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Developer Unveils Plans for Additional Business at Aldi Site

At the Brunswick Planning Board meeting Thursday, April 7, David Leon's representatives asked the Board to approve what they labeled a minor build out change for the site of the proposed Aldi, Wendy's and KFC, now under construction along Hoosick Road (NYS Route 7). The change, however, now includes the construction of a fifth building on the site for an Aroma Joe's Drive-Thru Coffee (the Planet Fitness building already exists). Other proposed changes include a redesign of the Wendy's building and parking space alterations and the installation of four electric vehicle charging stations.

Board members expressed concern thinking this was indeed a major site plan change that might well involve a detailed SEQRA review as well as another public hearing. Board Attorney Andy Gilchrist indicated he would look into the legalities

of the changes and what under Brunswick law they might entail reporting back to the Board at their April 21 meeting.

Belair Lane Solar

The meeting began with a joint public hearing on CVE North America's application to construct a solar energy farm on land off Belair Lane. The project has faced many challenges including a need for rezoning, which was approved last month by the Brunswick Town Board. The public hearing held this night in combination with the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) saw but three speakers, two neighbors of the project who had some visual concerns, the other a resident of the Town but not a neighbor who was concerned with the use of approved pesticides, urging the use of goats to keep grass levels down.

The application is before the ZBA for a variance *Continued on page 7*



Construction taking place around the Planet Fitness building for the new KFC restaurant while work to erect the Aldi Grocery and Wendy's restaurant takes place on the other side of the site as well. Photo by Doug La Rocque.

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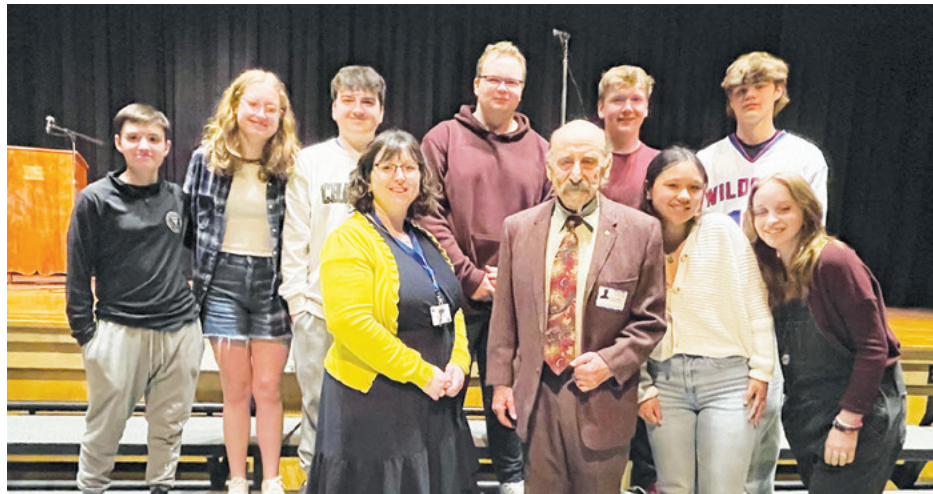
HOOSICK FALLS CENTRAL SCHOOL

Holocaust Survivor Speaks With HFCS Students

by Doug La Rocque

In light of the situation in Ukraine, many people have been relating it back to the late 1930's and 40's when Nazi Germany invaded country after country with the horrific persecution of people of the Jewish faith. It is now referred to as the Holocaust. Students still study this time period in history but since it took place 80 years ago, it is tough to relate, until now.

Thusly, it was rather poignant that Holocaust survivor Ivan Vamos was present to speak to an assembly of Hoosick Falls High School students on Tuesday, April 12. These students listened intently to Mr. Vamos with several having questions for him and some taking the time to gather with him as well.



Mr. Vamos is shown here with Social Studies Instructor Holly Cary (who arranged the event) and members of her Cary's World at War class. Photo courtesy of HFCS.

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BERLIN

Rabies Clinic

On **Saturday, April 23**, at 17563 State Route 22, the Town of Berlin will hold a rabies clinic. The cash only clinic will be open from **9 to 10 am for cats**, and **10 to 11 am for dogs**. Rabies and distemper shots will be available for \$10 each. For more information contact Douglas Goodermote at 518-658-3308.

BERLIN

Trap Shooting

The Berlin Rod & Gun Club will be holding trap shooting novice nights on **Tuesday, April 19 and 26**. There is a **5 pm** start time and the cost is \$4 for a round of 25 targets. There will be a safety meeting and those under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

BERLIN MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL

Silent Auction Donations

Submitted by BCS Communications

The Berlin Middle/High School PTO is looking for donations for a **May 7 Silent Auction**, to take place during the Robert Smith Memorial 5K and Health Fair at the school.

The money raised will go toward student scholarships, staff appreciation day and other events for students. We are looking for gift cards, business gift certificates, theme gift baskets, crafts, etc.

PETERSBURGH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Open House and Earth Day

We are hosting an Open House on **Saturday, April 23, from 10 am to noon**. We will also take the opportunity to enjoy spring weather and celebrate Earth Day by cleaning up around the library. Please join us, and bring gloves and some gardening tools, and enjoy the gathering and refreshments with us.

The Library Board meeting for this month will be **Tuesday, April 19 at 7 pm**.

A new art exhibition is now on display. Come enjoy the lovely, colorful and serene artwork of Barbara Holms.

BERLIN HIGH SCHOOL

ProStart Invitational

Submitted by BCS Communications

Congratulations to Berlin High School's Brady Beckwith who placed third with his team at the recent ProStart Invitational, held at the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, NY. Brady and his two teammates earned a \$2,000 scholarship to the Indiana University of Pennsylvania and a \$500 scholarship to SUNY Cobleskill.

The ProStart Invitational is a New York and Vermont State Culinary and Management Competition held annually. Each team had to present a three-course meal, consisting of an appetizer, entree and dessert, with two plates for each course. Students were tasked with this challenge which needed to be completed in one hour and with the use of only two butane camp burners.

ProStart is a nationally recognized curriculum



sponsored by The National Restaurant Association. The top three teams all receive scholarship money and individual trophies, as well as one trophy for their class. Photo courtesy of BCS Communications.

STEPHENTOWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Story Time

Wednesdays at 10 am

Story time with Kim. Join us on Wednesdays for stories, activities and fun.

Mahjong

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All are welcome to join the game.

Stephentown Easter Party

Saturday, April 16, at 1 pm

Join us for games, a visit from the Easter Bunny, raffles and of course lots of candy. The Easter Bunny will be escorted to the library by Stephentown's Volunteer Fire Department. Please register online.

Book Club

Next meeting is Tuesday,

April 19, at 4 pm

April's book is *The Night Watchman* by Louise Erdrich. Copies can be picked up at the library.

Blood Drive

April 19

Schedule an appointment.

To register for programs, visit stephentownlibrary.org.

BERLIN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

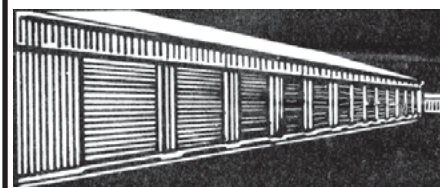
Family Fun and Wellness Day

On **Saturday, May 7, from 9 am to noon**, Berlin Central School District will host Family Fun and Wellness Day. The SMITH Annual 5k will begin at 9 am, and the one mile fun run will begin at 10:30 am. Vendors wanted. For details and registration, visit berlincentral.org.

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WILLIAMSTOWN

Artist Talk at Clark Art Institute

Submitted by the Clark Art Institute

Artist Anne Thompson will visit the Clark Art Institute on **Wednesday, April 27, at 6 pm**, to discuss her recent exhibition, *Trail Signs*, in which she installed forty-eight unique prints on the Clark's wayfinding kiosks over the course of the winter. Thompson discusses her artistic and curatorial practice in conversation with the Clark's Robert Weisenberger, associate curator of contemporary projects, and celebrates the launch of her limited-edition artist's book documenting the project. This event is presented live in the Clark's auditorium. Advance registration is required. For more information and to register, visit clarkart.edu/events.

PETERSBURGH

Fox Hollow Cafe

On **Friday, April 15, at 6:30 pm**, the Fox Hollow Cafe presents the transatlantic at the Petersburg Veterans Memorial Community Center, 71 Main St. Admission is \$5 for adults and free for minors. Don't forget to bring money for coffee and snacks.



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Ham Shoot

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WILLIAMSTOWN

Litter Cleanup Action Day

Please join us for a spring litter cleanup action day, **Saturday, April 30, from 9 am to noon**, at Field Park, Williamstown and Bloedel Park, South Williamstown. Volunteers are needed to pick up trash along roadways, parks and riverbanks all across town. Check in at Field Park or at Bloedel Park any time between 9 am and noon for instructions and a trash bag.

Please wear bright clothes and appropriate shoes and work gloves. Come for an hour or more. Kids are welcome. Rain date will be Sunday, May 1.

For more information, email Anne O'Connor at aconnorwilliamstown@gmail.com, or visit our Litter Cleanup Action Day 2022 Facebook page.

STEPHENTOWN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Pancake Breakfast

Celebrate May Day with a breakfast that supports the volunteers that answer your mayday call. **Sunday, May 1 from 8 am to noon**, the SVFD will be hosting a pancake breakfast at the Stephentown Fire Hall, 35 Grange Hall Road. The cost is \$10, eat-in or take-out. The menu will be pancakes, bacon, sausage, eggs, juice and coffee.

STEPHENTOWN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Open House

On **Saturday, April 23, from 10 am to 2 pm**, there will be an open house at the Stephentown Fire Station. Meet your local Fire Chiefs, firefighters, EMTs and fire police. Get a tour of the station and trucks. You can even grab a free lunch. We'll be grilling hamburgers and hotdogs. Bring the kids so they can meet and get a photo with Hal, our tiger mascot. Plus they can bring a stuffed animal or doll and our EMTs will provide a check-up. While you're here, pick up a free COVID-19 test kit and get your blood pressure checked. This Recruit NY event is fun for all ages so bring your family, friends and neighbors. All attendees will be entered into a raffle for free tickets to our upcoming pancake breakfast.

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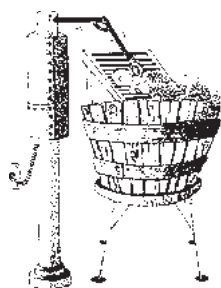
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GRAFTON

Further Discussion Required

by Chris Tergliafera

At the April 11 regular meeting of the Grafton Town Council, EMT Services NY LLC (EMTS) gave a presentation in which they detailed their current partnership with the Grafton Rescue Squad (GRS). The agreement between the two is currently on a consultation basis, for such things as assessing best practices and bylaws in order to make sure the ambulance station is in compliance. EMTS also discussed the possibility of extending the agreement with GRS to include staffing services, mentioning some of the reasons this would be beneficial, such as alleviating pressure on current volunteers so they don't get burned out.

For July through December of this year, the cost of staffing services from EMTS would be \$55,000 to cover five 12 hour shifts per week, and \$63,000 for six 12 hour shifts, plus an additional \$18,000 for operating expenses.

Since the rates listed previously are only for the last six months of 2022,

the number would have to at least be doubled for 2023 and beyond, at current rates. There is no locked in price, and cost increases are possible from year to year.

The Council stated they will need to discuss the matter further before a decision can be made, and would like public feedback before doing so. For that reason, it's very likely this topic will be discussed at an upcoming workshop meeting, and even possibly a public forum.

Other News

Trout discovery day at Grafton Lakes State Park will be **Thursday, April 21, from 11 am to 1:30 pm.**

Zumba Mondays at Roxborough Holdings has been extended five additional weeks.

Amanda Mason was appointed as the new Deputy Town Clerk.

The Council passed a resolution approving the Town's recent audit of the financial record by FAZ Accounting Services. The results of the audit can now be made public.

