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NOVEMBER 2017 COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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TUES 31 HALLOWEEN EVENING PLEASE	BE CAREFUL WATCH FOR CHILDREN				
November					
Thurs 2 Edinburg Zoning Board Meet	інд 7рм				
Sun 5 Daylight Savings Time Ends!!					
Fri 10 Veterans Day Why Not Thank	A VET FOR HIS SERVICE				
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Mon 13 Edinburg School Board 5:00					
Thur 16 Edinburg Town Board	I Zun				
Tues 21 Edinburg Historical Society 7	:00				
Thurs 23 Happy Thanksgiving	and the second s				



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Happy Birthday Shelby N. Nikolia L. Maggie D. Dewey F Jason

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Jessie

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DON'T FORGET TO VOTE NOVEMBER 7th AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER 6AM UNTIL 9PM

Town of Edinburg 2018 Budget

The 2018 town budget has been approved and is within the cap on the tax levy. The rates may change several cents. The budget includes funding to finish updating the Community Center and Highway Garage and includes grant revenue obtained through Senator Tedisco for the updates.

DEC Proposed Land Acquisition

A letter has been sent to DEC regarding the proposed Hans Creek Land (former Sweet property) land acquisition posing a number of questions. As of this writing no reply has been received.

Drug Take Back Program

The Saratoga County Sheriff's Department will be conducting a Drug Take-Back program at the Recycling Center on Saturday November 4th from10:00 to 1:00. They will collect and dispose of drugs no longer needed. Please, no needles, radiation or liquid medication. All participation is anonymous.

Home Energy Assistance Program HEAP

The 2017-2018 HEAP Program begins November 13, 2017. Emergency HEAP will open on January 2, 2018 and is scheduled to close March 15, 2018. The Saratoga County Office of the Aging will be accepting walk-in applications for persons 60 years of age and older and those who are under 60 and disabled beginning November 13, 2017. Households that received a HEAP benefit last year will automatically be mailed an application for this year's program. For additional information contact the HEAP office at 884-4155.

This year's guidelines are as follows: Household Size Maximum Monthly Income

\$2318.00
\$3031.00
\$3744.00
\$4457.00

Passing Zone on South Shore Road

The paving is complete on South Shore Road heading toward Providence. When the road was re- striped the passing zone in the first straight away was eliminated. It was determined there was not sufficient distance to maintain a passing area.

REMINDERS:

October 3- (Tuesday) is Halloween November 1st- the Recycling Center hours become 12:00 to 3:00 on Friday November 4th- Drug Take Back Time at the Recycling Center 10:00- 1:00 November 7th- is Election Day 6:00am to 9:00pm November 10th- (Friday) the Town Hall is Closed for the Veterans Day Holiday December 2nd- Edinburg Tree Lighting 2:00-4:30 November 22nd- the Town Hall will close at noon and be closed also the 23rd & 24th



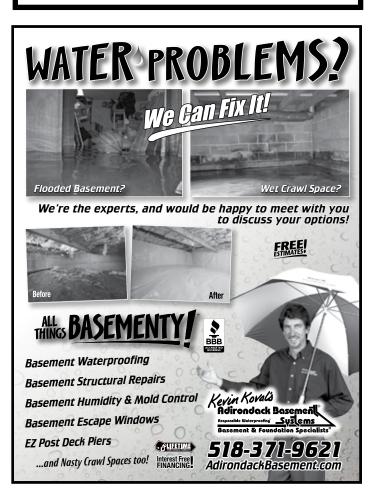




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Edinburg Historical Society

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The Edinburg Historical Society will hold its annual Pie and Reminiscence meeting on Tuesday, November 21, 7 p.m. at the Edinburg Community Center on Military Road. A social hour will follow with pie and coffee.

At the October meeting George Blackwood was elected President, Maria Spaeth Vice-President and Andrea Blackwood was elected to fill in George's unexpired term as Trustee.

Roger Hoff has donated a 1916, 16 foot H. W. Model Canoe now on display at the Rural Museum. The canoe was built by the Old Town Canoe Company. This canoe was built for cruising, carrying heavy loads and for use on large rivers, lakes, large ponds and salt water. Planking and ribs are made from cedar; gunwales and finish rails are of spruce; stems are ash; decks, thwarts and seat are made from of oak, birch or ash; bang plates of polished brass and fastenings throughout are made of brass and copper. When purchased in 2016 it cost \$34.00.

The deteriorating sign with the names of shareholders has been removed from the Copeland Site and a new sign will be erected in the spring. A share in the Copeland Covered Bridge was





purchased by Linda and Richard Ege. Linda has joined EHS and taken on the job of updating our website. Shares in the bridge help EHS raise funds for maintenance of the Copeland Historic Site. Information on purchasing a share is available on our website.

What a wonderful turnout from the local community who braved the cold to attend the Edinburg Fall Festival. Thanks go to our members and locals who contributed the soups, chili and bake sale treats. Mickey Ballard of Eden Gomora Catering contributed two pots of chicken corn chowder and Jackie Nichols of Shelby's Four Corner Diner donated a batch of chili. Denise and Joel Ferguson of J & D Percherons gave free horse drawn carriage rides. Alice Frasier donated eight beautiful quilts for the merchandise table. Constance Dodge of Dodge House Lakeside Gallery donated cards with copies of her original paintings of old Edinburg photographs. Thanks to everyone for their participation and donations.



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> Vote on Election Day: Tuesday, November 7, 2017 Polls are open 6:00 AM to 9:00 PM Thank you for your Support!!

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HealthLink Littauer's WELLNESS WORDS Submitted by Carol Tomlinson R.N. B.S., Community Health Educator

FLU VACCINE FOR SENIORS

According to the NYS Department of Health, influenza (flu) is a respiratory infection that can cause serious complications for older adults and people with certain medical conditions. Examples of chronic medical conditions that can increase the risk of complications include:

Asthma

Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Diabetes Kidney or liver disease Cancer or cancer treatment Obesity

According to a 2016 report by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), people age 65+ suffer most from the flu. In fact, up to 70% of flu-related hospitalizations occurred in this population in recent years. Additionally, 90% of flu-related deaths are in people over age 65. As we get older, our immune systems get weaker. Therefore, our bodies are more vulnerable to the flu virus and its related risks.

The best way to help prevent the flu, according to the CDC, is to get an annual flu vaccination. This is especially true for people with chronic health conditions because the flu can worsen these conditions.

Common questions about flu shot include:

Q: How long does it take after I get a flu shot for immunity to peak?

A: It takes up to 2 weeks to build immunity, but you can benefit from the vaccine even if you are unable to receive the shot until flu season has started.

Q: Why do I have to get a flu shot every year? A-1: New vaccines are released each year to keep up with the rapidly adapting flu viruses. Viruses evolve so quickly, last year's vaccine may not protect you from this year's viruses. A-2: In general, antibodies that protect you from viruses begin to decline over time.

Q: Can I get the flu from the vaccine?

A: NO! The flu shot cannot cause the disease. The vaccine is made from attenuated (dead) viruses. After vaccination, your immune system produces antibodies that protect you from the flu viruses.

Q: Where can I get the flu shot and how much will it cost me?

A-1: Going to your doctor is the preferred way to get the vaccine. Additionally, if it is alright with your physician, you can also get flu shots at most pharmacies in the area.

A-2: Flu shots are paid for as part of the preventive services agreement with Medicare.

