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Independence Day celebrations planned

STAFF REPORT

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Several St. Lawrence County communities plan to celebrate the Independence Day holiday this coming weekend with fireworks and other festivities.

The following towns and villages have events scheduled.

Norwood

In Norwood, there will be two days of Fourth of July events and activities.

Monday, July 3

Live Music at the Norwood Fire Station

7 to 9 p.m.: Norwood Brass Fireman performing

9 p.m. to 1 a.m.: Block Dance with Divided Roads

Soda, beer, hamburgers, hot dogs & sausages available for purchase

Glow sticks will be available to purchase in the Village Green

Tuesday, July 4

10 a.m. to 5 p.m.: Bounce Houses on the Village Green (1 wet, 1 dry)

1 p.m.: Parade beginning Change in parade route - parade begins on Spring Street (by Hometown Market), from Spring St. the parade will turn left onto Park Ave, continue to Bernard Ave., continue to Rt. 56, left onto Bicknell St., then turning right onto Morgan St. where the official end of the parade will be at Whitney Street.

This year's change to the route has been made to accommodate the larger vehicles and floats as well as display of the large American flag over

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Cheryl Shumway | NCTW

Fourth of July history comes alive as Betsy Ross sews the U.S. flag by the fire while George Washington looks on. Diane Letourneau and Bob Ahlfeld, 45 State St., Canton, created the display on their front porch for neighbors to enjoy for Independence Day.

Engle wins Sheriff primary

BY JIMMY LAWTON

North Country This Week

CANTON – St. Lawrence County Sheriff's investigator Patrick 'Rick' Engle has secured the Republican line on the November ballot after defeating Undersheriff Sean O'Brien in the primary race by a 2 to 1 margin.

Stolen signs, social media arguments and assorted criticism have been hurled over the past few weeks leading up to the race.

Engle secured 2,913 votes while O'Brien received 1,575, according to unofficial numbers provided by the St. Lawrence County Board of Elections.

In a brief interview following the primary Tuesday, Engle offered appreciation to his supporters. He said he "couldn't have done it without them."

He credited his success to speaking with people and giving them time to get to know him on the campaign trail.

"I've had conversations that were 20 minutes and some as long as two and half hours," he said. "It's about getting to know them and them getting to know you," he said.

Engle said he wasn't shocked at the victory, which was nearly 2 to 1, because he believes the support he's received is genuine.

"When I talk to people it's real. It's sincere. They

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Canton approves solar PILOTS

BY PAUL MITCHELL

North Country This Week

CANTON – Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOTS) are in place for four of the seven community solar projects in the Town of Canton.

The PILOT agreements are all for 15 years with payments made to the Canton Central School District, St. Lawrence County and the town. The agreements, through authorization from Canton Town Supervisor Mary Ann Ashley, were finalized by the St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency (IDA).

In all, the four 15-year PILOTS total more than \$1.6 million.

"The Canton Town Board, along with both legal counsels, did the best we could with what we were faced with in negotiations of the PILOT agreements. The fundamental priority was to try to get

the best result for Canton taxpayers in the long run," stated Ashley.

"It wasn't an easy task, but we took time to ensure the integrity of the process. It took several months to assess the financial impact for the town, ask hard questions and get answers, discuss the fixed PILOT formula, and come to a resolution," she added.

The breakdown is as follows:

The State Street Road solar project (5 megawatt) PILOT is \$432,335.42

The County Route 27 (4.14 megawatt) solar project is \$357,627.86

The US Highway 11 solar project (5 megawatt) is \$432,335.42

The 95 Judson Street Road (4.4 megawatt) solar project is \$380,455.17.

The PILOTS were based on \$5,000 per megawatt the first year, increasing 2 percent annually

during the term of the agreement.

The PILOT payments will directly benefit Canton Central School District as the biggest benefactor, then St. Lawrence County and then the Town of Canton, Ashley noted.

"The school board, county legislature and town board will each decide how to spend the annual funds," she said.

Although \$1.6 million is an impressive figure, the town supervisor hoped for richer PILOT payments.

"Personally, I wish we would have gotten more, especially for the Town of Canton. We did all the true grit work for the greater good of our Town as a whole and are getting the least amount," said Ashley. "We never gave up on hoping for the best, giving it all we

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Cheryl Shumway | NCTW

Cooling off in Potsdam

Enjoying their ice cream at the end of school year summer bash hosted by North Country Children's Museum at Garner Park on Friday were, from left, Sam Murphy, Germany, Luke Buchanan, Potsdam, and Sullivan Murphy, Germany. The Murphy boys are visiting their Potsdam grandparents, the Tullochs.

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North Country Children's Museum nears expansion project goal

BY ADAM ATKINSON
North Country This Week

multi-million dollar second-floor expansion project.

The museum recently held a fundraising gala which brought in \$15,000 to go towards the project, organizers report.

"The project total is \$3,500,000 and we have secured \$3,000,000 so far (which includes some NCCM cash reserves)," NCCM executive director Sharon Vegh Williams told North Country This Week.

Lead sponsors for the gala were Northern Federal Credit Union, United Renewable Energy, SLIC Network Solutions, and St. Lawrence University.

Project architect, Brooks Washburn, presented slides on the expansion to the 100 guests in attendance.

Ballroom dance instructor Megan Smith taught classic dance steps with live music from Oscar Sarmiento's band.

Work on the expansion has been underway, with one phase complete and another in process.

"Because building and renovation costs went up 120% since our pre-COVID estimates, we phased the project so that we could get everything moving forward without delay," Williams said.

Williams said Phase 1, which is the exhibit design done by Toronto-based Blue Rhino Design is complete. Phase 2 which is the building renovation and construction with Northern Tier Contracting of Gouverneur is underway and expected to be completed by December 2023, Williams said.

The last phase, Phase 3, will focus on exhibit fabrication and installation by Ravenswood Studio of Chicago.

The executive director said that work is expected to start in 2024, but is also dependent on further fundraising efforts.

The expansion will double floor space to 7,000 square feet, with the second floor being largely geared for children 8 to 12 years old.

Planned exhibits include a downsized Amish cottage, a maple tree climber with a bubble lookout at the top through the roof, a sound lab in partnership with the Akwesasne community and Crane school of music.

History, impact
North Country Children's Museum has come a long way since its start as a traveling museum in 2012.

The museum, which now occupies the first floor of the "Red Barn" at 10 Raymond Street, features interactive exhibits focusing on STEAM concepts, environment, art and local culture.

NCCM draws about 20,000 visitors a year, which includes thousands of children who visit on field trips, BOCES students, college interns in academic programs, college professors, parents and senior citizens as well. About 40,000 annual visitors are projected once the expansion work is complete.

Discounted memberships are available for low income families, with about 20 percent of its 600 member families participating in the program.

A Clarkson economic impact study estimated that the museum brings about \$700,000 annually to the local economy directly.

How to help
The museum is still seeking funding in a capital campaign to cover the total cost, including donations from the public. The project will be partially paid for with \$1.4 million in state Downtown Revitalization Initiative funding secured through the village.

To learn more about the project and how you can support it, visit <https://northcountrychildrensmuseum.org/second-floor-expansion/>

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NCTW has early deadlines for July 4 edition

Due to the July 4 holiday, there will be early deadlines for next week's edition of North Country This Week.

Deadline for the Potsdam-Canton edition will be 5 p.m. Friday, June 30 for the July 7 issue.

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BRIEFLY

Prison contraband

CANTON -- A St. Lawrence County inmate was charged with a felony following a prison contraband investigation, according to St. Lawrence County sheriff's deputies. Darren J. Bishop II, 21, was charged with first-degree possession of dangerous prison contraband, felony, officers said. He was allegedly found in possession of suboxone while incarcerated at the county jail. The incident was reported June 14 and Bishop was charged June 20, officers said. The subject was arraigned in Hermon court and released on his own recognizance; however he was brought back to the county jail and held on separate charges, deputies said.

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Scholarship recipients from left: Nadia Atkinson, Emma Brosell, Hannah Hartigan, Blaze Lindsey and David Zuhlsdorf.

NCTW awards 5 scholarships

Three area high school seniors who will be attending college in St. Lawrence County have received \$500 scholarships from *North Country This Week*.

They are Hannah Hartigan of Norwood-Norfolk, David Zuhlsdorf of Canton Central and Emma Brosell of Potsdam Central.

In addition, two graduating seniors who are children of *North Country This Week* employees are also receiving \$500 scholarships – Nadia Atkinson and Blaze Lindsey.

Hartigan is the daughter of Nichole Hartigan and granddaughter of John and Nadine Michaud of Norfolk. She will be attending St. Lawrence University to study psychology. Hannah is the secretary of her class and a member of the National Honor Society. She is also a member of the Norfolk-Norwood Figure Skating Club and participated in many extracurricular activities including soccer, Varsity Club, Key

Club, Spanish Club, and Band.

Zuhlsdorf is the son of David and Rebekah Zuhlsdorf. He has been a member of the football and baseball teams, earning the Section X NCA MVP Award for baseball in 2022 and Athlete of Distinction for Football. He is a member of the National Honor Society and has volunteered for the American Red Cross. He will be attending St. Lawrence University, studying biomedical science.

Brosell is the daughter of Josh and Miranda Brosell. She plans to attend St. Lawrence University to major in math with the goal of becoming a math teacher. While in school, she participated in soccer, basketball, softball, outdoor track and lacrosse as well as the National Honor Society, P2Club and Varsity Club. She worked at Cactus Grill and Cantina.

Atkinson is daughter of Adam Atkinson and Annie Ruberti, and Laura Tebo and James Tebo.

While attending Harrisville Central School, she participated in the IMPETUS Program, Clarkson Discovery Challenge, and the Student Space Exploration Program. She performed in school musicals, at multiple Bi-County Chorus concerts, and at two NYSSMA Solo Festivals.

Nadia volunteered at Parent-Teacher Organization events and at the local library. She has been employed at Harrisville Hardware for two years and plans to attend SUNY Potsdam, majoring in history and minoring in museum studies.

Lindsey is the son of Matthew Lindsey and graduated from Potsdam Central School. He attended Seaway Tech in Norwood, enrolled in the auto tech program for two years.

He plans on getting a job in the automotive field. He enjoys skateboarding and playing basketball.

Village to invite Boutique Air to use airfield

BY ADAM ATKINSON
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — Village officials plan to invite Boutique Air to land and launch flights from Damon Airfield in lieu of flights not being able to land or take off in Massena in July.

Village Trustee Monique Tirion at the June 20 village board meeting said several residents have asked her if there was a possibility that the air service provider could fly into and out of Potsdam's municipal airfield.

"Absolutely," said Village Administrator Greg Thompson. "We would definitely welcome that. They have done that before. There was some construction taking place in Massena, I believe it was last year, and Boutique actually flew in here for several weeks and sent us a letter thanking us for the use of our airport and complimenting us on the quality of the runways and the taxiways."

Tirion said that one of the people who approached her was a pilot and that person expressed concern

to her that Massena may not have a plan in place for flight traffic during the coming month.

"Could you maybe just make a call and see? That would be nice," Tirion asked.

"I would be glad to," the administrator said. "Again, we have done that before. I would love to bring a carrier into Potsdam with not only our two universities, but being 10 miles from Canton and the ever expanding healthcare system, I think it would definitely behoove the village of Potsdam to have a carrier flying in and out of our airport."

"I will make a phone call tomorrow. They are more than welcome to do so as we've done in the past," he said.

Last month the village launched a wildlife survey at the airport following a plane-deer collision earlier this spring on the runway. Thompson told the board that several areas were found where the fence surrounding the airfield had been compromised and all of them had been repaired. "So we should be able to hopefully keep the deer off the runway," Thompson said.

Voters okay Potsdam library funding increase

POTSDAM -- Voters approved the Potsdam Public Library's budget referendum which is an increase of 1-cent per \$1,000 of appraised property value.

The funding increase will change the current library tax rate for district residents from \$1.04 to \$1.05

per \$1,000 of assessed property value.

The increase will help fund the library budget for 2023-2024, which calls for \$638,711, a decrease from the current year's budget of \$644,405.

Library Director Annie Davey

said that 82% of voters approved the increase and that Janice Brown has been elected as a trustee.

Also, write-in candidate Julie Welch will fill the remaining vacant trustee position, she said.

There were a total of 146 voters, 126 yes, 20 no, Davey said.

Massena fire claims three

MASSENA — Three people died in an early morning residential structure fire on South Main Street Monday, confirmed Massena Chief of Police Jason Olson.

The blaze is currently being investigated by multiple agencies.

According to Olson, Massena Police were on the scene with New York State Fire investigators, the St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office and New York State Police.

"Detectives are heavily involved

in the investigation process at this time and receiving assistance from NYS Fire, SLC Sheriff's Office, and NYS Police," Olson said in a press release.

Olson also wrote that no further details or comment will be provided at this time.

A Facebook post by Massena Fire Department officials also noted the early morning call, with officials saying they would be on scene for several more hours.

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Water issues arise during salt shed project

BY ADAM ATKINSON
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — The village’s plans for the foundation for its new salt shed are being modified after a ground water issue was discovered at the village Department of Public Works site where the shed will be installed.

“We’ve been in contact with Hybrid Builders, which is the company that’s building our salt barn. There’s a little bit, well I want to say, kind of a significant issue with ground water on the back side,” Village Administrator Greg Thompson told the village board of trustees at their meeting June 20.

“We’ve re-engineered the ground around the barn. We’ve fixed the problem. It is going to be a little bit more costly than we had planned,” Thompson said. “However I will say we are using what’s called New York State Touring Route money. Which, a year ago we had \$400,000. As of today, that has been increased to \$711,000. So we have more than enough money to take care of building (the salt barn), even with the significant change in the engi-

neering plans.” Thompson told the board that the state money is a reimbursable fund and the village will have to front the money first and then will get the money reimbursed later on.

According to the New York State website, “The New York State Touring Route Program provides \$100 million in State funds to cities, towns and villages based on the total number of signed touring route miles for which such municipality has capital maintenance responsibility to support the construction and repair of highways, bridges, highway-railroad crossings, and other transportation facilities.”

The village board had also previously approved using \$85,000 in federal American Rescue Plan Act funds for construction of the salt barn’s concrete pad.

Thompson said that over the years of the village DPW site expanding, someone covered up an area with new surface material where there was running groundwater. “In order to fix that issue and correct the wrong we basically have to change the way we put the footers in around the back and down one side of the building,”

Thompson said. “I’m working diligently with Hybrid right now. They should be up here within the week to break ground,” said the administrator. “And they said once they break ground they are not going to leave until they are done.”

Thompson told the board that he hoped that by their meeting next month that ground had been broken for the project and that the work was “significantly underway.”

The administrator told the board that total construction time was estimated to be 30 to 45 days for the building itself. Paving around the site will probably be completed when the village gets its paving operations in full swing sometime in August.

The salt that will go inside the structure is already purchased, Thompson said. He told the board that he bought salt ahead of time at a better rate to save the village money on the overall cost.

“We had money left over so we bought 400 tons in the spring and we filled all of the areas where we could fill with salt,” he said. “So at this point we have a really good supply... for next season.”



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Summer bash at NCCM

John Proetta, a North Country Children’s Museum science educator, passes out a gooey solution of cornstarch and water that acts like both a solid and a liquid during the museum’s summer bash hosted by North Country Children’s Museum at Garner Park on the last day of school. The community outreach event is the first annual summer bash, said Museum Director Sharon Williams.

Project cuts likely coming

BY ADAM ATKINSON
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — The Village of Potsdam, along with other municipalities may be forced to make some cuts in project budgets and anticipate longer waits on materials moving forward.