GRAFTON

Mass Food Giveaway

On **Friday, April 22, beginning at 9:30 am**, there will be a community partnership mass food distribution event at Grafton Lakes State Park. Come receive food, fresh fruits and vegetables, as well as other items. Please do not arrive early, as that will cause traffic and crowding. Volunteers are still needed for the event, and are asked to arrive by 8:15 am to help with packing and distribution. For questions or more information, please email volunteer@ccrcda.org.

These food giveaways are in conjunction with Catholic Charities Mobile Outreach Vehicle Extension Program, the Capital District Area Labor Federation, the Rensselaer County District Attorney's Office, the Regional Food Bank of Eastern New York, Grafton Lakes State Park and *The Eastwick Press*.



Volunteers helping at a past mass food giveaway. Photo provided.

GRAFTON

Dr. Brittany Hill

In September of 2021, Brittany Hill graduated from Boston University with her doctorate in Occupational Therapy. She completed her associate's degree at Hudson Valley Community College prior to transferring to Russell Sage College. In 2019, Dr. Hill was accepted into Boston University's doctoral program in Occupational Therapy. During pursuit of her doctorate, she accepted a position as an Occupational Therapist with Encompass Health Rehabilitation of Newnan where she continues to supervise students in the field as well as provide intense therapy for patients.

In her spare time, she participates in 5K, 10K and half marathons to assist in raising money for local charities. Dr. Hill currently resides in Georgia and is looking forward to furthering herself by pursuing a career as a professor of Occupational Therapy in the near future.



Dr. Brittany Hill. Photo provided.

The Eastwick Press would like to wish a blessed Easter to one and all.

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Zumba Gold

Mondays from 6 to 7 pm

The classes will take place at Roxborough Holdings, 13 Babcock Lake Rd. Walk-ins welcome; \$8 fee to the instructor.

Plant Sale

Saturday, June 4, from 9 am to 1 pm

Please consider donating plants in advance of the sale by contacting the library.

For more information or preregistration, call 518-279-0580, or email director@grafftoncommunitylibrary.org

VALLEY FALLS FREE LIBRARY

Lego Time

Fridays from 3 to 6 pm

There will be a new challenge each week.

Lockdown in the Library

Every other Wednesday, at 3 pm, beginning April 13

Earth Week Scavenger Hunt

Friday, April 15 at 3 pm, through Friday, April 22, at 6 pm

Zentangle Class

Wednesday, April 20, at 6:30 pm

\$15 per person, cash or check to the library.

Simulating an Earthquake

Wednesday, April 20, at 3 pm

Seed Bombs

Thursday, April 21, at 3 pm

Family Movie Night

Friday, April 22, at 6:30 pm

This month's movie is Wall-E. Popcorn and lemonade provided.

For more information call 518-753-4230, email circulation@valleyfallslibrary.org or message us on Facebook.

POESTENKILL

Recycling Day

Saturday, April 23, from 8 am to noon will be recycling day for the Town of Poestenkill. The event will take place at Waste Management, on the corner of Rts. 66 and 351. Residents may bring air conditioners, washers, dryers, etc., for a cost of \$20 per item. Bulk items such as mattresses, couches, etc. will also be accepted for \$30 per item. Check or credit card only. Waste Management will not accept tires or televisions on recycling day. Any questions, please contact the Town Clerk's Office at 518-283-5119. This event is open to Poestenkill residents only.

TROY

The Uncle Sam Parking Garage Will Come Down

by Doug la Rocque

The Troy Planning Commission is expected to hear plans within the next couple of months to take down the Uncle Sam parking Garage in Troy, located adjacent to the Troy Atrium between Third and Fourth Streets. The garage has been closed for more than a year, when chunks of concrete started falling. Troy City Council President Carmella Mantello tells *The Eastwick Press* she has requested the Planning Commission ensure that landscaping and trees be planted around the site and that the aftermath of the demoli-

tion be kept clean and safe while plans are made to redevelop the former garage location.

Quality of Life Task Force

At the Council's meeting on Thursday, April 7, the Council approved a resolution that implores Mayor Patrick Madden and his administration for a Quality of Life Task Force to tackle illegal dumping, blight, code violations, ATVs/dirt bikes and other major neighborhood issues on a block by block basis. The resolution, passed by a 6-1 vote, is now being forwarded to the Mayor.

POESTENKILL LIBRARY

Yoga on the Library Lawn

Saturday, April 16, at 10:30 am

Drop in Spring Sensory Play

Monday, April 18, from 10 am to 2 pm

We'll have two sensory bins and Play-Doh activities available.

Family Game Day

Tuesday, April 19, from 1 to 8 pm

Card and board games will be available for all ages.

Afternoon Block Party

Wednesday, April 20, from 2:30 to 4:30 pm

There will be a variety of different building blocks available.

Pick Up a Free Seedling to Plant at Home for Earth Day

Thursday, April 21

The seedlings will be available on a first come, first served basis.

Create a Family Message Journal

Thursday, April 21, at 6 pm

We recommend bringing a couple of family snapshots to add to your journal cover, but all other supplies will be provided for you. Registration is required for this program.

Earth Day Storytime

Friday, April 22, at 10:15 am

Ms. Erin will be reading stories and doing a special planting activity with the children. Older siblings are welcome to join.

For more information on upcoming events, visit www.Poestenkilllibrary.org. To register for an event call 518-283-3721, or sign up at the library.

GRAFTON

Shaker Seed Presentation

On **Wednesday, April 20, at 7 pm**, at Grafton Town Hall, 2379 NY 2, the Grafton Historical Society presents Lorraine Weiss of the Shaker Heritage Society. The presentation will be on the Shaker Seed industry. The public is invited to this free program; light refreshments will be provided.

GRAFTON PEACE PAGODA

Flower Festival

On **Sunday, May 1, at 11 am**, the Grafton Peace Pagoda, 87 Crandall Rd, Petersburg, will be holding a Flower Festival. The ceremony will be held outdoors, so please dress accordingly. For more information, call 518-658-9301 between the hours of 8 am and 5 pm.



Visitors around the Grafton Peace Pagoda at a previous event. Eastwick Press file photo.

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RENSSELAER COUNTY

4-H Horse Communications

Rensselaer County recently hosted 30 4-H youth for 4-H Horse Communications. Members were able to share and present on an equine topic of their choice to adult and teen evaluators. Many thanks to our evaluators: Maddy Bechand, Kylin Hemmings, Grace Huffam, Kaylie Millar, Lindsey Oswald, Eileen DePaula, Shari Mantini, Jeanie Scott, Kelli Grab, Val Lavigne, Glenn and Eileen Van Oort. It was an extremely successful night which resulted in the following members receiving "Exceptional Presenter" designation and qualifying to represent Rensselaer County at the Regional 4-H Horse Communications Contest: Ava Severance of Schaghticoke, Liliana Ruepp of Melrose, Nicole Tilley of Averill Park, Kaylie Millar of West Sand Lake, Grace Huffam, Lilja Franklin and Emilee Roadcap of Troy. We wish our members luck as they move on to participate in the Regional 4-H Horse Communications event. If you have questions about this and other 4-H Youth Development programs, contact your local Cooperative Extension office. Cornell Cooperative Extension is an equal opportunity programmer and employer.



4-H Member Zoey Leonard of Schaghticoke presenting and being evaluated by Eileen and Glenn Van Oort and Jeanie Scott. Photo provided.

WEST SAND LAKE

Fire Department Honors 50 Year Member



From left to right: Supervisor Scott Gallerie, Legislator Tom Choquette, County Court Judge Debra Young, Legislator Scott Bendett, Vice Chairman of the Legislature Bob Lov-eridge, C. Michael Deutsch III, County Executive Steve McLaughlin and Chief Edward Heffren. Photo provided.

Along with celebrating 150 years of service by the West Sand Lake Fire Co. No. 1 at the company's installation banquet on Saturday, April 2, another important record of service was honored. C. Michael Deutsch III was commended for 50 years of service to the company.

A lifelong resident of Sand Lake, Michael has served in various roles and duties, answering countless calls and helping protect neighbors and property during a half century of service. He is an outstanding example of the work done by so many emergency services responders across the County.

A County commendation recording Michael for his service was presented.

The 2022 Line Officers are Chief Edward J. Heffern, 1st Assistant Chief Frank Gazeley, 2nd Assistant Chief Scott Bumpus, Captain Lloyd Fox, Lieutenant Steve Rohl, Captain of Fire

Police Joe Verrastro and Lieutenant of Fire Police Linda Ellis.

Plans for Additional Business at Aldi Site

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approval, before the Planners can accept the site plan and overall project.

New Single Family Housing Project

The Paramount Builders Group has sent word to the Planning Board they will be submitting an application for 18 to 20 single family homes to be constructed near the intersection of Spring Avenue and Creek Road. This would be a major subdivision which would entail a full environmental impact study, a public hearing and possibly action by the ZBA as well.

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HOOSICK FALLS

Residency Becomes Part of the Police Review Board Debate

by Doug La Rocque

Last spring, following an executive order from former Governor Andrew Cuomo, the Hoosick Falls Village Board formed a committee to begin a review of the policies and practices of the Village Police Department. Part of their report was the suggestion the Village form a Civilian and Reform Board to assist and advise the department, though they would lack any regulatory powers. To that effect, a local law was drafted and a public hearing on such was held at their Tuesday, April 12 meeting. There were no speakers.

Later in the evening, when it came time to vote on the law, Trustee Megan Walraed asked if it was true there was a clause in the law that would allow non-village residents to serve on the Board. The answer, according to Village Attorney Andy Gilchrist, was yes. There are some specific conditions to this service, in general being the person in question would have to possess qualifications or experience that made their service desirable. That would only come about if the Village Board was to grant a waiver of residency. Ms. Walraed was joined in her apprehension to this clause by Trustee Deb Alter, with both voting against the new law. It passed however, with four yes votes. Mayor Allen feeling poorly through the evening, left for home before the vote. The actual appointments to the Board will take place at the Organizational Meeting on Monday, April 25 at 6 pm.

Budget

There was also a public hearing, again with no speakers, on the 2022-23 Village budget, which contains an approximately 1 percent tax hike, under the NYS Tax Cap. The final vote on the budget will also take place at the April 25 gathering.

PFOA Study

Dr. Erin Bell of the NYS Department of Health spoke at the meeting about a multi-site PFAS Study that includes those exposed to PFOAs. A lab has been established in Hoosick Falls at 150 Main Street. The Hoosick Falls portion of the study is also open to Petersburg residents. Researches will be looking closely at the role PFAS may play in various health outcomes by analyzing results from blood tests, health-related lab tests along with medical and expo-

sure histories. For questions or to enroll, please email PFAS@albny.edu or call 833-732-7697.

We Are Here to Stay

Jim Monahan from the Hoosick Falls Rescue Squad also spoke to the Trustees, saying rumors of the organizations pending demise are simply untrue. He talked about recruiting efforts (the squad is always looking for new EMTs and Drivers), their ride along program to show an individual what it is all about, and well as fundraising efforts.

Woods Brook

As of the meeting, there was only one building left to come down, that at 107 Main Street. It is owned by Rensselaer County, and the County Legislature, meeting the same evening, approved the transfer of ownership to the Village. Demolition of the structure is now expected to take place shortly, which will be followed by the completion of the flood prevention efforts.

Classic Street Sidewalk

Trustee Kevin O'Malley mentioned the troubling spot on Classic Street (NYS Route 22) was simply getting worse with little hope the NYS Department of Transportation was going to do anything about it. The discussion then turned to several other sidewalk woes, with the suggestion made that in the coming year's budget, some of the roadwork monies be diverted to address these issues. Mayor Rob Allen noted the amount of road repaving they planned to do was already being reduced because of the soaring rate for asphalt. As to the Village's ability to address the Classic Street situation, Attorney Gilchrist labeled it "complicated" and said that he would review the rules and regulations concerning such Village involvement.

Other Points of Interest

Hydrant flushing will take place on **Monday, May 2** for Wards 2 and 3. The flushing for Wards 1 and 4 is slated for **Tuesday, May 3**. We will publish the dates for street sweeping as soon as they are finalized.

