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2022 Election Results

Information Obtained from the NYS Board of Elections and Columbia County

Below are the unofficial results of the Tuesday, November 8 New York General Election. These are the races that affect residents in *The Eastwick Press*' coverage area. Vote counts represented in this article were obtained from the New York State, Rensselaer County, and Columbia County Board of Elections, respectively. Please note these are the numbers as of the time this week's edition went to print. Elections will not become official until each County Board certifies their respective results.

Governor and Lt. Governor

Kathy Hochul and Antonio Delgado, D 2,957,602
Lee Zeldin and Alison Esposito, R, C 2,666,065

Comptroller

Thomas P. DiNapoli, D, WF 3,118,466
Paul Rodriguez, R, C 2,376,688

Attorney General

Letitia A. James, D, WF 2,985,689
Michael Henry, R, C 2,539,461

United States Senator

Charles E. Schumer, D, WF 3,124,001
Joe Pinion, R, C 2,414,478
Diane Sare, L 25,469

State Supreme Court

Third Judicial District

Heidi Thais Cochrane, D
Sharon A. Graff, D
Meagan K. Galligan, D
Thomas J. Marcelle, R, C

19th Congressional District

Josh Riley, D, WF
Marcus Molinaro, R, C

20th Congressional District

Paul D. Tonko, D, WF
Elizabeth L. Joy, R, C

21st Congressional District

Matt Castelli, D, M
Elise M. Stefanik, R, C

41st Senate District

Michelle Hinchey, D, WF
Susan J. Serino, R, C, I

43rd Senate District

Andrea Smyth, D, WF
Jacob C. Ashby, R, C



160,822
162,909
164,493
162,834

106th Assembly District

Didi Barrett, D 29,766
Brandon Craig Gayford, R, C 25,298

107th Assembly District

Scott H. Bendett, R, C 37,931

108th Assembly District

John T. McDonald III, D 24,782

Columbia County Clerk

Holly C. Tanner, R, C 17,939

Columbia County Coroner

Micheal R. Blasl, R, C 17,308

Rensselaer County Court Judge

George B. Burke III, D, WF 26,244
Debra J. Young, R, C 34,310

District Attorney

Mary Pat Donnelly, D 34,290

Grafton Town Justice

Rebecca L. Green, D 450
Joseph Alund, R, C 652

Nassau Town Clerk

Kara M. Pearson, R, C 1,542

Nassau Town Justice

Michael C. Conway, R, C 1,532

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TROY

Foodstock 8

By Amy Modesti

According to Feeding America, in Rensselaer and surrounding counties, over 89,000 people are food insecure, 25,000 of which are young children and infants. They don't have the means to afford fresh food, hygiene products, or provide baby formula to their infant. Where does one go to receive assistance and combat food insecurity? The Food Pantries of the Capital District.

Sunday, November 6, the Rustic Barn Pub, along with event host and advocate

A cart of food donations that was dropped off at the Foodstock 8 event. Donations kept coming in throughout the event, even filling up a volunteer's vehicle. Photo by Amy Modesti.

Bob Gamache, hosted Foodstock 8. Since its 2017 inception, Foodstock is held to raise awareness about food insecurity and help feed the hungry in the Capital Region. And the eighth edition of Sunday's event was no different.

Event goers provided a suggested \$10 and or a food/hygiene donation to The Food Pantries of the Capital District at the door. According to Angie Weber, volunteer coordinator, the contributions that came in filled up her entire vehicle. With high inflation, individuals are finding it difficult to afford their needs and food pantries are having difficulty keeping their stock up.

Foodstock 8 was six hours of peace, love of community, and live music. Musical acts Northern Borne, The Hilltown Ramblers, The

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BERLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Dramateers Present Shrek Jr.

Submitted by BCS Communications

The Berlin Middle School Dramateers will present *Shrek Jr.* on **Friday, November 18 and Saturday, November 19, at 7 pm, as well as Sunday, November 20, at 2 pm**, in the Berlin Middle/High School auditorium. Ticket information will be coming soon to berlincentral.org.

Volunteers Clean Forest

Submitted by Trix Niernberger



Fifty volunteers scoured the Petersburg woods on Saturday, November 5, removing waste and tires in anticipation of the 2023 opening of the Dill Brook Community Forest by the Rensselaer Plateau Alliance. Here is a portion of the 100 tires dragged out. Photo by Trix Niernberger.

BERLIN HIGH SCHOOL

October Artist of the Month

Submitted by BCS Communications

The Berlin High School October Artist of the Month is senior Danny Rivera. Danny is in Intermediate Studio and Painting classes, and is creating some amazing work. His skills have come far over the past few years, due to his dedication to craftsmanship and improving his artistic practice. Photo courtesy of BCS Communications.



STEPHENTOWN

Veterans Day Ceremony

The veterans of Stephentown will hold their Veterans Day Ceremony on **Saturday, November 12, at 11 am**. The event will be held at the Stephentown Memorial Park, located at the intersection of Rts 43 and 22. The guest speaker will be Command Sergeant Major James Peter M. Matthews (US Army Ret.). Local public officials will also be in attendance. Command

Sgt. Major Matthews is a highly decorated military retiree who served 34 years, attaining the highest enlisted rank in the United States Army Reserve. He served two tours of duty in Iraq. His remarks will focus on the role of Non Commissioned Officers (NCO's) in the United States military. The public is warmly invited to attend. Light refreshments will follow.

BERLIN CSD

All County Festival

Submitted by BCS Communications



Congratulations to Sophia Zinna, Eli Ehntholt, Brave Morstad, Alaina Gardner, Kiley Quetti, Luke Turetsky, Markell Popov, Nate Goodermote, Valentina Popov, Norah Smerdon, Charlie Young, Juliann Amuso, Sophia Hart, Cole Jones, Jacob Maxon, Nick Mosher, Julia Neet, Riley Smith, and Connor Sniger. These students were selected to perform at the Rensselaer County School Music Association All County Festival, which was held after a two year hiatus. Photo courtesy of BCS Communications.

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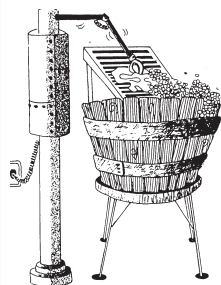
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PETERSBURGH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Friends of Petersburg History

The Friends of Petersburg History is a group of volunteers that meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 4 pm. They are committed to keeping alive the history of the Town, families, veterans, and local organizations. They welcome new participants who have historical information or records to share, as well as those who would like more information on preservation tools and research gathering. For additional information, contact Gunda Schmidt at veritext@fairpoint.net or through the library.

How to Start and Stick with an Exercise Program will be presented by Gary Danforth on **Monday, November 21, from 2:30 to 4 pm**. Please contact the library to register. An \$8 fee will be collected at the time of the program.

Knitters and stitchers meet on Wednesday afternoons and always welcome newcomers or those interested in learning new skills.

STEPHENTOWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Storytime

Wednesdays at 10 am

Slime at the Library

Monday, November 14, at 4:30 pm

Come try some new recipes for slime or use your old favorites.

Book Club

Tuesday, November 15, at 4:30 pm

The Rose Code by Kate Quinn. New members are always welcome. Copies of the book are available at SML.

Holiday Market

Friday, November 25, from 10 am to 2 pm

Shop for baked goods as well as items from local artisans and crafters, including ornaments, candles, pottery, bags, and more. Local illustrator Logan S. Kline will be there to sign his new children's book *Finding Fire*. Meet the author and pick up your copy.

Stephentown Memorial Library, 472 NY 43. Our building is handicapped accessible. For more information or to register for events, please visit stephentownlibrary.org.

BERLIN FREE TOWN LIBRARY

Sweet Fundraiser

We are having a sweet fundraiser to benefit the programs at Berlin Free Town Library (BFTL). If you love See's Candies, this is a great opportunity to stock up, as shipping rates are lower for this fundraiser. Visit our website, www.bftl.org, or Facebook page, for the link to order. Your order will be shipped directly to you. If you want to pay by cash or check, you can place an order at BFTL for pickup at the library.

Story Time

Every Wednesday at noon

Open Stitch Group

Friday November 18 and 25, from 3 to 4 pm

Berkshire Museum's MoMU: Bugs

Tuesday, November 15, from 4 to 5 pm

Silent Tween/Teen Book Club

Saturday, November 26, from noon to 1 pm

For more information please email Director@bftl.org, or visit our website, BFTL.org.

STEPHENTOWN

Creative Writing Workshop

On **Sunday, November 13, from 10 am to 1 pm**, at the Stephentown Town Hall, Grange Hall Rd, the Stephentown Art Guild will host Just Do It: A Creative Writing Workshop, led by author Robin Catalano. The workshop is designed to help writers of all levels get started on new projects, or get unstuck with those that may have stalled. Following a series of short exercises, attendees will have the option to share their writing. The

group will offer positive, supportive feedback, not critique, on what works well and what the writer could do more of to enhance the piece.

The workshop will wrap up with a Q&A, networking among attendees, and a snack from sponsor Braveheart Books. The cost is \$40 per person, and registration is required by November 8. You can find the registration form by visiting Braveheart Books Facebook page.

PETERSBURGH

Deb Cavanaugh and Dandelion Wine

On **Saturday, November 19**, Deb Cavanaugh and Dandelion Wine will perform at the Fox Hollow Cafe, located at the Petersburg Veterans Memorial Community Center, 71 Main St. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Admission is \$5 for adults, and free for minors. Third Saturdays are our community potluck nights, however, you are not required to bring a dish. Children can enjoy activities in our kids corner.