Good news for seniors: We currently have a new high-dose flu vaccine for people over 65. This vaccine is formulated with 4X the amount of each antigen which will give seniors a higher level of flu-fighting antibodies for their declining immune systems. This vaccine is very safe with few side effects.

You can also help to protect yourself from the flu and other contagious diseases by:

Washing your hands frequently and thoroughly with soap and water.

Use a hand sanitizer if soap and water aren't available.

Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth. Avoid crowds when the flu is in your area. Practice good health habits. Get plenty sleep, exercise regularly, drink plenty of fluids and eat a nutritious diet.

For more information, contact your healthcare provider or HealthLink Littauer at 518-736-1120. You can e-mail us at healthlink@nlh.org, see our website at nlh.org, or visit our new wellness center at 2 Colonial Court in downtown Johnstown, Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. We're your community health & wellness service of Nathan Littauer Hospital and Nursing Home.







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The Sacandaga Book Club will meet on Tuesday, Nov 14 at 10 am in the library's program room. Pat Nugent will lead a discussion of Jeanette Walls' "Half Broke Horses" a true story of a no-nonsense, resourceful, and spectacularly

> compelling woman, who owned an Arizona ranch, survived the Great Depression, and fought against prejudice.

SVAN's Artist Exhibit will feature the work of the Creative Expressions Artists & Transitions Apprentices. These will be available from Nov 1 –

Dec 28. A reception will be held on Nov 14 from 6 to 8 pm.

The Friends of the Library's Holiday Raffle will begin on November 7. See the baskets displayed and take a chance! The Friends donated a book to each child in the Pre-K classes at NCS to welcome them to the love of reading.

Story Time will be held on Sat, Nov 18 at 10 am, coordinated by Hadley Jacobs. Bring your preschool children for stories, snack, and craft.

Watch for these titles to be arriving: Trajectory – Richard Russo Exposed – Lisa Scottoline House of Spies – Daniel Silva Without Fear or Favor – Robert Tanenbaum Devil's Cut – J R Ward



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Fulton Montgomery Chamber To Hold New Event "Shop. Sip & Savor"

Event Scheduled for Friday, November 10 at the Paul Nigra Center for Creative Arts in Gloversville

The Fulton Montgomery Regional Chamber of Commerce is hosting a new event called Shop. Sip & Savor: An Evening for Women on Friday, November 10 from 5pm-9pm at the Paul Nigra Center for Creative Arts, 2736 State Highway 30, Gloversville. The event is open to those who are 21 and older, and is presented by River Ridge Living Center.

The \$10 admission fee includes wine and beer tastings, including local Stump City Brewing Company, shopping with regional retailers, florists, and direct sales businesses, season-themed hors d'oeuvres and desserts, and 20 tickets for the event's Basket Raffle, which will feature at least 30 baskets. There will also be a Wellness area, where there will be yoga demonstrations, massages, a psychic and more. Many of the vendors will offer show specials. A cash bar for wine and beer will feature a special Shop, Sip and Savor Sangria.

Tickets for the event will go on sale on October 10 and are available at the Fulton Montgomery Chamber offices at 2 N. Main Street, Gloversville and 1166 Riverfront Center, Amsterdam (518)725-0641; River Ridge Living Center, 100 Sandy Drive, Amsterdam (518)843-3503; the office of State Farm Insurance – Jenny Rulison-Fisch at 3717 State Highway 30, Vail Mills (518)883-2981, and Samantha Martens Photography, 25 W. Main Street in Johnstown (508)237-4782.

Sponsorship opportunities are available at a variety of levels. Please contact Terry Swierzowski at the Chamber for details at (518) 725-0641 or via email at terrys@fultonmontgomeryny.org. The event has space for additional vendors: if interested, please contact Swierzowski for details and an application.

For more information, including a list of vendors, menu and more, visit the event on Facebook.

The Fulton Montgomery Regional Chamber of Commerce is the leading voice of business in the region providing advocacy, resources and solutions for its members.

Feeling Stressed?

Visit the Sacandaga Body & Soul Wellness Corner on Wednesdays for Wellness with Wendy Health Chats Overall wellness with different Tips for Stress Management Weekly through Nov. 29th 7:00-8:00 P.M. (There is no fee!) 105 Seven Hills Road, Northville, NY 12134 **RSVP's** appreciated: WendyB4health@gmail.com Or find us on Facebook

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Tedisco Announces Four New Public Safety Grants For Fulton County Sheriff, Volunteer Fire Departments

Sen. Tedisco joins Fulton County Sheriff Giardino & volunteer firefighters to announce new state funding to combat heroin epidemic, purchase bullet proof vests, and help first responders better respond to emergencies in Fulton County

Senator Jim Tedisco (R,C,I,REF-Glenville) today announced that he has secured four new public protection state grants to help local law enforcement and volunteer firefighters protect the public and respond to a variety of emergencies in Fulton County.

Tedisco has obtained a \$25,000 state grant for the Fulton County Sheriff's Department which will be used to enhance drug investigation efforts and for training to help combat the heroin epidemic as well as for the purchase of five new bullet proof vests for deputies.

Senator Tedisco also has secured the following state grants for Fulton County volunteer fire departments:

 \cdot \$22,000 for the Northville Firemen's Association to purchase 10 new sets of firefighting turnout gear and replace 10 fire pagers;

 \cdot \$18,000 for the Sir William Johnson Volunteer Fire District in Johnstown to purchase two ATVs and a trailer for use in wildland firefighting and search and rescue; and

 \cdot \$5,000 for Rockwood-Garoga-Lassellsville Volunteer Fire Company in Ephratah to purchase and install a generator to power its Station #2 during power outages.

"Public safety is and should be the top priority for any elected official in whatever level of government they are in. I am proud to have been able to fight to return tax dollars back to Fulton County taxpayers and enhance the efforts of our brave law enforcement and volunteer fire fighters who put their lives on the line every day to keep people safe," said Senator Tedisco.

"Thanks to Senator Tedisco's grant, we will have additional funds to step up our drug investigations, provide new bullet proof vests for some of our deputies and provide training on combating the heroin epidemic," said Fulton County Sheriff Richard Giardino. WWW.EDINBURGNEWSLETTER.COM



Edinburg Emergency Squad News



MEMORABILIA

Do you have any pictures, stories or history you can share as it relates to our Emergency Squad? We'd love to hear from you - please call Jay at 863-2674

BINGO

Come join the fun! Every Wednesday night at the Edinburg Fire Department, 7 North Shore Road, doors open at 6pm. Bingo begins at 7pm SHARP, \$4 admission, refreshments available, cards start at \$4, minimum total payout is \$500

VOLUNTEER

We're always looking for more members, no experience necessary. Please contact Paula Blackwell at 863-6969 or inquire on our 'Edinburg-Emergency Squad' Facebook page.

MONTHLY MEETING

Our next monthly meeting will be held on Monday, November 6th, 6:30pm at the Emergency Squad Building, 30 North Shore Road, come check us out.







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Northville School District

Northville School District NCSD Community Forum Nov. 14

The Northville Central School District will hold another in its series of

Community Forums in the school gymnasium at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 14th.

The NCS Board of Education November meeting time has been moved to 4:00 p.m. on the 14th to enable and encourage everyone to attend both events.