The Louis Miller Museum will hold its Grand Re-opening on **Saturday, April 30 from 11 am to 4 pm**, with a ceremony scheduled for 1 pm.

The Little League Parade will also take place on **April 30**, with line up at Wood Park at 9:30 am.

Village Cleanup Day is slated for **Saturday, April 23 starting at 8:30 am**. Volunteers are asked to gather at the Wood Park Gazebo. Bring gloves, rakes, brooms and lots of energy.

The Village police continue to respond to significantly more calls this year than in years past, both inside and outside the Village. Twenty-one of the calls last month were outside the Village limits but still in the Town of Hoosick. The department is continuing their work with Unity House.

A review and update of the latest ARPA information was tabled until another meeting.

NORTH HOOSICK FIRE DEPARTMENT

Kids Dances

All dances are on **Fridays from 7 to 9 pm** at the North Hoosick Fire Department. Admission is \$3 and parents are reminded to sign students out after the dance. Upcoming dances will be held on **April 15 and May 6**.

HOOSICK FALLS

Congressional Town Hall

Representative Antonio Delgado will hold an in-person Town Hall meeting on **Wednesday, April 20** at the Hoosick Falls Jr./Sr. Auditorium starting at 6 pm. The Congressman has held many such open forums throughout his District. This will be his second in Hoosick Falls. All are welcome.

Denim & Deeds Welcomes Newest Team Member



We are excited to welcome Kate Mohamed Ali to our team. Kate brings over 10 years of financial and mortgage experience with her. With her professional banking background she will be able to serve all of your real estate needs and will work well as a seller's agent as well as a buyer's agent.

Kate grew up in Boyntonville and raised her family in Johnsonville. She now lives in White Creek. She also owns the Village Pizzeria and Deli in Hoosick Falls with her husband which employs several of her children as well as locals. She enjoys spending time with her family, traveling and tending to her chickens. Kate can be reached via call or text at 518-603-1755.

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HOOSICK FALLS CSD

March Students of the Month



The Middle School students of the month for March are:

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Sixth Grade

Amara Chapones-Ulloa and Brayden Ferrannini

Seventh Grade

Tyson Squires and Beloved Richardson

Eighth Grade

Andrew Shiland and Ethan McMahon.

Not pictured are Amara Chapones-Ulloa and Aidan Colby

Congratulations to all the winners.

HOOSICK

Road Study Approved

by Doug La Rocque

Two of the more important take-aways from the Monday, April 11 meeting of the Hoosick Town Council both involved transportation. First, Supervisor Mark Surdam was notified shortly before the meeting that the Town's application to the Capital District Transportation Committee (CDTC) for funding to complete an Assessment Management Plan to address the long-term needs of the Town's roads has been approved. The second also involves CDTC, with Supervisor Surdam announcing he has been appointed to serve on that committee, one of only two Town and Village voting members.

No Need to Say It Twice

Many of the announcements and presentations that took place at this meeting were repeated at the following night's Village Board meeting. To read about these, please see the Village Board report.

Other News

The meeting saw a brief presentation from Jackie Berry about a feral cat program that includes trapping and adoption. Portions of the Town and the

Village have been experiencing a feral cat problem. Information about the program will be put on the Town's website.

There will be an Armed Forces Day ceremony on **May 21** at Liberty Park at noon. The Board approved a request from the North Hoosick Fire Department to use the athletic fields for a fireworks show on **July 3**.

Highway Superintendent Paul Hoag said there is no word on when a previous Chip's payment may come in. The Town has received their most current payment. There was also discussion about if the Town should pay all or a portion of a Highway Department employee's CDL training. No decision was made at this meeting.

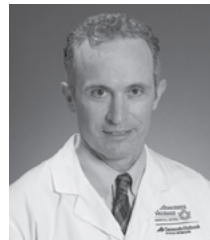
Hoosick is looking for summer camp counselors and lifeguards. Applicants must be at least 16 years of age. Please contact the Town Clerk's office for applications.

The Hoosick Housing Authority is looking for a member. They meet on the third Thursday of the month at 4 pm at Hoosick Meadows. Lisa Saunders was re-appointed to a five-year term on the Board of Assessment Review.

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Louis Miller Museum Reopens

Submitted by the Louis Miller Museum

After being closed since last year due to damage caused by significant rainfall, the Louis Miller Museum, 166 Main St., will be having its grand reopening on **Saturday, April 30, from 11 am to 4 pm.**

The event will include museum tours, live music, refreshments, an unveiling of the new Walter A. Wood interpretive panel and a service honoring retiring Town of Hoosick Historian Phil Leonard along with past Director Charlie Filkins at 1 pm.

This event is free and open to the public, but donations are always welcome.

For more information, please contact Hoosick Township Historical Society President Samantha Graves at 518-231-0183.



An updated display at the Louis Miller Museum. Photo provided by the Louis Miller Museum.

HOOSICK FALLS

Community Participation Work Group

The next public meeting of the Hoosick Area Community Participation Work Group (CPWG) will be held **Tuesday, April 26 from 6 to 8 pm**, at Hoosick Falls High School, 21187 NY 22.

In addition to the bi-monthly public meetings, the CPWG will be working continuously throughout the year to keep the Hoosick area community well informed. For more information, visit www.hoosickareacpwg.org, <http://www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/108791.html> or <https://www.health.ny.gov/environmental/investigations/hoosick/>.

CAMBRIDGE

Food Pantry Needs Your Help

The Cambridge Food Pantry has had a positive presence in the Cambridge community for several years distributing free food to residents who need a helping hand. With the increasing costs of gasoline, heating bills, food prices and almost every other basic commodity, we are experiencing on a weekly basis a rising number of households reaching out for food assistance.

The pantry is also challenged with the expense and responsibility of operating and maintaining the physical facility along with the task of keeping the aging food transport truck roadworthy. These operational expenses continue to increase from year to year.

Please consider a monetary donation to the Cambridge Food Pantry, PO Box 473, Cambridge, NY 12816 to assist in the purchase of food items. A special fund is being set up for replacement of the 2007 box truck used to pick up food supplies. Designated donations for the truck replacement fund may be mailed to the pantry's address.

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Farm and Garden Meeting

The Cambridge area branch of the Woman's National Farm & Garden will hold the first meeting of the year on **Thursday, April 21**, at Wood Park Apartments in Hoosick Falls. Meetings are held at noon on the third Thursday of the month, unless otherwise noted. The program for this month's meeting will be presented by Carol Gatus, Saratoga County Cooperative Extension Master Gardener, whose topic will be inspirational gardens. Those attending should bring their own lunch with hostesses Lois Sheaff and Kathie Roby providing dessert and beverages. Visitors are always welcome. For more information, please contact President Bea Peterson at 518-686-9382, beapeterson@gmail.com.

HOOSICK FALLS

Maple Grove Cemetery Cleanup

On **Saturday, April 23, at 8 am**, The Maple Grove Cemetery association is encouraging volunteers to join them in restoring the final resting places of veterans and ancestors of Hoosick Falls. Help us to bring dignity and respect back to these burial grounds.

Volunteers should dress to work outdoors and bring gloves, a leaf rake and tools to cut back overgrowth. The cemetery is located at 210 Main Street.

WHITE CREEK

Spring Chicken Barbecue

Saturday, May 7, from 4 to 6 pm, White Creek will hold its annual Spring Chicken Barbecue. The take out, drive through event will be held at Jermain Community Hall, Niles Rd. The menu will be a half barbecued chicken, potato salad, coleslaw, cranberries, rolls and homemade pie. Tickets are \$15, and can be picked up at the Church, also on Niles Rd. For questions or reservations, call Marilyn by phone at 518-686-9307 or email at mrobi47966@aol.com.

PITTSTOWN

Spring Cleanup

The Warren Cemetery Association will hold its spring clean up on **Sunday, April 24, at 1 pm at Warren Cemetery Rd, Boyntonville**. Rain date will be Saturday, April 30.

BENNINGTON

DAISY Award Winner

Submitted by SVHC

Pamela Duchene, PhD, APRN-BC, FACHE, chief nursing officer and vice president for Patient Care Services, was the March recipient of the DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nurses at Southwestern Vermont Health Care (SVHC). The nomination was received from a patient Duchene cared for during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The nomination was from the parent of a developmentally disabled and immune-compromised patient who was hospitalized with COVID-19.

"It is a huge surprise. I feel very humbled," Duchene said on having received the award. "It is an honor to be recognized as one of the clinical nurses here."

Before joining SVHC, Duchene served as the chief nursing officer at Hallmark Health System, a 368-bed facility in Melrose, MA and at St. Joseph Hospital in Nashua, NH, which is a Magnet® Center for Nursing Excellence with 208 beds.

New Lebanon & Nassau

EAST NASSAU

Board of Trustees Highlights

by Denise Wright

The East Nassau Board of Trustees had a busy night on Monday, April 4, with an organizational meeting, a public hearing on the budget and their monthly meeting.

The organizational meeting began with the swearing-in of Mayor Acquario and Board of Trustee member Lydia Davis. The Board approved official appointments that included Kevin Hitchcock as a Code Enforcement Officer, Michael Dorr as Public Works Superintendent, Jeanine McCarthy as Village Treasurer and Diane Maguire as Village Clerk. Trustee Tom Kernan was also appointed as Deputy Mayor. Outgoing Board of Trustees member Mike Lever was approved to be a Zoning Board of Appeals member for a term to end in 2027. Mayor Acquario thanked all of the appointees for their continued work for the Village.

After the organizational meeting, the Board held the public hearing for the 2022-23 budget. The budget included no changes in stipends for the Mayor and Trustees but a three percent increased stipend for the Treasurer, Code Enforcement Officer, DPW Supervisor, Clerk and Village Attorney whose salaries had been frozen for the past two years due to COVID-19. The budget reduced the tax rate per 1,000 assessments from \$1.75 to \$1.66, which is the lowest it has ever been.

At the close of the budget hearing, the general meeting opened with the setting up of a public hearing for **May 11** on a special use permit for a sign at the Country Farm Mini Mart. The Board reviewed information about the sign; some details were still needed, and the applicant is required to submit that information

by April 29 for the public hearing to commence.

After the Board of Trustees adopted the 2022-23 budget, the treasurer was happy to report that the Village received \$22,000 in sales tax revenue. An updated QuickBooks system was approved for the Village to use, and will be implemented at the beginning of the financial year.

The cookie contest had been scheduled for the end of May but rescheduled for **Sunday, November 13**. After receiving feedback from residents, the Board felt that returning to the original date would be a better fit for the community. Mr. Kernan thought that this year would be the best one ever.

Climate Smart Committee chairwoman Lydia Davis wanted to thank Code Enforcement Officer Kevin Hitchcock for taking a training course that helped the committee complete another step in attaining a \$5,000 grant. The committee is finding sites in the Village for some demonstration water-smart gardens, which will highlight nine bark and the lasagna method of mulching. They also hope to work with the Albert Forest for a community day to help remove invasive species.

Mayor Acquario concluded the meeting by appointing Nick Atchinson to the Board of Trustees, effective May 1. Atchinson expressed an interest in replacing Mike Lever, who will be focusing his time on the Zoning Board and AMVETS. Mayor Acquario thanked Lever for his continued service to his community and described him as being irreplaceable. Atchinson recently moved back to the area from North Greenbush.

NEW LEBANON

Seeing the Signs

by Chris Tergliafera

At the April 12 regular meeting of the New Lebanon Town Council, the matter of traffic control signs was discussed. The Town originally budgeted \$6,000 for two signs that would flash and let passing motorists know they need to slow down. However, after discovering the signs don't come on a trailer as originally thought, the hope is to acquire at least one sign with a trailer, for close to the original budgeted amount. The matter has been tabled until at least next month, in order to narrow down exactly what features New Lebanon is looking for in a sign and find a trailer at a reasonable price.

Shatford Park Update

The Council approved a motion to open replacing the fencing at Shatford Park to bid for split rail fencing. Bids will be due on or before May 6 at 4 pm.