According to Village Administrator Greg Thompson, project bids statewide are coming in substantially over budget.

“A lot of the projects statewide right now, Fred (Hanss, Village Planner) will attest to this, we’ve been down this road several times in just the last couple weeks, a lot of projects are coming in anywhere from 100 to 200 percent over bid estimate, excuse me, architectural and engineering estimates,” Thompson told village board members at their meeting June 20.

“I just want to make the board aware that we may have to take a look at cut backs on some of the village projects that we have lined up. Not just for this summer but for the next couple summers,” the administrator said. Thompson said the issue is statewide.

“One of the beautiful things about living in the North Country is that a lot of the negative effects of nation-

wide issues are delayed in getting to us. The downside is that when they do get to us, they hang on a little bit longer and it takes a little longer to come out of it.”

Thompson said the issues driving up costs center around supply chain problems and lack of labor.

“It’s a heads up to the board. My fingers are crossed that we don’t have to do it to any large extent, but the likelihood of having to make cuts is very real,” he said.

Village Trustee Alexandra Jacobs-Wilke asked if the village’s planned schedule for paving and sidewalk repair was still on schedule for the summer.

Paving projects in the village are expected to get underway in August after the town completes its paving. He said sidewalk construction is underway and on schedule, but experiencing some delays due to a current concrete shortage. Thompson said the village is calling ahead 10 to 14 days to get concrete delivered for sections being replaced.

“That’s slowing us down, but my hats off to the guys. They’ve managed to schedule things, get a hold of the plant, make sure the plant knows when we’re going to be doing the project so they are getting the concrete here when we need it.”

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Village board approves walking trail at Willow Island

BY PAUL MITCHELL
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CANTON – Canton Island Park on Willow Island will be the home of a new walking trail following approval Wednesday night by the village board to proceed with Phase 1 of a three-phase project for the island.

A Zoom presentation by Michele Palmer, project lead from Whitham Planning Design and Landscape Architecture, Ithaca, preceded the Phase 1 endorsement by village lead-

ers. The plan would be to eventually introduce a play area to the island, building it in a naturalistic style with as little impact to the property as possible.

Acceptance of Phase 1 of the project came after several public input sessions and meetings with stakeholders.

“They have been a very active and engaging committee. I have enjoyed working with them, stated Palmer.

The Willow Island Park Enhance-

ments (WIPE) committee is comprised of Leigh Rodriguez, Varick Chittenden, Scott Goldie, John Larrance, Sean O’Brien, Brooke Rouse, Tim Savage, Lance Rudiger, and Michael Scriminger. Former Village Trustee Carol Pynchon also sat on the committee.

Bids for the trail work and other tasks, including running power to the island’s south end, could be sought as early as August.

In December 2019, the village received a state grant of \$529,739

for the Miner Street Trail Connector and Willow Island projects. Funding for the Willow Island enhancement project is \$236,956 with a local match of \$87,955.

That cost figure could fluctuate with in kind work mainly from the village’s department of public works.

There are also plans to reconfigure the parking area with lighting. The trail will be ADA compatible.

Mayor Michael Dalton said the grant money should cover the cost of the Phase 1 project depending on construction costs.

Phase 2 will focus on the stabilization of a portion of banks on the island.

“What kind of money will it take to stabilize the banks?” inquired Dalton. “It’s quite expensive work,” Palm-

er responded. “A ballpark figure is between \$300,000 and \$400,000.”

Phase 3 will involve the playground or play area work and the art park.

There was also discussion about adding restrooms to the island, either permanent or portable.

Canton native Matthew Mazzotta has been engaged in design work for the performance space.

“I appreciate that so much time and effort has gone into this,” said Trustee Beth Larrabee.

“I compliment Michele and her team. It’s been a good process and very thorough,” said Trustee Barbara Beekman.

The village board also approved a negative declaration SEQR that will satisfy all phases of the Willow Island project.

OBITUARIES

Dianne M. Mayo, 76 Potsdam

POTSDAM – Dianne M. Mayo, 76, a longtime resident of Mayfield Drive, quietly passed away in her sleep on Thursday morning, June 22, 2023 at United Helpers Rehabilitation and Nursing Care Center, Canton.

Dianne was born on November 11, 1946 in Potsdam, the daughter of the late Lester W. and Hilda M. (Green) Mayo. She attended schools in Potsdam, where she graduated high school in 1964. Dianne started her working career as a secretary at Theisen’s Pontiac Garage in Potsdam. She also worked for several years with Higley Builders and retired as a secretary and bookkeeper for Cornerstone in Norwood.

While living at Mayfield, she was active with the Senior Citizens Club. She enjoyed vacationing with friends and going out to eat with her friends.

Dianne is survived by her son,

Daniel S. Nelson (Rachelle), formerly of California; a grandson, Jack W. Nelson of California; her brother and sister-in-law, Roy and Pat Mayo of Potsdam; her niece, Tanya Delosh of Norwood; her nephew, Eugene and Neika Mayo of Potsdam; 4 great nieces, and a great-great niece and nephew.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her brother, Randy J. Mayo on July 11, 2008.

Arrangements are under the care and guidance of the Donaldson-Seymour Funeral Home, Potsdam, however at her request there will be no services. Burial will be held privately in St. Mary’s Cemetery Potsdam.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley.

Friends may share memories and offer condolences online at www.donaldsonseymour.com.

David C. Gilson, 77 Formerly of Potsdam

Formerly of Potsdam - David C. Gilson, 77, formerly of US-11, Potsdam, died Thursday, June 22, 2023 at Carthage Center Nursing Home.



David Gilson

Calling hours will be held on Tuesday, June 27 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM at Lawrence Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Canton.

A graveside service will be held on Saturday, July 8 at 10:00 AM in Brick Chapel Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of one’s choice.

David was a son of the late Donald R. and Bettie (Matthews) Gilson and was born September 17, 1945 in Canton, NY.

He attended Canton High School and later received his GED in 1995.

He was employed with J & L Steel in Star Lake until its closure and then he took work in the woods as well as painting and selling firewood.

Marriages to Thelma Crary and Donna Brooks ended in divorce.

Surviving are his children Thomas J. of Cohoes, NY, Michael S. of NC, Edward P. of Potsdam and Amber Mace of Canton; his siblings Mary Hurd of Schaghticoke, NY, Janet Laddison of Hermon, Sheila Gilson of Mo, Doug (Barbara) Gilson of PA, Dean (Cherie) of ID, Gary (Christine) of Liverpool and Jeff of Canton; eight grandchildren Nicholas, Brianna, Jeremy, Anthony, Taylor, Shawn, Misty and Alivia.

He was predeceased by sisters Tina Todd, Betty Jane Gilson, Sally Miller and Beatrice Gilson.

David enjoyed hunting, fishing and cutting wood.

He was always there to lend a hand to friends and family in need.

Condolences may be shared with the family by visiting www.lawrencefuneralhome.org

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Vendor, crafter space open for Dragon Boat Races Festival

BY ADAM ATKINSON
North Country This Week

HANNAWA FALLS – There is still time for vendors and crafters to rent space at the second annual Dragon Boat Races Festival in Postwood Park scheduled for Sunday, July 16.

The last day to register for vendor space is July 3. Spaces are \$25. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/2ckt525a> to fill out the online registration form.

The festival is part of the onshore events centered around the Dragon Boat Races which will launch Hong Kong-style dragon canoes from Postwood Park beach into the Racquette River, where paddling teams will compete for first place in sprint style races.

The event is organized by Clarkson University Health Services Program, in conjunction with the town recreation department, and raises money to support mission trips, health initiatives, experiential learning, community service outreach and health education within St. Lawrence County.

This year’s event is expected to draw more competitors and attendees.

“We were very excited to have the Dragon Boat Races at Postwood last year,” said Potsdam Town Recreation Director Michelle Garrow.

“We had 10 teams last summer which was a good jumping off point,” Garrow told North Country This Week. “We are hoping to double that number of teams for this year. There are several teams coming in from out of the area and we

are looking forward to having them participate this year. There is still time for teams to register.”

“We are also hoping to get more area youth involved and would like to get a couple more youth teams registered,” Garrow said.

“Teams will be coming in over the 3 days leading up to the event to practice to get ready for the event,” she said.

Garrow said that about 400 people, both participants and spectators, attended the races and festival in 2022. The races and festival are the recreation department’s biggest event of the season, she said.

“We are also expecting that number to rise for 2023,” the recreation director said. “The event was moved to Sunday to be included with the SummerFest Activities. We are hoping this will bring in more people as well.”

The festival onshore will feature food trucks, drinks, games, vendors, crafters and a DJ spinning music throughout the day.

Fernand A. “Fudgie” Granger, 96 Massena

MASSENA -- Memorial Mass will be held for Fernand A. “Fudgie” Granger will be held 11:00 AM on Thursday, June 29, 2023, at Sacred Heart Church, with burial to follow in Calvary Cemetery, Massena with full military honors. As per the family’s wishes, there will be no public calling hours. Fernand passed away peacefully at his home early morning on Friday, June 23, 2023; he was 96 years old.

Fernand was born to the late Albert and Bertha (Malbous) Granger on September 3, 1926, in Massena, NY. Fernand attended Massena Schools, enlisted in the United States Navy, and proudly served his country during World War II.

Upon returning from the armed forces, Fernand married his loving bride, Gabrielle Aubin, on September 6, 1947, in Cornwall, Ontario, at St. John Bosco Church. They soon started their family as he began work at the ALCOA plant in Massena, where he retired in 1987 after 42 years of service as an Inspector. Fernand enjoyed spending time with his family and hunting with his son at their camp.

He was a communicant of Sacred Heart Church, a member of the Knights of Columbus Council No. 1141, a member of the AMVETS Post No. 4, V.F.W Post No. 1143, and the ALCOA 25 Year Club.

Fernand is survived by his son Steve and wife Martha Granger of Massena, NY, and his five grandchildren; Tamara Granger, Hailey Lawer, Jennifer Perry, and companion Keith Bryant, Marisa and Dave Sogoian, Krista and Tim Gipson and Brett and Britney Granger, six great-grandchildren; Gabriel



Fernand Granger

Sagoian, Max and Elise Gipson, Theodore Granger, Ruby Granger, a great-grandchild on the along way with several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Fernand was predeceased by his loving wife Gabrielle in 2015, his daughter Susan Granger Perry in 2016, a son Brian M. Granger in 2020, and his siblings Irene Maginn and Fernande Revier.

Memorial contributions for Fernand can be shared with DAV Chapter 171; c/o 34 Sherwood Drive, Massena, NY 13662

Family and friends are welcome to share photos, memories, and condolence online by visiting www.PhillipsMemorial.com

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OBITUARIES

Ronald J. Burke, 83

Russell

RUSSELL – Ronald J. Burke, age 83, passed away on Sunday, June 18, 2023, at Canton-Potsdam Hospital, surrounded by his devoted family after a brief illness. Family and friends are welcome to call the Phillips Memorial Home, located at 20 Church Street in Madrid, NY, on Thursday, June 22, 2023, from 4:00 to 7:00 PM. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at St. John the Baptist Church in Madrid on Friday, June 23, 2023, at 11:00 AM, with Rev. Gary Giroux officiating. Burial with take place immediately following the services with full military honors in St. Mary's Cemetery, Canton, NY.

Ronald was born in Potsdam on March 1, 1940, to the late Harold and Myrtle (Rushman) Burke attending schools in Canton and graduating in 1958. He enlisted in the U.S. Army as a Personnel Specialist. After leaving the service, Ronald worked for Agway as a manager for over ten years. In 1972, Ronald and Barbara bought and operated a family farm in Madrid until 1987. In addition to operating the farm, Ronald worked for Madrid-Waddington Central School District as a bus driver for 23 years. In retirement, Ronald enjoyed being in the woods and watching the wildlife from his home in Russell.

Ronald is survived by his loving

wife of over 60 years, Barbara (Callahan) Burke; and his four loving children, Brian and Brenda Burke



Ronald Burke

of Madrid, NY; Tom and Tammy Burke of Madrid, NY; Kathy and Craig Scibetta of Hillsborough, NC; and Kevin and Danielle Burke of Russell, NY. Six grandchildren also survive Ronald, Chris, Cara, Justin, Collin, Josh, and Jason, along with 8 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Four brothers and sisters also survive him; Richard Burke and Judy Wilson, both of Canton, NY; Maureen Slate of Copenhagen, NY and John Burke of Norfolk, NY. In addition to his parents, Ronald was predeceased by a sister, Nancy Buffham of Madrid, NY.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Ronald's name to Madrid Rescue Squad, PO Box 129, Madrid, NY 13660 or the American Cancer Society; 132 W 32nd St, New York, NY 10001.

Family and friends are encouraged to share memories, photos, and condolences online by visiting www.PhillipsMemorial.com

Joseph M. Spadaccini, 62

Canton

CANTON – Joseph M. Spadaccini, 62, of Canton, formerly of DeKalb Junction, died on June 20, 2023, at his home, Allen-Denesha Funeral Home, DeKalb Junction, entrusted with arrangements.

There will be calling hours Saturday, June 24, 2023, 9 – 11 am, followed by a graveside service at 11:15 am at the Union Cemetery, DeKalb Junction, Pastor Martha Helmer officiating.

Joseph is survived by his sons, Shawn Spadaccini and his fiancé, Emily Pinckney of South Colton; Anthony Spadaccini and his long-time companion, Brienne Gleason of Fort Edward, NY; his brother, Tomme and his wife Michelle Spadaccini of CT, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was born on August 10, 1960, in Hermon, NY, the son of the late James and Sylvia Bush Spadaccini.

He graduated from the Hermon DeKalb Central School in 1978 and continued his education at SUNY Potsdam, receiving his Bachelor's Degree in mathematics in 1982.

A marriage to Jodie Sanderson ended in divorce.

Joe was a corrections officer at the Gouverneur Correctional Facility until his retirement in 2019, with 32 years on the job.

Joseph was a member of the Moose Lodge 2397 in Potsdam and an associate member at the Canton VFW Post 1231.

He loved spending time with his family and friends, was a fan of music (all genres), appreciated wonderful singing voices, and was a NY Giants fan.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the St. Lawrence County Cancer Fund, P.O. Box 291, Canton, New York 13617.

Online condolences can be at www.allendeneshafuneralhome.com.



Joseph Spadaccini

RECENT DEATHS

JOHN TIERNAN, 65, Canton. June 17. Arrangements with O'Leary Funeral Service.
BARBARA AUDYCKI, 88, Gouverneur. June 17. Arrangements with Green Funeral Home.
VIOLET HAMILTON, 93, Trout Lake. June 17. Arrangements with Green Funeral Home.
JOSEPH SPADACCINI, 62, Canton. June 20. Arrangements with Allen-Denesha Funeral Home.
JENNY REDDICK, 77, Gouverneur. June 12. Arrangements with French Funeral Home.
JEANNE LEGACY, 84, formerly of Gouverneur. June 22. Arrangements with French Funeral Home.
TIMOTHY YOUNGS, 74, Canton.

June 21. Arrangements with Fox & Murray Funeral Home.

DIANNE MAYO, 76, Potsdam. June 22. Arrangements with Donaldson-Seymour Funeral Home.

DAVID GILSON, 77, formerly of Potsdam. June 22. Arrangements with Lawrence Funeral Home & Cremation Services.

KATHERINE WAGNER, SR., 100, Edwards. June 23. Arrangements with French Funeral Home.

BEULAH WALRATH, 88, Oxbow. June 24. Arrangements with Green Funeral Home.