There is a suggested donation of \$1 for refreshments. You can BYOB if you

are 21 or over. Don't forget to bring cash for the raffle and vendors. If you're interested in being a vendor during one of our events, email fox-hollowcafe@gmail.com or call your host Siobhan at 430-305-2017.

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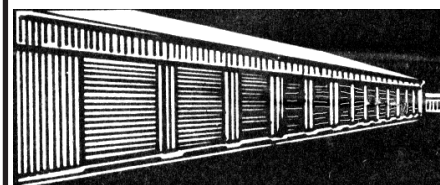
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75th Turkey Trot Seeks Costumes

Organizers of the 75th Troy Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving day have an important message for participants in the event's 5K: don't put away your Halloween costumes just yet.

The Trot is seeking both creative and scream-worthy entries for its popular costume contest. \$350 in prize money is up for grabs for participants in the most unique and best Thanksgiving day costume categories.

All costume contest participants will have their entries uploaded to the event's Facebook page. Entries receiving the most likes in each of the two categories will receive cash prizes.

For more information and to register for the 5K, 10K, Grade School Mile, and Turkey Walk, visit TroyTurkeyTrot.com.

Snowmobile Safety Course

On **Saturday, November 12, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm**, there will be a New York State (NYS) snowmobile safety course held at the Grafton VFW and Fire Hall, 581 South Rd. Lunch and snacks will be provided by the Grafton Trailblazers. Please bring a pen or pencil, as well as warm clothes, as a portion of the class will be outdoors. All registrants must be at least 10 years of age by the date of the course. Parents are encouraged to attend and participate. Completion of this course will result in receiving a NYS snowmobile safety certificate.

There is no charge to register and take this course. To register, visit <https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/188092>. For more information, call Jim Blessing at 518-469-2656.

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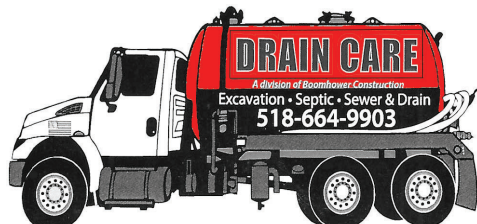
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TROY

HVCC Exhibition

Submitted by HVCC

The 11th annual Pride of Our Nation, Pride of Our College exhibition, an ever-changing collection of photographs and memorabilia of veterans and active military service members with a connection to the college, opens **Saturday, November 12**. A free public reception will be held from 1 to 4 pm in the Marvin Library Learning Commons on the Troy campus. Beginning with just a handful of photographs, the exhibit has grown to include more than 100 images and keepsakes, both official military issue and personal. Current students, faculty, and staff submit photos and loan objects, ranging from dog tags and medals to historic documents and full uniforms, that pertain to the military career of a relative or themselves. This year's exhibition features items from as far back as the Civil War up to present day. For the second year, an in memoriam wall will pay tribute to military personnel or veterans who died within the last 12 months. The exhibition will be on view **through Friday, December 16**. Admission is free.

SAND LAKE

Kiwanis Club Pasta Dinner

The Sand Lake Kiwanis Club invites you to participate in the next pasta dinner fundraiser on **Saturday, November 12, from 4 to 7 pm**, at the West Sand Lake Fire Hall, Rt. 43. The cost is \$10 for adults, and \$5 for kids 10 and under. Meals will consist of pasta, meatballs, salad, bread, and dessert, and may be dine-in or take-out. Pre-order starting at 2 pm the day of the event by calling 518-202-6876. Pasta dinners will continue to be held every second Saturday of each month. All proceeds support Kiwanis community projects.

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GRAFTON

Basket Raffle

Now through Thursday, November 17, the Everett Wagar Senior Center, 2 Roxborough Rd, will be holding a basket raffle. Over 90 baskets will be on display at the Center weekdays from 9 am to 2 pm. While you are there, check out our craft sale table. Raffle tickets are \$1 each, \$5 for 10, or \$10 for 25, and proceeds benefit entertainment and special events at the Center. The basket drawing will be November 17, beginning at 1 pm, following lunch. If you'd like to be added to the list for lunch, please call 518-279-3413. The lunch will be turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, gravy, peas, and pumpkin pie. The cost will be \$5 for non-seniors, with a suggested price of \$3 for seniors. The seniors will also have a sale table of homemade crafts at the Grafton Tree Festival and Craft Sale on **November 19** at 40 Dunham Reservoir Road, Cropseyville.

Foodstock 8 ... Continued from page 1



The Mushroom Men, closing out the Foodstock 8 event on Sunday, November 6. The band features musicians (from left-right) Eddie Bauer, Thom Meyer, and Patrick McNulty. Photo by Amy Modesti.

Tyes, Soul Sky, Bob Barker Band, and The Mushroom Men donated their time and musical expertise to help the hungry, performing everything from bluegrass, cover tunes, and originals, from all musical genres. Non-stop entertainment, dancing, and fun was had by all involved.

To donate to The Food Pantries of the Capital District or deliver food/hygiene projects, visit <https://the-foodpantries.org>.

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Tuesday Treks

Every Tuesday from 12:30 to 2:30 pm

A moderately paced 3 mile hike. Pre-registration is required. For adults and teens.

Muddy Boots Trail Crew

November 14 and 28, from 9:30 am to noon

Join our newly formed trail crew to clear trails and enjoy the outdoors. We meet twice per month to do light trail work to keep Dyken Pond's 11 miles of trails in good shape through the year. Come every time or when you can. Option to bring your lunch and have a cup of coffee, tea, or hot cocoa when we're finished.

The Joy of Birdwatching

Saturday, November 12, from 10:30 am to noon

\$3 per person, includes hot cocoa.

Forest Bathing

Saturday, November 19, from 10 am to noon

Come join us, and leave relaxed and inspired with skills to access the healing benefits of nature right in your own backyard or local park. Led by Sandy Wilson, certified Kripalu Mindfulness Outdoor Guide and Capital Region mindfulness outdoor guide, this experience is suitable for anyone able to walk at a slow pace on easy to moderate, uneven, or possibly muddy, trails.

POESTENKILL

Household Hazardous Waste Event

The final household hazardous waste disposal event of the year will be **Saturday, November 19**, at the Waste Management Transfer Station, 9002 NY Route 66, in Poestenkill. Participating Municipalities for the event are: Poestenkill, Sand Lake, North Greenbush, Grafton, Nassau, Schodack, Troy, and Bethlehem.

The event is a free service available to residents of the participating municipalities only. Space is extremely limited and advanced registration is required. Those residents who have not pre-registered will be unable to utilize the program. **Residents must visit their participating municipality's website to register.** Residents without access to the internet can contact their community's municipal liaison:

Towns of Poestenkill, Sand Lake, North Greenbush, Grafton, Nassau, and Schodack

Ann Shaughnessy, Director of Rensselaer County Environmental Management Council

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Town of Bethlehem

Dan Lilkas-Rain,

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This event will not be collecting electronics, tires, or shredding.

These items will be collected at separate events, where offered by specific municipalities.

POESTENKILL LIBRARY

Storytime

Every Friday at 10:15 am

Stone Soup Tinkergarten

Saturday, November 12, at 10:30 am

With Ms. Heather

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Tuesday, November 15, from 2 to 5 pm

Gobble Up Teen Snack Program

Thursday, November 17, at 6 pm

For more information, or to register for events, please contact the library at 518-283-3721.

VALLEY FALLS LIBRARY

Children's Storytime

Wednesdays at 10 am

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Wednesdays at 3 pm

Coffee House

Saturday, November 19, at 6 pm

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HOOSICK FALLS

Fatal Accident

Submitted by the Hoosick Falls Police Department

Hoosick Falls Police along with the New York State Police are investigating a fatal motorcycle accident that occurred on High Street just North of Danforth Street on Monday, November 7, at approximately 4:36 pm. The motorcycle, which was traveling North on High Street, struck a telephone pole. The operator was pronounced deceased at the scene. The victim was transported to Albany Medical Center pending an autopsy. The name of the motorcycle operator is not being released at this time, pending notification of next of kin. Anyone who may have witnessed the crash is asked to contact Hoosick Falls Police at 518-686-7651. Information will be released as it becomes available.

CAMBRIDGE

Farm and Garden Meeting

The Cambridge area branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden will meet on **Thursday, November 17, at 11:30 am** at Wood Park in Hoosick Falls. This will be the annual Herbanite meeting. All members should bring a dish containing an herb to pass for the luncheon. Kathie Roby and Lois Sheaff, hostesses for the meeting, will provide dessert. There will also be a Chinese auction with items to be bid upon provided by all members. Dues of \$15 will be collected that day.

HOOSICK FALLS

A Musical Celebration

On **Friday, December 2**, at the Immaculate Conception Church Hall, Main St, there will be a Hoosick Falls Christmas Musical Celebration to benefit the Immaculate Conception Parish. Tickets are \$15 per person, or \$25 per couple, and can be purchased in advance at Thorpe's Pharmacy or the Immaculate Conception Church rectory. Remaining tickets will be sold at the door. Doors will open at 6:30 pm. For more information, call Terri at 518-491-5795, Jerry at 518-285-1033, or Bob at 518-686-5477.

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CAMBRIDGE CSD

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

Submitted by Cambridge CSD

On **Friday, November 11, from 8 am to noon**, the Cambridge Central School District (CCSD) will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony for the Cambridge Closet, for community members to find items for their students who are in need of clothing or toiletries.

