ushering the pets and their humans through the maze of tables. You can see all who volunteered in the accompanying photo.



We felt the turnout of animals was light, but this may be attributed to the oppressive heat on June 22nd and the fact that rabies vaccines given in past may be a 3-year vaccine, so pets may not need to be vaccinated annually. If a pet comes with a prior vaccine certificate that is good within the last 3 years, that pet can have a 3-year vaccine. Pets without proof of prior get a 1-year vaccine. Also, this was the first time we've done a Rabies Clinic on a Saturday and so early in the day. We may adjust days and times of future Rabies Clinics in the future. The good news of course is that there are now 29 fewer animals that might contract rabies, and with rabid foxes and other animals showing up in our community, this is so very important.

The Tri-Valley Lions, which was chartered in 1977, is now in our 47th year of existence, and we are always looking for new members. Just as a reminder, The Tri-Valley Lions bring in donations and funding by selling sodas from our Soda Booth for events at the

Grahamsville Fairgrounds, selling Chocolate Easter Bunnies, our Annual Journey for Sight Walk and Tag Day. Our funding allows us to continue to provide monetary and service support to Local Food Pantries, Tri-Valley School Community Service and Achievement Awards, Children's Eye Screenings, support for Diabetes, Lymphoma and Leukemia organizations, childhood cancer, WSUL Heart-A-Thon, Guiding Eyes for The Blind, and so much more. If you are interested in joining the Tri-Valley Lions or getting more information about our club, please contact Membership Chair, Pat Menje at 917-783-6253 or hvacpat69@gmail.com or President Stephen Miller at 845-798-1981 or sgrecords@hvc.rr.com

Aktion Club Enjoys Spring Fling Dance (From Pg. 1)

The theme of the dance was enchanted forest. The dress code was semi-formal, and everyone came in their

best dressed outfits. Those in attendance "danced the night away" to the tunes played by the DJ and even enjoyed doing the "electric slide". The club is a community service leadership group co-sponsored by the Kiwanis Clubs of Monticello and Woodridge providing adults living with disabilities an opportunity to develop initiative



Beautiful Aktion Club Layer Cake

and leadership skills to serve the community. The Aktion Club of Sullivan County is comprised of individuals from The Greater Hudson Valley Arc, New Hope Community and The Center for Discovery.



Welcoming Sign at Entrance of Dance Hall

Farmer's Market Coupons Available Next Week

Monticello, NY - The Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program provides an opportunity for eligible seniors to support local farmers and improve their health by increasing their consumption of locally grown fruits, vegetables, and fresh-cut herbs.

To that end, the Office for the Aging will begin distributing Farmer's Market Coupon booklets on July 10 on a first-come, first-served basis. Each booklet contains five (5) \$5 coupons, for a total of \$25. Coupons are valid through November 30, 2024 at participating Farmer's Markets.

In order to take advantage of this program, you must be a New York State resident and 60 years of age or older.



Peaches at the Monticello Farmer's Market on North Street, across from the Government Center.

You must affirm that your income is no more than

- o For a 1-person household: \$2,322 a month; or
- o For a 2-person household: \$3,152 a month; or
- o For a 3-person household: \$3,981 a month; or
- o You are currently receiving or are eligible for SSI, public assistance, SNAP (food stamps), or Section 8 housing.

You may pick up coupons at the Office for the Aging in the Government Center in Monticello between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday or at the Transportation Building, 401 Airport Road, Swan Lake, every Tuesday or Thursday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For more information, please contact the Office at (845) 807-0241 or (845) 807-0245.

Coupons will also be available at the following locations on these dates (while supplies last):

Town or Village	Market Location	Date
Monticello	Neighborhood Farmers Market, North Street across from Sullivan County Government Center	Every Thursday in July: 7/11, 7/18, 7/25 and 8/8, 8/22
Monticello	Federation for the Homeless, 9 Monticello Street	Thursday: 7/25 and 8/1
Liberty	Creekside Park Farmers Market, 117 North Main Street	Friday: 7/12, 7/19, 7/26
Mamakating	Town Hall, Route 209, Wurtsboro	Wednesday: 7/10 at 10 a.m.
Rockland	Firehouse, 93 Main Street, Livingston Manor	Wednesday: 7/18 at 12 p.m.
Jeffersonville	Callicoon Town Hall, 19 Legion St	Thursday: 7/11 at 10 a.m.
Senior Nutrition Sites	Liberty, Livingston Manor, Bethel, Jeffersonville and Mamakating	Monday, Wednesday, Friday: throughout the summer from 9-11 a.m.
Senior Housing	Livingston Manor, Monticello, Liberty and Mamakating	Call Office for the Aging for dates and times

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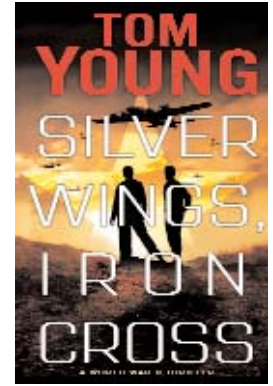
Silver Wings, Iron Cross

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by John Dwaine McKenna

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Whether you're a fan of history, action-adventure stories or hair-raising thrillers—maybe even all three, as I am—an exciting reading treat is in store for all those who get their hands on a copy of a new WWII thriller entitled, *Silver Wings, Iron Cross*, (Kensington Publishing, \$27.00, 376 pages, ISBN 978-1-4967-3040-5) by Tom Young, whose work is drawing rave reviews from all quarters.

Silver Wings, Iron Cross begins in the late fall of 1944, D-Day has been successfully pulled off in June, and the Allied Armies are fighting their way across Europe. Large parts of France as well as Belgium and the Low Countries have been liberated. From England, the U.S. Eighth Air Force is bombing the industrial heart of Germany during daylight hours, while the British Royal Air Force bombs most every night in a relentless attack aimed at breaking Hitler's ability and will to continue the fight.

Southern England is where US Army Air Force 1st Lieutenant Karl Hagen and his crew are about to take off on their 35th, and final run in a B-17 bomber nicknamed *Hellstorm*. After the mission is done they'll become members of an exclusive club and be assigned stateside duties back home. Trouble is, the pilot, Karl Hagen, is a second generation German-American . . . and although he hasn't told anyone . . . he has relatives living in Bremen, which is their target for this final mission.

Meanwhile, at sea, *Oberleutnant* Wilhelm Albrecht, the XO, or executive Officer and second in command of German attack submarine U-351, is doing his best to honor his nation and *Kriegsmarine* oath by sinking as much Allied Shipping as possible. But, like Karl Hagen, Wilhelm Albrecht is also conflicted. Poorly supplied and badly equipped, the U-boats are being chased down and sunk by Allied sub hunters in the air and on the sea using new technologies that weren't available earlier in the war, when U-boats, hunting in wolf packs were the terror of all Merchant Mariners.

Now, after a long, exhausting sea patrol and with heavy battle damage, *U-351* is trying to limp home to the submarine base at Bremen. There, it'll be patched back together as best they can with makeshift repairs, rearmed and sent back on patrol . . . where they're ordered to *Sink as many enemy ships as possible*, followed by what amounts to a suicide command. The order causes the submarine warrior to desert, as he tries to save his crew from going back out to sea and certain death.

In the skies over the burning city of Bremen, relentless fighter plane and artillery attacks are decimating the air armada. One of the casualties is the *Hellstorm*, and Karl Hagen is the last man to bailout of the doomed B-17.

Both men are now alone, on the run and hunted by the authorities. They meet in a chance encounter when both of them take refuge in the same burned out building. Running for their lives, the two young officers are at first hostile and suspicious enemies. Later, they become reluctant allies as life on the run forces them to help each other avoid capture and stay alive. In the end, they forge a deep bond of friendship when an act of courage by one of them saves many lives in the face of certain death in this complex, action-filled and well-written WWII drama that will turn every reader into a fan.

Tom Young has crafted a twisty, kinetic and battle-laden war story that, at the same time, lays open the hearts and minds of the courageous and incredibly young persons who went to war as kids and emerged as the men and women we honor today as The Greatest Generation.

Read *Silver Wings, Iron Cross* for yourself and see why it's destined to become a classic!

Like the review? Let your friends know, *You saw it in the Mysterious Book Report*, because the greatest compliment you can give is to share our work with others.

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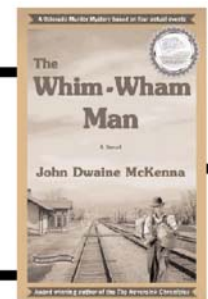
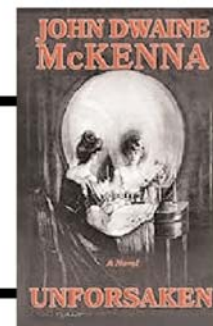
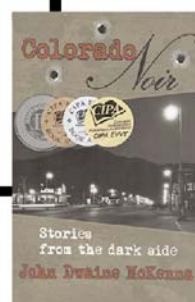
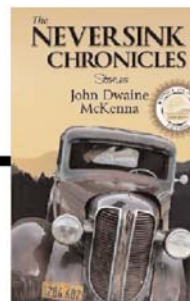
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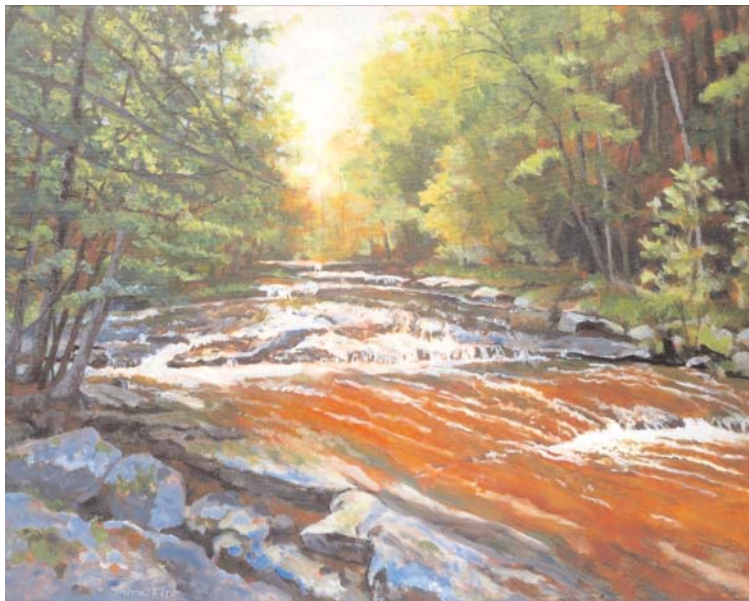


The Olive Jar

by Carol Olsen LaMonda
Walks in Beauty
Mira Fink's
Solo Show

Our Olive Adult Art Group, which meets Mondays from 10-12 at the Legion Hall, has been fortunate to have Mira Fink as our guest instructor almost monthly. She has taught, demonstrated, and encouraged our exploration into the world of watercolor. This is her solo art exhibit.

Opening Reception July 13 for Mira's solo show "Walks in Beauty" - At the Mohonk Preserve Visitor Center Come see paintings of the Mohonk Preserve, Minnewaska State Park and the Mohonk Mountain House



"Downstream from Split Rock" 16x20 acrylic
on canvas

Come see paintings of some of Mira's favorite places in the Hudson Valley. The Mohonk Preserve Visitor Center is open every day from 9am-5pm.

More information about the artist and exhibit: <https://www.mohonkpreserve.org/artshow/>

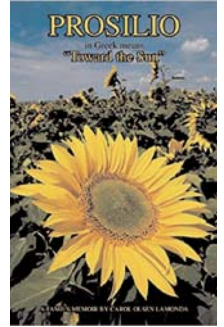
Barefoot in the Park

Auditions for the radio play, "Barefoot in the Park" will be held at the Boiceville Inn on August 16 and 17 from 6 to 8 p.m. and on August 18 from 3 to 5 p.m.

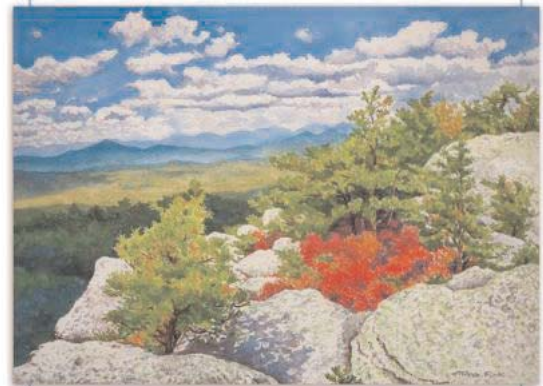
"Barefoot in the Park" by Neil Simon will be a dinner theater planned for August 23, 24, and 25. The director will be Linda Burkhardt.

The FamilyMemoir, 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. **Feel the warmth of "Prosilio" as you read Carol's memoirs cuddled up in your favorite chair. It also makes a great gift!** *Prosilio* 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: <http://amazon.com> or <http://barnesandnoble.com> and type in *Prosilio* in the search to order your copy of *Prosilio*



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Fallsburg CSD Announces Honor Roll and Superintendent's Honor Roll List

FALLSBURG - The Fallsburg Central School District is proud to announce their middle and high school honor roll and superintendent's honor roll lists for the fourth marking period. Honor roll students achieved an average of 85-91, and superintendent's honor roll students earned an average of 92 or higher. The following students were recognized for their academic accomplishments:

7th Grade

Honor Roll list: Yasmina Bache-Seraphin, Xzander Berrios, Joseph Cerone, Michael Damms, Lydia Fontane, Esvin Hernandez Lopez, Katherine Juarez Cadena, Ariyanna Laudadio, Emily Mackerley, Angelica Esperanza Martinez-Lopez, Nelcy Orellana Mejia, Justin Peralta Rosa, Daniel Perez Martinez, Easton Pugh, Franklin Reyes-Rodriguez, Alessandro Salguero Navarro, A'miyah Sellers, Mason Stafford-Martinez, Samuel Vega Rosales, and Joshua Velazquez.

Superintendent's Honor Roll list: Jack Bensimon, Nicolas Ciorciari, Alyssa Florence, Sara Flores Ramos, Amelia Forman, Leily Garcia Menjivar, Dina Gottlieb, Leyna Greenberg, Rebecca Moocz, Maria Nardi, Cristopher Rivera Flores, Jeybi Rodriguez Canales, Samantha Saciolo, and Honor Wilson.

8th Grade

Honor Roll list: Joseph Aguilar Torres, Victoria Avery, Ilana Burke, Fressia Carcamo Cruz, Juan Cruz Vasquez, Aaliyah Davis Feeny, Deysi Diaz Hernandez, Shameek Foy, Amhara Gillmer, Kendryel Gonzalez Caballero, Carlos Granados Reyes, Jancarlos Guardado, Amanda Gutierrez Rodriguez, Layla Hermann, Cruz Hernandez Orantes, Senaida Jeronimo Sanchez, Dalila Koljenovic, Alisson Lagos Guardado, Nazareth Manjarrez Paredes, Maelyn Mann, Brandon Mariaca, Paola Melendez Deras, Kileen Milligan, Brianna Miranda, Memphis Oathout, Tatiana Parada, Brittany Reyes Serrano, Marion Sesay, Helen Vasquez, and Kimberly Yautentzi-Reyes.