November's Community Forum will focus on the district's "Design Thinking" framework, and will provide an opportunity for all to see the educational technology, design and manufacturing components being provided to our students. The Board of Education and Superintendent Dr. Leslie

> Ford would like community members to experience what and how today's kids are learning, and, by extension, to keep our community involved in the school's growth process. Northville and Edinburg have shared a long and meaningful partnership in educating our area's children; as such, Northville CSD wants to ensure all Edinburg parents and residents feel welcome and invited to the upcoming Community Forum. Please come help us shape the future of our children's education!

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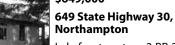
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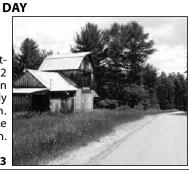
Lakefront custom 2 BR 2 BA home. Previous professional office; various usage property, great Lake views. Open floor plan (easy for

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112 Yates Hill Rd, Day

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November at The Revival, Wells, NY

Sunday, November 19, 7pm the Revival presents a Special One Night Only concert with acclaimed singer-songwriter SEAN ROWE. A rare opportunity to enjoy the thunderous blues-folk and soulful, gravelly booms of Rowe's own music in the intimate setting of our 1845 Greek Revival church, on the state and national historical registers. \$30.00. Reservations suggested. 518 924-2041

St. Mary's Healthcare Auxiliary Home Tour

St. Mary's Healthcare Auxiliary 11th Annual "Christmas In November Home Tour" Saturday, November 18th, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Start at Carondelet Pavilion Auditorium, 380 Guy Park Avenue, Amsterdam for tickets and tour maps to 5 Amsterdam area homes decked out for Christmas and enjoy a complimentary dessert and beverage, the Auxiliary Boutique & Crafts, basket raffles and vendors. Advance tickets \$15.00, Door \$20.00, \$8.00 children under 12 at St. Mary Healthcare Gift Shops at Guy Park and Memorial Campus, Bloomfield's Florist,

Damiano's Flowers & Gifts, June's Cards & Gifts and White Cottage Gardens all in Amsterdam, J Fine Jewelry in Gloversville and Mulberry Tree Gifts in Johnstown.

Contact Colleen at 518-841-7136 about this St. Mary's Healthcare Auxiliary fun and fund-raising event.

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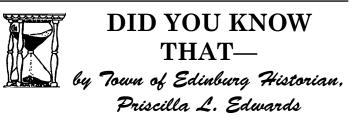




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The Hunting Trip, part 3 and conclusion

July 9, Saturday.....".Noyes, Snow and I went over to Whitney and fished for trout from a raft which they had built the day before, but caught only three, the largest weighing only a pound. A shower threatening drove us to camp. Hill and Batcheller had followed the outlet of Pillsbury down to where the outlet of Whitney joins it and up that to the lake. They were on shore when we landed from our raft, getting ready to cook some of the small trout they had caught and in spite of the threatening shower determined to remain and fish in the lake. We arrived in camp just as the shower came on, and were followed in a few minutes by Webster and Greene, who with Burr had been over to the Cedars to call upon Dr. Reeve, and being invited, had taken dinner with him. Whitney,



November 2017



Brown and Robinson remained around camp. As our meat was getting low Chet and I went out in the evening and in three quarters of an hour was paddling back to camp with a yearling buck in the boat. Returning to camp we saw another and I fired at it but did not hit it as in a few moments we heard it back in the bushes giving the peculiar snort accompanying their fright.

July 10, Sunday.... Webster and Greene desiring to get home tomorrow night took Jimmy and started for Lake Pleasant intending to take the morning stage from there to Northville on the following day. It rained some during the night and was raining when they started so they must have had a very disagreeable walk. Mr. Hill gave a reading from Romans this morning. It was very interesting but not so good as the one given last Sunday from Mark. As the weather was somewhat lowery we spent the entire day quietly in camp. We retired early to be ready for a tramp out of the woods tomorrow-our day for breaking camp.

July 11, Monday....It rained nearly all night. Burr was desirous of carrying some meat home with him and so hunted part of the night[anyone doing this today would find themselves in jail plus being fined thousands of dollars by DEC] staying at Louis' camp after he had finished. He shot at a deer but did not get it. Came down to our camp early and reported that the team for which we had sent by Jimmy to carry out our things had not come. We ate an early breakfast and packing our things sent the guides off with Hill. Brown. Batcheller, Snow and Robinson and a little baggage telling the boys to start for Lake Pleasant and we would follow with the guides on their next trip. We got in to Louis' camp about 8:45 a.m. and in a short time started for the lake leaving the guides to fix their boats, and our truck[baggage] in Louis' camp to be got by the team when it should come. The weather was still threatening and though it did not rain I put on my rubber coat and boots and took the lead with Whitney and Noves following. We had before us 12-1/2 miles of hard walking and so I started in at a slow pace. We met the team about a mile towards camp from the Miami. We took a little rest at that stream and again at Wilcox Clearing where we found some strawberries to refresh us. Arrived at Daves' at 2:25 p.m.Tired and hungry and found the rest of the party had preceded us only long enough to get

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dinner, I spent the rest of the afternoon resting. I bought a pound of spruce gum and 9-1/2 pounds of maple sugar at the "corner grocery". We stayed up till nine o'clock waiting for Dave to come with our baggage, and then concluded that he had met with misfortune such as breaking down—we retired for the night, being told by the women of the house to go into any room we could find that suited us.

July 12, Tuesday....Trum Lyon had sent a team for us and we determined to start early and take breakfast at Samp Hosley's at Wells. Our luggage came during the night and a few minutes after five a.m. we were on our way to Samps'. We arrived about 7:30 to find a good breakfast waiting us. At noon we reached Northville and took dinner at Winnie's Hotel where Whitney had left his trunk when he came into the woods. Robinson left the party here and took the train for home and Brown of course stopped, the rest of the party after a long rest at Northville. We reached home[Batchellerville] about 5:00 p.m. tired indeed but agreed that this had been one of our most pleasant camping excursions."

This may have been the last "pleasant excursion" for this group of hunters. Things were starting to change in the "North Country" of New York State.

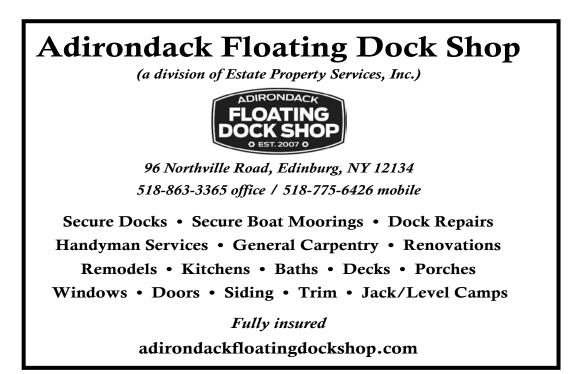
Deer hunting rules in the Adirondacks were non-existent in the early days. Deer were hunted whenever meat was needed for the table. The first known law protecting deer was passed in 1705-effective only in certain counties- with the killing of deer prohibited from January to July. In 1788 a state-wide law was passed closing the season from January to July.

In 1880 the governor of NYS appointed eight men called game protectors or game wardens with the authority to enforce laws to protect deer, birds and fish. These eight men with an annual salary and expense account of \$500 were expected to patrol the entire State of New York.

A growing concern about the logging in the Adirondacks and its effect on local watersheds led to NYS forming the Forest Preserve in 1885two years before the above hunting trip. This law required that state lands in eleven Adirondack counties and three counties in the Catskills "be forever kept as wild forest lands". In 1892 Gov. Roswell P. Flower signed the law creating the Adirondack Park.