The closet is equipped with lightly-used or new clothing, sneakers, boots, winter gear, backpacks, hygiene kits, and more, for those who find themselves in need. The closet is available daily for teachers and staff to access should a student need arise during the school day.

The closet was a culmination of hard work by

grades K through 12 social worker Brooklynn Lee-Candee and grades 10 through 12 counselor and K through 12 counseling department chairperson Aydin O'Hearn.

The closet has already received donations from several individuals and organizations. The district would like to thank everyone who donated to ensure the closet was fully stocked for its opening.

If your students are in need of items from the closet, please reach out to Brooklynn or Aydin by emailing cambridgecloset@cambridgecsd.org or calling 518-677-8527 ext. 1422.

BENNINGTON

Submitted by SVMC

Southwestern Vermont Regional Cancer Center (SVRCC), a department of Southwestern Vermont Medical Center (SVMC), gratefully accepted a donation of dozens of blankets from Lundgren Subaru of Bennington and the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society's Upstate New York/Vermont Chapter last month.

This is the 7th year that Subaru has partnered with The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) to bring love and hope to brave patients in the form of warm blankets and hand-written notes of encouragement. By the end of the year, Subaru and retailers will have brought more than 230,000 blankets, 31,000 arts and crafts kits, and thousands of messages of hope, written by Subaru retailers and customers, to patients carrying on their brave fight.

Diabetes Management Class Forming Now

Type 2 diabetes is a serious disease that causes painful and debilitating complications like nerve damage, kidney disease, heart failure, and eye problems, to name a few. The Diabetes education department at SVMC and the Vermont Blueprint for Health have teamed up to provide a Diabetes self-management workshop on **Thursday, December 1, at 4 pm**, via Zoom.

The workshop is offered to small groups by a specially trained leader. Classes meet once a week for 6 weeks and are designed to help with things such as healthy eating, monitoring blood sugar, exercise, and more.

People who complete the class say they see big improvements. They are able to eat better, feel less depressed, and have better relationships with their doctors.

Those interested should call Joanne Lemay at 802-747-3768 or visit <https://www.myhealthvmt.org/> to learn more.

SVMC Welcomes Michael Silverberg

SVMC is pleased to welcome Michael Silverberg,

SVMC News

DO, to SVMC OB/GYN and the Dartmouth-Hitchcock Putnam Physicians. Dr. Silverberg received his medical degree from Kansas City University College of Osteopathic Medicine, and completed the Obstetrics and Gynecology Residency Program at Einstein Medical Center in Pennsylvania.

SVMC's hospital-based OB/GYN services department includes three experienced, board-certified physicians. The hospital is accredited by the Joint Commission and is the State's first Magnet Center for Nursing Excellence, a designation it has held since 2002. For more information, or to schedule an appointment, call 802-442-9600. For information about practice services, visit svhealthcare.org/services/obstetrics-gynecology.

Blood Drive

The American Red Cross will host a blood drive **from 11:30 am to 5 pm, Thursday, December 1**, at the First Baptist Church, 601 Main Street in Bennington. Donors will receive a \$10 Amazon gift card by e-mail.

To schedule an appointment, visit <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=BENNINGTONSWVMC>. Alternatively, those interested in donating blood can call 1-800-RED-CROSS or text "bloodapp" to 90999 to download the app to a smartphone.

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Hoosick Falls & Surrounding Areas

HOOSICK FALLS

Veterans Day Program

On *Friday, November 11, at 4 pm*, The Friends of the Bennington Battlefield will present "We Remember the Battle," a program in honor of veterans. The event will take place in the red brick house located down the hill from the main gate of the battlefield, 30 Caretakers Road.

This program will feature members of the Friends group sharing the experiences of several of the people whose lives were touched by the Battle of Bennington, including a newly uncovered account which has never before been published. These accounts will be presented in unique and engaging ways that will place them in their proper context. Following a question-and-answer period, refreshments will be served at 4:30 pm.

The program is free and open to the public, however donations to the Friends will be welcome. Parking will be available on the Caretakers lawn. No RSVP required. Contact David Pitlyk at david.pitlyk@parks.ny.gov or 518-860-9094 for additional details.

NORTH HOOSICK FIRE DEPARTMENT

Kids Dances

Upcoming North Hoosick Fire Department Kids dances are **November 18 and December 2**. Dances cost \$3, take place from 7 to 9 pm, and are open to students ages 9 to 14 who the Berlin, Cambridge, MAUHS, and Hoosick Falls School districts. A parent or guardian must sign students out after the dance.

CHENEY LIBRARY

Can you read 100 books in a year?

In honor of Cheney Library's 100th Anniversary, we're challenging readers to celebrate by reading 100 books in a year. All readers who reach the 100 book finish line may select a title to add to our library which will feature their name in a commemorative bookplate. The contest runs now through October 22, 2023. Stop by the library to pick up an entry form.

Fall and Winter Spice Club

Friday, November 12, at noon

Join us at the library for our fall and winter Spice Club. Create a dish using our featured spice, then meet at the library to share your cooking adventures. Bring in samples to share, photos of your creations, or just a story about how your delicious dish came to be. Our featured spice is nutmeg.

Fall Story Hour

Tuesday, November 15, at 10 am

Geared toward children ages 2 through 5, but all are welcome. Caretakers are expected to stay with their child. There will be a free play day in the children's room.



Above: rendering of new Kendall Emergency Department; Right: rendering of new Hoyt-Hunter Cancer Center

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

from Tom Dee, President and CEO
of Southwestern Vermont Health Care



**At the heart of every decision we make is our mission:
to provide exceptional care and comfort.**

Southwestern Vermont Health Care (SVHC) is extremely fortunate to have hundreds of highly skilled and deeply compassionate physicians, nurses, clinicians, and staff working with the single-minded purpose of delivering the highest quality care. Their excellence and innovation are the reasons SVHC is recognized as a top healthcare institution. They are why more than 75,000 people from our communities of Bennington, Windham, Rensselaer, and Berkshire Counties select SVHC for their health care.

What is most compelling is that these exceptional professionals work in a facility that is one of the oldest in Vermont and often employ creative strategies to compensate for our buildings' shortcomings. Our clinicians and our patients deserve a modern Emergency Department and regional Cancer Center designed to meet the community's changing needs.

Through the *Vision 2020, A Decade of Transformation* Capital Campaign, we will create facilities that match the skill of our clinical professionals and continue to attract the brightest and most capable physicians and nurses. The new Kendall Emergency Department and Hoyt-Hunter Regional Cancer Center have been designed with a higher standard of patient privacy and infection prevention; improved efficiencies for care team collaboration; enhanced telemedicine connectivity with Dartmouth Health, so more local patients can receive their care conveniently close to home; and better accommodations for those with mental health needs.

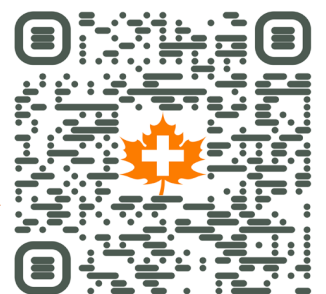
Throughout the last 4 years in the quiet phase of the campaign, we have raised nearly \$24 million from generous donors who see the value in these important projects. With just \$1 million left toward our goal of \$25 million, we are appealing to our community to contribute in any amount. All donations are important and deeply appreciated.

With your support, we will ensure that we have modernized facilities to continue to provide exemplary care and comfort for the next generation. It is an honor to care for you. Thank you.

Tom Dee | President and CEO

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New Lebanon

NEW LEBANON

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

On **Saturday, November 19, from 4 to 6 pm**, in the New Lebanon Jr./Sr. High School, the New Lebanon Just Food Club invites you to a community Thanksgiving dinner. The dinner is free to all. Crafts and the gym will be available for the kids.

NEW LEBANON

KISS Program

The Keeping Identities of Seniors Safe (KISS) program, sponsored by Columbia County Clerk Holly Tanner, will be taking place from **Monday, November 28 through Friday, December 9**. Documents that should be shredded include those containing your account numbers, passwords, PINs, date of birth, social security number, and signatures, such as bank statements, legal documents, pay stubs, tax forms, and more. Documents can be brought to New Lebanon Town Hall, 14755 Route 22, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, from 9 am to 5 pm.

EAST NASSAU

Cookie Contest

On **Sunday, November 13, from 1 to 4 pm**, at the Hoags Corners Volunteer Firehouse, 7237 Route 66, we will once again be holding our cookie contest.

The first place cookie will win \$100 cash prize, with \$50 each for the second and third place winners. This is an afternoon of local entertainment with auctions, ice cream sundaes, cookies, and a chance to visit with your neighbors. Proceeds from this event will be used for Village projects and charities. For further information, contact Village Clerk Diane Maguire at 518-766-5811.

NEW LEBANON

Supplies for Those in Need

Due to the generosity of Unity Lodge No. 9 and a community member, the New Lebanon free store, located at the Town Hall, 14755 State Route 22, has a variety of new, unopened products for families in need. The store is open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, from 9 am to 5 pm. All free items are on a first come, first served basis. Please come and take what you need.

Open Swim

Shatford Pool at New Lebanon Jr./Sr. High School will be having open swim **Thursdays, from 6:45 to 8:15 pm**. The cost is \$3 per person, or \$10 for a family of 4. The swim is sponsored by NL Community Education.