Superintendent's Honor Roll list: Addison Alvarado, Autumn Rain Atkinson, Keily Brizuela Fuentes, Sophia Cordova, Maddelynn DeMondo-Gernant, Natalia Evangelista, Mariama Gai, Melanie Gomez Perez, Isabella Gonzales, Eriberto Gonzalez Jr., Camdyn Hoefling, Sophia Jacobs, John Ketcham, Yasmel Leon Mota, Dayana Mendoza-Gallo, Ronny Mendoza, Evelyn Molina Ax, Melina Jade Ortiz, Dillan Padilla Avila, Payton Pisaniello, Keily Rosales Charuc, Kayden Saravia, Kiara Sauer, Jiahny Sebastian, and Joslyn Smith.

9th Grade

Honor Roll list: Julianna Barreto, Sarah Blume, Fatoumata Gai, Alison Fuentes-Granados, Adryana Kozachuk, Cessy Lezama Rodriguez, Shelby Lyons, Conner McManus, Heysel Mejia Corcio, Dayana Murillo Madrid, Fabio Narkaj, Melanie Rivera, Axel Salinas Mejia, Abigail Toledo, Yordin Velasquez Sosa, Sierra Velazquez, and Xavier Young.
Superintendent's Honor Roll list: Emina Cenovic, Jordyn Cerone, Carissa Ciorciari, Riley Gorr, Chanel Han, Jozyr McNeil, Eric Moocz, Robert Perrera, Beverly Quinteros



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"If it grows by day, have it cut & split by Knight"

Rodriguez, Efrain Rodriguez, Alisha Tremper, and Peyton Varner.

10th Grade

Honor Roll list: Saladin Basic, Bintou Darboe, Jonathan Dias Paredes, Virginio Jeronimo Sanchez, Zoey Ketcham, Eric Li, Madeline Pantel, Jansel Rosa Gonzalez, Isis Santos Berrios, and Gavin Storms.

Superintendent's Honor Roll list: Angelina Alvarado, Karrine Bennett, Andrew Bensimon, Xzavier Berrios, Lee-Ann DiNapoli, Jacob Espinoza, Emmabella Ferreira, Douglas Medina Carcamo Jr, Allison Rojas, and Marilyn Santos.

11th Grade

Honor Roll list: Gelsey Aguilar Torres, Arkelys Alencaster, Yoshua Bache-Seraphin, Yordy Benitez Hernandez, Nehemiah Damon, Kimberly Diaz, Aleck Drammeh, Kenya Escalante, Luciano Esposito, Adrianna Garcia, Hayden-Marie Herrera, Jamin McCollough, Keyla Otero-Deras, Marco Reyes Mansanarez, Dulce Rubio Granados, Emy Sierra Mejia, and Nicholas Storms.

Superintendent's Honor Roll list: Maya Ballard, Isabelle Batista, Ethan Dunn, Jeffrey Evangelista Jr., Kaelyn Fuentes, Nicole Jimenez, Hannah Johnson, Daris Koljenovic, Erli Maldonado Garcia, Mayline Maldonado, Nancy Martinez Cadena, William Martinez Martinez, Brianna McManus, Rachel Montenegro Sandoval, Bella Muscia, Brianna Noller, Vivian Ordonez Cabrera, Dailia Ortiz Fuentes, Cecilia Riker Lainez, Jennifer Rios Nunez, Jaily Sebastian, and Jordyn Wall-Carty.

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The Scene Too

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Happy After The Fourth to everyone!! I hope your holiday was great fun! Mine sure was...and exhausting. I had planned carefully to temper my 'goings out' partially due to the weather but more so the air quality and allergens but those plans went by the wayside real quick.



The Unofficial House Band

Wednesday night was the Open Mic at friends DAVE and TERESA TRESTYN'S HEARTBEAT MUSIC HALL in Grahamsville. If you've not been there, you should. It's a fun place, no bar but you are welcome to bring your own and you never know who might show up. For the last few years our friend (theirs and mine) BILL MAGRAGAL was pretty much the house drummer but with he and his wife moving to Philadelphia, well I was very interested to see who Dave had found to take his place. Where has ALEX FABLE been hiding? I know Dave plays a wide range of music (like the Blues number he was into when I walked in. Did he see me coming?) and this young man is right there with him from the blues to Jimi Hendrix to THE BEATLES 'Get By With A Little Help From My Friends'. And do you know who else was there? RODRIGO ALCOVAR. You may not know the name but this Argentinian can play that Bass. I know his music from the HURLEYVILLE MUSIC FESTIVALS, the CREEK BAR and CABERNET FRANK'S and I'm just delighted that he's playing here almost every Wednesday. And if you're a musician, or know one, tell them to bring their sticks (if they're a drummer), guitar, bass, mandolin or just their singing voice to join with these guys on stage or do something solo. All are welcome.



Albi and accompanist

From the HEARTBEAT MUSIC HALL of Grahamsville to another native son on July 4th. ALBI BELULI was in Livingston Manor at a new venue, for me, VAN SMOKEY. Since it was a new venue for me I was curious as to what ALBI would pull out of his extensive repertoire because he reads his audience better than just about anyone else I know. Did I mention it was a packed house and that Jane became standing room only? What he was doing wasn't exactly his low key usuals BUT THEN, he remarked on



Albi's alter ego

he had told me all about this place he was going to open and he was going to call it VAN SMOKEY. He thought a bit and said it was about four years ago, which would have been exactly right because it was right before CoVid swallowed us whole. And I wrote about that conversation right here! I definitely will go back and try the food, not just because it smelled sooooo good, but because I'm probably not supposed to have any of it. Guilty pleasures (sly smirk).

That was going to be it for the night. So I popped in at CABERNET FRANK'S in Parksville, since it was on the way. And who's performing there? MD AND THE HEALERS!



MD and The Healers

Probably the only Reggae band around. What a stroke of fate! I'm extremely fond of the music, and I haven't heard any live outside Chicago (where I was introduced to it) or Manhattan (because it's a melting pot) and I try to catch them whenever I can. But I didn't know they were there. Because I was carefully tempering my 'goings out'. So, I didn't check to see who was where. Silly me. (Contd. Pg. 12)

owner JEFF'S LED ZEPPLIN t-shirt, next thing I know, Jeff is handing him this wig and he doesn't miss a beat going into a LED ZEPPLIN classic to the delight of the audience.

In chatting with the owner, I reminded him that we had met before several years ago, and that



The Scene Too

(From Pg. 11)

That was going to be it for the week. Then I found out JOE TRANCHINA and his beautiful equally talented wife GABRIELLE would be at CABERNET FRANK'S Friday night. I've seen Joe several times with my friend DON MILLER in his Jazz trio, and written about him right here too. In these, I guess you would call it improvisational jazz setting, I have described him as 'scarily impressive'.



Terrific night of jazz



And these Instrumental gigs usually involve driving about an hour to Woodstock and either the PEARL MOON or the Golf Club there. My best friend, FELICIA RAPHAEL, told me that if I ever get the chance to hear GABRIELLE sing, I have to go. So here they both were, practically in my backyard, performing with my other friend WADE ST GERMAIN and I shouldn't go?

And I am totally out of space (!) and I feel I haven't given any of these groups enough time, so the 'runover' you'll see next week.

Here's some don't miss things coming up

July 10: Wednesday:

Open Mic at THE HEARTBEAT MUSIC HALL OF GRAHAMSVILLE, 304 Main Street, Grahamsville; 7pm

PAPA J and MO SOUL at the ROCK HILL CONCERT SERIES, 248 Rock Hill Dr. Rock Hill; 6:30pm

July 16: DAY OF THE DIVAS outdoors at THE SOUNDS OF SULLIVAN SUMMER SERIES, 1868 NY 52, Liberty; 6pm

July 25: CATBIRD (KEITH NEWMAN and LYNN RENO) outdoors at the BETHEL LAKESIDE MUSIC SERIES at the Gazebo Park in Kauneonga Lake; 6pm

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Fallsburg CSD Announces Honor Roll and Superintendent's Honor Roll List

(From Pg. 8)
12th Grade

Honor Roll list: Ezekiel Acosta, Meredith Anderman, Gustavo Avila Morales, Haris Basic, Emily Bou, Sherlin Bruno Pinzon, Cassandra Damms, Alaina Dinkel, Eduardo Escoto Morales, Joash Fernandez Taveras, Terrence Hayden Jr., Kristian Huttemeyer, Justice Laurel, Jacob Lawrence, Aryany Mercado Dubon, Cian Meyer, Georgia'Rane O'Brien, Junior Ordonez Bonilla, John Padilla Orellana, Catherine Pena, Rugiatu Sesay, Alyssa Velazquez, and Lukas Zelaya.

Superintendent's Honor Roll list: Asly Avila Reyes, Jordan Batista, Madison Bertholf, Nikolas Bonner, Anngeleena Bruno, Alexander Depuy-McBride, Chloe Doolittle, Miya Ennist, Jaedon Espinoza, Brandon Fierro, JeanCarlos Galeas Iraheta, Kevin Hernandez Martinez, Mia Irlbacher, Jane Islas Escamilla, Angelina Levner, Adam Mednick, Cecelia Norris-Yanes, Emily Perna, Jalysa Poindexter, Elizabeth Rivas-Ferrufino, Alexandra Ruiz, Besart Selimaj, Charlotte Steingart, and Christopher Yautentzi Reyes.

One Week Left to Register for Sullivan 180 Vaping Prevention Facilitator Training

[Liberty, NY] - Sullivan 180 is holding a training for individuals to become facilitators of the evidence-based CATCH My Breath youth vaping prevention program. The training taking place on Wednesday, July 17th from 11:00 to 2:00 at Cornell Cooperative Extension in Liberty is open to school staff, youth organization leaders, community volunteers, high school students, parents, or anyone wanting to learn more about youth vaping trends and may be interested in leading the CATCH My Breath program for youth and parents in Sullivan County.

A peer-reviewed study of the CATCH My Breath youth vaping prevention program found that if implemented, students were half as likely to experiment with e-cigarettes compared to schools that did not implement the program. Almost 75% of Sullivan County students who completed the program said that they learned valuable information and 10 students who currently vape said that CATCH My Breath made them consider quitting their e-cigarette/vape use. CATCH My Breath is also recognized by SAMHSA (The Substance Abuse

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and Mental Health Services Administration) as the only recommended school-level youth vaping program.

After completing the CATCH My Breath Facilitator training, one new facilitator said that CATCH My Breath was a “good program with a wealth of knowledge to help prevent our kids from vaping”. A nurse from Liberty School District said they “would recommend the training for the information but also for the collaboration/networking with others in the community”

Adults trained will gain free access to the complete curriculum to guide young people, grades 5 -12, through the program which is known to reduce the chances of youth starting a lifelong addiction to nicotine. Educators will receive CTLEs for completing this training thanks to an agreement with Sullivan BOCES. Partnering organizations including Tobacco Free Action Communities Reality Check Program and the American Lung Association will be presenting resources available to schools and opportunities for students to get involved in a youth-led movement against big tobacco.

To register for this training or to learn more about upcoming facilitator trainings, email trainings@sullivan180.org.

Sullivan 180 is working to build a healthy community, one degree at a time, through people, places and policy with support from Bold Gold Media Group, Manor Ink, The River Reporter, The Sullivan County Democrat and WJFF Radio Catskill. Learn more at Sullivan180.org or Facebook.com/Sullivan180inc.

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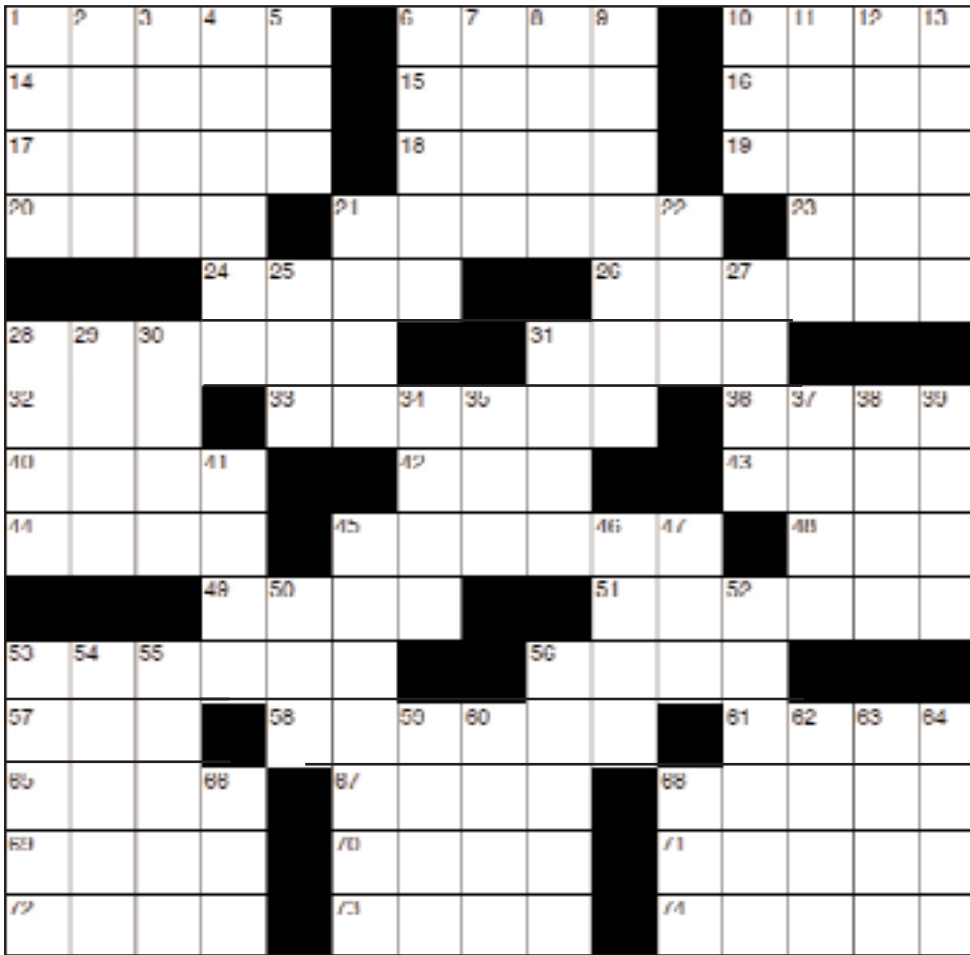
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- 2 cups milk
- 1 cup Bisquick
- 4 eggs

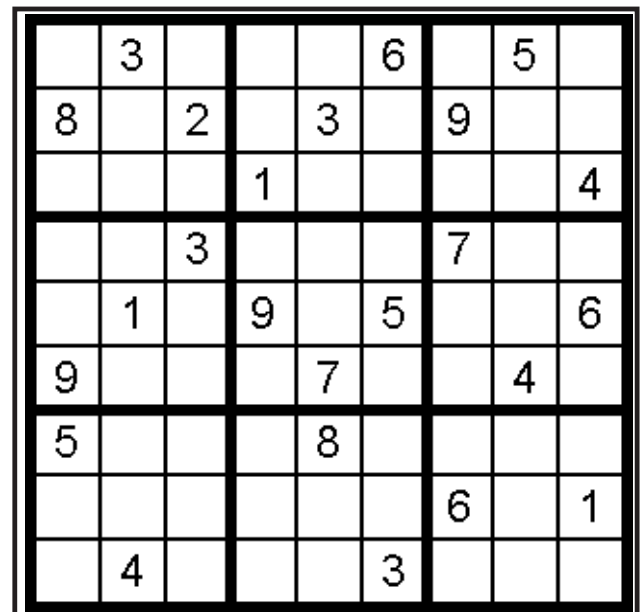
Preheat oven to 425 degrees F. Grease a 10-inch pie plate. Sprinkle chiles and cheese into plate.