Many game laws were changed over the next 125 years. The law prohibiting the hunting of deer at night with a light or dogs was passed long ago. Deer hunting seasons in the ADK's now start in early September and run until mid-December, depending on what weapon you're using and what zone you're hunting in.

We no longer see the number of hunters in Edinburg as there were 50 years ago but I have noticed an increased interest in the sport from some of our young people-boys and girls aliketherefore keeping the tradition alive.





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Sacandaga Garden Club News Letter

On October 5th, the Sacandaga Garden Club had a guest speaker Judy Fredericks from Kingsboro Garden Club who demonstrate how to press flowers and leaves and make artwork, cards and pictures with the pressed flowers. Judy instructed us to place fresh flowers and leaves in between the pages of a thick book and place a heavy weight on top of the book for 8 weeks. All of our members enjoyed this presentation and our pressed flowers artworks .

Our November meeting will be on Nov 4th at 10 00am at Northville Presbyterian Church. We will be making our centerpieces for Annual Garden Club Luncheon and Auction which will take place at Hales Mills Country Club on November 9th.

Horticulture Tips - If you water your houseplants with city/municipal water, remember to let the water set for a least 2 days in an open container. This allows the chlorine and other chemicals to escape into the air and out of the water It's time to clean up your garden, pull weeds and remove any spent annuals and vegetables from the garden.

It's time to clean your plants containers and tools and store them for next year.

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Fulton Montgomery Chamber Puts Out A Call For Artists For A Show In Its Gallery In Gloversville

Show will be on display in November and December

he Fulton Montgomery Regional Chamber of Commerce has put out a Call for Artists to participate in an Art Show in November and December in its Art Gallery located at the Chamber's office at 2 N. Main Street, Gloversville

he Chamber is looking for artists who live or work in the region to participate who use art to express themselves professionally, as a lifestyle, or as a hobby. Artwork will be accepted in any medium, including high-end crafts, sculpture, painting, drawings, collage, etc. All twodimensional artwork must be framed for hanging. Artwork in the exhibit may be offered for sale.

nterested artists should electronically submit low-resolution photos of artwork with a description, and artist bio that includes contact information, no later than October 20 to terrys@ fultonmontgomeryny.org. Preference will be given to artists who own/work for Chamber-member businesses. Artists selected for the exhibit will be contacted during the week of October 23 and artwork will be installed during the week of October 30.

he artwork will be on display during some large events in downtown Gloversville during November and December, including the Gloversville Business Improvement District's "Home for the Holidays" events and Holiday Parade on November 17, a Chamber Music at the Chamber concert on Small Business Saturday, November 25 entitled "Music for the Imagination," and for the 2017 holiday season.

or more information please contact Terry Swierzowski at the Fulton Montgomery Chamber at (518) 725-0641 or e-mail terrys@ fultonmontgomeryny.org.

he Fulton Montgomery Regional Chamber of Commerce is the leading voice of business in the region providing advocacy, resources and solutions for its members.







It is a change of season on the lake but life on the lake goes on! The Great Sacandaga Lake Association has various work projects for the winter and will come out running in the Spring!

Annual Meeting

One of the great aspects of an active organization is that one constantly hears great suggestions and recommendations. As you recall, we experienced a delay in August when our Annual Membership Meeting was postponed because of a tornado! Because we never experienced a similar cancellation (thank goodness for that!), we reviewed the By-Laws and discovered that in the case of cancellation we could reschedule the meeting within 30 days after a postal notice to members. The net result was that we experienced a decline in membership participation in the Annual Meeting when it was rescheduled for September and also paid for a second round of printing and postage expenses! Our Board is now examining the notification process for the Annual Membership Meeting and its timing to implement adjustments in our process.

Our smaller audience participated actively in the meeting and offered great suggestions for our future activities. By the way, quite a few of the members had 'legacy' experience on the lake!

Optional Donations

Individuals and families who wish to join the GSLA are given an opportunity to enroll at different levels i.e Individual, Family, Business, Supporting or Contributing. In addition, members may provide optional donations of their choosing to various program areas i.e. Fish Stocking, Water Level, Water Quality, Boating Safety/Lake Patrols or Environmental Conservation. One of our Board members suggested that we review these categories to determine whether they should be restructured or expanded to reflect new lake priorities. One member also suggested seeking additional areas of revenue for the support of lake patrols.

Boater Enforcement and Littering

Input from members at the Annual Membership Meeting and communication directly with the GSLA highlighted a continuing concern about boat speed within 100 feet of shore, or a dock, a pier, a raft or anchored or moored boat. Particular concern was raised about speed under the Batchellerville Bridge and North of the Northville Bridge as well as on specifically identified areas lakewide. An issue was raised regarding vessel noise level and the use of illegally modified or altered exhaust systems. Members highlighted continued littering on Sand Island. In addition, members suggested that the lake marinas could be enlisted as part of the information distribution network.

Subsequent conversations with law enforcement suggest a possible multi-faceted plan which would provide targeted marine patrols and an informational campaign to alert boaters of the need for personal responsibility.

Plant Growth

It was reported that there appeared to be an increase in aquatic plant growth. Some thought that this growth may be the result of the increased water levels on the lake within the last few years. The GSLA responded by sharing information provided to the GSLA by the Adirondack Park Agency on the 'harvesting' of aquatic plants.

A Call to Dialogue

The Great Sacandaga Lake Association plays a very important role on the lake in providing information and inviting the lake community to meet and develop solutions. This past year has been particularly productive with the Association's involvement in discussions with community groups and elected officials to improve conditions on the lake as well as on both Sand and Beacon Islands. Hopefully, more lake users will join the dialogue!

The Great Sacandaga Lake Association is a member supported organization which actively seeks member recommendations. The lake as a community is only as strong as we make it. Member comments are important to our Association. Please take the time to send us an email (sloffice@gsla.org) with your thoughts. If you like what we do ... why not join?

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Northville Rotary Grows "Service Above Self"

Northville Rotary Sponsors Local Students in Leadership Program

October 14th marked the beginning of Rotary

run one day a month until March.

The Northville Rotary Club was able to send four local students this year: Carina Oare, John Sira, Jenna Forsey, and Michael Dickey. Two are sponsored by our club, one by the Northville Central School District PTO and one by Rotary District 7190. There are 26 youth participants so we are very proud the Northville area has such a significant presence in this program. The students

District 7190's Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) program. Held at Skidmore College in Troy, RYLA is an intense experience that develops student leadership skills while having fun and making connections. This program will



will be interacting with others from the District which include: Albany, Fulton, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren, and Washington Counties.

The students

will connect with leaders in ourcommunity and around the world to:Build communication and problemsolving skills

• Discover strategies for becoming a dynamic leader in their school or community

• Learn from community leaders, inspirational speakers, and peer mentors

• Unlock your potential to turn motivation into action

• Have fun and form lasting friendships

If you see one of these students say hello and congratulate them on their participation in this program.

Christina Oare participating in a role play.

John Sira, Jr. Practicing public speaking.

Four NCS students participating: Carina Oare, John Sira, Jr., Jenna Forsey and Michael Dickey.



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Cathe Bard has been giving us great information about starches/fruits/milk and fats... TOPS has a wonderful resource book called "Real Life" the hands on pounds off guide that members can refer to on all sorts of topics!