NEW LEBANON LIBRARY

The Library will be closed Friday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day.

There will be no storytime, and the library will close at 3 pm on Wednesday, November 23, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

Small Wonders Storytime

Wednesdays at 10:30 am

Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays at 11 am

Family Matinee

Saturday, November 12, at 11 am

A showing of a current family-friendly film. Popcorn provided.

Tech Talks

Fridays by Appointment

Please call 518-794-8844 or email libraryassistant@newlebanonlibrary.org to schedule an appointment time.

NEW LEBANON

Historical Society Event

The Lebanon Valley Historical Society's Board of Directors extends an invitation to all current and former New Lebanon residents to join us at the community hall of the Immaculate Conception Church, Route 20, on **Monday, November 14, at 5:30 pm** for a potluck and memory circle. This will be an opportunity for you to share your memories and tell stories about our Town beyond those of the world-impacting contributions of the Shakers and Tildens. Please bring a dish to share for our community supper table. We will provide refreshments. It is also our annual meeting to elect our officers and appoint new Board members.

NEW LEBANON

Community Walk

The Town of New Lebanon Recreation Commission has scheduled the fourth community walk for **Saturday, November 12, from 10 am to noon**. This will be a guided walk through the Hand Hollow Conservation Area, 4079 County Rd. 9, East Chatham.

The event will take place rain or shine.

Parking is limited, so please try to carpool with a friend. Well-behaved, leashed dogs are welcome, please remember to bring clean up bags for them. Please make sure to RSVP.

For more information, or to RSVP, contact Abbie at NLRecreation03@gmail.com or Joanna at NLRecreation02@gmail.com.

History Webinar

Monday, November 14, at 6 pm

Join Martin Van Buren National Historic Site Park Guide Zachary Anderson to learn more about Van Buren's politics of slavery. To register for this Zoom program, please email director@roejanlibrary.org.

Maker Meetup

Tuesday, November 15, at 4:30 pm

For ages 10 and up.

Repair Cafe

Tuesday, November 15, at 6 pm

Lamp repair and basic sewing workshop. Please register by calling 518-794-8844.

Make It and Take It: Craft Meetup for Adults

Thursday, November 17, at 6:30 pm

This month, participants will assemble and paint a decorative wooden snowman. All materials provided.

For more information, please visit newlebanonlibrary.org.

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Rensselaer County News

Make-A-Wish Northeast New York Wins America's Best Wish Award

Submitted by Make-A-Wish Northeast NY



Hillary, Esmé, and Andre Savoie. Photo courtesy of Make-A-Wish Northeast New York.

Make-A-Wish Northeast New York is the 2022 recipient of Make-A-Wish America's highest award for wishes, the Wish Innovation Award. The award recognized the wish of Esmé Savoie of Troy, a non-verbal child whose wish to be the subject of a museum exhibit resulted this past spring in a multimedia art show.

The Wish Innovation Award honors chapters that have used exceptional creativity, imagination, and innovation to fulfill the one true wish of a child.

The exhibit at The Arts Center of the Capital Region in Troy, titled "Esmé's Stories: A Magical Journey,"

drew its inspiration from autobiographical tales sprinkled with fantasy penned by the 11-year-old.

Born with intractable epilepsy and a genetic gene mutation that impact her ability to speak, walk, and eat, Esmé used eye gaze technology to write her stories. For the exhibit, Esmé's writing was transformed into sculpture and song by local artists, punctuated by other media.

Mark McGuire, the chapter's director of marketing and communications, produced the media for the wish, and served as one of Esmé's volunteer wish granters along with Ray Gawlak.

4-H State Fair Selections

Submitted by CCE of Rensselaer County

While 4-H Clubs keep busy throughout the year, it's at the County and State fairs where they are the most visible to the public, showcasing the skills they've learned. Several Cornell Cooperative Extension Rensselaer County 4-H members had their outstanding projects that were entered at the 2022 Schaghticoke Fair selected for the 2023 New York State Fair. The following 4-H members and projects were selected:

Buskirk

Sydney Valcik - Painting

Hoosick Falls

Jessica Haynes - Record Book, Macramé

Lucy Haynes - Quilling

Mia Brownell - Photography

Johnsonville

Owen Campanella - Photography

Melrose

Kira Colarossi - Photography, Cookies

Jameson Roberts - Clothing

Thomas Colarossi - Woodworking, Biscotti

Niko Colarossi - Coffee Cake

Carlo Colarossi - Brownies

Petersburgh

Brett Giglio - Painting

Troy

Glendora Kilmer - Hedgehog Book

Valley Falls

Ragan Retell - Corn Hole Game

Allison Palladino - Photography

Waterford

Lillian Sliwinski - Creative Framing, Sewing

Wynantskill

Mackenzie Diamond - Cookies, Pet Treats, Pies, Muffins, Ceramics

For more information about the Rensselaer County 4-H program, please contact Cornell Cooperative Extension Rensselaer County 4-H at 518-272-4210.

Consumer Warnings As Holiday Season Approaches

Submitted by the NYS Division of Consumer Protection

The New York State Division of Consumer Protection (DCP) recently announced the rollout of a five-part consumer alert series to help cost-conscious New Yorkers navigate the holiday shopping season. In the coming weeks, consumers will receive guidance on charity scams, credit cards, gift cards, refunds, returns, and warranties. In this first consumer alert, DCP wants to empower New Yorkers with actionable fraud prevention tips, so they have greater awareness and control when shopping online.

The convenience of shopping online creates both opportunities and challenges for consumers. One of the major challenges is figuring out what is real or fake as scammers find new, more sophisticated ways to trick consumers.

Shop safely online with these tips:

- Don't rush when buying online
- Be careful when shopping on social media
- Shop on trusted sites
- Beware of third-party vendors
- Do your research
- Learn how to spot a fake review
- Read product specifications

The New York State Division of Consumer Protection provides resources and education materials to consumers on product safety, as well as voluntary mediation services between consumers and businesses. The Consumer Assistance Helpline, at 1-800-697-1220, is available Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, excluding State holidays, and consumer complaints can be filed at any time at www.dos.ny.gov/consumer-protection.

Tops to Honor Vets with Discount

Submitted by Tops Friendly Markets

On Veterans Day, **Friday, November 11**, Tops Friendly Markets will offer military personnel and their immediate family members in the same household an 11% discount off of their grocery bill at any Tops location. This marks the tenth year Tops has been extending this discount. Customers should pres-

ent proof of service that they, or an immediate family member are a U.S. Veteran, active duty, reserve, or retired military personnel to automatically receive the discount. Since the inception of the 11% military discount, Tops has saved veterans and their families \$681,317 on their groceries.

Office for the Aging Honors

Submitted by the NYS Office for the Aging

The New York State Office for the Aging (NYSOFA) recently honored 94 older adults for their volunteerism in every region of the State as part of NYSOFA's annual Older New Yorkers' Day celebration.

The November 4 program is available to watch and share at any time on YouTube. In it, NYSOFA and guests recognize the exceptional talents and generosity of older adults nominated by New York's network of 59 county-based Area Agencies on Aging.

NYSOFA's Older New Yorkers' Day award program book, available on NYSOFA's website, includes profiles of all awardees. It describes the many ways that each uniquely contributes through civic organizations, charities, in schools or libraries, on behalf of health and human services organizations or other non-profits, through acts of kindness to their friends and neighbors of all ages, and so much more.

As a group, older New Yorkers age 55 and over contribute more than 495 million hours of volunteer service each year at an economic value of \$13.8 billion. The 94 volunteers recognized during NYSOFA's 2022 Older New Yorkers' Day program live in 55 counties. Collectively, they represent 5,500 years of life experience and have volunteered for a combined 2,568 years of service.

Eastwick Sports & Outdoor Activities

HIGH SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

BNL Sectionals Race

Submitted by BCS Communications

The Berlin-New Lebanon (BNL) boys and girls Varsity Cross Country team went to Queensbury recently to compete in sectionals. Leading the way for the girls was Allura Meizinger in 11th. It was a hard fought race that saw BNL place 5th overall, missing 4th by only 1 point. For the boys, junior Gabe Kalisz led BNL finishing in 4th place amongst some of section 2's best. The boys secured a dominant 3rd place finish, beating the next team by 30 points. Being in the top 5 runners secured Gabe Kalisz a spot to compete as an individual at this year's states.



The BNL girls and boys cross country teams. Photo courtesy of BCS Communications.

BERLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

PE Students of the Month

Submitted by BCS Communications



The Berlin Elementary School October physical education students of the month are:
Kindergarten: Shane Church and Bailey Buck
First Grade: Mason Antini and Madelyn Bonesteel
Second Grade: Keegan Dunham and Emma Hunt
Third Grade: Gavin Church and Julia Turetsky
Fourth Grade: Colin Hasbrouck and Madison Miner
Fifth Grade: Natalee Cruse and Trent Hastings
Photo courtesy of BCS Communications.

RENSSELAER PLATEAU ALLIANCE

November Mindful Walk

Saturday, November 12, from 10 am to 12:30 pm
At the Poestenkill Community Forest. With Sandy Wilson.

Speaker Series

Thursday, November 17, at 7 pm, on Zoom
The Last Pleistocene Ice Age - Global, Regional, and Local, with David DeSimone, and contributions from Karl Backhaus.

Nature Book Club

Tuesday, November 29, at 7 pm, on Zoom
This month's book is *The Lives of Bees* by Thomas D. Seeley.
For more information, or to register for events, visit rensselaerplateau.org, or email Kim@rensselaerplateau.org.