Beat remaining ingredients until smooth, 15 seconds in blender on high or 1 minute with hand beater. Pour into plate. Bake until knife inserted between center and edge comes out clean, 25 to 30 minutes. Cool 10 minutes.

Serve with sour cream and guacamole if desired.

Yield: 6 to 8 servings.

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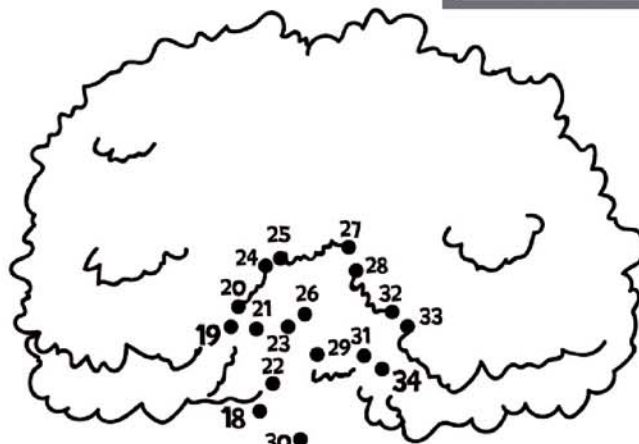
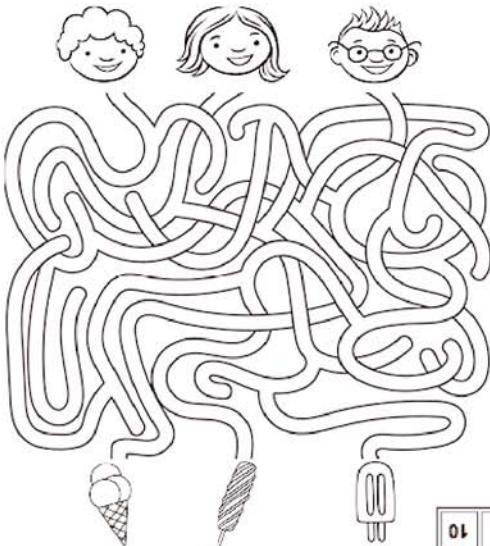
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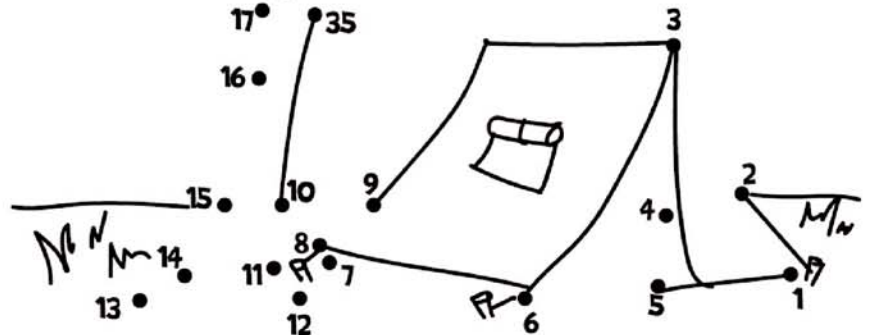
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SWIMMING LESSONS SIGNUP

Swimming Lessons Registration has begun and is ongoing at the Town of Neversink Town Hall in Grahamsville. Registration forms can be downloaded from the Documents section of the Town of Neversink's website or picked up at the Neversink Town Hall located in Grahamsville from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Monday to Friday.

Any child who lives in the Tri-Valley School District and/or the Town of Neversink is eligible to participate in the Swimming Lessons Program. There is no fee. For more information please contact the Town Clerk's Office at 985-2262 x300 or 307.

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Pool Passes on Sale

2024 Pool passes for the Town of Neversink Pool located at the Fairgrounds in Grahamsville will go on sale at the **Town of Neversink Town Hall in Grahamsville on June 25, 2024.** The cost of a pass is \$15.00 per person ages 3 and up. Children 2 and under free. Forms are available in the Lobby and also on the Town of Neversink's web site under documents. The Town Hall is open daily from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Town of Neversink residency is required. **The Pool is projected to open on July 3rd.** For more information, please contact the Town Clerk's Office at 985-2262 x300 or 307.

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Ulster County Pool Closed for Season Due to Ongoing Issues

KINGSTON, NY - The Department of Public Works (DPW) announced today that the Ulster County Pool, located at 241 Libertyville Road in New Paltz, will be closed for the season due to ongoing water loss issues. Engineers are assessing the situation, and more information will be forthcoming next week.

Last week, the County pool experienced a significant loss of water. DPW consulted with engineers and attempted multiple remedies to stem the water loss, including replacing valves, and working on the gutter system and gravity lines, but unfortunately, water loss continues. Due to these ongoing issues, the pool will remain closed for the entirety of the 2024 season.

We apologize for the inconvenience. Information regarding the process for Season Pass refunds, and other information regarding alternatively available pools within the County, will be forthcoming next week.

Wurtsboro Mural Project "Paint the Town"

Paint the Town is a collaborative effort between the Wurtsboro Board of Trade and Catskills Revive. Murals are currently in-progress throughout the Village and will be completed during the Founders Day Street Fair this Saturday, July 13th. Their evolution has been amazing to witness. We encourage you to stop by and see the progression or perhaps chat with an artist at 113 Sullivan Street..

We also hope you'll be able to join us at the Wurtsboro Founders Day Street Fair, July 13th from 12-5pm. Our booth will be set up right in front of Veterans Park (Third Street) along Sullivan Street. Feel free to visit us there or wave down any one of us wearing our bright pink shirts!

Governor Hochul Signs Legislation to Increase Access to State Parks and Support Tourism

Legislation S.5423/A.4853 Prohibits the Mandated Use of Credit Cards as a Means of Payment at State Parks, Recreational Facilities and Historic Sites

Legislation S.9250/A.10333 Extends the Exemption for Personal Watercraft From the Boating Safety Requirement Part of Governor Hochul's Summer Campaign to Help Kids and Families to "Get Offline, Get Outside"

Governor Kathy Hochul signed legislation to increase access to State Parks, recreational facilities and historic sites, and to support the tourism industry in New York. S.5423/A.4853 will increase access to New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation sites by prohibiting the mandated use of credit cards as a means of payment for use of its facilities. Governor Hochul also signed S.9250/A.10333 to extend the authorization for certain operators of leased personal watercrafts to be exempt from the boating safety certificate, which will support the tourism businesses that lease these vehicles to those vacationing at New York's waterfronts. Today's bill signing builds on Governor Hochul's "Get Offline, Get Outside" summer campaign to promote physical and mental health by encouraging New York's kids and families to put down their phones and computers, take a break from social media and enjoy recreation and outdoor social gatherings.

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Governor Hochul Signs Legislation to Increase Access to State Parks and Support Tourism

(From Pg. 17) “Our State Parks are an important driver behind our state's economy, and my administration is committed to ensuring everyone has access to our breathtaking sites and to boosting the tourism industry,” Governor Hochul said. “These acts of legislation will make sure that New Yorkers and our visitors can see and experience all that New York has to offer.”

Many New Yorkers, including seniors, unbanked or underbanked individuals, minors, and others use only cash. While credit cards offer convenience, not everyone has access to them. Legislation S.5423/A.4853 removes this potential barrier, ensuring equal access to New York's State parks, historical sites, and recreational facilities we all cherish. By still accepting cash at these state facilities, New York will continue supporting the inclusive enjoyment of our state's treasures.

Governor Hochul Updates New Yorkers on Recent Increase in COVID-19 Activity

Hospitalizations Have Increased Compared to the Same Period Last Summer, But Remain Well Below the Rates Seen During Same Period In 2022
New Yorkers Are Reminded of Latest COVID-19 Guidance

Governor Kathy Hochul provided New Yorkers an update on COVID-19 as new variants contribute to increases in hospitalizations in parts of New York State and around the country. With social gatherings increasing during summer months, and high temperatures forcing people indoors, the Governor reminds New Yorkers to get tested if they have symptoms, follow the usual precautions including current CDC guidance, stay current with COVID-19 vaccines and seek appropriate treatments if necessary.

“While we are well below the figures seen during the pandemic, we are closely monitoring activity regarding the latest variants,” Governor Hochul said. “By following the guidance and taking simple precautions, New Yorkers can continue to enjoy a safe and healthy summer.”

COVID-19 hospitalizations are currently well above the rates seen at this time last year, but well below the rates seen during the same period in 2022.

- o On July 3, 2024, the seven-day average for newly reported COVID-19 hospital admissions statewide was 0.72 per 100,000 residents.
- o On July 3, 2023, the seven-day average for newly reported COVID-19 hospital admissions statewide was 0.31 per 100,000 residents.

- o On July 3, 2022, the seven-day average for newly reported COVID-19 hospital admissions statewide was 1.66 per 100,000 residents.

New York State Department of Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald said, “We are seeing an increase in admissions to hospitals, yet below prior year increases. As people move indoors to escape the heat, transmission does increase. This is a good opportunity to remind people to improve indoor ventilation whenever possible. Additionally, the standing order I signed last year is still in effect, so anyone who would like an updated vaccine can get one at their pharmacy.”

To view current COVID guidance, see here <https://www.cdc.gov/respiratory-viruses/guidance/respiratory-virus-guidance.html> and here. <https://www.cdc.gov/respiratory-viruses/downloads/RVG-Summary-Graphic-508.pdf>

Under Governor Hochul's leadership, New York State continues to take strong actions to monitor and mitigate the spread of COVID-19. <https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home>

New York State Department of Health continues to follow the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) COVID-19 isolation guidance can be found here.

<https://www.cdc.gov/respiratory-viruses/prevention/precautions-when-sick.html>

At-home COVID-19 tests remain available at many local pharmacies statewide. New Yorkers can also find the current COVID-19 vaccine sites here.

<https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home>

The widespread availability of at home testing has resulted in a significant decline in tests being sent to labs. Researchers at New York State's Wadsworth Lab now rely more on wastewater analysis for surveillance of circulating COVID-19 lineages. Federal and state wastewater surveillance indicates the growing presence of new variants both in New York and across the country, which are believed to be one of several potential causes of the current trends in COVID-19 cases and hospitalization rates, including increased travel and social mixing.

Individuals who have symptoms should test for COVID-19, and those who test positive should contact their health care provider about possible treatments, which have been shown to be effective at reducing the chances of serious outcomes. New Yorkers who are immunocompromised, have lung or cardiovascular conditions, or other risk-factors, and those who are seniors, are especially encouraged to discuss COVID-19 treatments with a health care professional. Those who test positive should also avoid contact with others, including staying home from work, school, and social activities.

The COVID-19 vaccine remains one of best prevention steps and has been shown to reduce risk of serious illness. Anyone who has not yet received the COVID-19 vaccine or boosters is encouraged to do so. For more information on the latest CDC guidance on vaccines, see here.

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/stay-up-to-date.html#:~:text=Everyone%20aged%205%20years%20and,of%20updated%20COVID-19%20vaccine>

Under the Affordable Care Act, most health insurance plans will cover the cost of COVID-19 vaccines, without the need for co-pays. Those who are uninsured, or whose insurance does not cover the updated vaccine, will have access to the shots free of charge through community health centers; local, tribal, or territorial health departments; and pharmacies participating in the HHS' Bridge Access Program

<https://www.hhs.gov/healthcare/about-the-aca/index.html>

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Grahamsville United Methodist Church

**Thrift Sale
July 20th
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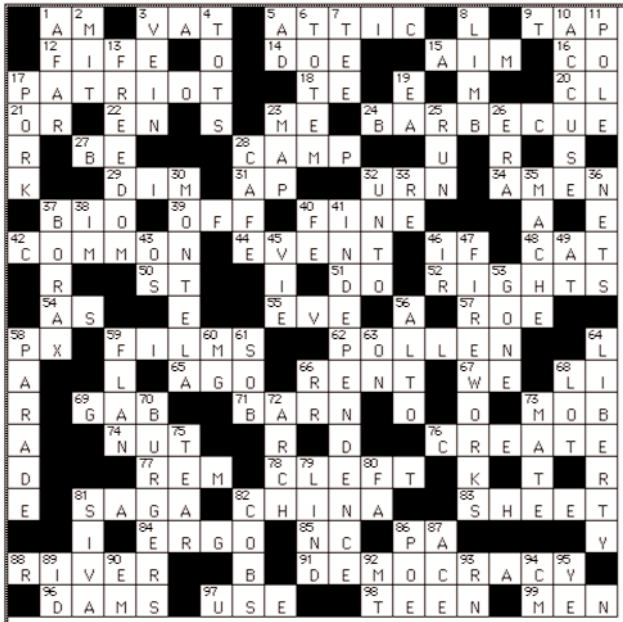
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Ans to last week's Crossword



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Thrift Sale Schedule 2024
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August - 3rd and 17th
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Oct - 12th and 28th
Nov - 2nd and 18th
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United Methodist Church
Covered Dish Supper
Saturday,
Aug 3, 2024 5:30 pm
at the Church Hall
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(Covered Dish Suppers are held the First Saturday of each month at 5:30 pm at the Church Hall)

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LOCAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

7/10/24	Town of Neversink Board Meeting 7:00 pm
7/18/24	Denning Town Planning Board Meeting 6:00 pm Denning Town Hall
7/18/24	Neversink Fire District Commissioner Meeting 7:00pm
7/20/24	Sundown UMC Covered Dish Supper 5:30 Church Hall
7/21/24	Claryville Fire Department All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast 8 am - 12 noon
8/3/24	Sundown UMC Covered Dish Supper 5:30 Church Hall
8/6/24	Claryville Fire District Monthly Meeting 6:30 pm
8/7/24	Town of Neversink Planning Board Meeting
8/13/24	Denning Town Board & Business Meeting 6:00 pm Denning Town Hall
8/14/24	Town of Neversink Board Meeting 7:00 pm

Save the Date!**The Matthew Bertholf Annual Horseshoe Tournament will be Sunday, July 14, 2024****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.