WAYNE COX, 52, Sanfordville. June 22. Arrangements with Donaldson-Seymour Funeral Home.

Jack Lawrence Francisco, 76

Potsdam

earth, concrete, stone, plants, and flowing water.

In the early 1990s Jackson



Jack Francisco

ultimately landed on the east coast where he met Deborah, Neil's second cousin.

Deborah and Jackson lived in New York City before moving together to the North Country in 2000 when Deborah was hired as a voice teacher at The Crane School of Music.

One day while canoing on the Raquette River, Jackson's boat capsized, and he swam to shore to dry off.

He found himself in a sun-dappled clearing that he instantly loved.

Coincidentally, the land was put up for sale that same month, and Deborah and Jackson bought it with a plan to build a home.

They were married on Veteran's Day, November 11, 2011, in the still unfinished house.

Jackson worked as a volunteer for the Potsdam Food Co-op for many years, and donated his backhoe services, materials, and creative vision to all his friends throughout the community, trying to make lives better and places more beautiful wherever he saw an opportunity.

Following a catastrophic stroke in 2017 which paralyzed his left side, he was suddenly wheelchair-bound.

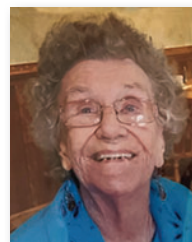
Over the next several years, Jackson and Deborah sought treatment and therapy across the northeast, landing in 2019 at St. Joseph's Home in Ogdensburg, N.Y.

But the effects of the stroke and related complications eventually proved too severe, and he died on June 5, 2023.

Ketty Nielsen, 91

Massena

raised her family as her husband worked as the building's Superintendent.



Ketty Nielson

North Country to be close to her daughter.

Ketty loved to knit and share her baked goods with friends and family.

She will be missed by those who knew her well.

Ketty is survived by her loving children; Lily (Arnie) Epstein of Washington, NJ, Conny (Wayne) Baldwin of Winthrop, NY her grandchildren; Nancy Baldwin-

Jackson was a rebel and an innovator, who with sheer gumption and imagination forged an uncommon life, dedicating himself to the service of others.

His masonry and concrete work can be seen throughout the Potsdam area, and he fell in love with the red sandstone so prevalent in this community.

He cultivated a landscape of imaginative play in Peru, VT. where his nieces gathered each summer as children, building an outdoor theater from split trees, and concrete sculptures that sheltered fairy houses and treasure hunt clues.

Always in his signature straw hat or wool beret, he crafted gardens, stone walls, porches, and even entire houses for friends, family, and people he had just met.

He was a fearless dumpster diver, known to stop at every yard sale across northern New York and Vermont.

He repurposed well-made pieces few others appreciated, and it was usual to see his car and trailer parading down the street piled high with scavenged treasures.

He worked hard on his marriage and his relationships with his adult children, and he remembered the name of everyone he met.

He made a point of showing his gratitude and appreciation for all the support and loving care he received throughout his life.

In his last days, he said simply, "I did what I could do as well as I could do it."

A memorial for Jackson will be held in August for family and friends.

Written condolences can be shared at www.garnerfh.com.

Contributions in Jackson's memory can be made to the Potsdam Community Dog Park, which Jackson and Deborah spearheaded to benefit the dogs of the Potsdam Humane Society and the entire North Country community.

Donations to the park can be sent c/o Deborah Massell, P.O. Box 734, Potsdam, NY, 13676 or at www.potsdamdogpark.org.

Davey (Joe), Tim Baldwin of Massena, NY, Kelly (Christine) Baldwin of Waddington, NY, Niel (Michelle) Epstein of Chester Springs, PA, Cheryl (Brandon) Campanaro of Pottsgrove, PA along with her great-grandchildren; Brian, Brody, Brittany, Timmy, Mea, Conrad, Quinn, Tarynn, Trevor, Beckett, Anna, Hayden and Desmond.

Ketty is also survived by her sister, Betty Møller and brother, Tony Christensen and many nieces and nephews in Denmark.

In addition to her parents, Ketty was predeceased by her husband, Emil, sisters Nancy, Mary and Elly and brother Willy.

Memorial contributions may be shared with the American Cancer Society; 1 Penny Lane, Latham, New York, 12110.

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Union at SLU remains dissatisfied with wage offer

BY PAUL MITCHELL
North Country This Week

CANTON – The union representing employees at St. Lawrence University remains dissatisfied with the University’s stance on increased wages. Officials at SLU say the contract is fair.

On Thursday, June 8, union officers of the St. Lawrence University unit of SEIU Local 200 United and their staff representative met with the University’s management team to receive the University’s official reply to Local 200 United’s recent wage improvement proposal.

The wage proposal referenced was brought to the University in March and called for an across the board wage increase of \$2.00/hour to mitigate the effects of historic inflation, improve the University’s poor retention rates, and boost increasingly low morale, an email from Brian D. Teucke, union representative Central New York stated.

“The union members and staff of SEIU Local 200 United have reminded the University’s management team that because of their refusal to offer even one penny of economic relief to union members, and because they chose to offer a paid holiday to only one half of the unit, the problems of low staffing, low morale, worker burnout, and high turnover will only continue to worsen as time goes on, the email continues.

The union says that since March St. Lawrence University has broadcast how important and valuable their employees are, but have not taken any steps to match the message with “substantive action.”

“It is the union’s position that if the University truly cared about the workers they claim to have such admiration for, they would not allow any form of economic injustice to occur at their institution. While some upper level administrators are becoming wealthy off of their salaries at St. Lawrence, the hourly workers of the SEIU Local 200United bargaining unit are living paycheck to paycheck and struggling to get by. This is an economic injustice and one that the University created.”

University response

St. Lawrence University contends that the contract, which was approved by the union, is fair.

“St. Lawrence University values all of our employees, including the members of the SEIU Local 200. Just last year, the University agreed to a contract with SEIU Local 200 that runs until June 30, 2025 and is honoring the terms of that agreement, which was approved by more than 73 percent of union voters,” stated Kim Asch, director of strategic communications and marketing at the University.

“Through our agreement, the University provides a generous compensation package for SEIU staff including new “longevity” payments which were expressly requested by SEIU in the last round of bargaining. The negotiated pay increases in each year of the agreement, in addition to step increases, provide a competitive total compensation package, and

our research also shows that the University’s compensation package including health and dental benefits is consistent with the market.”

She also pointed out that as part of the contract, general increases for all members included 1.5% on January 1, 2022, 2% on July 1 of 2022, 2023, and 2024. In addition, a step increase of \$1.50/hour was given on July 1, 2022 to those who had not reached the maximum of their grade. Step increases of \$0.50/hour will be given on January 1 and July 1 of 2024, and January 1, 2025 to those who have not reached the maximum of their grade. Two step increases in a single year equate to an annual increase of more than 4% depending on the employee’s grade and where they fall within that grade.

“The University looks forward to a continued productive relationship with members of the SEIU Local 200,” said Asch.

Rally held
Teucke said union members shared with management how the low wages earned by union members create severe economic hardships for 200

United members and their families.

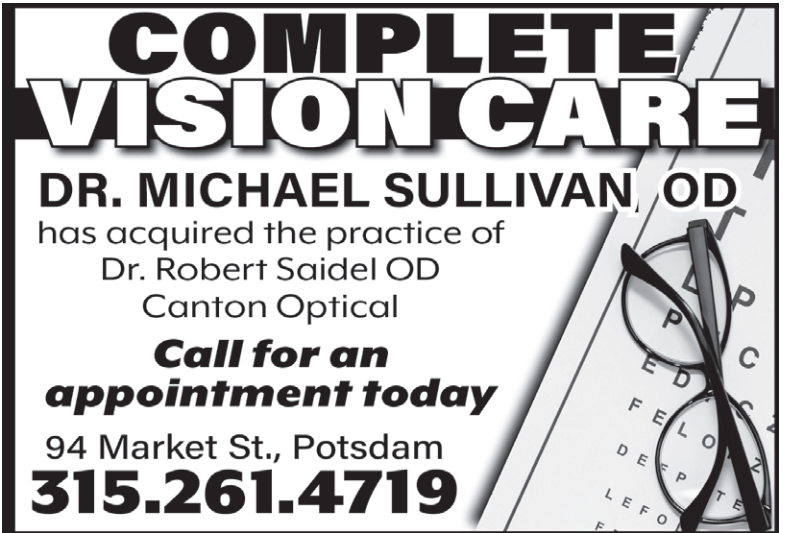
As a result, a community petition which supported the wage boost received over 360 signatures and an April rally in Canton Village Park drew more than 150 union members, community supporters, and student supporters who attended to express their solidarity with Local 200United.

“At this rally, bargaining unit members described how they are struggling living paycheck to paycheck and simple expenditures they used to be able to afford are now unaffordable. Despite the union’s reporting and their community support, and despite the management team lauding the first-rate quality of work put forth by 200 United union members, the University decided at the meeting to completely reject the union’s wage proposal,” wrote Teucke.

“The union will continue to push for economic relief and continue to press the University to answer key questions on their actual economic situation until the economic injustice thrust upon 200 United bargaining is rectified.”



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St. Lawrence County unemployment rate stands at 3.6%

The unemployment rate in St. Lawrence County currently stands at 3.6%, without seasonal adjustment, 0.3 percent lower than the New York state seasonally adjusted rate.

According to a state Department of Labor report issued this week, the county's unemployment rate increased 0.1 percent when comparing May 2023 to May 2022. The state unemployment rate is

3.9 percent. In neighboring counties, the unemployment in Jefferson County is 3.4 percent, up 0.1 percent from 3.3 percent in May 2022. Franklin County's unemploy-

ment rate is 3.2 percent, a rise of 0.1 percent from 3.1 percent in May 2022. Rates are calculated using methods prescribed by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The State's area unemployment rates rely in part on the results of the Current Population Survey, which contacts approximately 3,100 households in New York State each month.

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Notice is hereby given that the Final Assessment Roll for the Town of Oswegatchie, in the County of St. Lawrence for the year 2023 has been completed by the Oswegatchie Town Assessor, and a certified copy will be filed in the office of the Town Clerk. The certified copy will be available for public inspection during regular business hours at 51 State Street, Heuvelton, NY 13654 on the first day of July, 2023. The final assessment roll is also available for viewing on the Town of Oswegatchie website - www.townofoswegatchie.org or the St. Lawrence County website - www.stlawco.org. - per requirement of RPTL section 1590(2). Mark Schnorr, Assessor Town of Oswegatchie

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Notice of Formation of Allen Falls Water LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-03-17. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to LLC: 57 Allen Falls Rd Potsdam NY 13676. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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Notice of Formation of K&C Archer Enterprises, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-05-22. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to the LLC: 4435 CR 17 Rensselaer Falls NY 13680. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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Notice of Formation of Frawley Cleaning Services LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-05-31. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Republic Registered Agent Services Inc.: 54 State Street Suite 804 Albany NY 12207. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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Notice of Formation of Lawrence of South Colton, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2022-06-29. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Ted Lawrence: 24 Spears Street Canton NY 13617. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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(Pursuant to Section 1526 of the Real Property Tax Law Revised by L 1970 ch957) Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll for the Town of Louisville in the County of St. Lawrence for the year 2023 has been finally completed by the undersigned Assessors, and a certified copy thereof filed in the office of the Town Clerk on the 1st day of July, 2023 where the same will remain open to the public for inspection until October 1, 2023.
June 28, 2023
Robert Ball
Sole Assessor

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Notice of Formation of Pierce Legacy LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/15/2023. Office location: St. Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to: Evelyn R. Utter, 767 Jonesville Road, Richville, NY 13681. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
E & T Manufacturing Consultants, LLC was formed on April 27, 2023. The principal offices are located in St. Lawrence County and the Secretary of State has been designated as the agent upon whom process may be served. The Post Office address which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process is 238 River Drive, Massena, NY 13662. E & T Manufacturing Consultants, LLC is engaged in any lawful business activity.

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Vernon Brand, Assessor

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Notice of Formation of Regina Caeli CB, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-06-07. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Ethan G. Cragg: 35 South Main Street Norwood NY 13668. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

MASSENA NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Proposed Local Law Amendment to Village Code Re: Chap. 240 (Solid Waste)
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Massena, New York, will conduct a public hearing on the 18th day of July, 2023, at 5:30 p.m. in the Town Hall Building, 60 Main Street, Massena, New York, to consider adopting proposed Local Law No. 6-2023 to amend the Code of the Village of Massena, New York, by revising **CHAPTER 240 - SOLID WASTE \$3 (RESTRICTIONS)** to require **all grass cutting and leaves to be placed in paper bags**, removing "closed, clear bags." At such time and place all persons interested in the subject matter thereof will be heard concerning the same.
Copies of the proposed local law in its entirety are available in the Office of the Village Clerk located in the Town Hall Building - Room 12, 60 Main Street, Massena, New York, during regular business hours, for the purpose of inspection or procurement by interested parties. BY ORDER OF THE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES DATED: JUNE 21, 2023
Monique N. Chatland, Village Administrator /Clerk

The Campers Community and Landholding Association of Joe Indian Lake will hold its Annual Meeting Sunday, July 2, 2023, 1 pm, at the fire house.

POTSDAM LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of Hearing on Petition for Annexation
Notice Is Hereby Given, that a petition, pursuant to General Municipal Law Article 17, has been received by the Town Board of the Town of Potsdam, County of St. Lawrence, State of New York (the "Town") and the Board of Trustees, Village of Potsdam, County of St. Lawrence, State of New York (the "Village"), for the annexation of the following described territory situated in the Town to the Village of Potsdam.
Petitioner Ronald Page
215, 219 State Highway 11 B, in the Town of Potsdam, St. Lawrence County, New York bearing Tax Map # 65.053-2-6.
All that tract or parcel of land located northerly of New York State Route 11Bin the Town of Potsdam, County of St. Lawrence, State of New York, and described as follows:
BEGINNING at point in the center line of New York State Route 11B, being approximately **347 feet** easterly from the intersection of New York State Route 11Band the center line of Hatch Road and continuing; thence **North 01 degrees 08 minutes 37 seconds East** a distance of **173.00 feet** to an iron rod set; this course passes through an iron rod set at a distance of **33.0 feet** from the center line of New York State Route 11B; thence **South 89 degrees55 minutes 50 seconds East** a distance of **228.00 feet** to an iron rod set; thence **South 01 degrees 08 minutes 22 seconds West** a distance of **173.76 feet** to a point in the center line of New York State Route 11B; this course passes through an iron rod set at a distance of **36.0 feet** from said center line; thence **North 89 degrees 44 minutes21 seconds West** along said center line a distance of **228.00 feet** to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**.
Containing **0.91 acres** of land, more or less, as surveyed by WCT Surveyors, P.C. in the month of May, 2023. Being the same premises as conveyed by Jai A. Lindsay to Ronald Page by deed dated March 1, 2023 and filed in the St. Lawrence County Clerk's Office as Instrument Number 2023-2984.
The above-mentioned bearings are based on New York State Grid North as determined by GPS observations. Subject to and together with any easements, exceptions, conditions, covenants and claims and rights of record.
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that on the **8th of August, 2023, at 6:30 PM**, a joint hearing upon such petition will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Potsdam and the Village of Potsdam Board of Trustees, at the **Potsdam Town Offices, 18 Elm Street, Potsdam, New York**. At such time and place all persons interested in the matter may be heard. Objections based on any of the grounds set forth in General Municipal Law § 705(1)(a), (b), (c) or (d) shall, in addition to oral testimony thereon, be submitted in writing.
Dated: June 23, 2023
By Order of the Town Board
Potsdam, NY
Cindy Goliber
Town Clerk

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
(1) Name: Mini Implant Denture Center LLC (the "LLC"). (2) Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the Secretary of State NY ("SSNY") on May 30, 2023 (3) Its office location is to be in Saint Lawrence County, State of New York. (4) The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is: 167 East Hatfield Street, Massena, NY 13662 (5) Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Notice of Formation of The Rolling Cones & Bakery LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/08/2023. Office location: St. Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to: Julie Bullock, 2980 CR 24, Russell, NY 13684. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Notice of Formation of Stone Valley Transportation LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-04-24. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Stone Valley Transportation LLC: P.O Box 170 Colton NY 13625. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Notice of Formation of Miller's Lawn Care. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-02-09. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Michael Miller: 316 Main Street Morristown NY 13664. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Formation of WHATSAMATTERDILLON LLC filed with the Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) 6/1/2023. Office loc.: St. Lawrence County. The principal business address is 98 Dillon Point Rd., Hammond, NY 13646. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The address SSNY shall mail process to Michael Smith, 1335 N. Howard St., Philadelphia, PA 19122. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

Potsdam police add two new officers to roster

BY ADAM ATKINSON
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — The village police department has two new members on its roster.