GRAFTON LAKES STATE PARK

Fairy House Workshop

Saturday, November 5, from 9 am to noon
The workshop will be to designate the location of the first few homes, create a theme, and learn what materials we can use, hopefully harvested from the park. Design and building will occur as materials allow. All ages welcome.

Youth Snowmobile Safety Class

Saturday, November 12, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Hosted by the Grafton Trailblazers Snowmobile Club and Grafton Lakes State Park. Must be at least 10 years of age to participate. The course will be held at the Grafton VFW/Fire Hall, South Rd. For more information, please call 518-469-2656.

Pre-registration is required for all programs unless otherwise specified. Events are free unless otherwise specified. For more information, or to register, call 518-279-1155 or visit www.register-ed.com/events/view/188092.

Barbecue Recreation League Bowling

Team Standings

Lebowski Rug Co.	30-15
Wack'em & Stack'em	27-18
Gallup Inn	26-19
Farmers Tires	25-20
Chico's Bail Bonds	24-21
Mag-Way	23-22
Bistro 42	21-24
Boner's	20-25
The Jabronis	15-30
Lou's Plumbing	14-31

High Scores

Colin Cipperly	289 235 737
Ryan Shumway	263 249 735
Corey Wysocki	267 245 711
Mike Weeden	247 243 704
Josh Magisano	247 234 690
Justin Wilson	247 226 689
Matt Gaghich	269 217 688
Mitch Andrew	259 248 684
Matt Brownell	256 213 671
Tyler Colvin	228 227 670

Team Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Lo-Ridge Farm	165	105
Modern Game Pro Shop	159	111
Dave Clark Excavating	155.5	114.5
Team Taconic	144.5	125.5
RGI Insurance	142	128
Stevens and Son Tent	140.5	129.5
Walloomsac Metal Rec	127	143
Piece on Earth	114	156
Wack 'em & Stack 'em	113.5	156.5
Huntin' Time	89	181

High Game

259	Ryan Bedford
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254	Ron Caron
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ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE HOOSICK FALLS JOINT FIRE DISTRICT

On December 13, 2022

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Annual Election of the Hoosick Falls Joint Fire District will take place on December 13th, 2022, between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. at the Hoosick Falls Fire House located at 2 Griffin Avenue, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090, for the purpose of electing one Commissioner for a five (5) year term, commencing January 1, 2023 and ending December 31, 2027 and for the purpose of electing one Commissioner for a one (1) year term, commencing January 1, 2023 and ending December 31, 2023. All duly registered residents of the Hoosick Falls Joint Fire District shall be eligible to vote.

Candidates for District Office shall have filed their names with the Secretary of the Hoosick Falls Joint Fire District, at the fire house at 2 Griffin Avenue, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090, by November 18th, 2022.

Christine Coon, Secretary
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
HOOSICK FALLS JOINT FIRE DISTRICT

The Hoosick Falls Joint Fire District will be changing the monthly meeting night from every third Monday of the month at 7:00pm to **every third Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm** starting January 17, 2023.

SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE, pursuant to Rule No. 1C of the Rules of the Rensselaer County Legislature and in accordance with the NYS Open Meeting Law, Section 104, a special meeting of the Rensselaer County Legislature will be held on: **Tuesday, November 29, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.** The purpose of this meeting is to act upon the proposed 2022 Rensselaer County Budget and any other legislation filed in accordance with Rule 16C of the Rules of the Rensselaer County, in the Legislative Chambers of the Rensselaer County Office Building, 1600 7th Avenue, Troy, New York.

Jessica L. Charette, Clerk
Rensselaer County Legislature

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TOWN BOARD TOWN OF NEW LEBANON COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a special meeting of the Town Board will be held at the New Lebanon Town Hall, 14755 State Route 22 North, New Lebanon, NY on **Monday, November 14th at 3:15 p.m.**

The special meeting is being held to discuss any potential changes to be made to the preliminary budget before adoption of the final budget.

The meeting will be held at the New Lebanon Town Hall, 14755 State Route 22, New Lebanon, NY, 12125 with members of the public also being able to view the meeting at the following link:

https://townhallstreams.com/towns/new_lebanon_ny

Marcie Robertson
Town Clerk
11/07/2022

Gardy's Garage LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 9/27/2022. 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, 440 County Route 85 Cropseyville, NY 12052. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). Name: **Taylor I Master Tenant LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York ("SSNY") on September 26, 2022. N.Y. office location: Rensselaer County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to Taylor I Master Tenant LLC, c/o CT Corporation System, 28 Liberty Street, New York, New York 10005. Purpose/character of LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Legal Notice Hoosick Fire District Hoosick, NY 12089

Please take notice that the Annual Election of the Hoosick Fire District will take place on December 13, 2022 between 6pm and 9pm at the Hoosick Fire Station located at 664 South Street in Hoosick, NY for the purpose of an election of one Commissioner for a five (5) year term, commencing on January 1, 2023 and ending December 31, 2027. All duly registered residents of The Hoosick Fire District shall be eligible to vote. Anyone wishing to become a candidate should file their name with the District Secretary located at PO Box 100, Hoosick, NY 12089. A petition with twenty five signatures of registered voters within the Hoosick Fire District is required. This petition must be postmarked by November 30, 2022. Only those persons who are residents of The Hoosick Fire District and are registered voters with Rensselaer County for a period of at least 30 days prior to November 15, 2022 are eligible to vote in this election.

Leo Surdam
Recording Secretary
Hoosick Fire District

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, That pursuant to Section 5.03 B (3) of the Rensselaer County Charter, a Public Hearing will be held in the Chambers of the Rensselaer County Legislature at the County Office Building, 1600 7th Avenue, Troy, New York on Tuesday, November 22, 2022, at 5:30 p.m. regarding the changes proposed by the Finance Committee of the Rensselaer County Legislature to the 2023 Rensselaer County Tentative Budget.

Jessica L. Charette, Clerk
Rensselaer County Legislature

Dated: November 7, 2022

State of New York)
County of Rensselaer) SS:

I, Jessica L. Charette, being duly sworn, depose and say that the aforesaid Notice of Public Hearing is a true and accurate summary of the proceedings before the Rensselaer County Legislature in connection with the matter contained therein. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Legislature of the County of Rensselaer, this 7th day of November, 2022.

Jessica L. Charette, Clerk
Rensselaer County Legislature
County of Rensselaer
State of New York

ZKG PROPERTIES, LLC

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization filed with the Department of State of New York on August 10, 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 ZKG PROPERTIES, LLC, 14 Plank Road, Poestenkill, New York 12140. No reported agent. Latest date of dissolution of LLC: None. Purpose: All legal purposes.

Maomao LLC, Arts of Org filed with SSNY on 07/26/22. Office Location: Rensselaer County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC 1521 6th Ave Ste 112, Troy, NY 12180. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: **Brunswick Beekeeper LLC**. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 9/01/2022. Office location: Rensselaer County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process to the LLC, 3827 NY Highway 2 Cropseyville, NY 12052. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

PUBLIC NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
of
ANNUAL ELECTION OF
PETERSBURGH FIRE DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Election of Petersburg Fire District (Fire District) will take place on **Tuesday December 13, 2022 between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.** at the Petersburg Fire Station located at 19213 State Route 22, Petersburg, New York 12138 for the purposes of:

1. electing one commissioner for a five-year term commencing on January 1, 2023 and ending on December 31, 2027; and
2. electing one commissioner for a two-year term commencing on January 1, 2023 and ending on December 31, 2024; and
3. electing one commissioner for a one-year term commencing on January 1, 2023 and ending on December 31, 2023; and
4. voting in favor or in opposition to Proposition 1, a Resolution approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners subject to mandatory referendum authorizing the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$200,000 from the Capital Reserve Fund and the issuance of Fire District bonds in an amount not to exceed \$500,000.00 for the purpose of financing a Custom Pumper Tanker and related equipment for the extinguishment and prevention of fires and for other emergency purposes. Proposition 1 reads substantially as follows:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1

Shall the bond resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Petersburg Fire District, in the Town of Petersburg, County of Rensselaer, State of New York on September 21, 2022 authorizing the acquisition of a certain Custom Pumper Tanker including incidental equipment, expenses, and services in connection therewith at a maximum estimated cost of \$534,000.00; with a sum not to exceed \$200,000.00 to be expended from the Capital Reserve Fund to pay a portion of the costs thereof; authorizing the issuance of serial bonds of said Fire District in an amount not to exceed \$500,000.00 to pay a portion of the costs thereof; determining that the maximum maturity of serial bonds will be ten (10) years; delegating to the Fire District Treasurer the power to authorize and sell bond anticipation notes and to fix the details of and to sell serial bonds or statutory installment bonds at the prevailing rate of interest at the time of issuance; pledging the faith and credit of said Fire District for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds; and determining the probable usefulness thereof is twenty (20) years; such amount to be offset by any federal, state, county, and/or local funds received; containing an estoppel clause and providing for the publication of an estoppel notice, be approved?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a copy of the entire Resolution that is subject to mandatory referendum as Proposition 1 is available for public inspection at the Fire District office by appointment. Persons interested in reviewing the Resolution in its entirety should contact the Fire District Secretary at the address below to coordinate a date and time for such an inspection.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a candidate for the office of Fire District Commissioner must be at least 18 years old and be a resident of the Fire District. Candidates shall file their names and the specific term of office they are seeking in writing with the Secretary of the Petersburg Fire District at the address below no later than November 23, 2022.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that only those persons who are residents of Petersburg Fire District on or before November 14, 2022 and who are registered to vote with the Rensselaer County Board of Elections on or before November 21, 2022 shall be eligible to vote in this Annual Election.