Town of Denning - <http://www.denning.us>Town of Neversink - <https://townofneversink.org>

Ulster County Legislature Weekly Calendar Update for the Week Of

All Legislative Committee Meetings are Livestreamed at
<https://www.youtube.com/@UlsterCountyLegislature/streams>

Monday, July 8

- o **4:45 PM - Special Meeting of the Law Enforcement & Public Safety Committee**, in Legislative Chambers, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston & Via Legislature Livestream
- o **5:00 PM - Ulster County Community Services Board**, in the Ulster County Department of Mental Health, 369 Broadway, Kingston
- o **6:00 PM (Or Immediately Following Law Enforcement & Public Safety Committee) - Public Works, Capital Projects & Transportation Committee**, in the KL Binder Library, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston & Via Legislature Livestream

Tuesday, July 9

- o **CANCELLED - Board of Health**
- o **6:00 PM - Ulster County Board of Ethics**, in the Ulster County Human Services Complex, Building 2, Veterans Entrance, 100 Development Court, Kingston

Wednesday, July 10

- o **9:00 AM - Ulster County Industrial Development Agency**, in Legislative Chambers, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston
- o **10:00 AM (Or Immediately Following IDA) - Ulster County Capital Resources Corporation**, in Legislative Chambers, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston
- o **7:00 PM - Ulster County Planning Board**, in Legislative Chambers, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston

Thursday, July 11

- o **4:00 PM - Laws, Rules & Government Services Committee**, in the KL Binder Library, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston & Via Legislature Livestream

- o **5:00 PM (Or Immediately Following Laws, Rules & Government Services Committee) - Ways & Means Committee**, in the KL Binder Library, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston & Via Legislature Livestream

Friday, July 12

- o **9:00 AM - Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency Reform Committee**, in the KL Binder Library, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston



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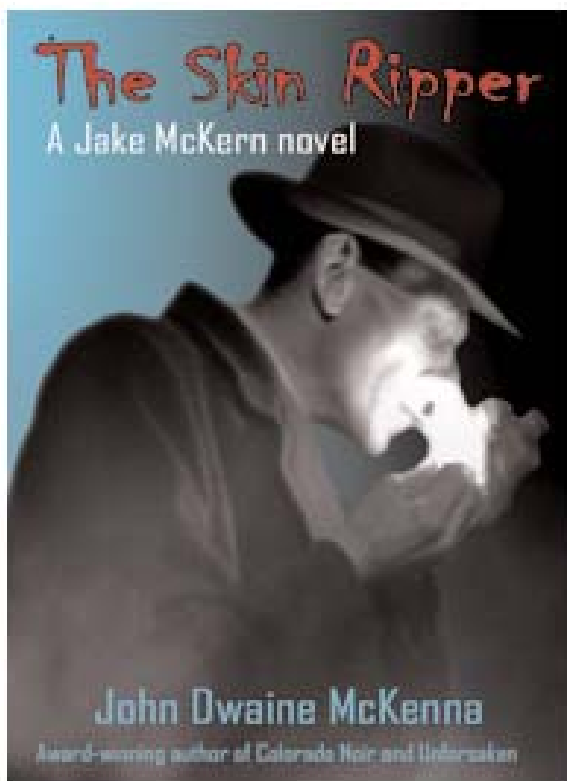
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“Environmental Conservation Police Officers and Investigators serving in DEC’s Division of Law Enforcement are working tirelessly across the state to protect natural resources and public safety while holding poachers and polluters accountable,” DEC Interim Commissioner Sean Mahar said. “DEC looks forward to continuing to work with our local, State, and federal law enforcement partners to ensure compliance with New York’s stringent environmental conservation laws and promote the safe and responsible enjoyment of the outdoors.”

Right Place, Right Time



On June 20, ECOs Thibodeau and Kelley were attending a training course in Lake George on the safe handling of rattlesnakes when they received a call reporting a rattlesnake had made its way into the common area of a local hotel on the lake, just five minutes away from the training site. The Officers responded to the location, successfully caught the young timber rattlesnake, and relocated it into the wild. Lake George and the South Bay area on Lake Champlain contain a large breeding population of timber rattlesnakes.

Nuisance Bear

On June 21, ECO Kelley received a report that a black bear broke into a residence in the town of White Creek and destroyed the owner's kitchen, apparently in search of food. While Officer Kelley was at the residence reviewing photos of the bear, the animal returned to the yard and became aggressive. DEC wildlife experts provided technical advice to ECO Kelley based on the information he provided and advised that the bear would need to be put down humanely due to it associating the residence as a food source and displaying aggression to humans. DEC Bureau of Wildlife employees set a culvert trap, which caught the bear the following morning. The bear was successfully euthanized to prevent any further unsafe interactions with humans.

DEC encourages residents to keep food attractants away from areas accessible to wildlife and reminds the public not to approach bears and to practice the “BearWise basics” to help reduce the potential for negative interactions.

To report a human-bear conflict, even after following the BearWise basics, contact ECOs or a regional DEC wildlife office for guidance/assistance.



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Community Art Series Exhibit

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This month's exhibit...

"Woodland Gardens"

by Susan Dollard



Opening Reception will be held on

Saturday, June 15th,
from 1:00pm – 3:00pm

*Please join us as we welcome Susan
and her beautiful artwork.
Refreshments will be provided.*

Exhibit Viewing from
Saturday, June 15th – Saturday, July 13th

*For viewing availability, please call the front desk
before planning your visit.*

Susan Dollard is a multimedia artist whose work ranges from impressionistic pastel renderings to gelatin prints and monoprints. She has lived in Smallwood, NY for close to 50 years. As an avid gardener, many of her works reflect her love of nature, woodlands and simple country living.

She graduated with a MS in Art Education and Elementary Education from SUNY New Paltz and taught elementary school for 30 years. Susan often collaborates with her husband Tim, a rustic woodworker. Susan has exhibited her work locally in Sullivan and Orange Counties, and won a Delaware Valley Arts Alliance Regrant in 2009, 2010 and 2011.



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Maher: Steve Nicoli Memorial Highway Bill Passes Both Senate and Assembly



Steve Nicoli

Assemblyman Brian Maher (R,C-Walden) announced that legislation establishing the Steve Nicoli Memorial Highway passed in both the Senate and the Assembly. Steve Nicoli lived a life of public service and dedication to his community and country. As an Army veteran, Steve served our nation with honor and distinction. Upon completing his service, he spent his time honoring American veterans by assisting local veterans in need and eventually establishing the Hudson Valley Honor Flight in 2011, working with then-Mayor of

Walden Brian Maher.

In 2021, Steve passed away suddenly, but his impact continues to be felt today through the honor flight and countless other selfless endeavors he was a part of. The stretch of road to be named in his honor is the road every honor flight escort takes as they enter New York-Stewart International Airport. Naming this roadway in Steve's honor will forever memorialize his lifetime of service to our veterans and their families.

"The passage of this legislation is very personal to me," said Maher. "Steve was a patriot, a partner in community service and a dear friend. While there was a group of us that co-founded Hudson Valley Honor Flight, Steve was the heart and soul behind the project and the true founder of the organization. Over 10 years later, Hudson Valley Honor Flight continues to grow and have a profound impact on veterans, their families and communities throughout the entire Hudson Valley region and tri-state area. This legislation will ensure future generations always know the Hudson Valley Honor Flight program never would have happened without the vision and dedication of Steve Nicoli."

"Our hearts ache every day for the loss our family has endured. Steve was a father, brother, son, friend, fiancé and so much more to so many. Aside from being a father, Steve's service to our country and his passion and appreciation for other veterans was his driving force in life. Steve woke up every day and wanted to honor and serve other veterans. Words cannot express how thankful we are to Assemblyman Brian Maher, Sen. Rob Rolison and all those who helped make this dedication to Steve's memory possible. Nothing will ever ease the pain we feel but naming this particular section of state highway has such a special meaning to us and the entire honor flight family. This legislation being passed helps our family fill a void in our hearts with thoughts of celebrating a life well lived," said the Nicoli Family.

Since June of 2012, Hudson Valley Honor Flight has had over 30 successful honor flight missions, serving over 2,000 World War II, Korean and Vietnam veterans as well as terminally ill veterans who have served in other conflicts. Hudson Valley Honor Flight Headquarters is still based on Main Street in the Village of Walden and continues to serve thousands of Hudson Valley veterans and their families through their flight day operations, volunteer opportunities and more.

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Friends of the Olive Free Library

Olive Free Library Garden Tour

Saturday, July 13 10:00am - 4:00pm
 \$25 for the tour, all proceeds benefit the Library

Flower Power Painting Class

Friday, July 12 10:30-1:30
 Ages 16+ space limited please register!

Olive Free Library

International Overdose Awareness Day Vigil

A Time to Remember. A Time to Act.

Join us as we raise awareness about overdoses and reduce the stigma surrounding drug-related deaths.

Peer educators and local leaders talk about what is being done to tackle this global crisis in our community. Offer your heartfelt families share their stories of loved ones who lost their battle with substance use. Remember those with loved ones and celebrate those in recovery. Meet organizers and learn about resources needed to face this stark reality.

Local first responders, medical professionals and caregivers will join us in front of the Sullivan County Courthouse, which will be illuminated in purple to symbolize worldwide awareness.

**Thursday - August 29, 2024
 6 PM at the Sullivan County Courthouse Lawn,
 414 Broadway, Monticello**

Registration: Friday, Aug. 30
 For more information, contact
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This event is brought to you by a community of organizations working together to end the opioid epidemic in Sullivan County.

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Sunday July 21st

HURBLEYVILLE

A HAPPENING IN HURLEYVILLE

with The Borscht Belt Historical Marker Project

Join the Borscht Belt Historical Marker Project on July 21 for **A HAPPENING IN HURLEYVILLE** – a literary and arts expo celebrating the Borscht Belt!

The day begins at **1:00 pm** with a historic marker dedication **historic marker dedication** at the Hurleyville Performing Arts Centre (HPAC). Among other Hurleyville histories, this historic marker pays tribute to **Mel Brooks**, who began his comedic career in Hurleyville at age the age of 14!

Afterwards shop the **small businesses** on Main Street. Be sure to stop by **"Author Row"** at Morgan Outdoors to browse books and illustrations about the Catskills. **CatskillLand: Billboards of the Borscht Belt!** at the Homestead Collaborative College High School is a slideshow not to be missed!

The happening continues at **HPAC** with a ticketed performance of Sam Sadigursky's **Solomon Diaries** at **3:00 pm**. Sam is a member of the **Philip Glass Ensemble**, has released eleven albums and has toured and recorded with numerous musicians including **David Byrne, Bruce Hornsby** and **Tom Jones**. The immersive performance is from a series of albums by Sadigursky inspired by the Borscht Belt. The music blends klezmer, jazz, American folk, and Middle Eastern rhythms in a *"compelling musical remembrance of a bygone era."*

DATE: Sunday, July 21

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

1:00 pm: Historic Marker Dedication at HPAC

1:30 pm - 4:00 pm: Town stroll, Author Row (at Morgan Outdoors)

and *Catskilland: Billboards of the Borscht Belt* slideshow at the Collaborative College High School

3:00 pm: Solomon Diaries at Hurleyville Performing Arts Centre (HPAC)

*This event is free and open to all, except for the performance, which is a ticketed event. **Purchase tickets at the QR code.**

CONTACT INFORMATION:

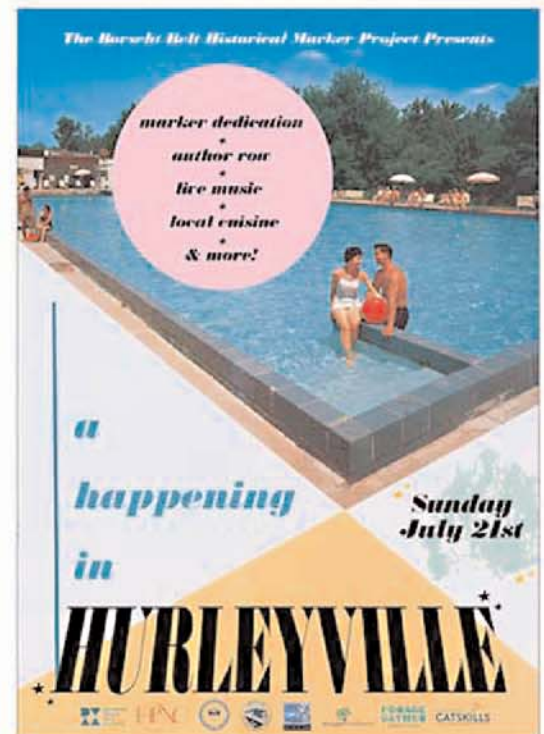
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ABOUT THE BORSCHT BELT HISTORICAL MARKER PROJECT:

We are a group of locals, artists & historians dedicated to commemorating the history of the Borscht Belt, a celebrated era in American Jewish life, American culture and Catskill history. Our mission is the creation of a large-scale historic marker trail that leads audiences on an educational and adventurous tour through history. The 20-marker trail aspires to permanently cement the Borscht Belt in its physical place and pays tribute to its legacy. Enhanced by photographs and QR codes, when complete the trail will be united by a self-guided audio driving tour.

This project is made possible with funding from a Sullivan County Arts & Heritage Grant from the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance and Purchase College. Additional partners include the Jewish American Society for Historic Preservation, Hurleyville Performing Arts Centre, Sullivan Catskills Visitors Association, the Sullivan County Historical Society and the hamlet of Hurleyville.



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July 20 – September 7, 2024
 Opening: Saturday, July 20, 3 – 5 pm

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Governor Hochul Urges New Yorkers to be Prepared as Hazardous Conditions Impact the State

- **Potential Thunderstorms and Rainfall Associated with Hurricane Beryl Could Impact State Tuesday Through Thursday**
- **Air Quality Index Levels Forecasts to Reach 'Unhealthy'**
- **Heat Advisories Issued for Hudson Valley, New York City, and Portions of Long Island**

Governor Kathy Hochul today urged New Yorkers to monitor their local forecasts as above average temperatures in combination with increased humidity will result in hazardous heat conditions in the coming days. “Feels like temperatures” at or above 95 degrees may result in an increased risk of heat illnesses. The National Weather service has issued heat advisories for the Hudson Valley, New York City, and portions of Long Island beginning at noon today. The heat is expected to continue into Tuesday. The State is also monitoring the potential for thunderstorms and rainfall associated with Hurricane Beryl beginning Tuesday night and extending into Thursday for much of upstate. Isolated instances of flash flooding are possible. The Departments of Environmental Conservation (DEC) and Health (DOH) also issued an Air Quality Health Advisory in the New York City Metro (New York City, Rockland, Westchester) region for ozone today, July 8, from 11 a.m. until 11 p.m. Additional Advisories may be issued throughout the week as conditions necessitate.

“Heat waves can be dangerous - I encourage New Yorkers to take precautions necessary to stay safe during this extreme heat,” Governor Hochul said. “Keep an eye on your local forecast, stay hydrated and postpone outdoor activity if possible.”

Staying Safe During Extreme Heat

Be Air Quality Aware

o Summer heat can lead to the formation of ground-level ozone and Governor Hochul recently encouraged New Yorkers to be Air Quality Aware to help protect public health. DEC and DOH issue Air Quality Health Advisories when DEC meteorologists predict levels of ozone and fine particulate matter pollution are expected to exceed an Air Quality Index value of 100, which is considered 'unhealthy for sensitive groups.' People, especially those with cardiovascular disease and those who have respiratory disease (such as asthma), young children, the elderly, those who exercise outdoors, and those involved in vigorous outdoor work should consider limiting strenuous outdoor physical activity when ozone levels are highest (generally afternoon to early evening). When outdoor levels of ozone are elevated, going indoors will usually reduce exposure. Individuals experiencing symptoms such as shortness of breath, chest pain, or coughing should consider consulting their personal physician.