The village board of trustees approved two new hires after meeting in executive session at its regular monthly meeting June 20.

The board approved the probationary appointment of Robert

Beaudin to the position of police officer trainee. He will start July 20, at the annual salary of \$46,195.

The board also approved a probationary appointment for Ty Reed to the position of police offi-

cer recruit effective July 31 at the annual salary of \$44,863.

Both men will have to successfully complete a background investigation. Probationary periods are not to exceed 18 months.

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**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Town of Massena will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday July 19, 2023 at 4:30 PM in the Massena Town Hall, 60 Main Street, Massena, New York. The purpose for the Public Hearing is for the South Raquette Water District Project.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Town of Massena will hold a Public Hearing on July 19, 2023 @ 4:30 PM in the Massena Town Hall, 60 Main Street, Massena, NY for the purpose of considering a Local Law to place a Moratorium on Billboards in the Town of Massena, until regulations can be put in place.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Town of Massena will hold a Public Hearing on July 19, 2023 at 4:30 PM in the Massena Town Hall Room 30, 60 Main Street, Massena NY, for the Purpose of considering a Local Law extending the moratorium on Cryptocurrency mining operations in the Town of Massena. A copy of the draft Local Law is available for public inspection at the office of the Massena Town Clerk.



**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**

BOARD OF COOPERATIVE EDUCATIONAL SERVICES
SOLE SUPERVISORY DISTRICT
ST. LAWRENCE/LEWIS COUNTIES
PO BOX 231, 40 WEST MAIN STREET
CANTON, NY 13617

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids are sought and requested by the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, St. Lawrence/Lewis Counties for the following:

Fuel Oil No.2
B5 Biodiesel

Bid forms and instructions to bidders may be obtained by contacting:

Darlene A Bessette
St. Lawrence/Lewis BOCES
Cooperative Purchasing
40 W Main Street
PO Box 231
Canton, NY 13617
315-386-4504

Bids will be received until Wednesday, July 12, 2023 @ 10:00 AM at the St. Lawrence/Lewis BOCES Business Office, in Canton, New York, at the below address, at which time they will be publicly opened, read, and recorded.

Any bid received after designated time will not be considered and be returned to the bidder unopened.

The bidder assumes the risk of any delay in the mail or in the handling of mail by employees of the Board. Whether sent by mail or by means of personal delivery, the bidder assumes the responsibility for having his bid in on time at the Office of the Executive Officer, Board of Cooperative Educational Services.

Bids opened and read shall remain irrevocable for a period of sixty days. The award of contracts, if at all, shall be made as soon as practicable after the bid opening.

Maureen Bouchey
District Clerk
Board of Cooperative Educational Services
Sole Supervisory District
St. Lawrence/Lewis County
PO Box 231, 40 West Main Street
Canton, NY 13617

**CANTON
PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FILING
FINAL ASSESSMENT
ROLL**

Notice is hereby given that the Final Assessment Roll for the Town of Canton, St. Lawrence County, New York for the year 2023 has been finally completed and verified by the undersigned assessor, and a certified copy thereof filed in the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Canton on the 1st day of July, 2023 to remain on file for public inspection. The final assessment roll is also available for viewing on the assessing unit's website - www.cantonny.gov or the St. Lawrence County website - www.stlawco.org - per requirement of RPTL Section 1590. Dated: June 23rd, 2023
Cindy Brand
Assessor

**LOUISVILLE
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**

Legal Notice
Public Notice
Please take notice that the Town of Louisville Highway Department will be accepting bids for 4500 yards of sand. This sand must be within 25 miles of the Highway Department which is located at 14810 SH 37. The bid should breakdown sand cost and delivery charges. Delivery is not mandatory for a bid to be placed. Bids must be received at the Thomas J Carroll Municipal Building located at 14810 SH 37 in the Town of Louisville up until 3:00pm July 12, 2023. The bids will be opened at the regular July Louisville Town Board meeting. 6/22/2023
Joanne Cameron
Town Clerk

**NORFOLK
PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FILING FINAL ASSESSMENT ROLL NOTICE is hereby given that the Final Assessment Roll for the Town of Norfolk, St. Lawrence County, New York, for the year 2023 has been finally completed and verified by the undersigned assessor and a certified copy thereof filed in the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Norfolk on the 1st day of July, 2023 to remain on file for public inspection. The final assessment roll is also available for viewing on the assessing unit's website - norfolkny.com or the St. Lawrence County website - www.stlawco.org - per requirement of RPTL section 1590. Dated: July 1st, 2023. Lena Kanitz - Assessor

**COLTON
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Colton-Pierrepoint Central School District invites the submission of Sealed Bid Proposals to furnish materials and labor to complete the

2023 Capital Outlay Project
Exterior Window Replacement
Project No. 2023-003

all in accordance with the plans and specifications. This work is to be bid under a SINGLE CONTRACT system covering the work of all trades as follows:

Contract No. 1 – General Construction

Sealed Bid Proposals will be received until 11:00 a.m. prevailing time, on Thursday, July 6, 2023, at the

Colton-Pierrepoint Central School District
4921 State Highway 56
Colton, NY, 13625

Any bid may be withdrawn without prejudice prior to the official bid submission time or any publicized postponement thereof. Please visit thebcgroup.com/bidding for the project information and select the project and complete the Bid Set Request Form to order a printed or digital copy or both, of the bidding documents. Printed copies of the documents for each prospective bidder may be obtained from the office of BCA Architects & Engineers upon payment of \$100.00 for printed sets. A payment of \$100.00 will be required for each printed additional set requested (if available). Bidders wishing documents mailed to them shall include, in addition to the document deposit, a non-refundable check of \$15.00 per set for handling and postage or a UPS/FedEx account number.. PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF BCA Architects & Engineers AND PRINTED MUST BE RETURNED IN GOOD CONDITION WITHIN THIRTY (30) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER AWARD OF CONTRACT OR REJECTION OF BIDS. The plan deposit for one set of Plans and Specifications will be refunded to bona fide bidders returning Plans and Specifications to BCA Architects & Engineers within 30 business days after award of Contract or rejection of bids. A partial refund of the plan deposit, in an amount equal to the full amount of such deposit, less the actual cost of reproduction of the Plans and Specifications shall be made to non-bidders and unsuccessful bidders for the return of all other copies of the Plans and Specifications in good condition within 30 business days following the award of the Contract or the rejection of the bids. Plan Deposit Policy, Plan Holders List, Pre-Bid Estimates, and a list of Addendums, if any, may be found at www.thebcgroup.com/bidding. No Contractor will be allowed to visit the site without an appointment made through the Owner. Should a Contractor wish to access the site, they may contact Mr. Dale Munn, Business Official, by telephone either at 315-262-2100 or 315-286-4317. Bids shall be prepared as set forth in the Information to Bidders, enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing on its face the name, address and phone number of the bidder and the title of the project. Each bidder agrees to waive any claim it has or may have against the Owner, the Architect/Engineer, and the respective employees, arising out of or in connection with the administration, evaluation or recommendation of any bid. The Owner further reserves its right to disqualify bidders for any material failure to comply with the Information for Bidders and General Conditions.

Colton-Pierrepoint CSD Bid Addendum No.1
2023 Capital Outlay Project Notice to Bidders
Project No. 2023-003 Page No. 2
The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities or defects in such bid either before or after opening. Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the "INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS"; Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and to the minimum wage rates to be paid under the Contract. No bidder may withdraw his bid within 45 business days after the date of the opening of bids.
ATTENTION OUT-OF-STATE BIDDERS
Please pay particular attention to the Form of Proposal and its related forms in the project manual. Out-of-State Bidders are required to complete the "Statement Concerning Authority to do Business in the State of New York for non-New York State Companies" located in the Form of Proposal package. There are three sections that must be completed. You must also have the Non-Collusion Certificate completed and signed and if you are a corporation, you must have the Resolution completed and signed. No bid will be considered when opened unless accompanied by a certified copy of your Authority to do Business in New York State. This is not to be confused with a sales tax certificate. The Authority can be obtained by contacting:

New York State Department of State
Division of Corporations
162 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12231
(518) 473-2492

If the Certificate does not accompany the bid, the bid is not valid. In the event you are of the opinion that you are not required to obtain the Authority To Do Business in New York state, and you are not a New York State Corporation, then you should complete the Statement Concerning Authority to do Business. You must complete two out of three sections. The top portion must be completed by all vendors needing to complete this document and then either the Individual Acknowledgement or the Corporate Acknowledgement, depending on the status of your business.

By Order Of: Dale Munn

Date: June 23, 2023

**NOTICE OF
FORMATION OF A
LIMITED LIABILITY
COMPANY**

Notice of Formation of Maple Lake Services LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-05-24. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Steven Kinney: 47 county route 43 Massena NY 13662. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
PUBLIC NOTICE**

HERMON-DEKALB CENTRAL SCHOOL is accepting applications for 7-12 Special Education Teacher and Elementary Teacher. Applications are available at <http://www.hdcsk12.org> or at HDCS. Please send Letter of Interest, Application, Resume, Letters of Recommendation and Official Transcripts to Mark White, Superintendent, Hermon-DeKalb Central School District, 709 East DeKalb Road, DeKalb Junction, NY 13630. The Hermon-DeKalb Central School District offers employment and educational opportunities without regard to sex, race, color, national origin, or handicap. Application deadline is at noon on July 7, 2023.

**NOTICE OF
FORMATION OF A
LIMITED LIABILITY
COMPANY**

Notice of Formation of Mockingbird Hill Retreat, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-05-18. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Michelle A. Fuller: 74 Chub Lake Road Gouverneur NY 13642. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing (the "Public Hearing") pursuant to Section 859-a(2) of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York (the "Act") will be held by the St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") on the 11th day of July, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., local time, in-person at the Town of Russell, Town Hall, 4 Pestle Street (Meeting Room), Russell, New York and via Zoom meeting. Instructions on how to join the Zoom meeting or how to attend in-person are posted on the Agency's website at www.slcida.com. Members of the public may attend by viewing and commenting on the Project and the benefits to be granted to the Company (as defined below) by the Agency during the Public Hearing by logging into the Zoom meeting:

Topic: 2023-0711_Public Hearing – Solitude Solar Russell County Rd 21 Microgrid, LLC
Time: July 11, 2023 10:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89051785460?pwd=V1ZVMnlpTmM0VDBZaF15RFdMQ0MzUT09>
Meeting ID: 890 5178 5460
Passcode: 805779
One tap mobile
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+19292056099,,89051785460#,,,,*805779# US (New York)

Dial by your location
+1 646 931 3860 US
+1 929 205 6099 US (New York)

SOLITUDE SOLAR RUSSELL COUNTY RD 21 MICROGRID, LLC, a New York limited liability company (the "Company"), has requested the assistance of the St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") with a certain project (the "Project") consisting of (A) the acquisition of a sub-leasehold interest in an approximately 11.25 acre parcel of land, being a portion of a 97.1 acre parcel of land, located at 1040 County Road 21, Town of Russell, St. Lawrence County, New York 13684 (the "Land"); (B) the construction on the Land of an approximately 11.25 acre 2.2 MWac ground-mounted photovoltaic solar energy system including panels, racking, inverters, electrical cables, grid interconnection, site preparation, access roads and any other required improvements (the "Improvements"); and (C) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of related fixtures, machinery, equipment and other tangible personal property (collectively, the "Equipment" and, together with the Land and Improvements, the "Facility"), and (D) the sub-lease of the Issuer's interest in the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a project/leaseback agreement.

The Company will own a leasehold interest in the Facility from the current owner through a long-term lease. The Agency will acquire an interest in the Facility. The financial assistance contemplated by the Agency will consist generally of the exemption from taxation expected to be claimed by the Company as a result of the Agency taking an interest in, possession or control (by lease, license or otherwise) of the Facility, or of the Company acting as the agent of the Agency, consisting of (i) an exemption from state and local sales and use tax with respect to the construction and renovation of the Facility; and (ii) an exemption from general real property taxation with respect to the Facility, which exemption shall be offset, in whole or in part, by contractual payments in lieu of taxes (the "PILOT") by the Company for the benefit of the affected tax jurisdictions.

A representative of the Agency will be at the above stated place and time to hear all persons with views in favor of or opposed to either the location or nature of the Facility, or the proposed financial assistance being contemplated by the Agency. At the hearing, all persons will have the opportunity to review the application for financial assistance filed by the Company with the Agency and an analysis of the costs and benefits of the proposed Project. In addition, at, or prior to, such hearing, interested parties may submit to the Agency written materials pertaining to such matters. Such materials may be submitted to the Agency at 19 Commerce Lane, Suite 1, Canton, New York 13617, or at williams@slcida.com and must be received no later than 10:00 am on day prior to Public Hearing. Written statements provided to the Agency regarding the project will also become part of the record of public hearing. A transcript of the public hearing will be made available at a later date.

Please check the meeting information posted on the Agency website (www.slcida.com) to access instructions to join the meeting and to find copies of the application and the cost benefit analysis.

DATED: June 26, 2023

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

**POTSDAM
PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Annexation

Notice is hereby given, that a petition, pursuant to General Municipal Law Article 17, has been received by the Board of Trustees, Village of Potsdam, County of St. Lawrence, State of New York (the "Village"), and the Town Board of the Town of Potsdam, County of St. Lawrence, State of New York (the "Town") for the annexation of the following described territory situated in the Town to the Village of Potsdam.

Petitioner Ronald Page
215, 219 State Highway 11 B, in the Town of Potsdam, St. Lawrence County, New York bearing Tax Map # 65.053-2-6. All that tract or parcel of land located northerly of New York State Route 11B in the Town of Potsdam, County of St. Lawrence, State of New York, and described as follows:

BEGINNING at point in the center line of New York State Route 11B, being approximately **347 feet** easterly from the intersection of New York State Route 11B and the center line of Hatch Road and continuing; thence **North 01 degrees 08 minutes 37 seconds East** a distance of **173.00 feet** to an iron rod set; this course passes through an iron rod set at a distance of **33.0 feet** from the center line of New York State Route 11B; thence **South 89 degrees 55 minutes 50 seconds East** a distance of **228.00 feet** to an iron rod set; thence **South 01 degrees 08 minutes 22 seconds West** a distance of **173.76 feet** to a point in the center line of New York State Route 11B; this course passes through an iron rod set at a distance of **36.0 feet** from said center line; thence **North 89 degrees 44 minutes 21 seconds West** along said center line a distance of **228.00 feet** to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**.