A motion was also approved to purchase swings, brackets, chains and all other materials necessary to replace the swings at the park.

Critical Environmental Areas

A motion was approved to schedule a public hearing on the proposed designation of the Cool Ravine and Warm Springs critical environmental areas. Both meetings will take place on Tuesday, May 10, with the Cool Ravine meeting beginning at 6:50 pm and the Warm Springs meeting beginning at 6:55 pm.

Summer Camp

Two appointments were made in regards to New Lebanon's summer camp. Kaitlyn Williams has been named Assistant Summer Camp Director, while Jennifer Blenke has been named Summer Camp Health Director.

Bookkeeper Position

The Council approved the creation of the Bookkeeper to the Supervisor position. Ashley Saviano was then appointed to the new position.

Other News

A motion was approved to accept the bid of \$9,300 by Barton & Loguidice for engineering of the new splash pad.

The Council accepted the resignation of Josh Young from the CSC. Letters of interest for the newly vacant position can be submitted at the Town Clerk's office by **Friday, May 6, at 4 pm**.

Hazardous Waste Collection Day

On **Saturday, May 7, from 8 am to noon**, the Highway Garage, 178 Route 23B, Greenport, will be holding Columbia County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day. Residents with large quantities must contact the DPW at 518-828-2737 prior to participating. There is no charge for Columbia County residents. Proof of residency will be required.

Repair Cafe Looking for Volunteers

After several successful repair cafes, additional events have been scheduled. We are attempting to build a roster of volunteers who can fix whatever comes through the door. If you are interested in volunteering, or would like more information, please contact Bruce Shenker at bshenker@gmail.com. Scheduled events are as follows:

Fisher Store - 528 SR 20, New Lebanon

Saturday, April 30, from noon to 3 pm

Chatham Fire Department - 2 Hoffman St.

Saturday, May 14, from 10 am to 2 pm

Columbia County Climate Carnival

Saturday, July 16, from 10 am to 2 pm, At the Fairgrounds

NEW LEBANON

Spring Cleanup

On **Saturday, April 23, at 10 am**, at the Pavilion at Shatford Park, we will be celebrating spring with a cleanup event.

After arriving, you'll be assigned to a team and provided the equipment to safely pick up litter along a predetermined route. Refreshments back in the Park will follow.

Bring your own gloves and reflective vests if you have them. If you don't, we will supply them.

To join or get more information contact Bob Gilson at nlcac.gilson@gmail.com.

NEW LEBANON LIBRARY

Digital Navigators

New Lebanon Library is participating in Digital Navigators of the Hudson Valley, a program that seeks to provide free technology assistance to residents of the region. It's free to utilize the services of New Lebanon Library's digital navigators. They can assist with a variety of key tasks, such as finding ways to purchase low-cost phones or computers, finding resources for housing and submitting online applications, managing healthcare, locating food resources and much more.

Call the library for more information. To get the full list of digital navigator locations in the region, visit hvconnected.org.

Workforce NY Job Assistance Info

Thursday, April 21, from 10 am to 2 pm

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General News

Purchase of New County Offices *Approved by Legislature*

Submitted by the Office of County Executive Steve McLaughlin

The purchase of a new and more modern and convenient office for Rensselaer County services in East Greenbush was approved at the April 12 meeting of the Rensselaer County Legislature.

The purchase of the former Rose and Kiernan property at 99 Troy Road, Rt. 4, will allow the County to move forward with plans to improve and better utilize office space. The County will also be able to move away from more costly and less efficient long-term rentals of space for needed County services.

The purchase will cost the County \$5.2 million, along with an additional \$1.8 million and \$3.8 mil-

lion in energy performance improvements.

The new space includes 9.78 acres, approximately 62,848 square feet of space, approximately 400 parking spaces and an approved building lot next to the former Rose and Kiernan building.

The project will also include improvement of the existing County Office Building in downtown Troy and the adjoining County Health Building.

Further details on reconfiguration or moving of offices will be announced in the coming weeks.

The purchase was approved by the County Legislature by a 12-6 margin.

Ashby Secures Major Win for Veterans

Submitted by the Office of Assemblyman Jake Ashby

Assemblyman Jake Ashby is proud to announce the creation of the Department of Veterans' Services, a cause he has championed since taking office in 2019.

"Today is a tremendous victory for our State's nearly one-million veterans and their families," said Ashby, an Army combat veteran who serves as the Ranking Member on the Assembly Veterans' Affairs Committee. "This long-overdue measure will have a dramatic positive impact by finally providing our

veteran community with a state agency that is fully equipped, funded and solely focused on our veterans.

Ashby also noted that the absence of a centralized veterans department has greatly limited the effectiveness of implementing existing veteran programs and benefits.

"Currently, veteran programs are scattered across dozens of separate state offices, making effective administration nearly impossible. This new agency is well positioned to resolve these ongoing issues."

Honor-A-Deceased Veteran Ceremony

The Monday, April 11, Honor-A-Deceased Veteran Ceremony was held in memory of Army veteran Henry E. Levitt.

Revealing the new plaque at this month's ceremony was Legislative Majority Leader Ken Herrington and Tom Walsh, with assistance from Director of Rensselaer County Veterans Service Agency Peter Goebel and County Executive Steve McLaughlin.

Army veteran, Master Sergeant, Rensselaer County Honor-A-Deceased Veteran committee member and granddaughter of Henry E. Levitt, Brooke Albert, received her committee plaque from committee member Tim Forbes.

Also honored at the ceremony was News10 ABC Capital Correspondent, Jamie DeLine, who was presented the Seven Seals Award by Director of Employer Outreach NYS Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Emil Baker and Major

General Daniel Christian. She received the award for her story on veterans for News10 ABC. DeLine also received proclamations from Senator Daphne Jordan and the Rensselaer County Legislature.



News10 ABC capital correspondent, Jamie DeLine (right), receiving her Seven Seals Award, along with Emil Baker, Center-Director of Employer Outreach for the NYS Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (center) and Major General Daniel Christian (left). Photo by Amy Modesti.

Stefanik Cosponsors Legislation to Protect Farms, Businesses

Submitted by the Office of Congresswoman Elise Stefanik

Congresswoman Elise Stefanik cosponsored a bipartisan resolution recognizing the important role of the stepped-up basis in preserving family-owned farms, ranches and small businesses.

The stepped-up basis is a long-standing provision in the tax code that protects heirs from paying capital gains taxes on inherited assets such as land, equipment or buildings. Joe Biden has proposed

changes to this provision that would increase the tax and devastate a generational change in family farms or family-owned small businesses.

According to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, 97% of farms in New York's 21st District are family-owned. If the stepped-up basis is eliminated, 66% of all mid-sized farms would see an increased tax liability.

Student Honors

Phi Theta Kappa, the international honor society for two year colleges, has named Russell Sage College to its 2022 transfer honor roll.

Board Meetings

April 18, Monday

Petersburgh Town Board, 7 pm, Town Hall

Stephentown Town Board, 7 pm, Town Hall

Brunswick Zoning Board, 6 pm, Town Hall

Hoosick Planning Board, 7:30 pm, Hoosick Armory

April 19, Tuesday

Berlin School Board, 7:15 pm, Jr./Sr. High School

April 21, Thursday

Hoosick Falls School Bd, 6:30 pm, Jr./Sr. High School

Brunswick School Board, 6 pm, Tamarac High School

Brunswick Planning Board, 7 pm, Town Hall

April 26, Tuesday

Hoosick Falls CPWG, 6 pm, Hoosick Falls High School

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Colin King - Hoosick Falls

First Team

Leigha Henkel - Hoosick Valley
Riley Hayes - Hoosick Falls
Payton Merrills - Hoosick Falls
Brody Mullen - Hoosick Falls

Second Team

Ryan Maxon - Hoosick Falls
Ethan Yonconish - Hoosick Falls
Daniel Hunt - Berlin

High League Average

Colin King - Hoosick Falls (214.4)

DEC Hiring for 2022 Summer Recreation Season

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) announced the availability of employment opportunities for the summer recreational season. Individuals looking for seasonal summer employment who enjoy the outdoors are encouraged to learn more about opportunities to work at DEC facilities.

All applicants for seasonal summer employment must be willing to work weekends and holidays. Those interested in summer employment with DEC or looking for more information should visit dec.ny.gov/about/726.html, call 518-457-2500 Ext. #1 or email camp-info@dec.ny.gov.

AUTO RACING

by Doug La Rocque

For the second week in a row, Mother Nature has been the one to take the Checkered Flag, raining out the Orange County Speedway program. Albany-Saratoga is looking to open it's season on **Friday, April 15** with Fonda slated to open the follow night, **Saturday, April 16**. Next week-end's line up of shows will also include the season opener at Lebanon Valley.

Send Your Sports News

The Eastwick Press would like to publish your sporting events and scores. Simply send the information to news@eastwickpress.com by 2 pm on Tuesday of the week you would like the information to appear.

DYKEN POND ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER

Creatures of the Air, Birds

Saturday, April 16, from 1 to 2:30 pm

Binoculars are available for loan to all participants. Preregistration required. \$3.

Full Pink Moon Hike

Saturday, April 16, at 6 pm

Sound of Spring Night Hike

Thursday, April 21, from 7 to 8:30 pm

Preregistration required.

Please preregister for programs at 518-658-2055 or dykenpond@gmail.com.

Barbecue Recreation Bowling

Wednesday Night League

Team Standings	Won	Lost	High Scores
The Jabronis	32	13	Bob Brenenstuhl Jr. 300 245 771
Lebowski Rug Co.	28	17	Mike Weeden 256 247 728
Chico's Bail Bonds	26	19	Matt Brownell 265 247 724
Farmers Tires	24	21	Mitch Andrew 247 236 717
Lou's Plumbing	23	22	Meghan Backes 255 241 715
Boner's	23	22	Josh Magisano 257 257 709
Mag-way	20	25	Cory Weeden 258 245 694
Wack'em & Stack'em	19	26	John Brown 245 232 691
Gallup Inn	15	30	Colin Cipperly 279 223 689
McNally Insurance	15	30	Ryan Shumway 264 221 687

Thursday American League

Team Standings	Won	Lost	High Game
Modern Game Pro Shop	187½	112½	298 Greg Stratton
Lauzon Machine Shop	173	127	279 John Brown
Huntin' Time	171	129	279 Tom Mongeon
RGI Insurance	163	137	279 Mike Weeden
Wack'em' & Stack'em'	153½	146½	277 Scott Reinhart
Team Taconic	146	154	268 Meghan Backus
Sharpe For Governor	134½	165½	266 Max Taylor Jr
Dave Clark Excavating	125½	174½	258 Ron Caron Jr
Stevens and Sons Tents	125	175	257 Dave Clark
Lo-Ridge Farm	121	179	

AROUND THE DIAMOND

Recap From Wasaren Sports Net

Baseball

Tamarac 4

Saratoga Catholic 1

WP: Peyton Richardson

LP: Tyler Weygand

Richardson allowed an unearned run in the first frame, then shut the door on the Saints as Tamarac picked up the win at home.

Hoosick Falls 14

Berlin/New Lebanon 0

WP: Jake Sparks

LP: Connor McMillian

The Panthers scored in each of the

first five innings, while Sparks was shutting down the Mountaineer attack in the one-sided road victory for Hoosick Falls.

Softball

Hoosick Falls 1

Berlin/New Lebanon 0

WP: Kennedy Boisvert

LP: Bailey Catlin

In a pitcher's duel between Boisvert and Catlin, Hoosick Falls pushed across the lone run of the game in the third and made it stand, securing the home win over the Mountaineers.

RENSSELAER PLATEAU ALLIANCE

Albert Family Community Forest, East Nassau. Evening Campfire with Fred McCagg

Friday, April 22, at 7 pm

We will provide supplies to make s'mores, but please bring any other refreshments you would like to enjoy. Families of all ages welcome. This is a free event.

Gutierrez Family Forest. Hiking Safety Outing with Jim Slavin

Saturday, April 23, at 9 am

This outing is family friendly. Please wear comfortable walking shoes or boots and bring water and a snack. Rain gear is recommended in case of inclement weather. This is a free outing.