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o DEC encourages New Yorkers to check airnow.gov for accurate information on air quality forecasts and conditions. Sign up to receive Air Quality Alerts through DEC Delivers, visit dec.ny.gov for updated forecasts and information about air quality index levels, and the DOH website for information on health risks and precautions related to air quality.

Prepare in Advance

- o Sign up for NY alerts that can come to your phone and email and other alerts offered in your local community.
- o Create a family emergency plan and include a plan to stay cool.
- o Install air conditioners and insulate around them, cover windows that receive morning or afternoon sun, and set up fans to increase air flow.
- o You may qualify for a free air conditioning unit. The Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) can provide an air conditioning unit to income eligible households that include someone with a documented medical condition exacerbated by extreme heat, or households with young children or older adults. Applications will continue to be accepted until funding runs out. For more information, visit the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance website or contact your local office for the aging at 1-800-342-9871.
- o Attend a free Citizen Preparedness Corps training for residents and get the tools and resources to prepare for emergencies.

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Governor Hochul Urges New Yorkers to be Prepared as Hazardous Conditions Impact the State

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Heat Stroke and Exhaustion - Know the Symptoms and What to Do

- o Heat stroke is the most serious type of heat-related illness and is always an emergency. Call 911 immediately if you or your loved one has a body temperature above 105°, a rapid pulse, confusion, rapid or shallow breathing, or loses consciousness. Try to cool the person quickly using a cool bath, fans and air conditioning while you wait for emergency responders.
- o Heavy sweating, fainting, nausea or vomiting, dizziness, weakness and cold clammy skin can be indications of heat exhaustion, which can quickly escalate to heat stroke without prompt intervention. Individuals should be moved to a cool place, and cool wet cloths applied to the neck, face and arms.
- o Heat cramps in the abdominal area or extremities can be treated by moving to a cool place, gently stretching the cramped muscle and drinking cool water.
- o Additional information, including procedures for athletes and coaches, workers and employers and heat and health data can be found on the Department of Health's Extreme Heat website.
- o Heat like this can be dangerous - New Yorkers should take every precaution to stay cool this week.

What to Do During Extreme Heat

- o Stay inside in the air conditioning if possible.
- o If you don't have access to air-conditioning within your home, open windows and shades on the shady side and close them on the sunny side to try to cool it down. It may also be cooler outside in the shade.
- o Identify free locations areas in your neighborhood where you can go to stay cool such as a public library, pool, or mall. Find Cooling Centers in New York State and New York City.
- o Drink plenty of fluids - preferably water.
- o When working in the heat you should drink one cup (8 ounces) of water every 15 - 20 minutes. That translates to at least 24-32 ounces glasses of water per hour during extreme heat, even if you do not feel thirsty. Drinking water at shorter intervals is more effective than drinking large amounts infrequently. Your body needs water to keep cool. Avoid beverages containing alcohol or caffeine.
- o Beat the heat with cool showers and baths.
- o Take regular breaks from physical activity.
- o Avoid strenuous activity during the hottest part of the day (between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.).
- o Wear loose, lightweight, light-colored clothing to help keep cool.
- o Stay out of the sun as much as possible.
- o Wear sunscreen and a ventilated hat (e.g., straw or mesh) when in the sun, even if it is cloudy.

Never Leave Children and Pets Unsupervised in Hot Cars

- o There is a real and severe danger when leaving children or pets unsupervised in a car even when temperatures don't "feel" hot.
- o At 60 degrees outside, after just one hour a closed car can get as hot as 105 degrees.



Ulster County Launches Solar & EV Infrastructure Grant Program for Local Governments

KINGSTON, NY - The Ulster County government has launched the Solar & Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (SEVI) program, which commits \$2.5 million of the County's American Rescue Plan Act funds to support clean energy investments by local governments that reduce reliance on fossil fuels and help mitigate climate change. County Executive Jen Metzger has extended the application deadline to July 19 at the request of local governments.

The SEVI program will award up to \$100,000 to municipalities for solar, EV charging infrastructure, or both, and requires a 50% local match (federal, state, and other funding can be included in the match). The applications were sent to all local governments in May, and awards are expected to be announced in August. Future funding rounds are possible, depending on funding availability after awards are made.

"There has never been a more opportune time for local governments to make clean energy investments. Thanks to the federal Inflation Reduction Act, governments can now take advantage of tax incentives of up to 30-40% of project costs, in addition to state and utility incentives and our SEVI program," said County Executive Metzger.

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UC Launches Solar & EV Infrastructure Grant Program for Local Governments

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“Beyond the climate benefits, these investments make fiscal sense, reducing dependence on volatile fossil fuel prices and providing cost savings on electric bills, in the case of solar, and on fuel and routine maintenance costs, in the case of municipal electric vehicles. I want to thank the Legislature, and in particular, ARPA Committee Chair Tom Corcoran (D-11, Marlborough), for championing this County grant program.”

“Ulster County's SEVI grant program is a crucial step toward a cleaner, more sustainable future,” said Legislator Tom Corcoran, ARPA Committee Chair. “By committing \$2.5 million from the American Rescue Plan Act funds, we're supporting local governments in their efforts to reduce reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change. The program awards up to \$100,000 to Town and Village governments for solar and EV charging infrastructure, with a 50% local match requirement. These investments not only benefit our environment but also make fiscal sense by lowering energy costs and promoting economic development. Now is the opportune time for local governments to embrace these clean energy solutions.”

“The designation of ARPA funding towards solar and electric vehicle infrastructure support to our municipalities is a huge win for our towns and our residents. In the near future, our municipalities will see a reduction in overhead costs and our residents will be able to charge their vehicles at work or closer to home, while also reducing our dependence on fossil fuels. An added bonus to this program is the overwhelming bi-partisan support that it garnered in the Legislature,” said Megan Sperry (D-17, Esopus/New Paltz), Deputy Chair of the Legislature and the ARPA Committee.

Grant awards are capped at \$100,000 per municipality. Local governments may submit an application for a solar project, EV-charging project, or both. Municipalities may submit separate applications for an EV charging project and a solar project; however, total funding is capped at \$100,000 per municipality. Projects pairing EV charging with solar may submit a single application.

For more information, visit: <https://participate.ulstercountyny.gov/solar-ev-grants>.

2024 WCAA Artists' Studio Tour

The Wayne County Arts Alliance is excited to invite all to attend our 2024 WCAA Artists' Studio Tour on July 12, 13, 14 at fifteen studio locations around Wayne County plus Tour HQ at our WCAA Gallery, 959 Main St. Honesdale. Free and open to the public July 12, 13, 14 10am - 6pm each day.

This is our 21st Artists Studio Tour. The tour provides an opportunity to meet Wayne County's established and emerging artists in their studios. Something for everyone! Paintings, ceramics, sculpture, textiles, photography, multimedia and more original artwork of all kinds.

Our Studio Tour Artists for 2024 are: Burton Bulles, Jill Carletti, Barbara Carpenito, Phyllis Chekenian, Denis Folz, Lisa Glover, David Harvey, Heather Hogan-Spencer, Beth Ellen Johnson, Nancy Palubniak, Tom Ricotta, Matt Povse,

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For information contact Past Exalted Ruler Ronni Scannell at (845) 701-0695

Victor Salib, James Spencer, Kevin Storms, Elizabeth Tilley, Derek Frey Williams, Bill Westmoreland, and Susan Williams. We encourage you to start your tour at our Tour Headquarters at our WCAA Gallery & Artisan Stop, 959 Main Street, Honesdale, where you can view a sample of art from each of our 19 Tour Artists and talk with our docents to help you plan your tour. Visit one or all 15 locations.

The Artists Studio Tour is the premier event which was the catalyst for establishing the WCAA. The Tour gives the public a rare opportunity to visit with some of the professional and emerging artists who call this area their home. Here is your chance to meet the artists and discuss their philosophies, inspiration and working techniques while viewing their most recent collections of artworks. And if you see something you want to own, take advantage of the artist's studio pricing. Don't miss this opportunity to visit Wayne County's diverse and talented artists right in their own studios.

Our 2024 WCAA Studio Tour Brochure with map and detailed artist information is available at WCAA 959 Main Street, Honesdale, Visitor's Centers and other area businesses, and online at waynecountyartsalliance.org.

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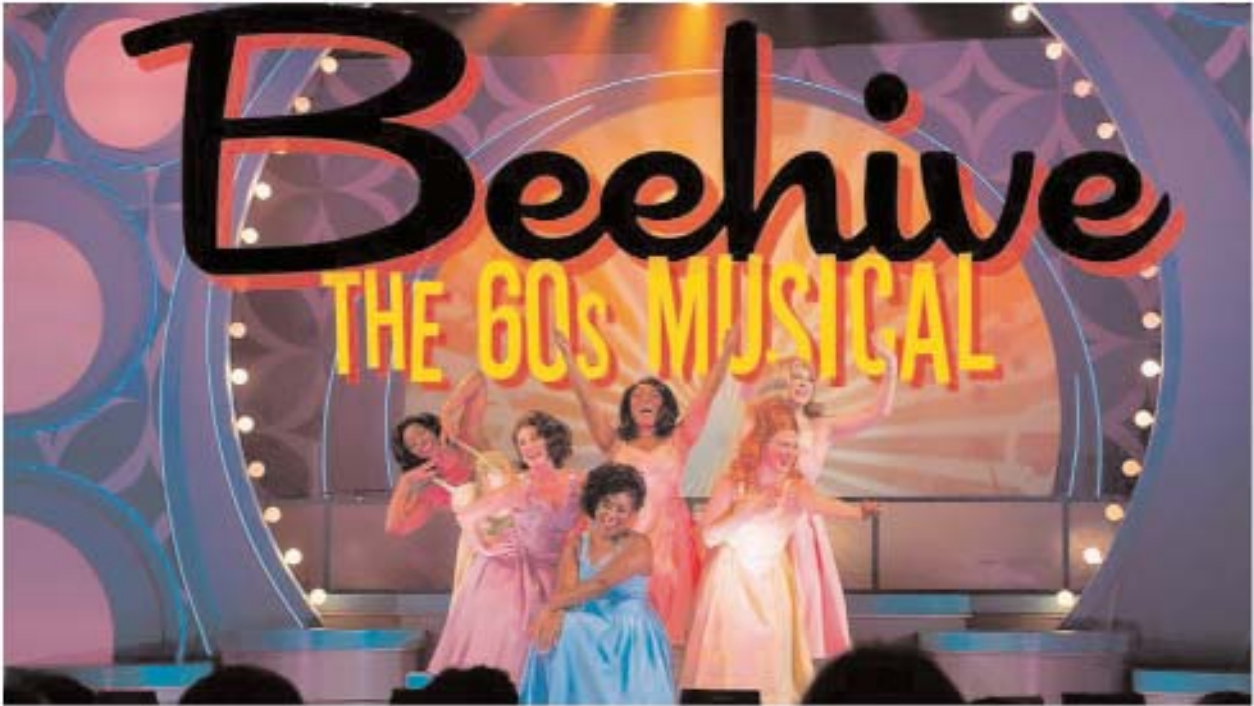
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“A Taste of Broadway III”

The Shadowland Theatre at 157 Canal St. is featuring this rollicking '60's Broadway musical coupled with lunch at Gaby's Café, 141 Canal St., Ellenville, NY.

Date: Sunday, August 25th – Lunch at 11:45, 2 pm show.

Price: \$99 includes lunch, show and fundraiser.

*If you are a paid season subscriber to Shadowland, your price is \$74.

(Please make check payable to: “ERH Auxiliary” along with your phone #, choice of entrée and if you are a season subscriber.

Mail to Helene Morris, PO Box 105 Spring Glen, NY 12483

Call 845-210-7120 with any seating requirements or questions.

“A TASTE OF BROADWAY III”**Sunday, August 25, 2024****Lunch at Gaby's Café before the Show****11:45 Start/Open Seating (Cash Bar)****Menu***Chips & Salsa**Gaby's House Salad***Choice of Entrees****Pollo 5 de Mayo**

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(Please call Helene Morris, Auxiliary Event Coordinator at 845-210-7120 with your selection)



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5:30 pm

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For more info on the **tractors and antique vehicles** contact Paul Kelly @ 845-985-0081

***For more information on **how to become a vendor** or if you have any **antique household & small farm equipment you want to display** contact Cher Woehl @ 845-985-2401 OR at cherwoehl@gmail.com ***
(LEAVE A MESSAGE IF NO ANSWER)

Check out our NRAMA Facebook page for more details on the show and info on how to get your raffle tickets (for some incredible gift card prizes!)

Neversink River Craft Co-op Second Show of the 2024 Season in Frost Valley



On Sunday, July 14th, the Neversink River Craft Co-Op will hold our second show of the 2024 season in Frost Valley with new work, including locally handcrafted pottery, jewelry, woodworking, resin art, stained glass, paintings, photography and more. Upcoming dates are Sundays, July 14, 28 and August 11, from 10 AM to 5 PM, at 2554 Frost Valley Road, Claryville, NY.

From Rt 55 in Grahamsville, go up Claryville Road and just past the church in Claryville take Frost Valley Road for four miles to the co-op sign. We welcome you to meet the artists, visit, and shop for unique traditional and contemporary crafts. For information call 845-985-2016.

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Nina Postupack, Ulster County Clerk Announces Revolutionary War Medical Reenactor at the Matthewis Persen House Museum

Kingston, NY - Ulster County Clerk Nina Postupack is delighted to announce that on Saturday, July 13, 2024, Revolutionary War

medical reenactor Don Terpening will host a special event at the Matthewis Persen House, located at 74 John Street in uptown Kingston, at the corner of John and Crown Streets.

From 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, Professor Emeritus of Biology, Don Terpening, will transport attendees back to the Revolutionary War era as he demonstrates the medicines, implements, and techniques used by physicians of the time. In addition, Mr. Terpening will explore the crucial role doctors played and their societal significance during this pivotal period in history. This event promises to be both engaging and educational for attendees of all ages.

Admission is free, and everyone is encouraged to attend. County Clerk Nina Postupack shared her excitement, stating, "Don is a true local treasure. His vast knowledge and interactive delivery create a fun and informative experience for the whole family."

For further information about the Matthewis Persen House Museum, please contact the Ulster County Clerk's Archives at (845) 340-3415 or archives@co.ulster.ny.us. You can also visit us online at <https://clerk.ulstercountyny.gov/archives/persen-house> or on Facebook for updates and announcements.



Ulster County Clerk, Nina Postupack, Invites Visitors to Experience "Colonial Game Days" at the Matthewis Persen House Museum

Kingston, NY - Ulster County Clerk Nina Postupack is thrilled to announce the eagerly anticipated event, "Colonial Game Days," taking place on July 5th and 6th at the historic Matthewis Persen House Museum. Located at 74 John Street in uptown Kingston, at the intersection of John and Crown Streets, this immersive experience promises exciting and historic games for all ages.



At the Persen House, visitors will have the opportunity to participate in a wide array of entertaining colonial games, including the Game of Graces, Jacob's Ladder, Fish Toss, and Whirligigs, among others. Step into the shoes of colonial children through our "Colonial Kids" portraits to see what you might have looked like in colonial dress. Discover how games and toys from the 18th century differ from those of today and enjoy an outing that combines amusement, education, and a deep appreciation for the rich history within the Persen House.