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that on the 8th of August 2023, at 6:30 PM, a joint hearing upon such petition will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Potsdam and the Village of Potsdam Board of Trustees, at the Potsdam Town Offices, 18 Elm Street, Potsdam, New York. At such time and place all persons interested in the matter may be heard. Objections based on any of the grounds set forth in General Municipal Law § 705(1)(a), (b), (c) or (d) shall, in addition to oral testimony thereon, be submitted in writing.
Dated: June 27, 2023

By Order of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Potsdam
Potsdam, NY

Georgine Scott
Village Clerk

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States

NORTH COUNTRY THIS WEEK | JUNE 30 - JULY 6, 2023

It's time to re-think how and when we track homeless populations Nothing works well in January in the North Country

I've never been homeless, though I once did share a two-bedroom apartment with eight people, which may technically qualify.

Unfortunately, many people have been and continue to be in St. Lawrence County, which has long had an "invisible" homeless problem.

Editor's Notebook

Jimmy Lawton



In recent years though, the curtain has been pulled back.

Last year, we saw numerous reports of a growing homeless population in the Ogdensburg area.

The problem was exacerbated by the county's drug problem and led to human waste and needles becoming a common sight in the city's parks.

I recently spoke with officials in Ogdensburg who said that while

the homeless population has not been as visible this year as it was last year, it's still larger than it once was.

St. Lawrence County's massive geography combined with its low population makes providing services particularly expensive and difficult to administer.

There are many organizations that offer some services, but navigating the path to public assistance tends to be a deterrent to many who need help the most.

I don't have up-to-date numbers on the county's homeless population, but I feel confident in saying I doubt it's improved significantly since a story I wrote some time ago.

In a 2016 report, it was estimated that as many as 1,000 people were living homeless in St. Lawrence County.

A 2013 report noted that more than 223 families had sought help for shelter from the St. Lawrence County Department of Social Services.

According to the state Education Department, 533 children from

pre-K through grade 12 in St. Lawrence County's 17 school districts were counted as homeless at some point during 2014-15.

Most, 485, found shelter by "doubling up" with relatives or friends of their parents.

Five were sheltered for a time in a hotel or motel.

Thirty-eight were "sheltered" in a "primary nighttime residence" other than a hotel or motel, or a friend or relative's home.

Five were "unsheltered," staying in cars, parks, campgrounds, temporary trailers, or abandoned buildings.

Counting the number of homeless adults is more difficult and accurate numbers are hard to come by.

Speaking with people in the know on the issue, I'm not sure that isn't by design.

Each year the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development conducts a homelessness assessment.

The goal is to get a snapshot of the homeless population in a par-

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it's held in January.

That's a problem in places like North Country, where the homeless population becomes particularly invisible.

The bigger problem then becomes that these numbers are used to target funding and services. In other words, we were using bad numbers to make determinations on spending and targeting funds.

My estimation, though I'm no expert, is St. Lawrence County's being overlooked.

In recent years, local leaders have questioned if a homeless shelter is needed in St. Lawrence County. I don't know the answer, but I know it's a conversation that needs to continue.

In the meantime, I think it's time to reach out to those in power and seek a change on when the homeless survey is done, because nothing works well in the January where we live.

Jimmy Lawton is news editor of North Country This Week and NorthCountryNow.com

ticular moment of time and use that as a sort of census to determine the number of homeless on a single night in a given area.
The problem with the survey is

LETTERS

Route 11 study mostly a solution to a non-problem

The safety options study for Route 11 reported in last week's paper is mostly a solution to a non-existent problem. A link to an online survey was provided, which I completed. However, the survey lacked a key response option: "none of the above."

How many Clarkson residents, not to mention Potsdam village residents, are going to walk or bicycle from the campus or town to Walmart or the stores across the road? The distance from CU's west entrance to the traffic light at Walmart is almost two miles, plus another 0.2 miles to Walmart's front door. The distance from downtown Potsdam is three miles—one way. How many people will make a 6-mile round trip on foot or bicycle in 90-degree heat or -10 degree cold or in the rain or snow, carrying their purchases home?

I patronize Walmart only as a last resort, but I occasionally shop at Aldi across the road, and I go there by bicycle. I never see any other bikes there, nor have I seen any at Walmart. I don't recall seeing any bike racks at either location. And I rarely see pedestrians walking along Route 11 beyond CU's campus.

It's quite easy to bicycle from the Village to Walmart (and beyond), with the wide shoulders on Route 11.

There's also plenty of room for the few pedestrians who need or care to walk on the highway. Therefore, I fail to see a reason to spend money for such a minimal benefit.

When NYSDOT repaved Outer Maple Street they wisely restriped the road from four lanes to three,

thus providing 8-foot shoulders on both sides. This greatly increased safety and comfort for cyclists.

I do not object to building a sidewalk on one side of Route 11 outside the Village, but who will maintain it, and how many people will use it? The most ambitious option proposed would create a physical barrier on the south side of Route 11 to separate pedestrians and cyclists from motor vehicles. Where, then, would snow plowed on that side be placed? How would a barrier affect the road's drainage? How would emergency vehicles reach people injured on a walled-off path? How would people using the pathway access destinations on the other side of the road?

It appears to me that the Clarkson group designing this project has very little understanding about how bicycling is or should be done. Are any of them experienced cyclists? My impression is that they looked in various sources and picked a design they thought would work, not fully understanding what they selected. Crash data show that hits from behind, which many novice cyclists have been conditioned to fear, are a very small percentage of all car-bike collisions.

In my life-long cycling experience, when non-cyclists design bicycle facilities they usually get it wrong, and that may be the case here. Two possibly useful ideas the group considered but did not explain further are a relocation of Morley-Potsdam Road to the Walmart traffic signal, and a roundabout at Maple Street and Clarkson Avenue.

As always, the devil is in the details.

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WITH SUMMER OFFICIALLY underway this week, what part of summer are you looking forward to the most this year in St. Lawrence County?

HERE ARE COMMENTS from some survey participants:

'Hiking.'

'Getting property maintenance projects completed.'

'Summer concerts, visiting family, and reading many books!'

'Traveling, beaches!'

'We are in our late 80's, so mostly enjoying the warm weather!'

'Sitting in my Adirondack chair at my camp on the river! Cold beverage in hand.'

'Black flies and mosquitos.'

'This is a beautiful area for three seasons of the year.'

'Longer days.'

'Love my vegetables, know they are non GMO and organic.'

'Watching birds.'

'I'm not looking forward to my kids being home all summer I will tell you that. Brats.'

TO READ MORE COMMENTS, visit NorthCountryNow.com/ncnow-survey.

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THIS WEEK'S QUESTION: How often do you visit a farmers' market?

For complete survey results, go to NorthCountryNow.com

LETTERS

Potsdam man wants safer streets

Change is good, sometimes. Most support upgrades to the school facilities or a new hospital building. However, public actions like selling a street or erasing protective zoning ordinances for a new gas station and beer cave may also bring unintended consequences such as the severe erosion of safety for children, wildlife and pets in our Grove Street neighborhood in the Village of Potsdam.

The traffic on Grove Street between LeRoy and Market is often insane, with some drivers speeding and others failing to yield to our neighbors whether they are walking or driving.

Whether racing to drop off or pick up their kids at school, making the shift change at the hospital, trying to make the traffic light, hot-rodding or part of the ongoing construction work at the hospital and school, it is important to remember that speed kills as does distracted driving and nobody wants that in their neighborhood.

We need to put a stop to it! -- perhaps a 4-way stop, speed bumps, a permanent radar-equipped speed sign, an uptick in law enforcement, or just think if you are one of the "guest" drivers cruising through our neighborhood, what would you want for your children, pets, and neighbors?

Please stay alert and drive appropriately... before unintended

consequences from change plagues us all with tragedy.

Larry Zuckerman
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Great Guild Garden Tour

The Canton-Potsdam Hospital Guild Garden Tour, held June 17, featured Potsdam community gardens, including gardens from the New York State Smart Communities Certification program and private gardens that showcased a combination of beauty, creativity, and innovation.

The Garden Tour Committee wishes to thank those who opened their gardens to visitors: Winifred Thompson, Don and Sue Mesibov, Mark and Carol Cornett, Sue Powers and Will Siegfried, Christine and John Lancaster, Deb and Andy

Rawdon, Jan DeWaters and Stefan Grimberg, Ray Bowdish of SUNY Potsdam, Allyssa and Connor Hardiman of St. Lawrence Nurseries, and Will Trithart and Rose Rivezzi of Big Spoon Kitchen.

We would also like to thank our business partners, Potsdam Agway, and the participants who braved the weather.

The Garden Tour provided an opportunity to raise funds for our local hospital and provide community service to area residents.

Thank you for your continued support,

Laurie Cappello, Sue Dougherty and Kathleen Williams, Hospital Guild Garden Tour Committee

Obligation to protect vulnerable children

How far will pastors go to avoid reporting child sexual abuse? This is the question raised by Wednesday's article, "St. Lawrence County legislature discusses state legislation to make clergy mandated reporters."

Is Rick Sinclair of Christian Fellowship Center so threatened by the CARE Act that he must resort to using his son-in-law, Ben Hull, to cast doubt in the St Lawrence County Board of Legislators?

My CFCtoo colleagues and I have been to Albany multiple times to advocate for this bill. We

'Faith leaders have a moral and biblical obligation to protect vulnerable children.'

Abby Nye
Formerly of Potsdam

of sexual abuse, he was given only 6 years of probation. Because Ferguson and his wife refused to let their daughters testify and because of the 6-year delay in reporting the abuse, Ferguson's homeschooled victims are constantly exposed to their predatory father.

This is not about a hypothetical case in which a child molester wants to make a deathbed confession; this is about real victims in our community who were betrayed by the people who should have protected them—their pastors.

Faith leaders have a moral and biblical obligation to protect vulnerable children.

Clergy should not need a law to protect children from predators, but unfortunately, there are too many cases in which clergy do not report child sexual abuse. The CARE Act is a necessary step toward addressing the moral failure of pastors who declare that there is no biblical mandate to report a crime.

The CARE Act will pass. And when it does, I plan to stand behind Governor Hochul when she signs it into law.

Abby Nye
formerly of Potsdam

Norwood Lake

Association says thanks

The Norwood Lake Association would like to thank the following:

Elaine Saarinen and the Norwood American Legion for hosting our Father's Day Breakfast. The facilities and Elaine's assistance were top notch making our benefit breakfast (Norwood museum) a big success.

The Norwood Lake Association would also like to thank Mark Luciano and Brookfield Renewable Energy for their monetary gift and support of the new dock at the Norwood Boat launch. The new dock is a huge improvement (thanks Merriman's for your expertise and assistance with the dock also).

Organizations and companies like these make our mission easier for the Norwood Community.

Steve Bartlett
Norwood

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Potsdam Humane Society's Pets and Veterans \$20,000 raised in golf fundraiser

Potsdam Humane Society's 13th annual "Pets and Vets" Golf tournament was the most successful yet because of the great support of 88 golfers and over 40 local North Country sponsors.

The tournament, held at Canton's Partridge Run on June 3, raised \$20,000 for the Pets and Vets Program.

A huge thank you goes out to the sponsors and golfers, many of whom support this cause each year.

Remarkably, Canton's VFW Pts 1231 has participated each year of the 13-year history of the tournament.

Thanks also goes to Kevin Maginn, golf pro at Partridge Run, for an exceptional job of managing the tournament.

The PHS Pets and Vets Program is funded for another year. The Program gives a pet free of charge to veterans, active or retired, as a thank you for their selfless service to us all.

Animals from the Potsdam Shelter provide some wonderful therapy just by being a loyal buddy. PHS gives food, shelter, medical care and a lot of love to nearly 1,000 unwanted animals annually and finds them forever homes.

Potsdam Humane Society wants to thank everyone -- golfers and sponsors, volunteers and staff, adopters and our community -- for making this event a huge success once again in 2023.

The shelter at 17 Madrid Ave. is funded largely by private donations. More than half of the funds used to operate the facility comes



Potsdam Humane Society | Provided

Above, Team Amvets 282 gets ready to begin play at the 13th annual Potsdam Humane Society Golf Tournament. PHS thanks Amvets 282 in Potsdam for supporting the tournament each year. At right, "Crosby" was adopted in April by veteran Paul Thomason under the Pets and Vets Program. Crosby is living the life in his forever home. Potsdam Humane Society's recent golf tournament has refilled the funds to continue the program of giving pets free to veterans, active and retired.

from caring individuals who share their hard-earned cash with the animals. PHS thanks you again and again!

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Norfolk concerts begin with Double Axel

NORFOLK – The Norfolk Concert Series kicks off its second season Friday, June 30 with North Country favorite Double Axel at 6 p.m. Rain date is Sunday, July 2. All performances are in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main

Street and begin at 6 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

- Here is the full schedule:
- Thursday, June 30: Double Axel
 - Saturday, July 8: 1 Voice Gospel
 - Wednesday, July 12: Lacey Stoddard

- Saturday, July 15: Picnic in the Park with storyteller Lorraine Hartin: Grades K-4, 3:30-4:15 p.m.; Grades 5 - 8, 4:45 - 5:30 p.m.; free hotdogs, chips and slushies for kids through Grade 8, 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.; The Wild Roses perform from 6 - 8 p.m.

- Saturday, July 22: Sweet Revenge
- Wednesday, July 26, Margarita Mike Duo
- Friday, July 28: Steelin' Country
- Sunday, Aug. 2: New Orleans North
- Friday, Aug. 4: Lacey Stoddard during Norfolk Bicentennial Celebration.
- Saturday, Aug. 5: Atom Ghost during Norfolk Bicentennial Celebration.
- Wednesday, Aug. 9: Open Mic Night featuring Brad Ladison, Jack Bellows, Ryan Murphy and Colleen Osier
- Friday, Aug. 11: Downtown
- Wednesday, Aug. 16: Backwoods Impact
- Saturday, Aug. 19: Sudden
- Friday, Aug. 25, 5:30 pm: Divided Roads
- Saturday, Aug. 26, 5:30 pm: Waydown Wailers



Photo submitted

The Norfolk Concert Series kicks off its second season Friday, June 30 with North Country favorite Double Axel at 6 p.m. Rain date is Sunday, July 2.

• Thursday, Sept. 2, 5:30 pm: Knotty Paddy

All Concerts are free but donations are gratefully accepted.

Chris Paige, the concert founder, started the series to provide a venue for local musicians to perform. She

also hopes it will bring attention to the downtown area and encourage new businesses as well as increase revenue to existing ones.

For further information: Norfolkconcertseries.com; norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com or 315-244-7787.

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Norwood library offering art program

NORWOOD – Local artist Kris Rozelle is once again teaming up with Norwood Public Library to offer an interactive art program, Arts All Together, for children ages 5 & up.

This program begins July 12. Space is limited and registration is required.

This project is made possible with funds from the Decentralization Program, a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts, with the support of the Office of the Governor and the New York State Legislature, and administered by the St. Lawrence Council Arts Council.

The library is showing a family movie on July 18 at 6 p.m.

On July 25 at 2 p.m., teens are

invited to tie dye at the library. Please register by contacting the library with the teen's shirt size.

The Norwood Public Library is open Wednesdays, Fridays, Saturdays 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays 2-8 p.m.

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Alumni, emeriti invited to SUNY Potsdam Reunion 2023

POTSDAM – SUNY Potsdam is preparing to welcome back 500 alumni, emeriti and supporters for Reunion 2023, from Wednesday, July 12 to Sunday, July 16.