It is important to remember to dress accordingly for any hike. Please read the full description of an outing before joining. To learn more and register, visit www.rensselaerplateau.org/forests-forever-events.

GRAFTON LAKES STATE PARK

Trout Discovery Day

Thursday, April 21, from 11 am to 1:30 pm

The perfect event for all ages. Enjoy trout-shaped treats, crafts and educational booths highlighting the wonders of trout! The cost is \$2 cash per child, ages 5 and under free to enter. DEC will bring trout at 11:30 am. Come help to stock our ponds!

Earth Day Festival

Friday, April 22, from 5 to 8 pm

Partake in activities, demos and crafts. \$3 per person, 5 and under a free. No registration required. Special presentation with live birds of prey.

Events have no charge unless otherwise noted. To register for all events and programs unless otherwise specified, call us at 518-279-1155.

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Community Calendar

April 15, Friday

Kids Dance, 7 – 9 pm, \$3, North Hoosick Fire Department, 22106 NY-22, Hoosick Falls, parents must sign children out after dance

Fox Hollow Cafe presents the.transatlantic, 6:30 pm, \$5 adults, minors free, Petersburg Veterans Memorial Community Center, 71 Main St., coffee and snacks available

April 15 & 16, Friday & Saturday

Shen Yun 2022, 7:30 pm both nights & 2 pm Saturday, \$85–\$155, MainStage at Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady, masks required, proctors.org or call box office at 518-346-6204 Mon–Fri, 10 am–6 pm

April 16, Saturday

Experience Forest Bathing, 10 am – noon, free, Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center, sturdy walking shoes required, preregister, 518-658-2055 or dykenpond@gmail.com

Full Pink Moon Hike, 6 pm, free, Dyken Pond, preregister, 518-658-2055 or dykenpond@gmail.com

Celebrating Nature: Two Distinct Approaches art exhibit reception, 3 – 5 pm, free, Valley Artisans Market, 25 East Main St., Cambridge, exhibit runs 4/15 – 5/10, visit valleyartisansmarket.com for more info

April 19 & 26, Tuesdays

Trap Shooting Novice Nights, 5 pm, \$4/round of 25 targets, Berlin Rod & Gun Club, 2564 Plank Rd., under 18 must be accompanied by parent/guardian

April 20, Wednesday

Shaker Seed Presentation, 7 pm, free, Grafton Town Hall, 2379 NY 2, Grafton Historical Society presents Lorraine Weiss of the Shaker Heritage Society

GNA's Secret Star, 7 pm, \$20–\$35, MainStage at Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady, four of country music's biggest stars, masks required, proctors.org or call box office at 518-346-6204 Mon–Fri, 10 am–6 pm

April 21, Thursday

Trout Discovery Day, 11 am – 1:30 pm, \$2, 5 and under free, Grafton Lakes State Park, help stock the ponds and enjoy trout-shaped treats, crafts, educational booths

Last week's Sudoku solution:

3	5	7	4	8	1	2	6	9
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1	6	5	2	4	3	9	8	7
4	2	8	9	7	5	1	3	6
5	8	2	3	6	4	7	9	1
6	3	9	1	2	7	4	5	8
7	1	4	5	9	8	6	2	3

April 21, Thursday

Friends of Chamber Music welcomes **Dr. Alejandro L. Madrid**, discussing newest book on the life and works of Cuban-American composer Tania León, 7 pm, Zoom, more info/register at www.friends-ofchambermusic.org

Sound of Spring Night Hike, 7 – 8:30 pm, free, Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center, preregister, 518-658-2055 or dykenpond@gmail.com

April 22, Friday

Mass Food Giveaway, 9:30 am, Grafton Lakes State Park, volunteers needed—arrive at 8:15 am, email volunteer@ccrcda.org for information/questions

Earth Day Festival, 5 – 8 pm, \$3, 5 & under free, Grafton Lakes State Park, no registration required

Evening Campfire with Fred McCagg, 7 pm, free, Albert Family Community Forest, East Nassau, s'mores supplies available, bring refreshments if desired, www.rensselaerplateau.org/forests-forever-events

April 23, Saturday

Hiking Safety Outing with Jim Slavin, 9 am, free, Gutierrez Family Forest, East Nassau, www.rensselaerplateau.org/forests-forever-events

Stephentown Volunteer Fire Dept. Open House, 10 am – 2 pm, free, Stephentown Fire Hall, 35 Grange Hall Rd., lunch provided, svfd1.org for information

Berlin Rabies Clinic, cats 9 – 10 am, dogs 10 – 11 am, \$10/shot, *cash only*, 17563 State Route 22, contact Douglas Goodermote at 518-658-3308 for more information

Suede with Fred Boyle, Piano & Rich Hill, Bass, 7:30 pm, \$35–\$40, GE Theater at Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady, masks & proof of vaccination required, proctors.org or call box office at 518-346-6204 Mon–Fri, 10 am–6 pm

April 27, Wednesday

Artist Talk at Clark: Anne Thompson, 6 pm, free, Clark Art Institute auditorium, discusses *Trail Signs* exhibit, advance registration required, clarkart.edu/events

April 30, Saturday

Columbia NE Repair Café, 12 – 3 pm, free, Fisher's Store, 528 SR 20, New Lebanon, clothing, lamps, ceramics fixed, advance signups recommended, contact Bshenker@gmail.com

Antiques Appraisal Fair, 1 pm – 4 pm, \$10/item appraised, up to 5 items, Bennington Museum, 75 Main St., benningtonmuseum.org

Gala to Benefit Bennington Performing Arts Center, 6 pm, \$150, Mount Anthony Country Club, reservations required by April 19, 802-447-0564, bpacvt.org/tickets

Grafton FD & Ladies Auxiliary Monthly Breakfast, 8 – 11 am, \$12 adults, \$6 children 12 and under, under 5 free, Grafton Fire Hall, South Rd. (County Route 85)

5th Annual Southern Vermont Winter Homebrew Festival, 1 – 4 pm, \$45, Bennington Sports Center, North Street, www.vthomebrewfests.com for tickets and more information

11th Annual Tailgate Sale, 8 am – noon, Farm Committee of the Town of Nassau, Town of Nassau

Highway Department, 599 Central Nassau Rd./County Rt. 16, East Nassau, email farms@townofnassau.org or call 518-766-3559 (ext. 2 option 1) to participate

Novelist Dinitia Smith celebrates new book, *The Prince: a Novel*, 2 pm, \$10, Spencertown Academy Arts Center & Chatham Bookstore, 790 State Route 203, Spencertown, advance reservations required, www.

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Senior News

Berlin Seniors

The Berlin seniors will have their first meeting of the year on **Wednesday, April 20, at 5 pm**, at the Petersburg Veterans Memorial Community Center. Join us for pizza as we wish former President Carol Saunders a safe trip to her new life in South Carolina.

Grafton Senior Center

The Everett Wagar Senior Center, 2 Roxborough Rd., Cropseyville, will be open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 am to 3 pm.

Mondays and Fridays there will be 10 am chair yoga class. Tuesdays at 10 am will be senior yoga class.

April 19 is our special luncheon with live music by Bob Treffiletti, followed by a celebration cake for Sharon, who retires on April 21. **Tuesday, April 26**, following lunch, the center with host Kim Freeman with Unity House to discuss Elder Care Violence. The next Grafton Senior meeting is **Tuesday, May 3**.

There is a \$3 suggested donation for all meals at the center. Please call 518-279-3413 if you wish to be added to the lunch and/or activity list.

Lebanon Valley Seniors

Meetings are at 1 pm on the first and third Fridays of the month at the LVPA firehouse. For any questions reach out to Mary Defreest at 518-733-0009.

7 Millionth Meal Served

Representatives from the County's Department for the Aging and elected officials gathered Friday, April 8 at the Edward C. Swartz Senior Center in Schodack to serve the seven millionth meal as part of the County's Meals for Seniors program, which began in 1975. County Executive Steve McLaughlin noted that unlike many counties across the state that outsource these programs, "in Rensselaer County we take



a different approach where we cook our own meals." Serving the 7 millionth meal to 98-year-old Florence Gifford is Scott Swartz, whose dad was instrumental in acquiring the center for Schodack and after whom it is named. Along with him is County Executive Steve McLaughlin, Aging Commissioner Carol Rosbozom and John Cochran from the NYS Office for the aging. Photo by Doug La Rocque.

Hoosick Falls Senior Center

The Hoosick Falls Senior Center, 69 Church Street, is open 9 am to 3 pm Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and 9 am to 1 pm Tuesdays and Thursdays, with limited van transportation Wednesdays and Fridays only.

Lunch will be served at noon on days the center is open, with a suggested donation of \$3 per meal. Grab-N-Go

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Classified Ads

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Grade B Technician Auto Mechanic Experience required

Christian's Eagle Mills Garage is looking for a Mechanic to join our team! You will be responsible for repairing various vehicles.

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Full time position M-F, no nights no weekends.
Paid holidays. Personal hand tools required, heavy tools provided. Wage based on experience.

Interested applicants call 518-279-3435 or 518-366-2536 to schedule an interview.

Help Wanted

Food Service Worker Opening

The Berlin Central School District has a four-hour opening for a Food Service Worker. Prior experience is helpful but not necessary. Must maintain clean, neat appearance, practice personal hygiene as required by health department, work from oral and written direction, follow federal and state regulations, and maintain excellent working relationship with all segments of school community. Knowledge and ability to prepare, produce and serve quality meals, general cleaning duties and computer skills required. Driver's license also required. Moderate physical activities include lifting and carrying 50+ lbs. Ability to maintain confidentiality and may act as cashier. Position may float between BES and BMHS.

Send cover letter and resume to Tammy Whitman by May 14, BCSD Business Office, P.O. Box 259, Berlin, NY 12022 or twhitman@berlincentral.org.

Help Wanted

Food Service Worker Opening

The Berlin Central School District has a five-hour opening for a Food Service Worker. Prior experience is helpful but not necessary. Must maintain clean, neat appearance, practice personal hygiene as required by health department, work from oral and written direction, follow federal and state regulations, and maintain excellent working relationship with all segments of school community. Knowledge and ability to prepare, produce and serve quality meals, general cleaning duties and computer skills required. Driver's license also required. Moderate physical activities include lifting and carrying 40+ lbs. Ability to maintain confidentiality and may act as cashier.

Send cover letter and resume to Tammy Whitman, BCSD Business Office, P.O. Box 259, Berlin, NY 12022 or twhitman@berlincentral.org.

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Help Wanted

Secretary Wanted

Petersburgh Planning Board Secretary wanted, 8+ hours / month, must be available last Monday of the month 6:30 - 9:30 pm. Please contact the Pl. Bd. Chairperson, janet.spitz@petersburgh.org.

Auto Engine For Sale

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION & ANNUAL BUDGET HEARING FOR THE NEW LEBANON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting and Election of the New Lebanon Central School District, will be held at Walter B. Howard Elementary School, 1478 Route 20, New Lebanon, NY, on Tuesday, May 17, 2022 between 12 pm and 9 pm for the election of Board of Education members, the vote upon the appropriation of the necessary funds to meet the estimated expenditures of the District for the 2021-22 school year and the levy of taxes to finance the same.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the Board of Education will hold the District's Annual Budget Hearing on Wednesday, May 4, 2022 at 7 pm at the Walter B. Howard Elementary School, 14665 Route 22, New Lebanon, NY, to present the proposed 2022-23 budget to District voters.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money required for the ensuing year for school purposes may be obtained by District residents during the 14 days preceding the Annual Meeting (except Saturday, Sunday, or holiday) at the New Lebanon Junior/Senior High School main office, the New Lebanon Jr/Sr High School main office, and the District Office (in the High School), between 9 am and 3 pm.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the propositions stated below shall be submitted to the District voters at the Annual Meeting:

PROPOSITION # 1

Shall the Board of Education of the New Lebanon Central School District be authorized to expend the total amount of \$TBD during the school year 2022-23 and to levy the necessary tax therefor?