"Game Day has become

a tradition that we eagerly anticipate each summer," expressed County Clerk Nina Postupack. "Families can gather at the house, indulge in these curiously captivating games, and have fun while learning something new. The Persen House is an ideal location for this type of event, having so much history itself."

The Persen House Museum will be open to the public from 9:00 am to 4:30 pm on Friday, July 5th, and from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturday, July 6th. Admission is free, and everyone is warmly welcomed to partake in this enjoyable and family-friendly occasion.

For further information about the Matthewis Persen House Museum, please contact the Ulster County Clerk's Archives at (845) 340-3415 or archives@co.ulster.ny.us. You can also visit us online at <https://clerk.ulstercountyny.gov/archives/persen-house> or on Facebook for updates and announcements.

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LIBERTY, NY - A well-kept secret of farming is that, if done correctly, water management will help mitigate the potential effects of climate change on your land. To show resident farmers the positive effects of working with the water on their land, the Beginner Farmer Program is working with Unbroken Acres to host a workshop on Water Management for Farms. This workshop will take place from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM on Monday, August 5th.

Participants will meet and learn from Anna Zabirowa, owner and operator of Unbroken Acres, as well as Victor Ziminsky, owner of Let It Grow Landscapes. Anna and Victor will accompany participants on a guided farm tour at Unbroken Acres and expand on real life examples of water management techniques. Additionally, Anna and Victor will overview the use of land grade and swales on contour to focus on water movement over farm property. A question-and-answer session on the topics covered will close out the workshop.

There is no fee, but preregistration is required to participate. Participants can register online at sullivanccce.org/events. Those with related questions can email Taylor Adam at beginnerfarmer@cornell.edu, or call 845-292-6180 ext. 130.

This program is supported by the USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture award #2022-06508, through the American Rescue Plan Technical Assistance Investment Program.

Cornell Cooperative Extension Sullivan County provides equal program and employment opportunities. The public can contact the office to request accommodations.

Farm Arts Collective presents FLOWER PICK and DESIGN WORKSHOP Saturday, July 20 9 AM to 11 AM

Farm Arts Collective will host a flower pick and design workshop on Saturday July 20th. The day begins with coffee at the new Agri-Cultural Center on Willow Wisp Organic Farm followed by a led tour by flower farmers, Tannis Kowalchuk and Jess Beveridge.

Attendees will visit the annual and perennial flower fields and learn best practices in growing cut flowers, hear about favorite Willow Wisp varieties, discover what's trending in markets, and get tips on post-harvest methods.

Each participant will select and cut their own flowers from an acre of over 35 varieties of annuals and perennials. The workshop group will then return to the barn for an arranging session with instructions on flower design choices that consider color, shape, texture, and stem placement to build a dynamic and gorgeous arrangement. Participants will take home their flower design.

Participants are asked to bring their own vase and clippers (clippers will be provided if needed). This event is rain or shine. The cost of class (including flowers) is \$45. Register online at www.farmartscollective.org

Farm Arts Collective Agri-Cultural Center is located at 38 Hickory Lane, Damascus, PA 18415

UC Department of the Environment Launches Community Climate Action Plan

Survey Seeks Public Input To Guide the Plan; Public Info Session/Webinar July 10

KINGSTON, NY - Ulster County is pleased to announce the development of a Countywide Community Climate Action Plan (CCAP). The plan will be under development throughout the summer and fall, with a final plan expected by the end of 2024. A Climate Action Plan - which is in line with New York's Climate Law - is a strategy document that inventories climate-damaging greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and sets forth actions that can be taken to reduce these emissions.

Public participation is an important element of the planning process. Input from a community survey, as well as focus groups and community forums this summer, will guide prioritization of impactful programs and investments.

Members of the public can engage with this project, share ideas online and complete the public CCAP Survey through an interactive Participate Ulster page, here:

<https://participate.ulstercountyny.gov/community-climate-action-plan>

A public presentation on the CCAP will be held on Wednesday, July 10, at 7-8 p.m. via Zoom (pre-registration is required). Attendees at the public webinar, which will include an interactive polling session, will learn about the purpose of the Community Climate Action Plan, the current status of the project, and next steps. To register for the webinar, visit: bit.ly/4bxs8lM.

"Many of the solutions to climate change also have other benefits for our communities, like improving public health, reducing energy costs, and expanding access to public transportation, to name a few, and we want to hear from our residents about the climate solutions they would like to see the County government prioritize," said Ulster County Executive Jen Metzger. "This is a community-driven plan, and I invite our residents to participate by attending public meetings, taking the Climate Action Plan survey, and sharing your ideas with us."

The County completed a Government Operations Climate Action Plan in 2019 that inventories emissions from government facilities and operations and recommends actions for reducing those emissions. In January 2023, County Executive Metzger issued an Executive Order that builds on that plan, with 13 directives to reduce climate-damaging emissions and align County climate goals with New York's Climate Act. The County has since strengthened its Green Fleet Policy, adopted a more stringent Sustainable Purchasing Policy, and created the first County Decarbonization Fund in the state - an \$18 million reserve to improve energy efficiency and reduce fossil fuel use in government buildings, among other actions.

The County is now embarking on the next step to assess community-level emissions across different sectors, including transportation, residential energy, agriculture, and solid waste. To learn more about this project, visit: participate.ulstercountyny.gov/community-climate-action-plan.

The Ulster County CCAP has been funded in part by the Climate Smart Communities Grant Program, Title 15 of the Environmental Protection Fund, through the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.

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More about our warrior Nick....

Nick was diagnosed with Tuberous Sclerosis Complex (TSC) at birth. TSC is a neurological disorder that produces seizures, tumors, and lesions that effect the organs of the body and can cause Autism. Nick has been battling with seizures his whole life from infantile spasms to adult grand-mal seizures. May 2019 we heard the worst news that Nick's function was under 10% on both kidneys. Since then Nick has had multiple surgeries so he could get the proper dialysis preformed. Nick goes in center for 4 hours 3 times a week. Not what the sweetest, kindest, 31 year old should be going through.

Nick has such a big heart and is loved by so many in our community. We all want Nick to have the best quality of life and going through dialysis does not provide that quality. We hope and pray a kidney comes to us and that Nick will be able to live a happy and healthy life doing what he loves and that is to bicycle all throughout our town making people smile. Nick is a big part of the community, he takes pride with his volunteer work with the EMS and is the Honorary member of the Monticello Fire Department.

Lets all band together for Nick and help him find a kidney so he can live life to the fullest!

*For any other questions
845.798.2077 nickneedsokidney@gmail.com*

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DEC Forest Rangers - Week in Review Recent Statewide Forest Ranger Actions

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) Forest Rangers respond to search and rescue incidents statewide. Working with other state agencies, local emergency response organizations, and volunteer search and rescue groups, Forest Rangers locate, and extract lost, injured, or distressed people from across New York State.

In 2023, DEC Forest Rangers conducted 370 search and rescue missions, extinguished 146 wildfires covering nearly 1,400 acres, participated in 52 prescribed fires that served to rejuvenate more than 1,000 acres of land, and worked on cases that resulted in hundreds of tickets and arrests.

“Whether they are leading complex search and rescue incidents, suppressing wildfires, enforcing laws on State lands and easements, inspiring the next generation of environmental stewards, or encouraging responsible recreation, Forest Rangers stand ready to help when called,” DEC Interim Commissioner Sean Mahar said. “Forest Rangers’ wide-ranging expertise and collaboration with local, State, and federal partners are instrumental in protecting New York’s public lands and the many visitors who use them.”

Delaware County - Plane Crash: On June 30, at 2:30 p.m., Delaware County requested Forest Ranger search assistance for a plane crash in the area of Herrick Hollow Road. Ranger Laymon organized the search efforts, working with DEC Environmental Conservation Police Officers, New York City Department of Environmental Protection (NYCDEP), Delaware County Sheriff's Office, Delaware County



*Part of crashed plane
on side of the road*

Emergency Management, New York State Police, and numerous volunteer fire departments. Between 2:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., crews found pieces of the wings and tail. At 5:30 p.m., Ranger Seeley helped organize additional search crews and found more pieces of the plane. At 8:35 p.m., Rangers and NYCDEP Officers found the rest of the wreckage and determined all five people on board were deceased. The following day, Rangers returned to the scene to assist other agencies. The subjects were extricated and turned over to the coroner.

Albany County -Prescribed Fires: On July 2, Forest Ranger Rusher along with staff and volunteers from DEC's Division of Lands and Forests, Albany Pine Bush, and the State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation conducted a prescribed fire on 12 acres in the Albany Pine Bush Preserve.

Prescribed fire is an important land management tool used to improve habitat for lands and wildlife. These burns are regulated by law and regulation and require



*Albany Pine Bush prescribed
fire crew*

technical expertise to conduct safely. Controlled burns help prevent the spread of invasive species, and in some areas, prescribed fire is also used to reduce the buildup of wood, timber litter, and other fuel to reduce the potential for wildfires that threaten public safety and critical infrastructure. DEC carefully and responsibly implements prescribed fires only when conditions are favorable to meet land management goals.

Town of Shandaken -Ulster County

Wilderness Rescue: On July 4, at 12:15 p.m., Frost Valley YMCA called Forest Ranger Martin about a camper who had fainted multiple times over the last 24 hours. The 16-year-old was with a group on Terrace Mountain. Rangers reached the group at 1:15 p.m., and assisted them to the Woodland Valley parking area. The subject suffered a short fainting spell during the hike out. Shandaken Paramedics transported the subject to the hospital. Resources were clear at 4:20 p.m.

Town of Bolton Warren County Rattlesnake Moved:



*Snake curled up in the corner
of lean-to*



*Ranger uses tool to remove
rattlesnake*

On July 6, at 3:35 a.m., Forest Rangers Donnegan and Kabrehl responded to a call from campers who had found a rattlesnake in their lean-to. Rangers removed and relocated the snake nearby so the campers could retrieve their gear.

Town of Kent Putnam County

Water Rescue: On July 7, at 2:40 p.m., while on canoe patrol on White Pond, Forest Ranger Cowart observed a subject in the water clinging to another person's kayak. The subject had rolled his canoe, was unable to flip it back over, and unable to swim but was able to grab the kayak. The subject was wearing a personal floatation device. Ranger Cowart used a throw rope for the subject and tied it to the kayak. Ranger Cowart and the kayaker towed the subject one-half mile to shore.

Town of Harrietstown Franklin County

Wilderness Rescue: On July 6, at 4:05 p.m., Ray Brook Dispatch requested Forest Ranger assistance for a hiker with a leg injury on Ampersand Mountain. At 5:29 p.m., Rangers O'Connor and Praczkajlo reached the 45-year-old from Manhattan and assisted her back to the trailhead. The subject decided to seek further medical attention on her own. Resources were clear at 6:31 p.m.

Be sure to properly prepare and plan before entering the backcountry. Visit DEC's Hike Smart NY, Adirondack Backcountry Information, and Catskill Backcountry Information webpages for more information.

If a person needs a Forest Ranger, whether it's for a search and rescue, to report a wildfire, or to report illegal activity on state lands and easements, they should call 833-NYS-RANGERS. If a person needs urgent assistance, they can call 911. To contact a Forest Ranger for information about a specific location, the DEC website has phone numbers for every Ranger listed by region.



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2024 SHOW DATES

THURSDAY 7/4/24: LIBERTY RISING STREET FAIR

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PARADE LINE UP 11:30 AM.

PRICE \$15.00 PER VEHICLE TROPHIES WILL BE TOP 25; KIDS CHOICE; JUST BECAUSE;
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SATURDAY 7/13/24 WURTSBORO FOUNDERS DAY

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Stefanik, Malliotakis Introduce Legislation to Impose Penalties on Antisemitic Universities

Congresswoman Elise Stefanik joined Congresswoman Nicole Malliotakis (R-NY) in introducing the University Accountability Act to impose penalties on education institutions who fail to protect the civil rights of their students after antisemitic incidents on college campuses increased by 700% following the Hamas terrorist attacks on Israel on October 7th, 2023.

"I will continue to lead the efforts ridding our higher education institutions of antisemitism. With this new legislation, the University Accountability Act, we will impose penalties on universities who violate the civil rights of their own students including by failing to protect Jewish students from antisemitic hate. Hardworking taxpayers have no interest in funding institutions that fail to protect their students from antisemitic rhetoric and behavior and this bill puts their tax-exempt status on the chopping block," said Congresswoman Elise Stefanik.

"Universities have a responsibility to protect their students from violence and discrimination and instead we're seeing a disturbing increase in antisemitic attacks and rhetoric on college campuses," said Congresswoman Nicole Malliotakis. "If these schools are receiving generous tax benefits from the federal government at the expense of American taxpayers, they should be doing more than simply giving a slap on the wrist to perpetrators of hate. Our legislation seeks to hold these institutions accountable with lofty financial punishments that would encourage them to investigate and crack down on instances of antisemitism and help foster a safer academic environment for all students, regardless of their gender, race or religion."

Under current federal law, a violation of Title VI, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin, can result in the loss of federal funds, but often times results in a mere corrective action that would bring the college or university back into compliance. The University Accountability Act would require colleges and universities that meet the penalty criteria to pay a fine of either five percent of the school's aggregate administrative compensation as reported on the school's Form 990, or \$100,000, whichever is greater. After three civil rights violations, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) would be required to review the college or university's tax-exempt status for possible revocation.

Stefanik, Ferguson Introduce the Protecting American Students Act In Response to Universities' Failure to Protect Jewish Students

Congresswoman Elise Stefanik joined Congresswoman Drew Ferguson (R-GA) in introducing the Protecting American Students Act to ensure that only American students are counted towards endowment tax calculations.

The bill amends the scope of the Endowment Tax calculation to only account for students eligible for federal financial assistance under the Higher Education Act. This includes students who are a citizen, national, or permanent resident of the United States or able to provide evidence from the Immigration and Naturalization Service that he or she is in the United States for other than a temporary purpose with the intention of becoming a citizen or permanent resident. The bill does not include students who are in the U.S. temporarily or on a student

visa. By excluding noncitizens from the calculation, this legislation would add approximately 10 schools to the 35 that currently qualify, including Columbia University.

"In my continued effort to hold education institutions accountable that fail to protect Jewish students, I am leading legislation that will penalize universities for their negligence in dealing with hostile and antisemitic mobs on their campus," said Congresswoman Elise Stefanik.

"The rising antisemitic behavior on college campuses is beyond unacceptable, and many leaders of these movements are international students," said Congressman Drew Ferguson. "United States educational institutions should not be rewarded with generous tax benefits while condoning this behavior, and the Protecting American Students Act ensures these universities create a safe environment for all students."

In April 2024, Congresswoman Elise Stefanik sent a letter to Department of Education Secretary Miguel Cardona, Department of Justice Attorney General Merrick Garland, and Department of Homeland Security Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas, demanding action on Columbia University's campus as Columbia President Minouche Shafik continues to allow an unsanctioned mob of students and agitators to harass and threaten Jewish students and community members.