Reunion will feature a diverse lineup of events and activities, including campus tours, engaging discussions, live performances, alumni awards, a “Taste of Potsdam” reception and much more. Attendees will have the chance to reconnect with classmates, friends, faculty and staff, while also exploring campus and downtown.

It's not too late to register to join in the fun! All alumni and friends are invited to join in the festivities. To learn more, view the full schedule of events, or register, call (315) 267-2120 or visit www.potsdam.edu/alumni/reunion.

Reunion 2023 will kick off with

Author to read from novel

POTSDAM – Potsdam native Tracy Tripp will read from and discuss her latest book, “White Noise Whispers,” Sunday, July 9, at 1 p.m. at Potsdam Public Library.

“Sometimes the hardest criminal to find is the one hiding in plain sight,” is a description of the crime mystery book. Detective Jim Castile frantically searches for a serial killer, with each clue bringing him dangerously closer to home.

Tripp will be signing copies of her books, which will also be available for purchase.

virtual events, so alumni all over the globe can join in the fun. On Wednesday, July 12, there will be a Reunion 5K Kick-Off at 10 a.m., live on the SUNY Potsdam Bears Alumni Facebook page, before participants embark on their 3.1 mile walk or run, wherever they are located. At noon, all are welcome to “Christmas in July,” presented on Zoom by SUNY Potsdam alumni and Food Network guests Bill Makin '10 and Bryan Rivera '12. The two talented young alumni will discuss their baking journeys and their experiences appearing on Food Network competitions this year. Bill was a finalist on “Holiday Baking Championship” this season, and Bryan was a member of the winning team, Rebels without a Claus, on “Holiday Wars.” On Thursday, July 13, the award-winning and bestselling author T.C. Boyle '68 will take part in a discussion of his writing and his 30th book, “Talk to Me,” also via Zoom. All are welcome to join, whether you have read the novel or not!

The in-person celebrations will kick off at 4 p.m. on Thursday afternoon, with a welcome reception in Becky's Place. Alumni are invited to meet SUNY Potsdam President Dr. Suzanne Smith, catch up with friends and enjoy live music by Alex Vangellow (Hon. '14).

Reunion will hit full swing on Friday, July 14, with campus walking tours and visits to the HEARTH (Handcrafted Experiential Archaeological Research and Teaching Hub), and the newly renovated expansion to The Crane School of Music. The Gibson Gallery will host an exhibition of artwork by accomplished alumni, including ceramics, painting, sculpture and other media. Scott Miller '10 will offer a presentation on the famous unicorn tapestries of the Cloisters, while Gary Galo '73 will offer an audio presentation of historic performances from the Crane Class of 1973.

The event line-up for Saturday, July 15, includes a walking tour of Bayside Cemetery, a special session on leadership and healing led by Jennifer Kensler-Lehman '02, a 95th birthday celebration for SUNY Distinguished Service Professor Emeritus Dr. Frank Revetta (Hon. '05), and a 50th anniversary reception for the Crane Youth Music program.

Reunion will also bring together donors and supporters for two ceremonies dedicating spaces on campus, including the dedication of the Peteresak Percussion Studio and the Goodman Percussion Alley at The Crane School of Music (on Friday at 1:30 p.m.), and the dedication of the Prometheus Alumni Food Pantry

(on Saturday at 10 a.m.).

Alumni can mingle at two signature events on Friday and Saturday evening. On Friday, the Taste of Potsdam dinner will allow alumni to enjoy their favorite nostalgic foods, from a Sergi's pizza roll to the campus's Seattle Sizzler, during an outside picnic dinner with cash bar and entertainment. On Saturday, the SUNY Potsdam Alumni Association will honor the 2023 award recipients in a special celebration, featuring live music, a silent auction, a photo booth and more.

Throughout the weekend, alumni will have multiple opportunities to enjoy “The Addams Family,” the Community Performance Series (CPS) summer musical, which runs from Thursday, July 13, to Sunday, July 16. Tickets can be purchased at www.cpspotsdam.org.

SUNY Potsdam's Reunion is held in conjunction with Clarkson University's Reunion Weekend and the Village of Potsdam's Summer Festival.

Registration headquarters will be located in the Raymond Hall lobby again this year. The public is invited to attend Reunion 2023 events, but must register. For more information or to register for the weekend, please call (315) 267-2120 or visit www.potsdam.edu/alumni/reunion.

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3. Orange.
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WHAT'S GOING ON

FRIDAY, JUNE 30

Double Axel

NORFOLK — Double Axel will kick off the second annual Norfolk Concert Series Friday, June 30 at 6 p.m. in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main Street. The concert is free; donations are accepted. Donate, info: norfolkconcertseries.com; norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com or 315-244-7787.

Bottle drive underway

DEKALB JUNCTION — B&B Bottle Redemption Center, 120 Canton St., is hosting a bottle drive June 29 through July 7 to benefit the DeKalb Revitalization Committee. Funds will go toward future events like movies in the park and the publication of their Hermon-DeKalb Business Directory. Drop off bottles and cans at B&B and say it is a donation to the DRC.

Community paddle

CANTON — Nature Up North will host a community paddle Friday, June 30 from 6:30-8 p.m. starting from the Little River Boat launch. Paddlers will explore Little River, learn about the surrounding forest, and turtles. Boats, paddles, and adult life jackets are provided, but provide a life jacket for youth and children. All youth under the age of 13 must be accompanied by an adult. RSVP by emailing info@natureupnorth.org and specify name, group size and canoe/kayak preference.

Bag sale underway

NORFOLK — The Whistle Stop Thrift Store, 11 W. Main St., is having a \$5 bag sale on clothing/footwear (except house goods) until Saturday, July 8. Store hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to noon.

Orchestra concert

POTSDAM — The Orchestra of Northern New York will host its Fantastic Film Favorites concert to ring in the Fourth of July holiday on Friday, June 30 from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the Helen M. Hosmer Concert Hall at the Crane School of Music. The orchestra will salute July 4th, thank active-duty military and veterans with patriotic favorites, and celebrate America's love of the movies with songs like "Fanfare for American War Heroes," "Armed Forces Salute," and "The Stars

and Stripes Forever." Tickets are available for purchase at www.onny.org.

Mockingbirds

RUSSELL — The Mockingbirds will perform old-time and folk music at the Russell Theatre Friday, June 30 from 7-9 p.m. The band is George Dodds, guitar, vocals; Don Woodcock, fiddle, vocals; Barb Heller, guitar, vocals; Camilla Ammiratti, banjo, vocals. Suggested donation: \$10. Refreshments, 50/50. Info: 315-347-2358.

Blood drive

POTSDAM — A blood drive will be held June 30, 12:30-5:30 p.m., at Church of Jesus Christ of latter-day Saints, 21 Castle Dr. Info: RedCrossBlood.org, call 1-800-RED CROSS.

SATURDAY, JULY 1

Memorial Fireworks

HANNAWA FALLS — 38th annual Robert Plumb Memorial Fireworks display by Majestic Fireworks will be set off at dusk on Saturday, July 1 at Postwood Park. Viewing spots available along State Highway 56, at the beach, and from Jake's on the Water, in the yard. After-hours dinner menu from 8-11 p.m. Donations can be made at Chip's Place to assist with costs for next year's display. Sponsored by Jakes on the Water.

Leaf litter critters

CANTON — Nature Up North will host the workshop Leaf Litter Critters: Who Lives Under Foot? Saturday, July 1, 9:30-11 a.m. at Wachtmeister Field Station. The leaf litter that lines the forest floor is teeming with cool creatures that often go unnoticed. Info: <https://www.natureupnorth.org/event/leaf-litter-critters>.

3D archery fun shoot

NORFOLK — Norfolk Rod and Gun Club, Cemetery Road, will host a 3D archery fun shoot Saturday, July 1 with 15 targets, twice around. Registration from 8-10 a.m. Cost: \$10 Adults, 17 and younger shoot for free.

Brassy Ice Cream Social

CHILDWOLD — The Potsdam Brass Quintet will kick off the Orchestra of Northern New York's Summer Chamber Music Series on July 1 with a Classy, Brassy Ice Cream Social. Festivities begin at 1 p.m. at the Childwold Memorial Presbyterian

Church. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy great music with cake and ice cream as an outreach initiative of the Orchestra of Northern New York and The Secret Sits Pro Musica Ensembles, Gull Pond, NY and Athens, GA. The quintet celebrates its 55th Anniversary this year. Info: onny.org, 315-212-3440.

SUNDAY, JULY 2

Dan Duggan, Magpies

NORWOOD — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Sunday, July 2 with local musician Dan Duggan playing for a public dance on the Green at 6 p.m., and a performance by Magpie at 7 p.m. Info: nvgcs.org, 315-261-2866.

Steven Cali Band concert

POTSDAM — The Lodge @Dreaming Tree Ranch will stage an outdoor concert July 2, rain or shine, 5-7 p.m. featuring The Steven Cali Band. Tickets: [Tix.com](https://www.tix.com/ticket-sales/tix/6987/event/1326931) for \$20 each plus fees, <https://www.tix.com/ticket-sales/tix/6987/event/1326931>. Concert will feature Cali's own records and a mixture of new and classic cover songs. Gates will open at 4 p.m. and attendees are encouraged to bring their own lawn seating. Food and drinks will be available for purchase at the event.

Flotilla, Family Fun Day

NORWOOD — The annual Independence Day Flotilla along the Norwood Beach will be held Sunday, July 2, starting at noon. All boats are welcome. Call 315-353-9965 for more information. Family Fun Day will also be held at the Norwood Beach July 2. A variety of family fun activities will be offered, including tie-dye. Bring a white shirt, socks, bandanas, etc. Local singer Nicole White will be performing.

Akwasne Art Market

AKWASNE — The 2023 Akwasne Art Market & Juried Show will take place Sunday, July 2 at Generations Park. Live music by the River Mohawks, Jake Adams & Crosswinds, Bear Fox, Feryn King, and Karionhianonha Francis. Demonstrators, traditional and contemporary cultural art forms, one-of-a-kind pieces for sale. Juried art show will award over \$10,000 across 12 categories, including youth category for emerging artists age 17 and under. Free and open to the public.

MONDAY, JULY 3

Fireworks, parade

NORWOOD — The Norwood Fire Department will host Independence Day celebrations on July 3 and 4. On July 3 there will be bounce houses on the village green at 1 p.m. Demolition derby is slated at Fireman's Field at 1 p.m. A block dance with the Norwood Brass Firemen on the green beginning at 9 p.m. Fireworks begin at dusk at the Fireman's Field.

River of Lights

COLTON — The River of Lights event to celebrate the Independence holiday will be Monday, July 3, from 9:15-10:30 p.m. in Colton. Residents living along Higley Flow will light flares along the shore to light up the river.

Seniors club convenes

CANTON — The Canton Senior Citizen

Club will meet Monday, July 3, at 1 p.m. at 35 Riverside Drive (white highrise). Zach Regan of Snap Ed of St. Lawrence County will speak on a variety of topics for healthy nutrition. All seniors welcome. Info: Myrtle Regan, 315-386-8917.

TUESDAY, JULY 4

Children's parade

COLTON — On Tuesday, July 4 the annual children's parade in Colton will step off at the junction of Cottage Road and Arbuckle at 10 a.m. Children and adults wearing patriotic colors and outfits will march up Cottage Road along Higley Flow to Gulf Road. Boats following along with the marchers along the shore are encouraged to decorate their boats in honor of July 4.

July 4th parade

NORWOOD — Norwood's annual July 4 parade will kick off at 1 p.m.

WEDS., JULY 5

Wild Roses band

MADRID — The 2023 Madrid Dam Music Series will feature Wild Roses, an all female performance band, on Wednesday, July 5 from 6-8 p.m.

Singer-songwriter

OGDENSBURG — Singer-songwriter Shawn Stoddard will perform Wednesday, July 5 at 6 p.m. at The Bayside Grill, 1702 Ford St.

THURSDAY, JULY 6

Adirondika Pro Musica

CHILDWOLD — Adirondika Pro Musica, a gifted chamber quartet playing light classical works, will be joined by marimbaist Sebastian Buhts as part of the Orchestra of Northern New York's Summer Chamber Music Series. APM members are Kenneth Andrews (flute), Liesl Doty (violin), Scott Woolweaver (viola), and Karen Kaderavek (cello). They perform July 6 at Childwold Memorial Presbyterian Church and July 7 at Potsdam Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m. Free, open to the public. Info: onny.org, 315-212-3440.

Angie Miller

HERMON — Angie Miller will kick off the Town of Hermon's annual Music on Main Street Summer Music Festival on July 6 from 6:30-8 p.m. A talented piano player with a charismatic voice, Angie performs everything from kids' music to soft rock. She will be appearing at the pavilion in McBrier Park, near McBrier Park Manor at 103 Canton Street in Hermon. The concert is free but donations are appreciated.

Siebel All Star Band

NORWOOD — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Thursday, July 6 with a 'close to home' performance from The All Star Big Band under the direction of Wally Siebel with guest artist Mike Dubaniewicz at 7 p.m. Info: nvgcs.org, 315-261-2866.

FRIDAY, JULY 7

Cruise-In

POTSDAM — A cruise-in is planned for Friday, July 7 at Amvets Post 282, 6771 U.S. Highway 11, from 5-7 p.m. Free

admission. Food, music, 50/50.

Chippewa Breeze

CHIPPEWA BAY — The Chippewa Bay Community Club is again sponsoring a Friday Evening Backyard Summer Concert Series that starts July 7 with a performance by Chippewa Breeze from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Club's backyard at 1172 County Route 6, next to the Post Office. Concerts are free and open to the public. Just bring a lawn chair. Info: 315-486-4794.

Fritz's Polka Band

WADDINGTON — The 14th annual Waddington Concert Series kicks off July 7 with its annual memorial dedication concert at the pavilion at Island View Park featuring Fritz's Polka Band from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Free, but donations are accepted. Info: Waddington Concert Series website and Facebook page.

SATURDAY, JULY 8

1 Voice Gospel

NORFOLK — 1 Voice Gospel will perform in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main Street for the second annual Norfolk Concert Series Saturday, July 8 at 6 p.m. The concert is free; donations are accepted. Donate, info: norfolkconcertseries.com; norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com or 315-244-7787.

Golf tournament

POTSDAM — The Canton-Potsdam Hospital Guild will host its annual Golf Tournament Saturday, July 8, at 9 a.m. at Potsdam Town & Country Club. Team entry fee is \$360, includes 18 holes with cart, a buffet lunch, prizes and silent auction. To register: cphguild.com and click on events. Questions: guild.cph@gmail.com or call Potsdam Club Pro Shop at 315-265-2141. Proceeds will benefit Canton-Potsdam Hospital.

Gwen Tracy Duo

EDWARDS — The Gwen Tracy Duo will perform at The Edwards Opera House, 161 Main St., on July 8 during Edwards Community Day at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Visit <https://edwardsoperahouse.com/tickets> for ticket information. Info: edwardsoperahouse@gmail.com, edwardsoperahouse.com.

Golf tournament

CANTON — Canton-Potsdam Hospital Guild's Golf Tournament is Saturday, July 8 at Potsdam Town & Country Club. Entry costs \$360 per team; includes 18 holes with cart, lunch, prizes and silent auction. Registration is 8-8:45 a.m. Shotgun start at 9. Register at cphguild.com or call Mary Jane Smalling, 315-212-0027, or Potsdam Club Pro Shop, 315-265-2141. Info: guild.cph@gmail.com. Benefits Canton-Potsdam Hospital, and funds nursing scholarships.

Impressive Insects

CANTON — "Impressive Insects," will be presented at Cornell Cooperative Extension Learning Farm, 2043B State Highway 68, July 8, at 10 a.m. The program is free and open for all ages.