PROPOSITION # 2

Shall the Board of Education be authorized to (1) acquire two (2) 66 passenger school buses at a cost not to exceed \$251,000 which is estimated to be the maximum cost thereof, (2) expend such sums for such purpose, (3) levy the tax necessary therefor, to be levied and collected in annual installments in such years and in

such amounts as may be determined by the Board of Education, taking into account state aid received, and (4) in anticipation of the collection of such tax, to issue bonds and notes of the District at one time or from time to time in the principal amount not to exceed \$251,000, or enter into a lease-purchase agreement at a principal amount not to exceed \$251,000 to acquire such vehicles.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of Board of Education member must be filed with the District Clerk between 9 am and 5 pm, no later than Monday, April 18, 2022. Three (3) vacancies are to be filled on the Board of Education. Each vacancy is for a three-year term.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that pursuant to Education Law Section 2014 personal registration of voters is required and no person shall be entitled to vote at said meeting whose name does not appear on the District's register or who does not register as herein-after provided, or who is not registered to vote under the provisions of Election Law Article 5. Individuals who are registered with the county board of elections will also be eligible to vote. The Election register shall include all persons who shall be registered for and who shall have voted at any annual or special District meeting or election held or conducted within the four calendar years prior to 2022. Individuals may register to vote with the District Clerk on Tuesday, May 9, 2022 between the hours of 8 am to 2 pm at the District Office. An individual must be registered at least five days preceding an election in order to vote in that election. The register of voters will be open for inspection between 8 am and 2 pm Monday through Friday on each of the five days prior to and the day of the meeting, except Saturday, Sunday, or holiday.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that Absentee Ballots may be applied for at the District Clerk's office. A list of all persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued will be available for inspection in the District Clerk's office on each of the five days prior to the day of the election except Saturday, Sunday, or holiday and will also be available at the New Lebanon Junior/Senior High School on May 17, 2022 between 12 pm and 9 pm.

Kelly McGivern, District Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Planning Board of the Town of Petersburg at 7pm or as soon thereafter as may be heard on Monday, April 25, 2022 at the Petersburg Town Hall, Main St. Petersburg, New York 12138, to review a subdivision application submitted by Nancy Hewitt Esq., for the simple subdivision of the Alannah Fitzgerald Estate on property located at 10 Wose Road. Copies of the application and supporting documents are available at the Petersburg Town Hall, and are available for public inspection during regular business hours. All interested persons will be heard at the public hearing.

DATED: April 8, 2022
Petersburgh, New York

THE PLANNING BOARD OF
THE TOWN OF PETERSBURGH
By: Janet Spitz, Chairperson

Cemetery Annual Meeting

Pleasant Valley-Meadowlawn Cemetery Association of Petersburg, NY announces their Annual Cemetery Meeting to be held on Saturday, April 23, 2022 at 9 am at the Petersburg Town Hall, 65 Main Street, Petersburg, NY. All individuals with an interest in the cemetery are welcome to attend.

Cemetery Clean-up

The Pleasant Valley-Meadowlawn Cemetery Association Spring Clean-up Day will be held on Saturday, April 16, 2022 at 9 am. All individuals interested in helping to clean the cemetery grounds prior to the 2022 mowing season should meet at the cemetery located at 108 Hewitt Road that day. All plot owners are hereby notified that during cleanup, all porcelain or glass objects, solar string lights, shrubbery, trees and rose bushes can be removed at the discretion of the cemetery association pursuant to the Rules and Regulations of said association. Rain Date will be Saturday, April 23, 2022 at 10:30 am.

LEGAL NOTICE:

The Grafton Town Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing Monday, April 18, 2022 at 6:50 pm at the Grafton Town Hall located at 2379 NY 2 in the Town of Grafton, County of Rensselaer and State of New York to consider the following:
Shawnessey Trust and Shirley Calhoun. Fire Tower Road - Two Lot-subdivision.
Tom Withcuskey
Planning Board Chairman

JN WINDOW SERVICES AND MORE LLC. Filed 3/4/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: John Noel, 1233 Broadway, Rensselaer, NY 12144. Purpose: General.

AMPTECH Energy Systems LLC (the "LLC") filed its Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State ("SOS") on November 9, 2000. The LLC's office is in Rensselaer County. SOS was designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SOS shall mail a copy of any process served on the LLC to Marc A. Miller, President, AMPTECH Energy Systems LLC, 20 Gurley Ave., Troy, New York 12182. The purpose of the LLC: any lawful act or activity.

MJGTwo Properties, LLC. Filed: 2/14/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. Org. in OHIO: 12/3/2021. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to its principal office: 210 S Main St, Findlay, OH 45840. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy Of State, 22 N Fourth St, Columbus, OH 43215. Purpose: General.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF: Kelly Hearne NP Psychiatry, PLLC. Articles of Organization filed with the New York Secretary of State (SSNY) on 03/02/22. Official Location: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Salazar and Erikson, LLP, 573 Columbia Turnpike, Building 2, East Greenbush, NY 12061. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING, BUDGET VOTE & ELECTION
HOOSICK FALLS CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
TOWNS OF HOOSICK, PITTSBURN, PETERSBURGH, GRAFTON & WHITE CREEK
COUNTIES OF RENSSELAER & WASHINGTON, STATE OF NEW YORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a public hearing of the qualified voters of the Hoosick Falls Central School District, Rensselaer County, Hoosick Falls, New York, will be held in the High School Cafeteria of the Hoosick Falls Central School Building, 21187 NY 22, Hoosick Falls, New York on Tuesday, May 10, 2022 at 6 pm prevailing time, for the presentation of the budget.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the annual meeting of the qualified voters of the Hoosick Falls Central School District, Town of Hoosick, Pittsburn, Petersburg, Grafton and White Creek; Rensselaer and Washington Counties, New York, will be held at the Hoosick Falls Central School Building in said District on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, between the hours of 9 am and 8:30 pm, prevailing time, in the High School Gym of the Main Building, at which time polls will be open to vote by voting machine upon the following items:

To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2022-2023 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.

To elect three (3) members of the Board of Education, as follows to maintain a full complement of seven (7) board members:

- Full Three-Year Term 7-01-2022 / 6-30-2025
- Full Three-Year Term 7-01-2022 / 6-30-2025
- Full Three-Year Term 7-01-2022 / 6-30-2025

To authorize the purchase of school buses.

To authorize the establishment of the position of Ex Officio Student Member of the Board.

Shall the following resolution be adopted, to-wit:
RESOLVED that the Hoosick Falls Central School District is hereby authorized to change the scope of improvements to the school building, beyond that previously approved by the voters on March 13, 2019, while staying within the maximum estimated cost so approved of \$22,045,820, without the need to follow the cost allocations previously set forth for health, safety and welfare improvements (\$16,758,641) and instructional related improvements (\$5,286,879)."

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget for 2022-2023, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the District during business hours (8 am to 4 pm) beginning April 25, 2022, at the Hoosick Falls Central School Building in the District Office. The budget document will also be available at the Hoosick Falls Cheney Library and on the District's website at www.hoosickfallscsd.org.

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Starry Ridge Farm LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 01/24/22. Office: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 37 Fred Moon Rd. Petersburg, NY 12138. Purpose: Farming.

Scratch n Release LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/02/2022 Office: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 2987 NY Highway 2 Cropseyville NY 12052. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

PUBLIC NOTICES

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of said School District at her office in the Hoosick Falls Central School Building in the District Office, not later than Monday, April 18, 2022 between 9 am and 5 pm. Each petition must state the name and residence of the candidate, shall be directed to the Clerk of the District and shall be signed by at least twenty-five (25) voters of the District, which must state the name and residence of each signer.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for absentee ballots will be obtainable between the hours of 8 am and 4 pm Monday through Friday, except holidays, from the District Clerk. Completed applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. Absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk no later than 5 pm, prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 17, 2022.

A list of persons to whom absentee ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after May 11, 2022 between the hours of 8 am and 4 pm on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on May 17, 2022, the day set for the election, and said list will be posted at the polling place at the election. Any qualified voter present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds for making his/her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the qualified voters of the School District shall be entitled to vote at said annual vote and election. A qualified voter is one who is (1) a citizen of the United States of America, (2) eighteen years of age or older, and (3) resident within the School District for a period of thirty (30) days preceding the annual vote and election. The School District may require all persons offering to vote at the budget vote and election to provide one form of proof of residency pursuant to Education Law Section 2018-c. Such forms may include a driver's license, a non-driver identification card, a utility bill, or a voter registration card. Upon offer of proof of residency, the School District may also require all persons offering to vote to provide their signature, printed name and address.

Kathleen Patire
District Clerk
Hoosick Falls Central School District

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF BERLIN

The Planning Board of the Town of Berlin, Rensselaer County, State of New York, will be holding a PUBLIC HEARING on a subdivision application for property owned by William & Lisa Hammersmith at 152 Watson Road, Berlin, New York, tax map number 162.-1-13.111, mailing address 152 Watson Rd. Petersburg, NY 12138. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, April 28, 2022, at 7 pm in the meeting room at the Town of Berlin Municipal Complex, 17563 State Route, 22, Berlin, NY 12022. Town of Berlin
Planning Board Deputy Chairman
Francis Mace

LEGAL NOTICE:

The Town of Stephentown, Rensselaer County, NY, Town Board is requesting bids for **lawn mowing** at the Town Hall and Town Park. Sealed bids are due to the Town Clerk's office by Monday, April 18th, 2022 at 7 pm, delivered or mailed to 26 Grange Hall Rd. Stephentown, NY. The Town Board has privileges to accept or deny any or all bids. Bids will be opened and reviewed at the next Regular Town Board meeting on Monday, April 18th, 2022 at 7:00pm.
By Order of the Town Board
Stephanie M. Hoffman, Town Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE • NOTICE OF SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING, BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION, BERLIN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, COUNTY OF RENSSELAER, NEW YORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a public hearing of the qualified voters of the Berlin Central School District, Rensselaer County, New York, will be held at the **Berlin Middle School/High School** Building in said District on **May 5, 2022** at 7 pm prevailing time, for the presentation of the budget.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money that will be required to fund the School District's budget for 2022 - 2023, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the District during business hours beginning **April 28, 2022** at each of the following schools:

Berlin Middle School/High School
Berlin Elementary School

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the annual meeting of the qualified voters of the Berlin Central School District, Rensselaer County, New York, will be held in the **Berlin Elementary School** in said District on **Tuesday, May 17, 2022**, between the hours of **NOON and 9 pm** prevailing time, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by ballot upon the following items, as well as any proposition that shall be properly placed before the voters:

1. To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2022 – 2023 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.
2. To elect three members of the Board for three-year terms commencing July 1, 2022 and expiring on June 30, 2025.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the following proposition shall also appear on the ballot for the voters' consideration at the Annual Meeting:

PROPOSITION #1 – BUS PURCHASE

WHEREAS, Berlin Central District (the "District") has a need to purchase three (3) 66-passenger buses for the transportation of students; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1709(25)(a) of the New York Education Law, when authorized by a vote of the qualified voters of the District, the Board of Education is authorized to purchase such passenger buses for the transportation of students.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approves the following proposition and shall submit such proposition to the voters at the May 17, 2022 annual school district budget vote and Board of Education election and include such proposition in the District's Notice of Public Hearing, Annual Meeting, Budget Vote and Election:

Shall the following resolution be adopted to, wit,

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Berlin Central School District is hereby authorized to (1) acquire three (3) 66 passenger school buses at a cost not to exceed \$405,000 which is estimated to be the maximum cost thereof, (2) expend such sums for such purpose, (3) levy the tax necessary therefor, to be levied and collected in annual installments in such years and in such amounts as may be determined by the Board of Education, taking into account state aid received, and (4) in anticipation of the collection of such tax, to issue bonds and notes of the District at one time or from time to time in the principal amount not to exceed \$405,000, or enter into a lease-purchase agreement at a principal amount not to exceed \$405,000 to acquire such vehicles.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of said School District at the Superintendent's Office in the Berlin Middle School/High School not later than 5 pm, **April 18, 2022**, between the hours of 9 am and 5 pm. Each petition shall be directed to the Clerk of the District and shall be signed by at least 25 voters of the District. The petition must state the name and residence of each signer, and must state the name and residence of the candidate.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for absentee ballots will be obtainable between the hours of 9 am and 3 pm, Monday through

Friday, except holidays, from the District Clerk. Completed applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. Absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5 pm, prevailing time on Tuesday, **May 17, 2022**. A list of persons to whom absentee ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after **May 13, 2022** between the hours of 9 am and 3 pm on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on **May 17, 2022** the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds for making his/her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that military voters who are qualified voters of the District may apply for a military ballot. A military voter may designate a preference to receive a military ballot application by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail in their request for registration, ballot application, or ballot. Applications for military ballots will be obtainable between the hours of 9 am and 3 pm, Monday through Friday, except holidays, from the District Clerk. Completed applications must be received by the District Clerk by 5 pm, prevailing time on Thursday, **April 21, 2022**, the twenty-sixth day before the election. Military ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5 pm, prevailing time on Tuesday, **May 17, 2022**. A list of persons to whom military ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after **May 13, 2022** between the hours of 9 am and 3 pm on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on **May 17, 2022**, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds for making his/her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls.