We have also started new contest called 'Put your heart into TOPS'

Each week we check off one of the hearts on our paper for each of the following...

*having a loss (KOPS in leeway)

*sitting with a different member during the meeting

*exercising 30 minutes each day

*menuing

*skipping soda

*presenting a program

Cathe Bard had 6 weeks with no gain and was our KOPS best loser too!!

Carmen Durkin was our TOPS best loser. Nancy Franks, Cathe Bard, Leslie Casey, Jean Briscoe and Janice Winney all lost after a Holiday. Other losers include...Terry Poulin, Cookie Utting, and Tom Utting.

Come join us!We meet downstairs at the Bradt building (South Main Street) in Northville.

Weigh in starts at 4:15 with the meeting starting soon after.

Feel free to stop in and visit our meeting (one is free) and for more information, call Nancy Bassett @ 863-8389 or visit us at www.tops.org on the web. "See you lighter".





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St. Mary's Healthcare **Auxiliary Home** Tour

St. Mary's Healthcare Auxiliary 11th Annual "Christmas In November Home Tour" Saturday, November 18th, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Start at Carondelet Pavilion Auditorium, 380 Guy Park Avenue, Amsterdam for tickets and tour maps to 5 Amsterdam area homes decked out for Christmas and enjoy a complimentary dessert and beverage, the Auxiliary Boutique & Crafts, basket raffles and vendors. Advance tickets \$15.00. Door \$20.00, \$8.00 children under 12 at St. Mary Healthcare Gift Shops at Guy Park and Memorial Campus, Bloomfield's Florist,

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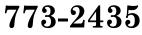
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You may attend Red Rooster Programs without attending the meal. Feel free to come for the program, or bring a bag lunch and join us! Programs are held Thursdays at the Red Rooster Café (Pink Chicken) at the corner of Bridge and Main Sts. Northville.

Call Fulton County OFA at 736-5650 to make lunch reservations. If you are unable to attend the lunch, please call OFA by 9 am to cancel your meal! If the OFA meal site is closed, there will be no program that day. Chair Yoga taught by Ony Antonucci is held each Thurs. from 10:30 to 11:30. Cost of classes is \$5 per week or 6 sessions for \$25. You may join at any time.

Additional information about STFSL can be found online at STFSL.org. To request volunteer medical transportation, call 752-8737

November 2nd OFA Congregate Meal 11:30-12:30





Roast Pork with Gravy, Stuffing, Pacific Blend Vegetables, White Bread, Tropical Fruit. We will also celebrate all November birthdays with a cake provided by Marilyn Greenhill. Red Rooster Program at 12:30 Kristine Lindahl, MVP Manager Medicare Community Health Promotions will discuss various health topics. November 9th OFA Congregate Meal 11:30-12:30 Turkey Divan with Broccoli Sauce, Egg Noodles, Broccoli, Wheat Bread, Apple Crisp. Red Rooster Program at 12:30 Jim Conkling, President, Sacandaga Task Force for Senior Living, will provide an update on the recent Housing Grant Application. November 16th OFA Congregate Meal 11:30-12:30 Thanksgiving Dinner, Turkey with Gravy, Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Dinner Roll, Pumpkin Pie. Red Rooster Program at 12:30 Yvonne Major, Prevention Educator, Hamilton Fulton Montgomery Prevention Council will talk about Prescription and Over the Counter drugs and interactions. Becky White from Fulton County OFA will be on hand from 11:30 to assist seniors with any issues. November 23rd HAPPY THANKSGIVING November 30th OFA Congregate Meal 11:30-12:30

Pulled Pork on a Roll, Baked Bean, Carrots, Yogurt Whip.

Red Rooster Program at 12:30

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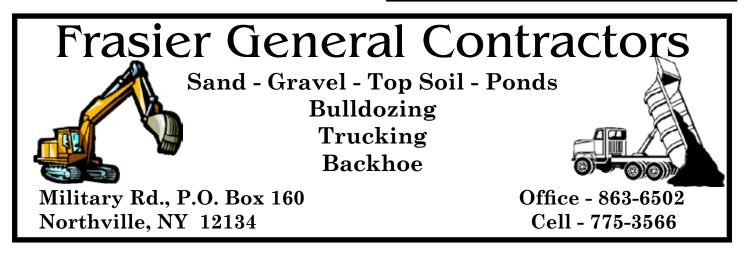
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Northville United Presbyterian Church News

Halloween Warming Station

In continuing our tradition to help make Halloween Trick or Treating an enjoyable and safe activity in the village, our church fellowship hall (downstairs at our Reed Street church) will be open from 5:00 to 6:30 on Tuesday, Oct. 31st. We will provide a safe and warm place to rest, and lite refreshments will be available. Adult church members will be there to supervise, as well as enjoy the costumes of our young gremlins. If the night turns out to be unseasonably warm, then in lieu of heat, we will still provide the warmth of fellowship and fun. All are welcome!

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Halloween early. On October 28th, our church will sponsor a pizza party for all the kids in costume at our Reed Street fellowship hall (downstairs.) Cider, candy and other treats will be served as well. The kid's festivities will go from 1pm to 3pm. Again, all are welcome!

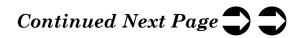
Compassion Sunday Giving

The first Sunday in November, the 5th, will be our Compassion Sunday, focusing on collecting non-perishable food items for the Thanksgiving season. The food items collected by our Northville Church will be distributed through the Fulmont Community Center, for those neighbors who may be lacking in the resources necessary to adequately celebrate Thanksgiving. Non-perishable food items may be dropped off at our church's entry space on that Sunday before or after our 10:00 AM services.

Fall – A Time of Reflection and Giving Thanks First of all, please forgive this writer for repeating some feelings about Fall shared last year, but they still ring very true for me. Fall has always been a favorite time of year for me and many other folks, even though it foretells the coming snows and Winter winds. But Fall is much more than the bright colors God splashes on our trees and bushes; much more than Grandma's or Momma's cinnamon laced homemade apple pies; much more than enjoying our kids compete in nighttime sporting events, while huddled under blankets and sipping warm coffee or cider.

Fall is a time of thanksgiving and reflection. In fact, I believe that the giving of thanks cannot be a totally fulfilling process if not preceded by meaningful reflection. Some bases for our thankfulness are fairly obvious, and usually dominate our Thanksgiving Day prayers.... Thanks for the bounty of food, for family, for friends, for good health, and many of our very basic blessings.