Christina Lamphere, Secretary/Treasurer
November 1, 2022
Petersburgh Fire District
PO Box 190
Petersburgh, NY 12138

PUBLIC NOTICES

Cleaning of New Lebanon Fire Station,
523 Route 20

The Lebanon Valley Protective Association, Inc. is accepting bids to clean the New Lebanon Fire House located at 523 Route 20, New Lebanon, NY. The bidder agrees to the following:

BACKROOM: Sweep or vacuum and mop floors biweekly or more often if needed. Wipe down heaters as needed. Dust windowsills as needed. Remove cobwebs as needed.

BACK ENTRY WAY: Vacuum rugs, remove cobwebs as needed, sweep or vacuum floor, mop biweekly, unless needed more often, remove mats to mop.

KITCHEN: Sweep or vacuum and mop biweekly, unless needed more often. Wipe down counters, remove cobwebs as needed.

HALLWAYS: Sweep or vacuum, mop (remove mats to do so), biweekly or unless needed more often, remove cobwebs as needed.

BATHROOMS: (3) Clean sinks, mirrors, and toilets, every week. Sweep or vacuum and mop floors biweekly, remove cobwebs as needed. Fill toilet paper and paper towels.

FRONT ROOM: Sweep and vacuum and mop biweekly, unless needed more often. Remove cobwebs as needed, wipe down heaters as needed. All garbage bins need to be dumped each week. Bags for bins are provided by fire company. All cleaning supplies will be provided by fire company.

Check event calendar in front room and clean before each event that is scheduled.

Please submit an hourly rate for cleaning above.

If interested in submitting a bid for cleaning, please call the New Lebanon Firehouse at 518-794-9331 and leave your name and phone number and you will be contacted to make an appointment to meet with you and go over the building and cleaning requested above. Or the bids can be mailed to Lebanon Valley Protective Association, Inc. P.O. Box 162, New Lebanon, NY, 12125 with Cleaning Bid on envelope. All bids must be received by a Monday, November 21, 2022. The LVPA has the right to accept or refuse any or all bids.

LEGAL NOTICE
BUSY BEES 518 LLC

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: **Busy Bees 518 LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/18/2022. Office location: Rensselaer County. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC to 19 S. River Street, Troy, New York 12180. Purpose: for all legal purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE
DAWSON 800 FIRST STREET LLC

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: **Dawson 800 First Street LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/20/2022. Office location: Rensselaer County. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC to 33 Miller Avenue, Troy, New York 12180. Purpose: for all legal purposes.

LEGAL NOTICE: Notice of formation **BARLEY LAND SERVICES, LLC**, Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/19/22. Office location: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The PLLC, 499 Farm to Market Road, Troy, New York 12180. Purpose: All legal purposes.

Benjamin Cleaning Service LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/08/2022. 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, 415 3rd Street, Apt#2, Troy, NY, 12180. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

PUBLIC NOTICES

SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS—SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF RENSSELAER – REVERSE MORTGAGE FUNDING LLC, Plaintiff, -against- CATHERINE LUKE A/K/A CATHERINE LAPORTE LUKE, AS HEIR, DEVISEE, DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF MARIA J. LAPORTE, DECEASED; PAUL PABLO A. LAPORTE, AS HEIR, DEVISEE, DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE MARIA J. LAPORTE, DECEASED; MARIA PAZ ESTES, AS HEIR DEVISEE, DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF MARIA J. LAPORTE, DECEASED; PACO H. LAPORTE A/K/A FRANK PACO H. LAPORTE, AS HEIR, DEVISEE, DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF MARIA J. LAPORTE, DECEASED; MICHAEL T. LAPORTE, AS HEIR, DEVISEE, DISTRIBUTE OF THE ESTATE OF MARIA J. LAPORTE, DECEASED; ANY AND ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST MARIA J. LAPORTE, DECEASED; LEONARD “DOE” (REFUSED LAST NAME) AS JOHN DOE #1, Defendants - Index No. EF2022-270884 Plaintiff Designates Rensselaer County as the Place of Trial. The Basis of Venue is that the subject action is situated in Rensselaer County. To the above named Defendants—YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this Summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the Plaintiff's Attorney(s) within 20 days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service (or within 30 days after the service is complete if this Summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York); and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. That this Supplemental Summons is being filed pursuant to an order of the court dated October 27, 2022. NOTICE-YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME – If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you can lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property. Sending a payment to the mortgage company will not stop the foreclosure action. YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (REVERSE MORTGAGE FUNDING LLC) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT. The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Honorable Laura M. Jordan, J.S.C. Dated October 27, 2022 Filed October 28, 2022. The object of this action is to foreclose a mortgage and covering the premises known as 21 Rogers Avenue, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. Dated: November 1, 2022 Filed: November 2, 2022 Greenspoon Marder, LLP., Attorney for Plaintiff, By: Raspreet Bhatia, Esq., 590 Madison Avenue, Suite 1800, New York, NY 10022 P: (212) 524-5000 F: (212) 524-5050 (No Service by fax) Please respond to Cypress Creek office: Trade Centre South, 100 W. Cypress Creek Road, Suite 700, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309 P: (888) 491-1120 F: (954) 343-6982.

Mr. T's & Sons Towing LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/04/22. Off. loc: Rensselaer Co. SSNY des. as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Meier Law Firm PLLC, 10 Utica Ave., Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: **Troy 146, LLC**. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/10/2022. Office location: Rensselaer County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process to the LLC, 191 2nd St, Troy, NY 12180. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Notice of Formation of **66 Main Ave LLC**. Articles of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/04/2022. Office Location: Rensselaer County. Principal Office is located at PO Box 214, E. Greenbush, NY 12061. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O Law Office of Alyssa D. Snyder, PLLC, PO Box 214, E. Greenbush, NY 12061. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: **CLOZETIVITY OF THE CAPITAL REGION LLC**. DATE OF FILING: 08/12/2022. OFFICE LOCATION: Rensselaer County. AGENT FOR SERVICE: John J. Morrow, 12 VanWinkle Drive, Rensselaer, NY 12144. PURPOSE: Any lawful purpose.

C and J Junk Removal LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/01/22. 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, 10 Factory Hollow Rd Valley Falls, NY 12185. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Teila's Bakery LLC. Filed 9/20/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 2430 Old Coach Dr, Castleton, NY 12033. Purpose: General.

417 SECOND TROY, LLC. Filed 10/3/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 144 Fairview Ave, Pearl River, NY 10965. Purpose: General.

MILL CREEK DEVELOPMENT LLC. Filed 2/8/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: c/o Thaddeus Jones, 147 4th St, Troy, NY 12180. Purpose: General.

SOLISCENCE LLC. Filed 8/1/22. Office: RENSSELAER Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 705 Hoags Corners Rd, Nassau, NY 12123. Registered Agent: Registered Agents Inc., 418 Broadway Ste R, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: General.

Camden Estates LLC. Filed 8/10/22. Office: Rensselaer Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: c/o Kyle Brody, 2717 Foster Ave, Baltimore, MD 21224. Purpose: General.

Westmooreland Design LLC. Filed 8/13/22. Office: Rensselaer Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 115 Boyce Rd, Nassau, NY 12123. Purpose: General.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF: **Jean's Greens' Center for Holistic Health and Wellness, LLC**. Articles of Organization filed with the New York Secretary of State (SSNY) on 10/26/2022. Official Location: Rensselaer County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 11 Davis Place, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: **Troy 184, LLC**. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/09/2022. Office location: Rensselaer County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process to the LLC, 191 2nd St, Troy, NY 12180. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

Thanksgiving Week Deadline

Please have your legal and classified submissions to us by 8 pm on Monday. This change is strictly due to the holiday. Please send any content you would like us to consider as early as possible, so we can plan accordingly for that week.

Senior News

Lebanon Valley Seniors

Meetings are at 1 pm on the first and third Fridays of the month at the LVPA firehouse. New members are always welcomed.

We are hosting a paint and sip open to the public on November 13 at the Lebanon Firehouse. The cost is \$25, and payment needs to be to Linda Moshimer by Friday, November 4. We have a trip to Silver Birches on Wednesday, November 30 for lunch and a show. The price is \$44 per person. Pickup will be at 7 am in Stephentown, and between 7:15 and 7:30 am in Lebanon. The last day to sign up and pay is November 11. We will be having a potluck lunch at our November 18 meeting. Members who are interested in attending should contact Irene Marcello at 518-766-5514.

Our annual holiday party will be at the Whitestone restaurant on December 16, to reserve a seat, please call Linda Moshimer at 518-794-8169. Anyone who would like to mail in their 2023 dues may do so. For more information call Mary Defreest at 518-733-0009 or email lebanonseniorcitizens@gmail.com.

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 the center will be open 9:30 to 11 am for our 10 am Chair Yoga class. On Tuesdays, there will be Senior Yoga Plus class at 10 am.

The center will be closed November 11 for Veterans Day. November 15 Jillian with Cornell Cooperative Extension will present the monthly Eat Smart demonstration at 11:30 am, followed by our special luncheon with music by Brian Zapel. November 22 Rachel will do haircuts, pedicures, and manicures by appointment only.