Scottish Festival

HAMMOND — The Hammond Historical Museum will host its annual Scottish Festival Saturday July 8, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. 5K Kilt run/walk, "Battle on the Border" Highland Games, Celtic music and dancing, vendors, kids obstacle course, petting zoo, Wee Bairns Tent, blacksmith, spinning and weaving demonstrations, and a "dress like a Scot" photo booth. Adults \$10, ages 6-16 \$5; 5 and younger free. <https://www.hammondmuseum.com/scottish-festival.html>.

Firehouse fundraiser

MASSENA — A "firehouse" fundraiser for Massena Fire Department will be held Saturday, July 8 at the Massena Moose Lodge 1110, 4 Ames St. A \$12 chicken barbecue will be served from 11-2 p.m. The Norwood Brass Firemen will perform from 1-3 p.m. Cornhole and darts tournaments will start at 2. Music with The Dad Bods is from 4-7 p.m.

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Wally Siebel's All Star Big Band to perform in Norwood

NORWOOD — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Thursday, July 6 with a 'close to home' performance from The All Star Big Band under the direction of Wally Siebel with guest artist Mike Dubaniewicz at 7 p.m.

Wally Siebel's All Star Big Band has performed for the series since 1980, first as a one-on-and off group, and then by joining forces with Crane Youth Music with superb guest artists from around the country.

Due to Covid that partnership had to be put on hold for 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023.

The impressive list of guest artists featured by the All Star Big Band throughout the years, follows in chronological order: Laurel Masse', Ed Shaughnessy, Vince DiMartino, Joe Carello, Pat LaBarbera, Jeff Jarvis, Russ Kassoff, Bret Zvacek, Gary Smulyan, Danny D'Imperio, Ken Peplowski, Dennis Mackrel, Michael Davis, Ray Vega, again Ken Peplowski, Wycliffe Gordon, Wayne Bergeron, Denis DiBlasio, Tony DeSare, Steve Wilson, Sherrie Maricle, Nick Marchione, Darmon Meader, Tommy Igoe, and Ronnie Leigh.

This year's guest artist is saxophonist Mike Dubaniewicz.

Hailing from Syracuse, Mike Dubaniewicz graduated from the University of North Texas with a Bachelor's of Music Education degree. Following that, he moved to New York City to attend the Manhattan School of Music (MSM) and pursue a freelance music career.

While there he played lead alto in the Jazz Orchestra, performing with such jazz legends as Jon Hen-

drix, Sir Roland Hanna, Michael Brecker, Joe Lovano, and Frank Foster.

Dubaniewicz received a master of music degree in jazz and commercial music from MSM in 1997. In 2009 he was awarded the Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the Eastman School of Music.

From 1998 - 2003, Dubaniewicz toured the world with trumpet legend Maynard Ferguson's Big Bop Nouveau Band, serving as a featured soloist and music director (2002-03). In the summer of 2006 he was asked back by Ferguson to join him on a tour that culminated at the famed Blue Note jazz club in New York City.

Shortly thereafter Dubaniewicz joined Maynard in the studio and recorded what would be the trumpet legend's final studio recording, The One and Only Maynard Ferguson.

Dubaniewicz has performed in more than 20 countries, including Thailand, Germany, Azerbaijan, Israel, Australia, Russia, and Sweden.

In addition, he has shared the stage with Aretha Franklin, Phil Woods, Frankie Valli, the Vanguard Jazz Orchestra, Slide Hampton, Rufus Reid, and the Temptations. He has also recorded with Phil Ramone, Michael Feinstein, Bobby Shew, Wayne Bergeron, and Dianne Schuur.

The series acoustic concerts are supported by the Sweetgrass Foundation. The series is also supported in part by the New York State Council on the Arts.

For further information consult the series website: nvgs.org or call 315-261-2866.

Final Potsdam concert for orchestra director

POTSDAM — On June 30th, an illustrious 35-year career as founder, music director, and conductor of more than 450 concerts will come to an end when the Orchestra of Northern New York's Maestro Kenneth Andrews conducts his final Potsdam concert on June 30.

Three performances of Fantastic Film Favorites, the final program in the 35th Anniversary season, will take place on Thursday, June 29 at 8 pm in Watertown's Thompson Park (a free concert), Friday, June 30 at 7:30 pm in SUNY Potsdam's Hosmer Hall (a ticketed event), and Saturday, July 1 at 7 pm on the Thousand Island Park Green on

Wellesley Island (also a free event).

The first half of the program includes works that are tributes to the millions of men and women who serve or have served in America's Armed Forces. "Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "Armed Forces Salute" are two of the patriotic favorites audiences will enjoy.

The concert also features music from such movie classics as Superman, West Side Story, Rocky, Breakfast at Tiffany's, and Jurassic Park, among others.

For tickets to the June 30 concert, visit onny.org or call 315-212-3440. They are also available at the door the night of the concert.

Picnic in the Park planned

NORFOLK — The Norfolk Concert Series is hosting a Picnic in the Park with storyteller Lorraine Hartin for local youngsters on Saturday, July 15 in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main Street.

Storytelling sessions for Grades K-4 will be from 3:30-4:15 p.m.; and Grades 5-8, 4:45-5:30 p.m.

There will be free hotdogs, chips and slushies for kids through Grade 8 from 4:15-4:45 p.m.

The band The Wild Roses perform from 6-8 p.m.

Admission is free but donations are appreciated.

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Library at the Beach slated

NORWOOD — “Library at the Beach,” an independent summer reading program, arts program for kids, family movie, and tie dye t-shirts are among the offerings at Norwood Public Library this summer.

Norwood Public Library has partnered with the Norwood Recreation Department to hold “Library at the Beach” on Thursdays at 12:00 p.m., beginning July 6. This program features beach stories, literacy activities, and crafts for children.

A free summer reading program, “All Together Now,” begins July 1. It is open to all abilities. Children, teens, and adults are invited to register for the Read-At-Home portion of the program.

Weekly early literacy storytimes will be held at the library on Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

Wild center open

TUPPER LAKE — The Wild Center is now open for the 2023 season.

The Center, which was recently voted Second Best Science Museum in the U.S. as part of a USA Today Reader’s Award, has expanded offering and activities with new exhibits and experiences, officials say.

The Wild Center is now open on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Beginning on Memorial Day the Center will be open seven days per week, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission can be purchased at the Wild Center’s website, wildcenter.org/visit.

Register now for swimming

NORWOOD — Swimming lessons registration at Norwood Beach will take place the week of July 25 with lessons starting July 6. Stop by the beach for more information or call 315-353-9965.

The beach is open daily from 12:00 p.m.-7:45 p.m. and the park closes at 8 p.m.

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Electrician

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Minimum Qualifications:

Four years of full-time experience in the electrical trade under a skilled tradesperson which would provide training equivalent to that given in a training, apprenticeship, or equivalent program, or an equivalent combination of experience and training gained by completion of technical courses in the electrical trade at a school, institute, or branch of the Armed Services; OR successful completion of the two-year Trades Specialist (Electrician) traineeship or a two-year electrician training, apprenticeship, or equivalent program* such as the New York State Civil Service Employees Association-Partnership Applied Skilled Trades Traineeship and Certificate Program.

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Part Time Dietitian

Make a difference in the lives of
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Minimum Qualifications:

Current registration with the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) as a Registered Dietitian.

Or

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- Travel Required -

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 Office of Human Resources:
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 Sunmount DDSO, 2445 State Route 30, Tupper Lake, NY 12986

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DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

Canton Rescue is seeking a director to run the day to day operations of our busy 911 and transport divisions. Duties include scheduling, training, employee relations, as well as maintaining relationships with area hospitals, along with other duties as assigned.

Must be a certified NYS EMT, preferably ALS or Paramedic level. Must have some management experience.

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GIS INTERN TEMPORARY POSITION

Hourly Rate Range: \$20 - \$22.50

The Development Authority of the North Country is hiring a GIS Intern to conduct field data collection and GIS data entry for an approximately 3-month duration beginning immediately and continuing into the fall. The GIS Intern will work primarily within Franklin and St. Lawrence counties performing a combination of field data collection and GIS data processing activities, which is weather dependent so field work must be performed prior to snow cover. Frequent day travel is required within Franklin and St. Lawrence counties in upstate New York State. An Authority vehicle will be provided. This position requires current enrollment or completion of a 4-year degreed program in GIS, geography, engineering, surveying, or a related field, ability to walk significant distances to collect data while carrying GPS field equipment, and a current NYS driver's license. The GIS intern will complete work that will have a direct impact on Authority customers within the North Country. Qualified candidates are encouraged to apply and recruitment will begin immediately.

Apply for this job at **www.danc.org/Employment**

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Maintenance Electrician Opportunity The Village of Canton seeks a full-time Maintenance Electrician Department of Public Works. Salary is (\$59,663.46). Health insurance, New York State Retirement eligibility, and paid vacation is included. This work involves the performance of skilled and difficult electrical operations in connection with inspection and preventative maintenance. If not possessed, new hire will be given 3 years to obtain their Waste water treatment plant and Water treatment plant operators license. Minimum qualifications: Gradu-

ation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma or possession of an Individual Education Plan Diploma and four years full-time paid experience as an Electrician. Applicant must be 18 years old or older, and willing to work evenings and weekends. A driver's license is required with a CDL B preferred. To apply, submit your application, resume, and three references to Timothy Bacon, Superintendent of Public Works, 60 Main St, Canton, NY 13617 or email to supt@cantonny.gov. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis. AA/EOE

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Financial Aid Counselor

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This is a 12-month position reporting to the Director of Financial Aid. As a member of the Financial Aid team, this selected candidate will work within the One Hop Shop to deliver a full range of counseling and financial aid services to students, families, staff, and the community.

Job Responsibilities:

- Counsel and assist students and parents in completion of financial aid applications for federal, state, and institutional programs.
- Provide financial aid counseling to student and parents regarding eligibility requirements for various aid programs.
- Process financial aid; including file review, application verification, need analysis, use of professional judgment and financial aid packaging for an assigned caseload.
- Represent the office at various on and off-campus recruiting functions, financial aid information sessions, and internal committee meetings as assigned.
- Maintain knowledge of applicable policies, procedures, regulations, rules, statutes and laws.
- Each counselor is assigned to assist with specific programs which may include third-party agencies, college withdrawal assistance, scholarships, EOP program, direct loan program, and/or requesting payment of various federal and state aid funds.

Suggested Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university;
- Experience in a customer service related office or setting;
- Demonstrated experience delivering effective communications via telephone, email, virtually or in person.
- Eligibility to access federal computerized systems (Applicants must be in good standing on federal student loans to be eligible).

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience in a college financial aid office or similar higher education setting;
- Knowledge of and experience working with federal and/or state aid programs;
- Experience with Ellucian Banner, NSLDS, COD, and/or HESC programs;
- Experience with Microsoft Office programs;
- Experience working with and serving diverse populations.

Prior to final offer of employment, the selected candidate will be required to submit to a background check including, but not limited to, employment verification, educational and other credential verification, and criminal background check.

Application Deadline: open until filled; application review begins immediately. Persons interested in the above position should apply online at <https://employment.canton.edu/>

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As a Direct Support Assistant
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As a Developmental Disabilities Secure Care Treatment Aide
Salary Range: \$58,973 - \$66,806

The Sunmount Developmental Disabilities State Operations Office (DDSOO) is seeking DSAs and DDSCTAs.

Minimum Qualifications: A High School Diploma or GED and a valid Driver's License.

As a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)

Salary range: \$52,009* to \$56,146* (* Includes Geographic Pay of \$4,000)

The Sunmount Developmental Disabilities State Operations Office (DDSOO) is seeking LPNs.

Minimum Qualifications: Must have a current license and registration to practice in New York State, or a limited permit to practice in NYS, or an application on file for a limited permit to practice in NYS.

For more information:

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Seaway Valley Prevention Council VACANT POSITION

PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Full Time \$21.79/hr

The Program Coordinator would oversee the North Country Addictions Resource Center, by:

- ➔ spreading awareness about available prevention, treatment, recovery, and harm reduction services in the north country
- ➔ serving as an information resource for providers, organizations, and businesses in the region
- ➔ participating in the planning and hosting of community prevention events and recovery awareness activities

The Program Coordinator is responsible for collaborating with community organizations and providers across seven counties in the north country. The goal of the position is to increase collaboration, awareness, and communication in the area.

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Research Administrator

The Office of Research and Sponsored Programs (ORSP) at SUNY Canton invites applications for a Research Administrator. ORSP was established to provide the necessary infrastructure to support the research endeavors of SUNY Canton's faculty, administrators, and staff.

The Research Administrator will facilitate grant proposal development and post-award management.

Duties: Reporting to the ORSP Executive Director, the primary duties and responsibilities of the successful candidate includes providing pre- and post-award grants management support with excellent customer service skills.

- o Pre-award: assist faculty, administration, and staff members in the identification, preparation, and budgeting of all new awards.
- o Processing of employee appointments, travel documents (pre and post travel), and purchasing requisitions for supplies, contractual, equipment, and other purchases.
- o Provide monthly summaries to PI's regarding their expenditures and remaining balances for their projects.
- o Assist with new project orientation and in the post-award processes at SUNY Canton.
- o Working with the SUNY Canton communications team to promote new awards.

Minimum Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree
- Up to two years of relevant grant and/or project management experience

Preferred Qualifications

- Outstanding written and oral communication skills
- Strong customer service skills; demonstrated ability to work effectively with campus administrators, researchers, students, and other non-technical personnel
- Must be highly organized, detail oriented, and willing to obtain CRA within four years

Prior to final offer of employment, the selected candidate will be required to submit to a background check including, but not limited to, employment verification, educational and other credential verification, and criminal background check.

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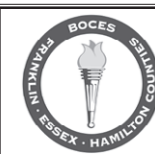


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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
The Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES (EO/AE) is currently accepting applications for the following anticipated positions:

Principal Account Clerk

Qualifications, job description and application can be found online at:

<http://www.fehb.org/employmentopportunities>

Deadline to apply: Until Filled

Queries should be directed to:

Jamie L. O'Dell, Director of Finance and Management Services
PO Box 28, Malone, NY 12953
(518) 483-6420, Ext. 1045 • (518) 335-9093 Cell
Email: jodell@feh.org

EOE

to Mark White, Superintendent, Hermon-DeKalb Central School District, 709 East DeKalb Road, DeKalb Junction, NY 13630. The Hermon-DeKalb Central School District offers employment and educational opportunities without regard to sex, race, color, national origin, or handicap. Application deadline is at noon on July 7, 2023.

Water Quality Technician: Under the direction of the Water Resources Program Manager, the Water Quality Technician is responsible for the collection of samples,

the operation, maintenance and calibration of water quality monitoring instruments. The Technician will retrieve, format and store electronic data in databases, analyze and provide summaries of data in reports for the protection and management of Tribal water resources. **Status:** Full-Time, Non-Exempt. **Salary:** \$32,843.20-\$56,763.20 **Deadline:** July 19, 2023. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov.