But are there not so many, many more blessings that we can think of and give prayerful thanks for, if only we spend some dedicated time of quiet, serious, concentrated reflection? Many religions and denominations have their own proponents of





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Gentle Yoga	11/6 – 11/27 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	4 sessions (Mondays). For anyone interested in relaxing, gentle yoga sessions. Benefits include improved strength, flexibility and a positive effect on internal systems. \$7 fee/week. Attend 1 session or all 4	
Managing Stress: Benefits of Gratitude	11/7 10 – 11 a.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session (Tuesday). <i>Mend your mind's natural tendency toward optimism!</i> Learn the benefits of cultivating gratitude and staying positive throughout all of life's obstacles to help alleviate your stress. <i>FREE!</i>	
Zumba!	11/7 – 11/28 6 – 7 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	4 sessions (Tuesdays). <i>Exercise in disguise!</i> Join the fun with this high energy, calorie-burning dance party. Modern fitness program appropriate for all abilities. <i>\$7 fee/week.</i> Attend 1 session or all 4	
NEW Every Child Ready To Read!	11/8 11 a.m. – 12 noon	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session (Wednesday). <i>For parents/caregivers of children from birth to age 4.</i> Learn the five best practices to help kids be ready for school. Receive a 'goody bag' with info, crayons and books. <i>FREE</i> !	
Zumba Gold	11/8 – 11/29 4 – 5 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	4 sessions (Wednesdays). <i>Time to dance those calories away!</i> For active older adults with easy-to-follow choreography focusing on balance, range of motion and coordination. <i>\$7 fee/week.</i> Attend 1 session or all 4	
NEW Healthy Holiday Recipes	11/9 10 – 11 a.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session (Thursday). <i>Join us to indulge in learning some new nutritious holiday recipes!</i> We'll explore creative ways to extend those healthful practices throughout the holiday season. <i>FREE</i> !	
NEW Wool Felting	11/10 6 – 7:30 or 11/13 1 – 2:30	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session each (Friday or Monday). <i>Relax while creating a pumpkin using the ancient craft of needle felting.</i> You'll learn the basic technique of how to use a barbed needle to form shapes. <i>\$20 fee payable at the door</i>	
NEW Spinal Awakening	11/13 – 11/27 4 – 5 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	3 sessions (Mondays). A combination of Hatha Yoga and mindfulness <i>meditation.</i> Learn six flowing movements to improve your posture, tone your core, and calm your mind! <i>\$10 fee/week.</i> Attend 1 session or all 3	
ViP Luncheon: Attitude Of Gratitude	11/15 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Nathan Littauer Hospital	1 session (Wednesday). <i>Especially For Adults 50+</i> Enjoy a buffet-style luncheon followed by a presentation on the many health benefits of practicing gratitude on a regular basis. <i>\$5 ViP, \$6 public.</i> RSVP by 11/13	
Infant Care & Parenting	11/15 6:30 – 8 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session (Wednesday). Babies aren't delivered with instruction manuals! Come learn parenting basics including how to calm a fussy infant, sleep patterns, feeding, illness, safety and more. <i>FREE</i> !	
♥ Health Screenings	11/28 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session (Tuesday). <i>Are YOU at risk for heart disease, diabetes or a stroke?</i> Screenings include a cholesterol+HDL+glucose blood test for \$18, diabetes risk assessment, blood pressure reading & body fat analysis/body mass index measurement at no charge. <i>No appointments necessary</i>	
NEW Restoring Balance	11/29 6:30 – 8 p.m.	HealthLink Littauer Johnstown	1 session (Wednesday). Learn how to trade in exhaustion and overwhelm for energy, calm and clarity! Discover simple strategies to take charge of the stress in your life and easily conquer fatigue. FREE!	
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reflection and contemplation. Some teach this as a regular prayerful practice, not just limited to a particular time of year or Holiday. Often, these practices date back centuries.

To me, as a 21st century Presbyterian Christian, I try to make most of my prayers focused on giving thanks, rather than prayers of asking. The Lord, I am sure, knows all of my important "asks" already. But even though God also knows that I am thankful for so many of my blessings, I want to make sure that both the Lord (and I) recognize that I do not take them for granted.

So, after a bit of contemplation, (and each of us will have our own personal lists) I believe that I can add just a few more, which may be shared with other members of the Sacandaga community. Pending further reflection, which is just a form of prayer where we LISTEN to God, rather than

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TALK to God, I am thankful for a few more things, including:

... My church community; they are a new and loving and expanding family to me.

... Our Pastor and her family.

... My country, where freedom of speech and the ability to disagree agreeably, is a treasure.

... A land where we live in relative safety and stability for us and our families.

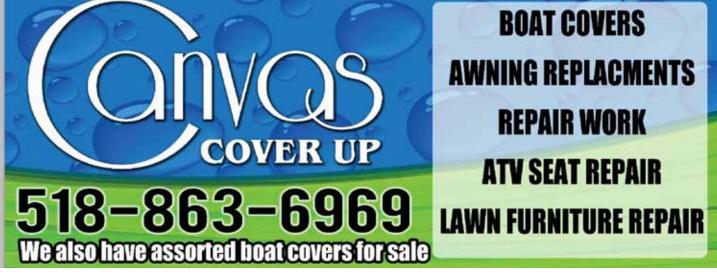
... Clean, plentiful water.

... A medical system where we and our families have the best access to caring, competent doctors and nurses, since we will all need such caregivers at some point.

... Other caregivers in our community, whether professionals or people on the street; those who volunteer at soup kitchens and food pantries, those who visit the sick and lonely, and those who care for the aged.

... Our young people, who so often have to meet challenges similar to, but often more difficult than those we adults faced, and who (I believe) have







the fortitude and values to continue to make our community and planet survive and thrive. ... Our senior citizens, who pass on so very much of their experience, knowledge, common sense, and loving values to their children and grandchildren. ... Our education system, often strapped by budget cuts, less-than-wealthy tax rolls, yet typically driven by dedicated educators and wonderful, knowledge seeking kids.

... The Great Sacandaga Reservoir – a boon to the flood threatened cities of the Capital District, and playground for those rafters, boaters, swimmers, snowmobilers, and ice fisher persons among us.

... The farmers and food service personnel who provide us with the best food that is available anywhere, assured by their hard work and knowledge. And regardless of my opening words, I do not rue the coming of Winter. I am an occasional snowshoer and ice skater, while I still have the physical ability. And If not, is there anything more lovely than sitting by a warm fire watching the snowy whiteness on the green pines?

I could go on and on and on, but I would be remiss in being MOST thankful for our freedom of religion, and the a place where we have the ability and freedom to not only silently contemplate and communicate with our God, but where we can shout out or sing songs of praise without fear of retribution. Thank you God.



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Our Forever-Home

Have you ever travelled to a third world country? If you just shook your head yes, you know what I'm talking about when I say we take our easy lives for granted here in the United States. Sometimes we are like a little child who wants some toy so badly, but then a day or two later, we get bored with the toy and toss it aside. Why is that? It is because that toy or thing cannot provide lasting happiness. The longer I live the more I see that those sought-after material things do not bring real or lasting joy. We need to ask ourselves, "Are we living for material comfort that is temporary, or are we preparing for our eternal home?"

Being a Realtor, I love helping folks sell their homes or buyers to find that perfect home that fits them. But these homes are all temporary. How amazing will be our eternal home? John 3:15 says, "Whoever believes in Him will have an eternal home."

Real happiness comes from the Lord who promises us an eternal home with Him, if we trust in Jesus alone. I love my home here in Northville and am grateful for it, but I look forward to my forever, Heavenly-home.

Our church was encouraged during our October Missions Month. We heard from several missionaries regarding their work throughout the world, besides being challenged that we also share the need for folks here to repent and believe in Jesus. We were reminded that Jesus paid the price for our sins. And that we cannot earn salvation, but instead, it is a gift from God to all who fully trust in Him. The Bible says to go into the entire world and preach the Gospel, so that definitely includes all of us!

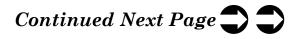
Thanksgiving is just around the corner. Besides enjoying that turkey with the trimmings let's also focus on Psalm 100. Verse four says, "Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him, bless His name!" We thank God for our families, our friends, our homes, our health, our churches, and so many things. But most of all, we thank God for who He is - His love and forgiveness that He freely offers us.