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AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with 32035 and 32008 of the Education Law, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, otherwise to be submitted for voting at said election, must be filed with the Berlin Central School District Board of Education at the District Clerk's office, on or before Monday, **April 18, 2022**, at 5 pm prevailing time, must be typed or printed in English, must be directed to the Clerk of the School District and signed by at least 25 qualified voters of the District and must state the name and residence of each signer. However, the School Board will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditures of monies is required by the proposition.

Dawn Demick, District Clerk
Berlin Central School District
Town of Berlin, County of Rensselaer, New York

NEXUS RENTALS LLC. Filed 3/21/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: Barry Chau, 28 Edgeview Ln, Staten Island, NY 10302. Purpose: General.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF TENTATIVE ASSESSMENT ROLL AND HEARING OF COMPLAINTS

Pursuant to section 506 and 526 of Real Property Tax Law) NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN that the Assessor for the Town of Stephentown, Rensselaer County, New York, has completed the Tentative Assessment Roll for the current year and a copy thereof has been filed with the Town Clerk, where it may be seen and examined by any person interested.

The Assessor(s) will be in attendance with the roll at the Assessor's Office May 7 from 9 am-1 pm; May 11 from 5 pm-9 pm; May 14 rom 9 am-1 pm and May 18 from 5 pm-9 pm.

The Board of Assessment Review will meet May 24, 2022 from 2 to 4 pm and 6 to 8 pm at the Town Hall to hear complaints in relation to assessments of Real Property. Appointments would be appreciated.

A publication containing procedures for contesting an assessment is available at the Assessor's Office.

Assessor Town of Stephentown
Jennifer Van Deusen, Sole Assessor

MD Crete, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/10/2022. Office: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 106 Kelyer Ave. Petersburg, NY 12138. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Notice of formation domestic of **CAFÉ 1204 LLC.** Articles of Org. filed with NY Secretary of State (NS) on March 25, 2022, office location: Rensselaer County, NS is designated as agent upon whom process may be served, NS shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her to Christopher J. Phelan, Castleton, New York 12033. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

BeYOUty By Dani LLC Art of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/14/2021. Office: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, LEGALCORP SOLUTIONS 1060 Broadway Suite 100 ALBANY, NY 12204 Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

141 Mohawk Street, LLC

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization filed with the Department of State of New York on March 7, 2022. Office location, Rensselaer County. Secretary of State of New York State is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Secretary of State may mail a copy of any process to 141 Mohawk Street, LLC, 451 Plank Road, Troy, New York 12182. No reported agent. Latest date of dissolution of LLC: None. Purpose: All legal purposes.

J. C. BEAUDRY, LLC

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization filed with the Department of State of New York on March 18, 2022. Office location, Rensselaer County. Secretary of State of New York State is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Secretary of State may mail a copy of any process to J. C. BEAUDRY, LLC, 40 Groveside Road, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. No reported agent. Latest date of dissolution of LLC: None. Purpose: All legal purposes.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)

Articles of Organization for a New York LLC, to wit, **HUEOLOGY, LLC** whose principal business location is in Rensselaer County, were filed with the New York State Department of State on March 18, 2022. The Secretary of State is designated agent for service of process. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it served upon him or her is c/o The LLC, 11 Haywood Lane, Rensselaer, New York 12144. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful activity to which a LLC may be organized under the LLCL of New York State.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF COMPLETING OF TENTATIVE ASSESSMENT ROLL AND HEARING COMPLAINTS (PURSUANT TO SELECTIONS 506 AND 526 OF THE REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Assessor(s) for the Town of Berlin, Rensselaer County, New York, has completed the Tentative Assessment Roll for the current year and a copy thereof has been filed with the Board of Assessors, where it may be seen and examined by any person(s) interested therein until the fourth Tuesday in May.

The assessor will be in attendance with the roll at: **BERLIN MUNICIPAL COMPLEX**
518-658-2162

on May 2nd between 4-8 pm
May 9nd between 4-8 pm
May 16th between 4-8 pm
May 21st between 10-2 pm
May 23rd between 4-8 pm

The Board of Assessment Review will meet at* **ASSESSOR'S OFFICE AT BERLIN MUNICIPAL COMPLEX ON TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2022**, in said TOWN OF BERLIN to hear complaints in relation to assessments of real property from 4-8 pm. A publication containing procedures for contesting an assessment is available at the Assessor's office. Assessor(s), Town of Berlin

* Place or places and hours shall be fixed by Board of Review, 4 hours, not necessarily continuous, between 9 o'clock in the morning and 10 o'clock in the evening, at least 2 hours of which must be 6 o'clock in the evening.

601 BRUNSWICK ROAD LLC

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization filed with the Department of State of New York on April 5, 2022. Office location, Rensselaer County. Secretary of State of New York State is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Secretary of State may mail a copy of any process to 601 BRUNSWICK ROAD LLC, 809 Farm to Market Road, Troy, New York 12180. No reported agent. Latest date of dissolution of LLC: None. Purpose: All legal purposes.

GOMIBAKO GAMES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 3/31/22. Office: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 4 Abbott St. Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF ARCH LOVE HOLDINGS LLC

Under §203 of the LLC Law. The name of the LLC is: **Arch Love Holdings LLC**, and the Articles of Organization were filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on November 9, 2021. Office location Rensselaer County. The SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC; 106 Sally Lane, Neenah, WI 54956. Purpose: any lawful activity.

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Name: **Elocin Farms LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY (SOS) on 3/22/22. Office location: Rensselaer County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to c/o Elocin Farms LLC, 190 Spicer Road, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

PACKAGE MANIA LLC. Filed 3/10/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 16 W Shore Dr, Averill Park, NY 12018. Registered Agent: United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Ave, Ste 202, Bklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: General

PAC 280, LLC. Filed 3/10/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 163 Camden Ave, Staten Island, NY 10309. Purpose: General.

Church News

Easter Services

Holy Redeemer Anglican Church

Good Friday, *April 15, at noon*

Easter Sunday, *April 17, at 10 am*

The Church is located at 242 Cloister Way, Greenwich

Gilead Lutheran Church

Gilead Lutheran Church, Rt. 278 in Center Brunswick, will be holding an old-fashioned Easter egg hunt on *Saturday, April 16*. There will be three separate hunts based on age group, beginning at 10 am. This will be an outdoor event, so dress accordingly. If you would like to donate filled plastic eggs, call the church office at 518-279-9270 or email akeefer.gilead@gmail.com to set up a drop-off time.

Zions' United Church of Christ

Join us for our annual Easter sunrise service, followed by breakfast, on the edge of Little Bowman Pond, *Sunday, April 17, at 6 am* at Zions' United Church of Christ, 741 Taborton Road, Sand Lake. Please make your reservation by calling Diane Hoffman at 518-674-2746 or Jane Weber at 518-258-4307.

North Chatham United Methodist Church

Saturday, April 16, at 9 am, The North Chatham United Methodist Church, 4274 Route 203, will be having an Easter Egg hunt. Our Easter Sunday SonRise Service will begin at 6:30 am, with regular worship at 11 am. For more information, please call 518-766-3535 or visit our website, northchathammethodistchurch.org. Zoom login information for services can also be found on our website.

Center Brunswick United Methodist Church

Good Friday, *April 15, from noon to 3 pm*, Sanctuary open for personal reflection and prayer.

Easter Sunday, *April 17, at 6 pm*, Sunrise service at Berlin UMC and virtual. Easter service will be at 9 am, and the Easter Service with Vocal and Bell choirs, at 9 am. Children's Easter Egg Hunt will be at 10:15 am.

Stephentown Federated Church

Good Friday, *April 15, from noon to 3 pm*, an open house to pray alone or receive pastoral prayer.

Easter Sunday Sunrise service, *April 17*, at 6:30 am. Join us in Garfield Cemetery on Garfield Road and/or in the Sanctuary, 1513 Garfield Road, for our Easter service at 9:30 am. The church is handicapped accessible. For more information, visit stephentownfederatedchurch.org, or call 518-733-5813.

All Saints Church

Good Friday, *April 15, at 7 pm*. Easter Sunday, *April 17, at 10 am*. Immediately following the 10 am service, the Church welcomes children to participate in our popular Easter Egg Hunt, with refreshments and fellowship for all. All Saints Episcopal Church is located on 4957 NY Rt. 7 in Hoosick Falls. For more information, or to find our Zoom link for morning prayer, visit AllSaintsHoosick.org. All are welcome to attend.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION

DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).

Name: **TJS CONSTRUCTION AND PROPERTY MANAGEMENT LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, March 9, 2022. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Rensselaer County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 1822 7th St., Rensselaer, NY, 12144.

Notice of formation of **ST. ROSE CAPITAL LLC.** Art. Of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/18/21. Office in Rensselaer County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 170 5th Ave Fl 2 Troy, NY, 12180. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

Hoosick Falls Community Alliance Church

Easter Sunday, *April 17, at 10:30 am*, with Rev. Jonathan Youngmann. If you don't have a church you call home, we would love to have you join us. The church is located at 484 Hill Road. For more information, please call 518-686-3269.

Eagle Bridge Thrift Store

The Eagle Bridge Methodist Church, Rt. 67, will be opening their thrift store *Wednesday, April 20*, and *every Wednesday through October 12, from 9 am to 1 pm*.

Center Brunswick United Methodist Church

Center Brunswick United Methodist Church, 990 Hoosick Road, Troy will be holding a **Manhattan Clam Chowder Sale** on *Good Friday, April 15*. This will be a pre-order sale only with pick up from 11 am to 2 pm. Chowder is \$10 a quart, payable at pick up. Order by calling 518-281-0684.

We will be holding a springtime pancake breakfast and plant sale on *Saturday, May 7*. Breakfast will be eat-in or take-out, from 8 to 11 am, at a cost of \$10 per person. To preorder call Jean at 518-694-1887. The hanging basket sale will be from 8 am to 4 pm.

Senior News

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lunches are available Monday through Friday.

Mondays there is card group 10 am to noon, with open card play following lunch. Wednesdays offer senior games at 12:30 pm and senior exercise group at 1:30. Fridays there's Wii bowling in the morning and bingo following lunch. The gym and library are open daily. On *Wednesday, April 20, at 11:15 am*, our guest speaker topic is on Alzheimer's, followed by a special lunch with the 1927 Music Machine. *Friday, May 6*, there will be a Mother's Day tea event with a comedy video by Anita Renfroe. Please call the center at 518-686-7561 to be placed on the meal or van transportation list.

Hoosick Area Senior Bus Trip

On *Saturday, June 11*, the Hoosick Area Seniors have planned a bus trip to Schenectady. The bus will go to Rivers Casino, Capitol Buffet on Wolf Road for lunch, the New York State Museum and a live comedy play at Latham Curtain Call Theater.