Stefanik, Banks Introduce Bill in Response to Antisemitic University Encampments

Congresswoman Elise Stefanik joined Congressman Jim Banks (R-IN) in introducing the No Tax Dollars for College Encampments Act to make federal accreditation for American universities contingent on having and abiding by rules and procedures to stop encampments, campus building takeovers, and other civil disturbances on campuses following anti-Israel encampments rising up on university grounds across the country.

"I am committed to ridding universities of the antisemitic rot corrupting our students and making campuses dangerous and unwelcoming to our Jewish communities which is why I am proud to help lead the No Tax Dollars for College Encampments Act. This legislation would prevent the disgraceful mob riots we saw overtake campuses across the country including Columbia University and make sure school leaders are enforcing policies against hostile campus takeovers. Any university leaders that fail to stand up for our Jewish community will be held accountable," said Congresswoman Elise Stefanik.

"Last school year, makeshift encampments were allowed to flourish on campuses across the country, disrupting classes and intimidating Jewish students. This is unacceptable. My legislation holds these woke universities accountable and ensures they enforce protest rules fairly and equally, not only when it fits their political agenda," said Congressman Jim Banks. Specifically, the No Tax Dollars for College Encampments Act would:

- o Enhance transparency by requiring colleges to disclose their civil disturbance response plans.
- o Improve safety through better coordination between campus and local law enforcement.
- o Ensure accountability by linking federal funding to policy implementation and reporting.

Read the full text of the bill here.

https://banks.house.gov/uploadedfiles/no_college_encampments.pdf

Ulster County Launches Solar & EV Infrastructure Grant Program for Local Governments

KINGSTON, NY - The Ulster County government has launched the Solar & Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (SEVI) program, which commits \$2.5 million of the County's American Rescue Plan Act funds to support clean energy investments by local governments that reduce reliance on fossil fuels and help mitigate climate change. County Executive Jen Metzger has extended the application deadline to July 19 at the request of local governments.

The SEVI program will award up to \$100,000 to municipalities for solar, EV charging infrastructure, or both, and requires a 50% local match (federal, state, and other funding can be included in the match). The applications were sent to all local governments in May, and awards are expected to be announced in August. Future funding rounds are possible, depending on funding availability after awards are made.

"There has never been a more opportune time for local governments to make clean energy investments. Thanks to the federal Inflation Reduction Act, governments can now take advantage of tax incentives of up to 30-40% of project costs, in addition to state and utility incentives and our SEVI program," said County Executive Metzger. "Beyond the climate benefits, these investments make fiscal sense, reducing dependence on volatile fossil fuel prices and providing cost savings on electric bills, in the case of solar, and on fuel and routine maintenance costs, in the case of municipal electric vehicles. I want to thank the Legislature, and in particular, ARPA Committee Chair Tom Corcoran (D-11, Marlborough), for championing this County grant program."

"Ulster County's SEVI grant program is a crucial step toward a cleaner, more sustainable future," said Legislator Tom Corcoran, ARPA Committee Chair. "By committing \$2.5 million from the American Rescue Plan Act funds, we're supporting local governments in their efforts to reduce reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change. The program awards up to \$100,000 to Town and Village governments for solar and EV charging infrastructure, with a 50% local match requirement. These investments not only benefit our environment but also make fiscal sense by lowering energy costs and promoting economic development. Now is the opportune time for local governments to embrace these clean energy solutions."

"The designation of ARPA funding towards solar and electric vehicle infrastructure support to our municipalities is a huge win for our towns and our residents. In the near future, our municipalities will see a reduction in overhead costs and our residents will be able to charge their vehicles at work or closer to home, while also reducing our dependence on fossil fuels. An added bonus to this program is the overwhelming bi-partisan support that it garnered in the Legislature," said Megan Sperry (D-17, Esopus/New Paltz), Deputy Chair of the Legislature and the ARPA Committee.

Grant awards are capped at \$100,000 per municipality. Local governments may submit an application for a solar project, EV-charging project, or both. Municipalities may submit separate applications for an EV charging project and a solar project; however, total funding is capped at \$100,000 per municipality. Projects pairing EV charging with solar may submit a single application.

For more information, visit: <https://participate.ulstercountyny.gov/solar-ev-grants>.

Bagel Festival Expands

The Sullivan County Chamber of Commerce and Bold Gold Media have teamed up again for the 12th Annual Bagel Festival on Sunday, August 11th from 9AM-4PM, presented by Ellenville Regional Hospital and Thompson Sanitation. This year the event has more vendors, more music, more cars, and more bagels than ever before. During the Bagel Festival Broadway in Monticello, known worldwide as "Bagel Boulevard" will be closed, and over 150 vendors will line the street to showcase their products, programs, and food. New for 2024 the vendors will go all the way to Pleasant Street. The Any Make Any Model Car Show, sponsored by King's Collision will have a larger area of the street to feature even more vehicles, and trophies sponsored by Glen Smith Engineering.

Also new this year, on the Sullivan County Courthouse Lawn will be the Bagel Festival Open Mic from 12-4, produced by local musicians Faith Kelly and Caswyn Moon and, at the Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, there will be a Kidz Zone in partnership with Restoration Church featuring a variety of fun kids activities. The Monticello Bagel Bakery will have fun Bagel activities and Bagel Merch available throughout the day.

The RadioBOLD Music Festival produced by Bold Gold Media on the Fallsburg Lumber Fiberon Decking Stage, will feature four returning local favorites; Far Beyond Gone, Somerville, Shades, The Electric Cords, and new this year Misfit Toys. Other family activities during the day include the Bagel Triathlon hosted by Under Sheriff Eric Chaboty, and the Bethel Woods Center for the Arts Scavenger Hunt. It's a full day of fun for all ages, and of course Bagels.

For those coming from out of town check out rooms at the official resort of the Bagel Festival, the Kartrite Resort & Indoor Waterpark, offering a Bagelfest special. Vendor spaces are going fast, but you can still get a space if you act quickly. If you are a local musician or artist and you want to showcase your talent, make sure to sign up for the Bagel Festival Open Mic. For any and all information about the Bagel Festival visit thebagelfestival.org or find the Bagel Festival on Facebook or Instagram.

About Bold Gold Media:

Bold Gold is a Veteran owned and operated company. The mission of Bold Gold Media Group is to provide community focused broadcast and digital media programming for our entire listening area and contribute positively to the growth and development of the region through the power of local radio and digital media.

Locally owned, operated and programmed, Bold Gold was founded in 2005, with the aim of becoming the preeminent radio broadcast group in Northeast Pennsylvania and the Catskill Mountains of New York. Bold Gold serves the following regions: The Scranton/Wilkes-Barre & Pocono Lake Region of Pennsylvania and the Catskill Mountains & Hudson Valley Region of New York. Bold Gold has a total of 14 full power radio stations and 24 total broadcast frequencies as well as numerous state-of-the-art online and digital media platforms and services.

About The Sullivan County Chamber of Commerce:

The Chamber was formed in 1974, as an advocacy group to combat escalating gasoline prices and their effects on the tourism industry. The Chamber has continued that tradition while expanding the Chamber's profile, reach and member base.

The Sullivan County Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Inc. is here to assist, support, promote and advocate on behalf of our member business community.

Additional Sponsors who make this event possible; Beth Bernitt Century 21 Geba Realty; Black Bear Oil, Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning; Catskill Hudson Bank; Catskills Equipment; CHB Home Inspections; Clean Path NY; Culligan Water; Hudson Valley Advertising; Jeff Bank; MVP Healthcare; Party Master; Platform Industries; PRASAD CDHP; Rock Hill Pharmacy; STEAM Fund; Sullivan Catskills Visitors Association; The Basement Transformer; and VA Healthcare.



As we gather with friends and family to enjoy Independence Day - the stunning lakes, beautiful weather, dazzling fireworks, and backyard barbecues, let us take a moment to reflect on the significance of this holiday and the true reason we can celebrate these freedoms.

Independence Day celebrates the birth of the most incredible nation in the world: the United States of America. Since July 4, 1776, the sacrifices by our country's brave men and women have been made to earn and keep that title. We honor the strength of all those who have gone before us and continue the fight to shape America into that shining city on a hill nations look to and respect.

Let us spend the weekend recalling all the tremendous principles that have defined us as a nation. God bless the United States of America!

Trump v. United States: A Landmark Victory for Presidential Immunity and President Trump

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZFWJ96_gZCU

President Trump had every right to examine the legitimacy of the 2020 election on behalf of the American people. The historic Trump v. United States decision established that presidents are generally immune from criminal prosecution for their official actions. This includes absolute immunity for actions that fall exclusively under presidential authority and cannot be regulated by Congress, such as the power to pardon or veto.

This was a massive victory for the rule of law and defended presidential immunity, ensuring that the president could act in the best interest of the American people without fear of retaliation. By upholding presidential immunity, the Supreme Court has sent a powerful message that our Constitution and our democratic institutions must be protected from those who seek to manipulate our legal system for partisan purposes. This ruling is a win for the Constitution and our system of justice.

Announcing \$40 Million in Regional Tech Hub Funding for Upstate New York

I am pleased to announce that the New York Semiconductor Manufacturing and Research Technology Innovation Corridor has been selected to

receive \$40 million in Phase II funding in the Regional Technology and Innovation Hubs (Tech Hubs) Program. The NY SMART I-Corridor was designated a Regional Tech Hub during Phase I of the Tech Hubs program, and the selection for Phase II highlights the great potential and capability of the Buffalo-Rochester-Syracuse region. The coalition will further allow this region to combine its expertise in advanced manufacturing with ongoing and new investments in semiconductor and sensing technology.

With this additional investment into the Buffalo-Rochester-Syracuse corridor and its designation as a Regional Technology and Innovation Hub, our region is poised to lead in innovative advancements that will benefit our nation and the world. This funding will not only onshore critical parts of our nation's supply chain but also bring jobs to our communities and promote technological advancement, thereby boosting our regional economy. I am eager to witness the positive impact this funding will have on our community.

Recognizing 1st Class Quartermaster Gene Gerrard

Eugene Gerrard, a WWII veteran commonly known as Gene, is a cherished member of our community who recently celebrated his 102nd birthday.

Gene began his service in the Coast Guard in 1942



and served until 1945. During his time with the Coast Guard, he was able to achieve the rank of 1st Class Quartermaster. Gene received an American Area Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the Victory Medal, and several more for his service during WWII.

Gene lives a life fully engaged with his community. As former chief of the Mt. Sinai Fire Department and volunteer for the Canandaigua VA Medical Center as a Red Coat Ambassador, Gene has devoted his life to the service of others.

To make a recent birthday ceremony surrounded by friends and family even sweeter, Gene was awarded with a New York State Senate Citation on the festive day. Happy belated birthday Gene, and thank you for your honorable service and lasting positive impact on our community!

Congressman Pat Ryan Continues to Deliver Direct Assistance to Veterans, Announces Summer C.A.R.E.S. Van Series for Veterans Services

WASHINGTON, DC - Today, Congressman Pat Ryan announced the launch of a series of events to deliver direct assistance to Hudson Valley veterans with his Constituent Advocacy Resources Empowerment Services (C.A.R.E.S.) Van. The event series will take place over the months of July and August and will bring veterans services and assistance with federal agencies directly to Hudson Valley veterans at Veterans Service Organizations (VSOs) across NY-18. Ryan's C.A.R.E.S. Van is staffed by his team of skilled caseworkers, including staff with veterans and military expertise. The new series builds on Ryan's consistent dedication to connecting veterans and military families directly with resources and assistance and his record of fighting for the benefits that veterans earned.

"Our veterans made huge sacrifices to protect and serve our nation - we owe them a debt that we can never truly repay. I'm proud that this series of C.A.R.E.S. Van events will deliver the specialized services that veterans need, directly to them, wherever they are in the Hudson Valley," said Congressman Pat Ryan. "As a West Point alum and veteran of two combat tours myself, I'm working every day to deliver the full support and resources our veterans deserve. Whether you need assistance accessing military records, signing up for PACT Act benefits, or just want to come be a part of the Hudson Valley veterans community, hope you'll join my team at one of the events!"

Congressman Pat Ryan is the first West Point graduate to represent the Academy in Congress and is an Army veteran of two combat tours in Iraq. Ryan has fought to ensure that veterans, service members, and military families can easily access the benefits that they've earned. Ryan has previously utilized his C.A.R.E.S. Van to deliver direct assistance to veterans during his Veterans Week of Action in November 2023. This spring, Ryan brought together over 35 organizations, government offices, and community partners from across the Hudson Valley for an all-in-one Veterans and Military Families Resource Fair. After pushing for months for a partnership between VA and the Department of Defense (DoD), earlier this year, Ryan announced that Hudson Valley veterans will now be able to access expanded healthcare services at Keller Army Community Hospital at West Point. Earlier this year, Ryan also delivered \$1 million in federal funds for the Rumshock Veterans Foundation to build ten homes for unhoused veterans in Orange County as part of its Veterans Village Project.

Congressman Ryan is a member of the House Armed Services Committee. Ryan has spearheaded legislation that expands benefits and improves quality of life for veterans, servicemembers, and military families, including introducing the Health Care Fairness for Military Families Act of 2023, the Expanding Home Loans for Guard and Reservists Act, and the Never Forgotten Korean War POW Act. Ryan has also championed legislation that protects reproductive freedom for women veterans and service members, including by cosponsoring the Equal Access to Contraception for Veterans Act and the Access to Reproductive Care for Servicemembers Act.

The schedule for the Veterans C.A.R.E.S. Van Series for the summer is as follows and updates will be provided via social media and email:

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10:
3:00PM - 5:00PM
Dutchess County Veterans Service
1335 US-44 Suite 2
Pleasant Valley, NY 12569

THURSDAY, JULY 11:
9:00AM - 1:00PM
Ulster County Veteran Services Agency

5 Development Ct
Kingston, NY 12401

TUESDAY, JULY 16:
3:00PM - 6:00PM
VFW Post 161 -
Port Jervis, NY
47-51 Owen St
Port Jervis, NY 12771

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13:
3:00PM - 6:00PM
VFW Post 161 - Port Jervis, NY
47-51 Owen St
Port Jervis, NY 12771

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14:
9:00AM - 1:00PM
Ulster County Veteran Services
Agency

5 Development Ct
Kingston, NY 12401

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15:
2:00PM - 5:00PM
Dutchess County Veterans
Service
1335 US-44 Suite 2
Pleasant Valley, NY 12569

In Response to Violent Crimes by Illegal Immigrants in NY, Rep. Molinaro Introduces Bill to Create Registry

Washington, DC - U.S. Rep. Marc Molinaro (NY-19) today introduced the Illegal Offender Registry Act alongside U.S. Reps. Anthony D'Esposito (NY-4), Mike Lawler (NY-17), and Brandon Williams (NY-22). The bill was introduced in response to recent tragedies in which one innocent 15-year old girl in the Capital Region was sexually assaulted by an illegal immigrant and another 21 year-old girl in Central New York was brutally murdered by an illegal immigrant. It also follows another incident in the Catskills in which an illegal immigrant raped and strangled a young woman.

Rep. Molinaro's bill creates a database within the Department of Homeland Security to include all illegal immigrants who are convicted of a felony. The database will include names, crimes committed, and their current place of residence.