The drawing for the ongoing basket raffle fundraiser, featuring 90 baskets, will be held November 17 at 1 pm, following our Thanksgiving turkey dinner at noon. There will be door prizes for those that attend lunch. Tickets are 10 for \$5, or 25 for \$10. Stop in to the center weekdays to view the baskets. The seniors will have a table of items for sale at Grafton's Festival of Trees on November 19, at 40 Dunham Reservoir Rd, Cropseyville. Money raised will fund special events, activities, prizes, and awards at the center.

Congregate lunch is served Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon for a suggested donation of \$3. Grab-n-Go meals are also available Monday through Friday. Please call 518-279-3413 to be added to the events or lunch list.

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 congregate lunch served at noon each day for a suggested donation of \$3. There will be limited van transportation to and from the center on Wednesdays and Fridays only. You must call 518-686-7561 each day to be placed on the list. Mondays at the center there is a card group that meets from 10 am to noon, then open card playing following lunch. Most Wednesdays we have Senior Games at 12:30 pm and Senior Exercise group at 1:30 pm. Fridays there is bingo following lunch unless there is a special event, in which case bingo will be from 10 am to noon on Thursday.

November 16 is our monthly eat smart demonstration with Jillian from Cornell Cooperative Extension, followed by a special luncheon with music by Bob Treffiletti. November 18 is birthday celebrations with trivia. Legal Aid Society will be at the center on November 18 to meet with seniors by appointment only. The senior center is closed November 11 for Veterans Day, and November 24

and 25 for Thanksgiving.

Please call the center at 518-686-7561 to sign up for events and/or be placed on the meal or van transportation list. Please call the center at 518-686-7561 to sign up for events and/or be placed on the meal or van transportation list.

Berlin Seniors

The Berlin Senior Citizens will hold their Annual Holiday luncheon at Guiseppe's restaurant on November 16, at 2 pm. There is no cost to members. Reservations are required and may be made by calling Gerry French at 518-527-8102.

Stephentown Seniors

The Stephentown Seniors meet the first and third Thursdays of each month at 1 pm at the Town Hall on Grange Hall Road. Anyone 50 or over is invited to join. Guests are welcome. For information call Judy Hunt at 518-733-5755.

Sycaway Seniors

The Sycaway Seniors group meets the first and third Mondays of each month, at the Brunswick Community Center, 18 Keyes Lane, from noon to 3 pm. We have members who live all over Rensselaer County, not just Sycaway. Bring your own lunch; we supply dessert and drinks. Dues are \$10 yearly. President Nancy McCloskey can be reached at 518-279-0847.

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

Nov. 16: Butter crumb fish w/tartar, rice, spinach, pudding

Nov. 17: Turkey w/gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and onions, stuffing, dinner roll, pumpkin pie

Nov. 18: Sliced ham cold plate, potato salad, pickled beet salad, rye bread, fruit cup, + sandwich bag

Nov. 21: Ravioli w/Alfredo sauce, cut corn, Italian blend veggies, Italian bread, fresh fruit

2022 Election Results

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<u>Petersburgh Town Council</u>	
Thomas G. Berry, D, R	478
<u>Poestenkill Town Justice</u>	
Thomas F. Slavin, Jr., R, C	1,670
<u>Schaghticoke Town Justice</u>	
Jaime B. Thomas, R, C	2,744
<u>Schodack Town Justice</u>	
Ryan P. Mullahy, R, C, WF	4,647
<u>Stephentown Town Justice</u>	
John M. Meekins	798
<u>Troy City Council - District 2</u>	
Francisco S. Figueroa, D, WF	852
Ryan M. Brosnan	571
<u>Troy City Court Judge - Criminal</u>	
Anne L. Coonrad, D, C, WF	8,080
<u>Troy City Court Judge - Civil</u>	
Marc R. Pallozzi, D, WF	6,066
Matthew J. Turner, R, C	4,888

In addition to the races, residents voted on the following proposals:

State Proposal 1: The clean water, clean air, and green jobs environmental bond act of 2022

Yes	3,347,568
No	1,634,582

New Lebanon Proposal 1: Make the Town Superintendent of Highways an appointed position

Yes	449
No	595

Community Calendar

November 11, Friday

We Remember the Battle, A Veterans Day Program, 4 pm, free, 30 Caretakers Rd, Hoosick Falls, presented by Friends of Bennington Battlefield, contact David Pitlyk at david.pitlyk@parks.ny.gov or 518-860-9094 for info

November 12, Saturday

Youth Snowmobile Safety Class, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, 10+, free, Grafton VFW/Fire Hall, South Rd, hosted by Grafton Trailblazers & GLSP, call 518-469-2656 for info

RPA November Mindful Walk, 10 am – 12:30 pm,
Poestenkill Community Forest with Sandy Wilson

New Lebanon Community Walk, 10 am – noon,
free, Hand Hollow Conservation Area, 4079 County
Rt. 9, East Chatham, info/RSVP to Abbie at NLRecreation03@gmail.com or Joanna at NLRecreation02@gmail.com

The Joy of Birdwatching, 10:30 am – noon, \$3,
 Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center,
 Cropseyville, register: 518-658-2055

Veterans Day Ceremony, 11 am, Stephentown Memorial Park, Rts. 43 & 22, guest speaker Command Sgt. Major James Peter M. Matthews (US Army Ret.)

St. Patrick's Parade Bowling Day Fundraiser, 1 pm, \$100 for team of 4/5, Barbecue Recreation, 21303 NY-22, Hoosick Falls

11th Annual Pride of Our Nation, Pride of Our College exhibition reception, 1 – 4 pm, free, Marvin Library Learning Commons, Troy campus, military images & keepsakes, in memoriam wall, on display through 12/16

Kiwanis Club Pasta Dinner, 4–7 pm, \$10 adults, \$5 10 & under, West Sand Lake Fire Hall, Rt. 43, dine-in or take-out, pre-order by calling 518-202-6876

November 13. Sunday

Just Do It: A Creative Writing Workshop, 10 am – 1 pm, \$40, Stephentown Town Hall, Grange Hall Rd, led by author Robin Catalano, registration form on Braveheart Books Facebook page

East Nassau Cookie Contest, doors 1 pm, contest 2 pm, \$5 donation (incl. 10 auctions tickets), Hoags Corners Fire House, auction, make-your-own sundaes, email Thomas.Kernan@villageofeastnassau.org to enter

Benedict Arnold: Hero Betrayed Screening & Lecture, 2 pm, 30 Caretakers Rd, Hoosick Falls, RSVP required: david.pitlyk@parks.ny.gov or 518-860-9094

November 14, Monday

Lebanon Valley Historical Society Event, 5:30 pm,
Immaculate Conception Church, Route 20, potluck &
memory circle, annual meeting

November 15, Tuesday

Sand Lake Historical Society Program, 7 pm, Sand Lake Town Hall Courtroom, 8428 NY 66, Historian & Mohican Nation member Heather Bruegl speaks on Mohican people, Sand Lake's first inhabitants

November 18, Friday

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

**November 18 – 20,
Friday – Sunday**

Shrek Jr., 7 pm Fri & Sat, 2 pm Sun, Berlin Middle/High School auditorium, berlincentral.org

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Last week's crossword solution:

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Last week's sudoku solution:

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Crossword Theme: **Thanksgiving**

ACROSS

1. Poet Angelou
5. "Eureka!"
8. *Thanksgiving season
12. Bug-eyed
13. "Tiger Beat"
centerfold
14. New York's _____
Island
15. Simmering feeling
16. Combustible rock
17. Short for Charlotte
18. *Thanksgiving sauce
source
20. Singer Redding
21. Old hat
22. Bar in Ireland
23. *Macy's tradition
26. Gets ready for
publication
30. Dr. Cornelius of
film, e.g.
31. What's good for the
goose is good for the

34. Paul Bunyan stories
and such
35. Parallelogram or
heptagon
37. Charged particle
38. More cunning
39. Ant construction
40. Fluffy sweater
material
42. Cribbage piece
43. Ancient
Mesopotamian
civilization
45. Maltreat
47. Sea, in Spain
48. Fraternity K
50. Hoodlum
52. *Massasoit's people
56. Do like QA
57. Opposite of written
58. Like watching
paint dry
59. Togetherness
60. Move like sludge
61. S squared, e.g.
62. Eliza follower
63. Placeholder surname
64. Like hand-me-downs

DOWN

1. Painter Chagall
2. Lab gel
3. Hatha or bikram,
e.g.
4. "To do" list
5. Be gaga over
6. Squirrel away
7. Comrade in arms
8. *Popular
Thanksgiving TV
entertainment
9. Nay sayer
10. "_____ Fall in Love"
song
11. Caustic substance
13. Cold brew (2
words)
14. Intangible storage
19. "The Red _____ of
Courage" _____
22. A pop
23. Turkish bigwig
24. Animal and Plant
Health Inspection
Service
25. Brazilian coins
26. Former U.S.
Attorney General
Janet
27. a.k.a. nutria
28. Elms
29. Military uniform
fabric
32. Columbus' vessel
33. *TV's National
_____ Show on
Thanksgiving
36. *1621 celebration
location
38. Planktonic tunicate
40. Lungful
41. Small wave
44. Gangly
46. Popular carriage in
royal procession
48. Semi-desert region
in South Africa
49. Astonish
50. DNA segment
51. Final notice
52. *"Miracle on 34th
Street" star
53. Yours and mine
54. Sheltered, nautically
speaking
55. Hefty competitor
56. Give a nickname