If you don't have a church family, we would love to have you join us. We have a 10 AM Sunday service with Sunday School for all ages (starting at 8:45 AM). Coffee time is downstairs immediately after the morning service. Hope to see you at church!

During this Thanksgiving season take the time to thank the Lord for His many blessings to you. Remember, "Give thanks to Him, and bless His name" and thank Him for your forever-home in Heaven that He promises to all to trust Him 100%.

Church Schedule:

Sunday: Staffed Nursery Provided Sunday School for all ages (8:45 AM) Worship (10 AM) Youth Choir Rehearsal (11:15 at BCON Corner) 1st Sun: Video; 2nd Sun: Q & A Time; 3rd Sun:





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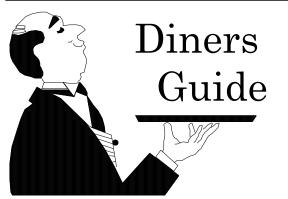


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Monday

Bible Club for grades K-5th (After school till 4 PM) Teen Girls & Guys Bible Study (8-9:30 PM) Girls at Philo's house, Guys at BCON Corner

Tuesday

2nd Tues. of the month: TBA (Truly Blessed Adults) lunch at Sacandaga Bible Conf. (Potluck, call church for ride)

Wednesday

Jr. High Youth Group at BCON Corner (6-7:30 PM) Sr. High Youth Group at BCON Corner (8-9:30 PM)

Thursday

FREE Baked Goods at BCON Corner (10 AM) 3rd Thurs. of the month: Nursing Home Service at Nathan Littauer (10:30 AM) Prayer/Praise at Church (7 PM) Adult Choir Rehearsal (8 PM)



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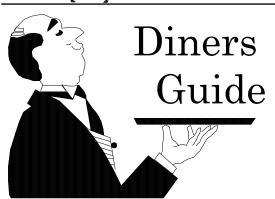


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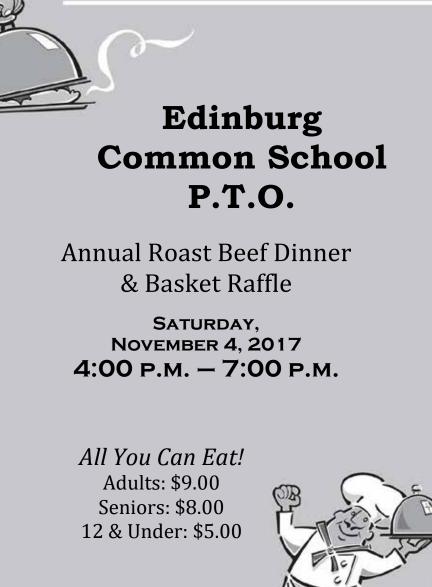
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NOVEMBER

Saturday & Sunday, November 4&5

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Janet Flinchbaugh. #1127-1104. 2 days. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$210. Member Tuition \$170. Materials fee \$45.

Saturday & Sunday, November 4&5

Introduction to Chip Carving with Dennis Wilson. #1006-1104. 2 Days. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$210. Member Tuition \$170. Materials Fee \$28. NOTE: Students must bring pre-purchased chip carving knives and other materials to class as these are not supplied by the instructor. Students are strongly advised to prepurchase needed materials from the following website: www.mychipcarving.com. Any one of the following "kits" are acceptable: **Platinum Edition Advanced** or Professional kits or Gold Edition Deluxe or Primary Plus kits. Please avoid purchasing either the Primary or Essentials kits as they do not contain everything needed for the purpose of the class.

Sunday November 5

Beginning Bluegrass Banjo with Mac Petreguin. #1009-1105. 1/2 Day. 1pm-4pm.



Tuition \$55. Member Tuition \$45.

Wednesday-Saturday, Nov. 8-11 and Monday-Saturday Nov. 13-18

Build a Wee Lassie Canoe with Larry Benjamin. #1058-0510. 10 days. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$1000. Member Tuition \$950. Materials fee \$900.

Saturday November 11

Needle Felted Snowman with Leslie Scarborough. #1001-0111. 1/2 Day. 9am-1pm. Tuition \$55. Member Tuition \$45. Materials Fee \$17. NOTE: If students bring their own felting pad, the materials fee will be \$7.00.

Saturday & Sunday, November 11&12

Intermediate/Advanced Chip Carving with Dennis Wilson. #1007-1111. 2 Days. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$210. Member Tuition \$170. Materials Fee \$28. NOTE: Students must bring pre-purchased chip carving knives and other materials to class as these are not supplied by the instructor. Students

are strongly advised to pre-purchase needed materials from the following website: www. mychipcarving.com. Any one of the following "kits" are acceptable: Platinum Edition Advanced or Professional kits, Gold Edition Deluxe or Primary Plus kits. Please avoid purchasing either the Primary or Essentials kits as they do not contain everything needed for our purposes.

Sunday November 12

Nature's Picture Frames with Roberta Games. #1114-1112. 1/2 day. 1pm-4pm. Tuition \$55. Member Tuition \$45. Materials fee \$15.

Sunday November 12

Woodturning: Hollow Forms with John Kingsley. #1024-1112. 1 Day. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$105. Member Tuition \$85. Materials fee \$25. NOTE: For your safety: no loose-fitting clothes,

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Thursday November 16

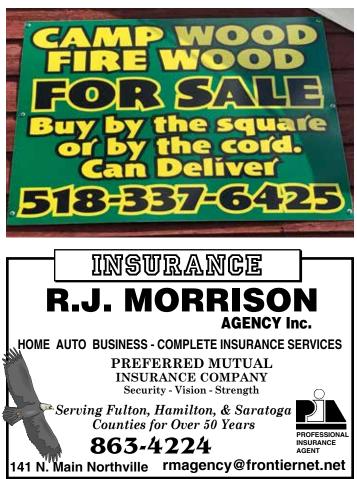
Introduction to Inkle Loom Weaving with Caroline Dvorak. #1044-1116. 1/2 Day. 9am-12pm. Tuition \$55. Member Tuition \$45. Materials Fee \$5. NOTE: Parents should accompany a minor child.

Friday & Saturday, November 17&18

Carved Stool with David Salvetti. #1131-1117. 2 Days. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$210. Member Tuition \$170. Materials Fee \$50. NOTE: This class will take place at the Chittenango Landing Canal Boat Museum, located at 717 Lakeport Road in Chittenango, NY. Ages 16 and up.

Saturday November 18

American Tinsmithing Basics with Art Thorman. #1018-1118. 1 Day. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$110.





Member Tuition \$90. Materials fee \$10. NOTE: Students must be 14 years of age or older.

Saturday November 18

Holiday Baskets with Linda Scherz Allen. #1141-1118. 1 Day. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$105. Member Tuition \$85. Materials fee will vary according to project.

NOTE: Materials fees will vary based on the baskets you choose to make-from \$15 to \$40.

Sunday November 19

Holiday Baskets with Linda Scherz Allen. #1141-1119. 1 Day. 9am-4pm. Tuition \$105. Member Tuition \$85. Materials fee will vary according to project.

NOTE: Materials fees will vary based on the baskets you choose to make-from \$15 to \$40.

Sunday November 19

Rugs from Rags with Caroline Dvorak. #1061-1119. 1/2 day. 12pm-4pm. Tuition \$90. Member Tuition \$70.

Sunday November 19

Goat Milk Soap with Christine Eberhardt. #1033-1119. 1/2 Day. 12pm-4pm. Tuition \$55. Member Tuition \$45. Materials Fee \$25.