While felonies are a deportable offense, because of sanctuary state policies in New York, there is a lack of coordination with U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and local law enforcement. This lack of coordination impacted the case in the Capital Region. The aim of Rep. Molinaro's bill is to ensure law enforcement and the general public are aware of the immigration status of apprehended individuals.

Rep. Molinaro said, "New Yorkers are angry and they should be. Even after these heinous crimes, President Biden still refuses to close the border and Governor Hochul is still keeping New York's sanctuary policies intact. They have completely tied the hands of local law enforcement and ICE. We need this registry so they can do their jobs and prevent more violent crimes."

Rep. D'Esposito said, "The unholy alliance between Joe Biden with his porous border policies and Kathy Hochul and her 'Sanctuary State' agenda has allowed migrants to come to this country illegally and openly commit crimes across New York, all while law enforcement professionals find their hands tied. In the absence of action by Biden or Hochul, Congress can take a palpable step towards eradicating illegal migrant crime by passing this legislation, which will help take the cuffs off cops and improve public safety across New York."

Rep. Lawler said, "New York's sanctuary policies are getting people killed and it's incumbent on Congress to do something about it. That's why I'm proud to join my fellow New Yorkers and Representatives Molinaro, D'Esposito, and Williams in introducing the Illegal Offender Registry Act. This vital legislation will create a database within the Department of Homeland Security to include all illegal immigrants who are convicted of a felony, ensuring law enforcement and the general public are made aware of their status and facilitating their deportation."

Rep. Williams said, "Governor Hochul and far-left extremists in Albany bear responsibility for each reoffending illegal migrant convicted of a felony - they should have been handed over to federal authorities and deported. New Yorkers don't deserve to live in fear because their elected officials refuse to place the safety of American citizens first."

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Please save the date for:

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Saturday, July 13th from 12pm to 5pm for the Founders Day Street Fair

Thursday, August 8th at 6pm for the Duck Race)

Saturday, October 26th from 12pm to 3pm for Halloweenfest

And Saturday, November 30th from 1pm-4pm for Joy to Wurtsboro

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Save the date ...

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Invitation to share the joy and cultural wealth of Oaxaca

The Annual Guelaguetza Festival of Poughkeepsie to be held on August 4th at Waryas Park



The Grupo Folklórico de Poughkeepsie and the Poughkeepsie Guelaguetza Organizing Committee (composed of local non-profit organizations and community members) are honored to announce the 17th Annual Poughkeepsie Guelaguetza Festival 2024, on Sunday, August 4, 12 to 7pm at Waryas Park, facing the Hudson River. This is a free event for the whole family, rain or shine.

Don't miss this vibrant and life-filled annual celebration for the entire family, friends and communities. This is an invitation to share the joy and cultural wealth of Oaxaca. Guelaguetza is a word from the indigenous Zapotec language that means "sharing" and is a way of living. The meaning of sharing of mutual gifts is the spirit of the festival where more than 100 artists, dancers, musicians, and singers presenting the culture and traditions of the eight regions of Oaxaca, Mexico, highlighting the typical dances, the music of the towns, the flavors, and the majestic colors of the costumes of Oaxaca.

All year round, in "Oaxakeepsie", the Oaxacan community becomes increasingly present in Poughkeepsie with its traditions and culture, bringing the culture of Oaxaca to schools, parks or city hall. Since the end of May, Oaxaca is more present than ever in the state of New York. The cultural contribution and work that La Guelaguetza de Poughkeepsie has done for 17 years is bearing fruit. On Tuesday, May 28, Senator Rob Rolison introduced a Senate resolution officially recognizing the annual Poughkeepsie Guelaguetza Festival on the first Sunday in August, which was unanimously approved by the upper house of the legislature, cementing the binational bond that the city of Poughkeepsie has the diverse, vibrant and proud citizens of the Mexican state of Oaxaca.

We will be celebrating 17 years of tradition on the Hudson River, with many surprises! There will be dances and live music with: Grupo Folklórico de Poughkeepsie, Ballet Folklórico

Guadalupano, Ballet Folklórico Mexicano de Nueva York, Banda la Picoso Hernández, Grupo de Danza Natashuy, Grupo Folklórico NISA NABANI', Grupo Media Noche, Zaadxil Danza de los Zancudos. Starting at noon, there will be a pre-show with Grupo Media Noche and the Chirmiteros musicians with drums and reed flutes who will announce the festival and welcome the Goddess Centéotl Jocelyn Rojas Antonio. After the presentation of the eight regions of Oaxaca of La Guelaguetza, there will be music and dance for the attendees traveling from Oaxaca, with La Picoso Hernández banda.

There will be free workshops for children with the Children's Museum, HIV testing stations, as well as the health, education, and documentation windows from the Mexican Consulate of New York. The Guelaguetza will be streamed live on Facebook from the Guelaguetza page by Grupo Crea, with the purpose of sharing the Guelaguetza with those who cannot attend or are going through a difficult time. There will also be food and crafts for sale from restaurants and shops from the region, a free children's activities tent, and information from local nonprofits.

The Poughkeepsie Folklore Group (GFP) is made up of people of different ages and nationalities from Mexico, Guatemala, Haiti and the United States. Moms, dads, grandparents, children, grandchildren, all unite with the purpose of building a shared community, sowing in the new generations with the great love for their land and the dances of the eight regions of Oaxaca, Mexico. Thanks to the guidance of Heric Eloy, Elizabeth Martínez and Tenoch Carro, dance instructors of the GFP, this family is not only dedicated to teaching and transmitting their culture to future generations, but also to promoting coexistence, mutual help, and bringing the wealth of Oaxaca to the Hudson Valley through their Guelaguetza.

The Poughkeepsie shore of the Hudson River has been the home to La Guelaguetza since 2008. This most important of festivals for the Oaxacan community is an opportunity to spend time with friends and neighbors regardless of race, color, language, gender identity, or nationality. A moment for all to enjoy the culture, traditions, music, dance, food, and identity of the native peoples of Oaxaca.

Some tips to enjoy this event to the fullest are: come early, make sure to park in a safe spot and avoid being ticketed, bring water and sunscreen, wear light colored clothing, and be prepared to learn with all your senses.

Please, leave non-service dogs at home.

Alcohol consumption is not allowed.

The organizing committee for La Guelaguetza de Poughkeepsie 2024 consists of Gualberto Agustín, Grupo Folclórico de Poughkeepsie; Ixmucane Voh Norma Pereira, Hudson Valley Patriots for Immigration Reform; Mariel Fiori, La Voz, Elba Margarita Corbaton and Jessica Sherman, Poughkeepsie Public Library, Felipe Santos, Revolución Radio; and Wilfredo Morel, Sun River Health, with fiscal sponsorship by the Cunneen-Hackett Arts Center. Sponsors of La Guelaguetza de Poughkeepsie 2024 include Angeles Pizza Restaurant, Arts Mid-Hudson, Consulate General of Mexico in New York, Dutchess County Tourism, Gap Inc, Hudson Valley Credit Union, La Charla Mexican Restaurant, La Fortaleza Restaurant, Mexican Cultural Institute New York, Napoli Schkolink Attorney at Law, NY Osha Center, and Radio Kingston. Thanks also to the support of the City of Poughkeepsie, Discovery Museum and Hudson River Housing.

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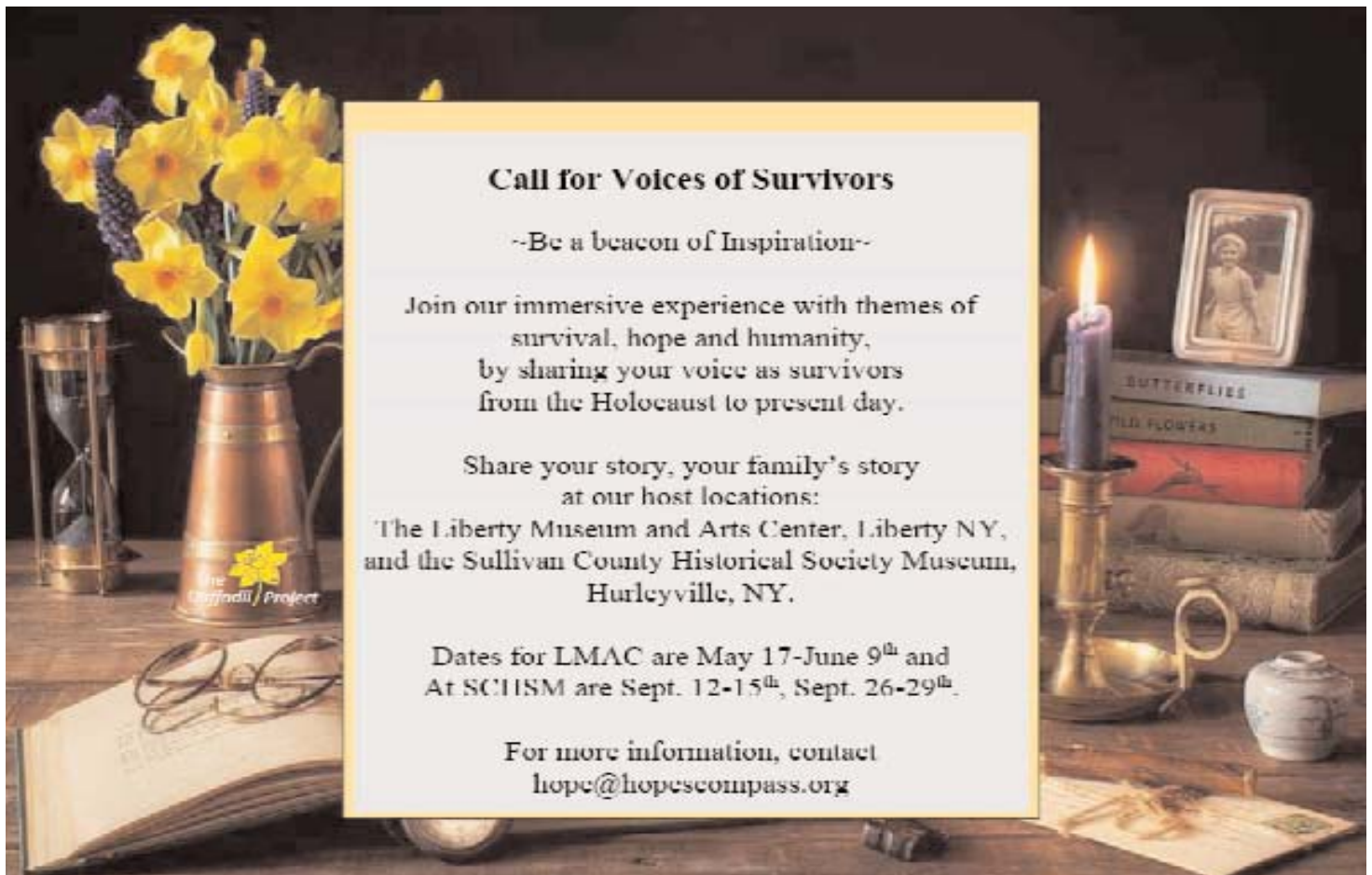
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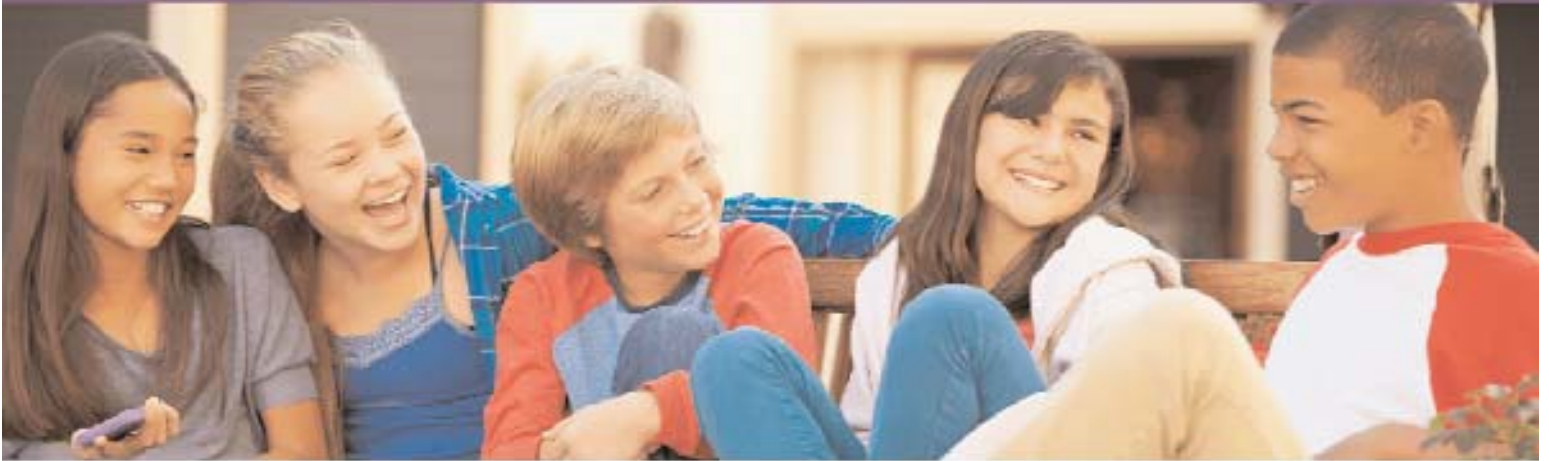
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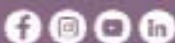
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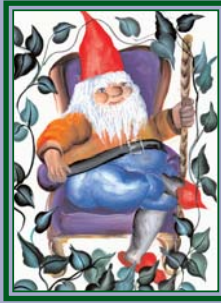
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(1H 51M / PSYCHO/DRAMA/MUR-
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The film is set in the late thirties-early nineteen-forties. This noir shows **TYRONE POWER** at his best. Unlike his swash-buckling films, he plays a con artist that lost his humanity in the face of greed. It is an astonishing change of character for Power. As a selfish ambitious carnival roustabout (Power) attempts to con his way out of carnival life, and into the "big money world" with a spiritual racket that is brutal. This noir tells of a man's inhumanity to others. In some of the advertising, the question arose, *"Is a guy born that way? Most of us would say. No! -he made his choices."*



Directed by Edmund Goulding. Starring; Tyrone Power,
Joan Blondell, Coleen Gray

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Answer to last week's Trivia Question: Cher

This weeks' Trivia question:

What movie will you find The He-Man Woman Haters' Club and *Alfalfa*?

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KNARF'S CLASSIC MOVIE II ON AMAZON PRIME

THE YEARLING

(2h 14m / Drama / TV-G / 1946)



On a family farm in Florida a young boy's pet deer threatens the neighbor's crops leaving the lad in a emotional predicament. Major decisions of life and death are imminent



Directed by Clarence Brown, Starring Gregory Peck, Jane Wyman, and Claude Jarman Jr.

KNARF'S CLASSIC MOVIE III ON AMAZON PRIME

THE STORY OF WILL ROGERS

(1h 49m / Drama / TV-PG / 1952)



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Directed by Michael Curtiz. Starring Will Rogers Jr., Jane Wyman, and Carl Benton Reid,

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