CROSSWORD

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Community Calendar

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November 19, Saturday

Forest Bathing, 10 am – noon, Dyken Pond Environmental Education Center, led by Sandy Wilson, register/info: 518-658-2055, dykenpond.org

Grafton Tree Festival & Craft Sale, 10 am – 3 pm, Greywacke Meadows, 40 Dunham Rd, Cropseyville, bring unwrapped toy donation

Community Thanksgiving Dinner, 4 – 6 pm, free, New Lebanon Jr/Sr High School, sponsored by NL Just Food Club, crafts & gym available for kids

Deb Cavanaugh & Dandelion Wine performing, doors 6:30, \$5 adults, minors free, Fox Hollow Cafe, PVMCC, 71 Main St, Petersburg, community potluck, suggested donation of \$1 for refreshments, 21+ BYOB

Board Meetings

Monday, November 14

Grafton Town Board, 7 pm, Town Hall

Hoosick Town Board, 7 pm, Town Offices

Tuesday, November 15

Berlin CSD Board of Education Meeting, 7:15 pm, Middle/High School Cafeteria

Thursday, November 17

Hoosick Falls CSD Board of Education Meeting, 6:30 pm, HS Cafeteria

Brunswick Planning Board, 7 pm, Town Hall

Church News

Stephentown Federated Church

Friday, December 16, at 4 pm, Stepentown Federated Church, 1513 Garfield Rd, will hold our Blue Christmas service, honoring life and loss in the holidays. The Blue Christmas tradition honors the fact that many of us experience all kinds of loss, such as the loss of relationships, trust, jobs, health, faith, and joy. No matter your circumstance, this is an open, welcoming service of candlelight, songs, prayers, and hope. The community is welcome, and the building is handicapped accessible. For more information, please visit our website stephentownfederatedchurch.org.

Hope United Methodist Church

On Friday, November 11, at 6 pm, Hope United Methodist Church, 566 Brunswick Road, Troy, presents a Veterans Day celebration of sacred music, with heart and voice, with organist Jason Comet.

New Minister at UMC Berlin

The United Methodist Church at Berlin, 17 South Main St, joyfully announces the appointment of Katelyn Bradwell as their new Minister. All are invited to her first service on **Sunday, November 27, at 11 am**, and to join in the hanging of the season's greens after service. For those who would like to stay, a soup and sandwich social is planned following the service.

To receive an online link to services, or for information, please contact goodermotess@yahoo.com, or call 518-658-2942. All are welcome. Bible study is on Zoom Thursdays at 10 am. The Food Closet distributes the first and third Saturday of every month, from 9 to 11 am, and by emergency appointment.

Holiday Bazaar

Join us on **Saturday, November 12, from 10 am to 3 pm**, Zion's UCC of Taborton, 741 Taborton Road, Sand Lake, for our annual holiday bazaar. Find many of your holiday needs, including holiday décor, gifts, wrapping paper, cards, and supplies. Visit our baked goods table, children's craft table and enjoy our homemade soups, sandwiches, hotdogs, and slice of apple pie for lunch. Whole apple pies are available to take home. Raffle items include gift certificates to local businesses.

SKY Family Performance

On Sunday, November 13, at 6 pm at the First Baptist Church, 80 Main St, Hoosick Falls, the SKY Family will be performing their acclaimed program Celtic Revival! The SKY Family engages audiences with their heart touching, toe-tapping program. The family have been featured guests on various national TV shows and their songs have been played across the US and Canada on more than 250 radio stations. No tickets required, but a love offering will be taken.

Johnsonville Thrift Shop

The Johnsonville Methodist Church Thrift Shop, 22 Bridge St., is open from **9 am to noon every Wednesday and the first Saturday of each month**, closed on major holidays. We have a great selection of clothing, jewelry, shoes, books, and much more.

Bread of Life Food Pantry

The Bread of Life Food Pantry, located in the Poestenkill Evangelical Lutheran Church, 772 Route 351 is open the **first and third Thursdays of every month, from 4:30 to 6:30 pm**. Please bring proof of residency. For more information, leave a message at 518-283-6045.

Church Directory

ALL SAINTS CHURCH – 4957 NY-7, Hoosick, NY 12090. Weekly Eucharist on Sundays at 10 am (COVID-19 protocols observed). Weekly Morning Prayer on Sundays at 8 am via Zoom; see website for login information. All are Welcome! Fr. Gary Strubel, vicar. www.allsaintshoosick.org

CENTER BRUNSWICK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – 990 Hoosick Road, Troy, NY invites you to join us for worship in the sanctuary on Sunday Mornings at 9 am. Join us virtually for worship on Youtube at Center Brunswick UMC. You may also join us virtually for worship and mid-week reflections by contacting barbara@carclan.us to be added to the distribution list. Follow us at centerbrunswickumc.com. Pastor Joel Holcomb.

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR – 14660 Rt 22, New Lebanon, NY 12125, 518-938-1193. We are an Episcopal Church celebrating service at 8:30 am. Celebrant Rev. Frank Lockwood. Service is also available on Facebook at Church of Our Saviour and Zoom 82194417424/414672.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF BERLIN – 15 N. Main Street, Berlin, NY. Pastor RJ Snyder. Sunday Worship 9:30 am. Sunday Prayer 8:45 am. Both of these services are in person. Online services are available on Facebook, YouTube and the Church Website (Berlinfbc.com).

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF HOOSICK FALLS – 80 Main Street, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. Pastor David Hall, 518-380-3947, Sunday morning worship in person at 10 am. Audio of services available on our website firstbaptistchurchhf.com. All are welcome.

GILEAD LUTHERAN CHURCH – Routes 7 and 278, Center Brunswick, NY 12180. Indoor services at 10:30 am. Also available on Facebook and YouTube. Masks are optional. gileadlutheran.org, 518-279-9270.

HOOSICK FALLS COMMUNITY ALLIANCE CHURCH – 484 Hill Road, Hoosick Falls, NY. Rev. Jonathan Youngmann. Contemporary Worship Service at 10:30 am each Sunday, both in person and livestream (YouTube, FB or on our website: HoosickFallsCAC.org. Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 am (Adult Sunday School via ZOOM available). Adult Prayer and Youth Group/Teen Prayer both on Tuesdays at 7 pm. For more info, call the church office at 518-686-3269.

HOPE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – 566 Brunswick Road, Troy, NY, 12180. In person service every Sunday at 10:30 am. The service is also on Facebook, search Hope United Methodist Church, Troy, NY. Every Sunday at 4 pm, at the church, there is a prayer gathering led by Pastor David Martin. For information call 518-279-1403 or email hopeumctroy@gmail.com.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH – 73 Main Street, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. Masses: Saturdays at 4 pm and Sundays at 10 am. Parochial Vicar Fr. Peter Tkocz. Masses are being held in the church hall. Please call 518-686-5064 between Wed–Fri to register for Mass.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH – 732 U.S. Route 20, New Lebanon, NY 12125. Now open for indoor masses Saturdays at 4 pm and Sundays at 8:30 am.

OUR LADY OF THE SNOW – 31 Owen Road, Grafton, NY 12082. A Mission Church of Our Lady of Victory. Mass is offered Sundays at 9:45 am. Food Pantry is open all year on Saturdays 10 am to 2 pm. Pastor as of July 1 is Fr. Tom Morette.

THE NORTH CHATHAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – 4274 Route 203, North Chatham, NY 12132. Worshiping in our sanctuary on the first and third Sundays of the month, with masks and social distancing required. Worshipers should enter through the back door of the church. On all other Sundays, worship is virtual. All worship services are at 11 am and all are available on Zoom. The Zoom login information is on our website (northchathammethodistchurch.org). For more information on North Chatham United Methodist Church, please call 518-766-3535 or visit our website. Thanks and we hope to see you soon, in person or on Zoom!

PETERSBURG BAPTIST CHURCH – 19240 State Route 22, Petersburg, NY 12138. 518-658-3834. Sunday School 9:45 am, Church Service 11 am, Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 pm.

SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH OF BERLIN – 41 North Main Street, Berlin, NY, 12022. Weekly worship on Saturdays at 10:30 am (either in person or live streamed at youtube.com/berlinseventhdaybaptistchurch). Pastor Matthew Olson.

STEPHENTOWN FEDERATED CHURCH – 1513 Garfield Road, Stepentown, NY 12168. 518-733-5813. Presbyterian/Methodist, Pastor Chris Garrison. Services Sundays 9:30 am. Masks recommended. Handicapped accessible.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AT BERLIN – 17 South Main Street, Berlin, NY 12022. Welcomes all to their Sunday morning service at 11 am. The church is handicapped accessible and those choosing to view from home may tune to our YouTube channel, <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVcGw9XngFRFe7iMLm9Tk5A>, or search United Methodist Church at Berlin NY. Past services are also available for view.

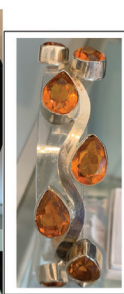
WEST HOOSICK BAPTIST CHURCH – 1349 Buskirk W. Hoosick Rd., Buskirk, NY 12028, 518-686-7201. Pastor J. D. Milton. Sundays at 10:30 am (COVID-19 protocols observed) Streaming Sunday Messages. www.facebook.com/westhoosickbaptistchurch/

ZION UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST – 741 Taborton Road, Sand Lake, NY 12153, 518-674-1039. Weekly Sunday services live at 10 am. Sunday school starts in the church 10 am the second and third Sundays of each month. Sunday Service speaker Val Gray.

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