The bus will leave Hoosick Falls TOPS on June 11 at 7:30 am and will return about 6:30 pm. Cost for the trip is \$60 which includes the bus, lunch, entrance to the museum and your ticket for the play. Please call Julie for reservations at 518-686-7561 ASAP. Money is due at the time of sign-up, along with proof of vaccination for the theater.

Senior Menu

To reserve or cancel call: Troy: 518-270-2740; Schodack: 518-477-6591; Rensselaer: 518-463-2166; Hoosick Falls: 518-686-7561; Grafton: 518-279-3413

Apr 15: Butter crumb haddock, tartar, spinach, quartet baked potatoes, fresh fruit, + sandwich bag

Apr 18: Ham steak w/ pineapple glaze, yams, Malibu blend veggies, rye bread, fruit cup

Apr 19: Chicken fajitas w/ peppers and onions, rice w/ black beans, fire roasted corn, l/s wrap, apple sauce

Apr 20: Chef's choice

Apr 21: Veal patty marsala, baked potato, peas and carrots, wheat bread, fresh fruit

Apr 22: Swedish meatballs, buttered noodles, sliced carrots, dinner roll, diced peaches, + sandwich bag

Apr 25: L/s hot dogs, parmesan mashed potatoes, cut green beans, white bread, fresh fruit

Apr 26: Chipotle crusted cod, white rice, steamed broccoli, yogurt

Obituaries

Winfred H. Moses

Berlin - Winfred "Fred" Herbert Moses, 87, of Old State Route 22, died peacefully at home surrounded by family, including his loving wife Joyce M. (Bink) Moses of 46 years.

He was born in Berlin next door to his present home on December 10, 1934, the son of the late Herbert and Eva (Southard) Moses. He was educated in Berlin Schools and employed by Troy Sand and Gravel. He enjoyed traveling to Maine.

Fred was a proud veteran of the US Marines serving during the Korean War. He was a member of the Taconic Valley American Legion Post in Berlin.

He was skilled in areas such as gardening and logging, owning his own equipment and building his home by first cutting trees on his land to saw, plane and build the structure.

Fred was a real animal lover, especially his cats, and loved watching the deer and turkeys from his back porch.

Survivors include his wife Joyce and three daughters, Carol (Duane) Goodermote, Nancy Hewitt and Kathy (Everton) Headley, predeceased by Debbie Green (Joe survives), Joyce's daughter whom he loved as his own; his grandchildren, Duane (Vallis) Goodermote, Jena (Collin) Balke, Eric Twachtman, Christina Green, Sierra Thiebault, Max Headley and Larkin and Paige McNamara; his great-grandchildren, Jackson, Sawyer, Thomas, Avery and Mason.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 11, at the Thomas M. Barber Funeral Home, 66 Armsby Road in Petersburg. Interment followed in the Berlin Community Cemetery with U.S. Marine Corps honors being accorded.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Mohawk Hudson Humane Society, 3 Oakland Avenue, Menands, NY, 12204 or mohawkhumane.org.

Condolence book at ParkerBrosMemorial.com.



Brian D. Jones

Petersburgh - Brian D. Jones, II, 33, passed away April 7, 2022. Born in Bennington, VT on January 10, 1989, he was the son of Kathy (McCummiskey) and Brian Jones, Sr. of Petersburg.

Brian was a hard working tradesman who worked in roofing, construction and masonry. He was an avid outdoorsman who loved fishing, hunting, snowboarding, gardening and his Harley-Davidson. While these hobbies were important, nothing meant more to him than his children. He always enjoyed the time spent with his family and friends.

Brian is survived by his parents, Kathy and Brian, his children: Lillian E. Jones, Izabella M. Jones (Yeaman) and Brian D. Jones, III, his siblings: Trisha (Chris) Schanz, Victoria Jones and Amy Post; and by many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his grandparents: Maureen Cook, Milton Jones and Charlotte Jones.

A memorial service for Brian will be held Saturday, April 30, 2022 at 11 am, at the Petersburg Methodist Church, Head of Lane Rd., Petersburg. Following the service, family and friends are welcome to join together at the Petersburg Veterans Memorial Hall, 71 Main St., for food and refreshment. In lieu of traditional contributions, Brian's family requests perennial flowers to make a memorial garden in memory of Brian. Please visit parkerbrosmemorial.com for Brian's memorial page and to leave a message of condolence for his family.



Samuel C. Cottrell

Pownal - Samuel C. "Sam" Cottrell, 76, passed away Monday evening April 4, 2022 at his residence surrounded by his family.

Sam was born on February 25, 1946 in Troy, NY. He was the son of the late Cortland C. Cottrell and Margaret (Stearns) Cottrell. Sam was raised on a farm in Hoosick Falls, NY. In 1963, he graduated from Hoosick Fall Central School. In 1965, Sam graduated from Hudson Valley Community College with an Associates degree in Construction Technology.

In 1966 Sam joined the United States Navy Seabees and served two tours of duty in Vietnam, first with Mobile Construction Battalion 5 and the second with Seabee Team 0511.

On June 22, 1968 Sam married the former Doris Mason at the Second Congregational Church in Bennington. This past June, they celebrated 53 years of marriage.

Following the service, he went to work for the Agway Building Department as a Construction Supervisor. It was at Agway that Sam met his future business partner and close friend, Stuart Hoskins. In 1973, Sam along with Stu, established Hos-Cot Builders, Inc., for the purpose of providing construction services to the agricultural and commercial market. The partnership lasted 40 years until Stuart retired in 2014.

Sam was a member of the National Frame Builders Association where he served on the Board of Directors for 10 years and as Chairman for 2. Sam was named to Rural Builder Hall of Fame in 2018.

He was Past Master of the Van Rensselaer Lodge #400 Free and Accepted Masons. He was a member of Vision Works and Envision Dairy in 2008. In 2016, Sam became a Partner in High Meadows Dairy Farm. He was also a member of the Vietnam Veterans of America.

Besides his passion for farming, building things, new business ventures and his family, Sam also enjoyed Corvettes, Harley Davidson Motorcycles and fishing.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Doris Cottrell of Pownal, VT. A daughter, Julie and her husband Justin of Newmarket, NH. Two grandsons, Keenan "Skeezix" and Cooper "Scooter" of Newmarket. Two brothers, James Pratt (Philomene) of St. Albans, VT and William Cottrell (Diana) of Hoosick Falls, NY. Along with several nieces, nephews and cousins. He was pre-deceased by a son, Kenneth Cottrell.

The funeral service was held on Monday, April 11, 2022 at the Mahar and Son Funeral Home in Bennington, VT. Burial took place in the family lot at Park Lawn Cemetery.

If friends desire, contributions in memory of Samuel C. "Sam" Cottrell may be made to either the Kenneth Cottrell Scholarship Fund, the Pownal Rescue Squad or Paws and Boots Vermont through the office of the Mahar and Son Funeral Home 628 Main St. Bennington, VT 05201. Guest book condolences may be made at www.maharandsonfuneralhome.net.



Anthony Kovage

Hoosick Falls - Anthony "Tony" Kovage, husband, father, brother, friend, master craftsman and so much more, passed away on Sunday, April 10, 2022.

Tony could be spotted around Hoosick Falls wearing his trademark white t-shirt, blue jeans and baseball cap from his extensive collection. Driving in his red truck, he'd always pass you by with a friendly wave and smile. And, it wasn't just family and neighbors in town, he took great delight in conversation with anyone and everyone. Strangers were truly just friends he had not met yet.

Known for his imagination, creativity and workmanship, his projects and legacy endure all over our community. He loved young people and each year he would do a Christmas project with his daughter Christina's class. In later years, these projects moved to his workshop. The snowman Christmas card holders, tiled trivets, flying snowmen, holiday carousels and many more that were made are treasured by many. From parade floats to volunteering and supporting local businesses, Tony took great pride in his community.

The son of Anthony Kovage Sr. and Polita (Carlos) Kovage, nephew of beloved aunt, Christina Carlos, all of whom predeceased him. He is survived by Susan Taber Kovage, his wife and partner in creating a beautiful homestead where all were welcome and great food was always on the table. Tony leaves behind his sister, Thea (Erwin) Hambright, who will never forget her big brother's forgiveness when she borrowed his Corvette and it accidentally kissed a guardrail. His greatest legacy is his daughter, Christina Kovage, who he adored and admired. They enjoyed spending time together as she learned his craft and passion for helping others. If not for her career, she would be operating Kovage Construction Co. and Daughter today.

Tony also leaves behind many friends that joined him for meals at Babson's, came by his workshop, celebrated milestones, holidays and tinkered around on projects.

A private funeral service will take place for immediate family. Plans are being made for a celebration of Tony's life in the coming months. The family hopes anyone whose life was touched by Tony will attend and share stories and great memories.

We ask that you honor Tony by finding a way to help someone in need. Donations can also be made to the Town of Hoosick Rescue Squad through the Ackley, Ross & Garipey Funeral Home of Cambridge in honor of Tony and continuing to care for those in our community.

To offer condolences to the family, please visit www.garipeyfuneralhomes.com.



Wood Frog Mating Ending



This year has been a tough one for Wood Frog (*Lithobates sylvaticus*) mating on the Rensselaer Plateau. Males began sounding in the vernal pools around March 22, but nighttime temperatures plummeted below freezing shortly after. The frogs persisted on a few intermittent warmer days and nights, and eggs are now in area vernal pools as shown here last week. The adult frogs are now returning to their favorite spots in the forests. Tadpoles should hatch in two to four weeks depending on water temperature. **This is Trix Niernberger's 400th photo published by The Eastwick Press.** To see more of her wood frog photos, visit tinyurl.com/55s85bew.



This little lamb had a big voice, continually serenading all who passed by at the 2nd Annual Baby Animals on the Farm Day at 4 J's Farm in Averill Park on Sunday, April 10. Photo by Heidi Woofenden.

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The Life of George Holcomb

by George Holcomb • Transcribed by Betty McClave • Edited by Alex Brooks

George Comes Up Lime

Wednesday, March 10, 1852: I continue to have my foot polticed. Today John F. rode to the Shakers on horseback. He went to engage carrots and turnips.

Thursday: I have the poltices continued to be put on my foot and tonight my foot discharged a little bloody where we gave it vent with a pin and the swelling in the foot not so bad. Today Geo P. shoveled snow on the highway a spell, it was an old drift.

Friday: I continue to have my foot polticed and it is better, not swolled today. As Doctor Bates was passing by I had him call and look at my foot. He said I might have it polticed a spell longer.

Saturday: I have the poltices continued on my foot.

Sunday: Quite rainy, I have turpentine put on my foot, it not swelled.

Monday: I have honey and egg poltice on my foot but it did not do any good. Today a brick yard Shaker came and bargained with John F. for a load seed turnips and half one bushel potatoes to see the quality. Today the Irishman that lives in Wm B. Maxon house came and his wife with him and picked up stone in their last fall job.

Tuesday: I have a shoemaker poltice on my foot and today Geo P. started on foot to the east to engage apple trees. Today the Irishman that lives in Wm B. Maxon come and his wife with him and picked up stone. Today I signed one dollar and paid it in cash for the relief of Mr. Canada that sustained a loss by fire, his wadding factory and machinery all destroyed.

Wednesday: I continue lame, I went out of the house for the first time in three weeks but I have the poltice on my foot.

Friday: I stopped poltice, my foot it continues stiff and painful and some lame. I walked a little on it and I rode up to Wm B. Maxon farm and fetched home a sheep that had a young lamb.

Saturday: I continue lame, I this afternoon took the one horse wagon and carried my daughter Charlotte E. to Hancock to Lapum's store and Charlotte E. traded out what they owed her for making boosums, she bought cloth for a dress and cotton cloth and remnant calico. I called to Mr. Burrels to see if he had got my jug of molasses ready but he had not, and he promised me he would have it ready at Randal Brown's store on Tuesday next.

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