Sunday November 19

Tin Ornaments with Art Thorman. #1128-1119. 1/2 Day. 12pm-4pm. Tuition \$55. Member Tuition \$45. Materials Fee \$6.





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Ony will be singing inspirational songs that will speak to our hearts and motivate us to live into our calling to help those in need.

Pat Brooking, Exec. Director of Haven of Hope will bring us up to date on their work and vision for the future. We will close out the program with a time of sing-a-long. There is something for all ages.

Please RSVP if planning to stay for the meal at <u>518-883-8086</u>. You may leave your name and number of folks attending.



Edinburg School News



Edinburg School Happenings by Ms. Kimberly S. Hromada, Superintendent

Public Safety Day -

On September 20, 2017, a number of local Public Safety groups came to demonstrate their equipment and to also share their roles in our community. The students learned how each group works to keep our community safe and what steps



we can do to protect our families. We would like to thank the Hagaman Volunteer Fire Department (Larry Dawson), NYS Forest Ranger (Anthony Goetke), and Environmental Conservation Officer (Steven Shaw) for being part of our day. We would

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Grandparent's Day Luncheon -

On September 22, 2017, Edinburg Common School dedicated a luncheon to all of our amazing grandparents. Over 70 grandparents enjoyed chicken pot pie, salad, fruit, and warm apple crisp. Students read poems and stories they wrote to honor them. We would like to thank



the entire ECS staff that made this event such a huge success. We would also like to thank Mrs. Constance Breda and Mrs. Jeny Rockwell for the scrumptious meal served. We know how hard you both worked to make the day possible!

PTO Sponsored Field Trip to Ellms Farm -October 4, 2017

KUDOS to the Edinburg PTO for another successful school wide sponsored field trip! On October 4, 2017 students were bused to the Ellms Farm in Ballston Spa, NY where they enjoyed corn mazes, rides, games, and fall activities. Students enjoyed a hayride down to the pumpkin patch where they could select a pumpkin to take home. Students also were given cider and a cider donut for a snack. The ECS school community would like



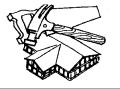
to thank the Edinburg PTO (Mrs. Angela Brownell, Ms. Krissy Petruso, and Ms. Lindsay Orr) for their hard work and organization of our school wide



field trips and the planning it takes to be successful. We would also like to thank our families that were able to attend and the Ellms Farm for their commitment to serving educational tours.



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The Edinburg Common School recently received a very special gift. It all began in the spring, when the ECS Service Club "adopted" a platoon of U.S. military troops, through the "Project Frontlines" program. The unit is made up of approximately 50 men and women, who are currently serving in Kandahar, Afghanistan. The school's Service Club organized a collection of items to be sent to the troops (snacks, personal care items, leisure items, etc.). The entire school contributed to the collection, and also wrote letters and colored pictures that were sent to the men and women serving overseas. Members of the Sacandaga Task Force for Senior Living also donated items to the collection.

This summer, the school received a special "thank you" from the platoon: an American flag, along with a letter signed by the troops and a certificate. The letter identified the unit as Echo Company Gray Eagle, which works to maintain and fly drones to protect the people of Afghanistan. The certificate indicates that the flag that they sent us flew on a combat mission in a drone over Afghanistan in July. The flag and certificate will be prominently displayed in the school, with our sincere appreciation and gratitude to the men and women serving our country.



The ECS Service Club is made up of 5th and 6th grade students that volunteer to work on various projects throughout the year. Our goal is to help others around the school, the community, and the world. If you have any project ideas that the Service Club can help with, we would love to hear from you! Please contact the club's advisor, Mrs. Grace Paster (Speech-Language Pathologist at Edinburg Common School) at gpaster@ edinburgcs.org.







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First Baptist Hosts "Facing Darkness" Film October 25

The First Baptist Church of Amsterdam at 479 Guy Park Avenue will host a

special showing of the Samaritan's Purse film "Facing Darkness" on Wednesday, October 25 at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend the free movie and enjoy light refreshments after the film.

"Facing Darkness" is the true story of Dr. Kent Brantly, his work to fight the Ebola virus in Liberia and the death-defying miracle that saved his life once he contracted Ebola. Ebola was the most dangerous virus in the world and Dr. Brantly and the Samaritan's Purse team in Liberia worked around the clock to try to save lives and stop an international epidemic. The film is also an inspiring reminder of the parable of the Good Samaritan, where Jesus calls people to go out of their way to help those who are suffering and hopeless. Samaritan's Purse is a nondenominational Christian relief and evangelism organization that works in more than 100 countries to help victims of disaster, disease, poverty, famine, and war.

For more information about the event, individuals may call the First Baptist Church at 518-843-3517 or e-mail the church coordinator at

fbccoordinator @albany.twcbc.com.

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a complete blur. I am tired, worn and a little rough around the edges between everything that has happened in the last year. In life we take the good with the bad. It is how we choose to deal with what we are dealt, that matters. It is too easy in life to let the large issues loom over us. I am forcing myself to take a step back and focus on the positive things that have happened in my life this past year. When you focus on the positive, it allows you to take one more step forward. I am thankful for so many good things, since my last birthday. My dad has settled in and is enjoying his new home at Osprey Lodge. He has made many new friends and has a great social life. My son Josh is 10 months drug free. My son Jeremy is a devoted father and son. He is also a very talented geologist and driller and, through his fracture trace analysis, he has found water for people who had multiple dry wells on the property. My daughter in law Sandra is a good mom and supportive wife. She is starting a journey in Bible Study. She will be leading a four year study in her church. That is an amazing commitment. My grandchildren Lucas and Acadia are growing up so fast. I love every moment spent with them. They are so much fun to be with. They make my heart full. Bill has been and will always be my rock. He is my side kick and best friend (we work together 60 hours a week) and will never let me down. He has created a beautiful home for us in Key West. No matter where I am with him, life is an adventure.

Our lives are forever evolving. Bill and I will be making some big life changing decisions in the next few months. We want to be here for work and family but it is time for us to move on to something else. Nothing is easy and sometimes decisions can be difficult and heart wrenching.

I know there is nothing that is put in our path that God will not guide us through.

Wherever you are in your life=s journey right now, I hope you will remember the positives.

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I have been numb since before Hurricane Irma hit in September. We were fortunate enough to be able to fly back to Key West to assess the damage two weeks after the storm. We were very lucky and blessed where we live: others were not. We spent the four days in the Keys cleaning up and helping friends. The time we put in to help a few people was like a drop of water in the ocean. We wish we could have done a lot more. There is so much work to do. The number of people impacted by the storm is staggering. There are no words to express the loss. The piles of debris and rubble on the sides of the road is unbelievable. So many people are asking when the trash will be taken away. To the people who live there, this is not trash. It is people=s lives: their homes, their belongings, their heart. These people are grieving and trying to make some sense out of the everything in the aftermath of the storm. Some people

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have decided to stay and rebuild but others are moving to the mainland to try and start a new life. My heart breaks for the many people who have been affected by the four hurricanes and now the devastating fires in California. I admire the strength of the thousands of people affected. They are crying for their loss but they are pulling themselves together to figure out the next chapter in their lives. Nothing will be the same again, but out of tragedy will come a new growth; both personally and environmentally.

We all go through difficult periods in our lives. My birthday was last week. I turned 61 but I felt like my 60th year was

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