Water Quality Technician: Under the direc-

Potsdam DEVELOPMENT OFFICER
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

College Advancement at SUNY Potsdam is accepting on-line applications for a full-time **Development Officer** responsible for cultivating and soliciting major gifts from alumni and friends in regions across the country. Required qualifications include:

- Bachelor's degree
- Exceptional written and oral communication skills
- Proficiency in MS Suite, email, web, and database environments
- Excellent organizational and process management skills
- Ability to manage projects and meet goals and deadlines
- Availability for weekend and evening work and ability to travel extensively
- Two to five years paid professional experience in major gift solicitation or high-level sales preferred

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BRUSHTON-MOIRA CENTRAL SCHOOL VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT



Brushton-Moira Central School District (EO/AEE) is currently accepting applications for the 2023-24 School Year for the following positions:

- Music Teacher – Vocal
- Literacy Teacher
- Elementary Teacher
- Physical Education Teacher (Anticipated)
 - 7 hr. Teaching Assistant*
 - 8 hr. School/Bus Monitor*
- 4.75-hr. Bus Driver / 2 hr. Monitor*
- 5.25-hr. Cleaner/2.75 hr. Food Service Helper*
 - 7 hr. Teacher's Aide/ 1-hour Clerk*
 - 7.25 Teacher's Aide / .75 hr. Monitor*

*Residency is waived for all current positions

Deadline to apply - Until filled

Applications can be found at <https://www.bmcsc.org/page/employment-opportunities>.

Individuals should submit a letter of intent, resume, application, transcripts and certification (if applicable), and 3 letters of recommendation to:

Brushton-Moira Central School, Attn: District Office
758 County Route 7, Brushton, NY 12916

MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

Town of Canton Highway Department

Town of Canton, New York, is accepting applications for a full time Motor Equipment Operator (MEO). The Town includes two villages, and three hamlets with 100 miles of road to maintain.

MEO performs a variety of semi-skilled and skilled work in operation of moderately complex motor equipment used in highway repair, construction and maintenance projects and other public works activities. Entry level hourly rate \$26.31/hour with benefits. Potential for promotion to a Heavy Equipment Operator (HEO).

Candidate will be responsible and proficient in operation and maintenance of small motor equipment and conduct plowing and sanding that is in compliance with town highway operating safety policies.

Candidates will be expected to participate in a drug and alcohol testing program.

Candidate must meet the following qualifications:

- High school diploma, high school equivalency diploma, or an Individual Education Plan Certificate;
- Knowledge of safe and efficient operation and maintenance of a variety of motor equipment;
- Ability to read and understand assigned equipment operations and servicing information;
- Possess mechanical aptitude;
- Willingness to respond to emergencies/work under adverse weather conditions;
- Dependability, good inter-personal skills, exhibit integrity and sound judgement; strong work ethic.
- Physical condition commensurate with demands of light-to-heavy physical labor;
- Possession of valid NYS Class B Commercial Driver's License (CDL). License number and date of issue must be on the application;
- Experience in operation of highway construction/maintenance of equipment desired.

Send completed application (available on-line at www.cantonny.gov or in the Town Clerk's office), resume, three letters of recommendation, and a copy of certification(s) to **Town Highway Superintendent, 60 Main Street, Canton, NY 13617.**

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Potsdam Director of Annual Giving Data and Outreach
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- Bachelor's Degree
- 3-5 years of professional work experience
- Exceptional communication skills, with an emphasis on both written and oral communication
- Proficiency at an intermediate level using Microsoft Word, Excel, and Outlook
- Excellent organizational and project management skills
- Technologically savvy, possesses the ability to teach oneself new skills, self-motivated, analytical, adaptable and flexible

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES (EO/AEE) is currently accepting applications for the following anticipated positions:

School Purchasing Agent

Located: North Franklin Education Center, Malone OR Adirondack Educational Center, Saranac Lake

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DOWN

- Home
- Sin city
- Egypt's Mubarak
- "Funny!"
- Redacted
- Wizardry
- Chantilly, e.g.
- Web address
- "Give — break!"
- Em halves
- Prof's helpers
- Med. plan options
- Small fruit pies
- Illegal payment
- Literary rep
- Allow
- Hobbyist's abbr.
- Conk out
- Outback bird
- Brit. sports cars
- Onassis nickname
- Not 'neath
- "Star Wars" royal
- Straight, for short
- Clinch
- Mogul
- Begrimed
- Roofing material
- Get ready, briefly
- "Rule, Britannia!" composer
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- GAMES: How much does getting out of jail cost in the board game Monopoly?
- LITERATURE: What kind of animal is the novel "Black Beauty" about?
- U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the youngest president?
- TELEVISION: Who played the Penguin in the original "Batman" TV series?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the northernmost point of the United States?
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Potsdam

The Orchestra of Northern New York will host its Fantastic Film Favorites concert to ring in the Fourth of July holiday on Friday, June 30, from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the Helen M. Hosmer Concert Hall at the Crane School of Music.

The orchestra will be conducted by Maestro Kenneth Andrews who will conduct his final Potsdam concert, capping an illustrious 35-year career as founder, music director, and conductor of ONNY for more than 450 concerts.

The orchestra will salute July 4th, thank active-duty military and veterans with patriotic favorites, and celebrate America's love of the movies with songs like "Fanfare for the American War Heroes," "Armed Forces Salute," and "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

Also included in this summer's award-winning and blockbuster list is the Overture from the original 1961 version of West Side Story by Leonard Bernstein, "Parade of the Charioteers" from Ben Hur (1960) by Miklós Rózsa, "Moon River" from Breakfast at Tiffany's (1961) and the Finale from Rossini's William Tell Overture, used for countless movies, cartoons, TV programs and the 2013 movie, The Lone Ranger.

Other popular selections will include the theme from Rocky (1976) by Bill Conti, and two selections by the incomparable John Williams, the "Superman March" from Superman (1978) and selections from Jurassic Park (1993). In addition, our Principal Oboist, Anna Hendrickson will be the soloist for the mesmerizing "Gabriel's Oboe" from The Mission (1986),

written by the legendary film composer, Ennio Morricone.

Other performances of the concert are planned in Thompson Park in Watertown and Thousand Islands Park.

Tickets are available for purchase at www.onny.org.

Gouverneur

The Gouverneur Fire Company will host the largest display of fireworks in the North Country on Sunday, July 2, at dusk.

The event will be held at the Gouverneur Fair Grounds with plenty of food vendors on site and a perfect gathering area to meet with friends and family to watch the display.

A request for donations will be asked at the gate.

Hannawa Falls

The 38th annual Robert Plumb Memorial Fireworks display will be set off at dusk on Saturday, July 1 at Postwood Park in Hannawa Falls.

Viewing spots are available along State Highway 56, as well as at the beach. People can also watch the show from Jake's on the Water, in the yard. There will be an after-hours dinner menu from 8-11 p.m.

Fireworks will be presented by Majestic Fireworks and donations can be made at Chip's Place to assist with costs for next year's display.

This event is Sponsored by Jakes on the Water.

More info: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100070093480634/>

Morristown

In Morristown, a busy day of events will take place July 3-4.

Fireworks will be held at dusk on Monday, July 3. There will be live music from Another Fine Mess from 7-11 p.m.

"Everything will return to normal with vendors and food," Morristown Fire Department Member Kevin Crosby said.

On July 4, the day's events begin with the Steven Spilman Memorial Fourth of July Parade on Main Street at 10 a.m. Bands from Gouverneur, Heuvelton, Lisbon, Morristown and Ogdensburg are slated to perform. Those who wish to be in the parade are asked to line up on Main Street at 9:30 a.m.

The parade is named in honor of long-time fireman Steven Spilman.

Moore said Spilman had organized the parade for many years

and was named in his honor in 2014, shortly after his passing

Independence Day activities shift to the fire station at 11:30 for a variety of activities. There will be a car show, craft show, chicken BBQ and a water ball tournament.

There will also be kids games, 50/50 raffle, games of chance, beverages and concession stand food will be sold as well.

Food vendors can contact Jay Moore, at 315-323-9069, for information.

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Colton

The community living along Higley Flow in Colton will once again kick off Independence Day with its annual River of Lights celebration and children's parade and boat parade.

The River of Lights event will be Monday, July 3, from 9:15-10:30 p.m. Residents living along Higley Flow will light flares along the shore to light up the river.

On Tuesday, July 4 the annual children's parade will step off at the junction of Cottage Road and Arbutus at 10 a.m.

Children and adults wearing patriotic colors and outfits will march up Cottage Road to Gulf Road.

Boats following along with the marchers along the shore are encouraged to decorate their boats in honor of July 4.

Massena

There will be no official festivities in Massena this year and no fireworks planned at the St. Lawrence Centre Mall.

PILOTS...

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A fifth PILOT agreement has been finalized but has yet to be approved by the town board.

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PRIMARY...

aren't just telling me what I want to hear," he said.

Engle's confident he can carry tonight's momentum into November and said he will continue to



St. Lawrence County Sheriff's investigator Patrick 'Rick' Engle has defeated Undersheriff Sean O'Brien in a primary race for the sheriff's seat. Both candidates remain on the November ballot.

work hard throughout the campaign and as sheriff if he's elected.

Engle lives in Lisbon and is a 20 year veteran of the Sheriff's Office. He previously served in the United State Marine Corps. In an interview with North Country This Week, Engle said his priorities include expanding the county's school resource officer program, tackling the drug epidemic plaguing the county and protecting Second Amendment rights.

He says as sheriff he believes he can improve morale of the sheriff's deputies, the corrections officers inside the sheriff's office and rebuild relationships with other law enforcement agencies. Engle will also run as an independent

O'Brien offered a comment as well.

"We respect the Republican electorate but when less than

20% of the Republican party comes out to vote, it is disheartening. We will evaluate these results and look to how we progress moving forward," he said.

O'Brien has already secured the Conservative line.

O'Brien was named Sheriff Brooks Bigwarfe's Undersheriff in 2020.

Improving school safety, growing the drug task force and establishing a SWAT-style emergency response team are just a few of the ideas O'Brien will push for if he's elected Sheriff. O'Brien says he'll also continue to protect Second Amendment rights, continue to increase transparency between the sheriff's office and the public and continue to make improvements at the St. Lawrence County Correctional Facility.

Primary results

Democratic primary race

Louisville Town Supervisor - Larry Legault won the primary with 89 votes, Roy Beshaw had 60.

Republican primary races

St. Lawrence County Sheriff - Rick Engle won with 2,913 votes, Sean P. O'Brien received 1,575

DePeyster Superintendent of Highways (2-year unexpired term) - Robert K. Chambers won with 56 votes. Charles E. Loucks received 34.

Edwards Council members (vote for any two) - Jan C. Lennox and Michele D. Robillard won nominations with 38 and 40 votes respectively. Michaele Webb received 20.

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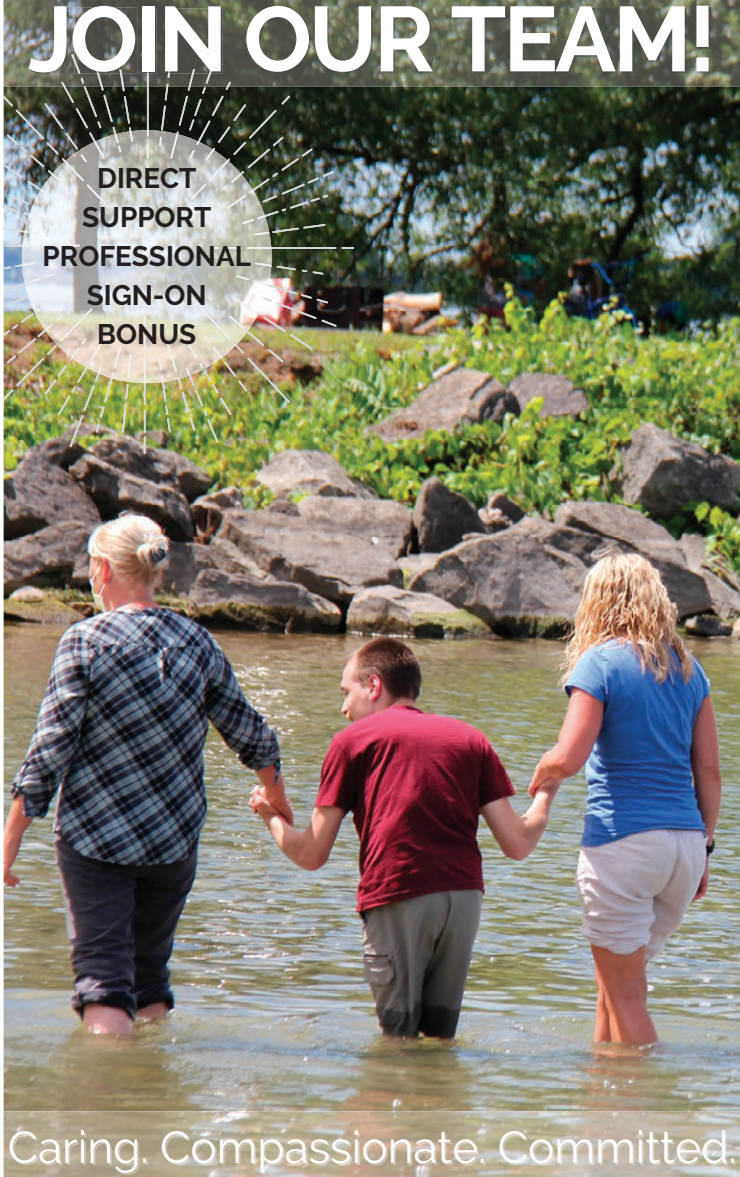
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Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction
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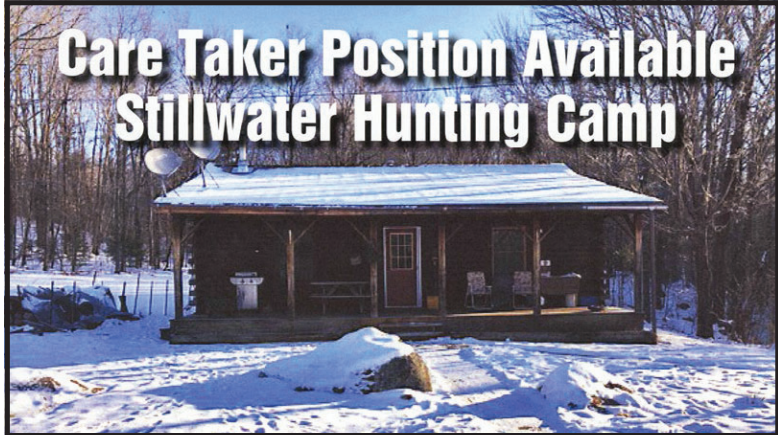
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<p>MLS #47865 • \$159,000 6605 St. Hwy. 56, Potsdam</p> <p>1,200 sq.ft., 2 BR, 2 bath, 1 car, 2 unit home. Can become 1 unit or business. Commercial zone. Just outside village limits.</p>	<p>MLS #48212 • \$114,000 223 Dullea Rd., Brasher Falls</p> <p>ADORABLE! 1 acre, 1,473 sq. ft., 3 BR, 1 bath. Front porch w/swing. New kitchen appliances, water softener. Large yard. Drilled well & municipal sewer.</p>	<p>MLS #47797 • \$599,000 94 Leary Flint Rd., Brasher Falls</p> <p>3.75 acres, 2,300 sq. ft. • 3 BR, 3 bath modern ranch home w/flourishing business - working kennel (board & groom) 1997 constructed Well insulated, central air. In-floor heat, sunporch. Heated pool.</p>	<p>MLS #47827 • \$549,000 71 Market St., Potsdam</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7,500 sq. ft • Excellent commercial location • Turnkey investment opportunity • 4 spaces currently rented • Heated warehouse w/own entrance & tall overhead door & retractable loading dock • 2nd story option available 	<p>MLS #48528 • \$234,000 36 Tucker Rd., Colton</p> <p>1.6 acres, 1,667 sq. ft., 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 car. MOVE-IN READY Ranch! Recent new updates include: paved driveway, 16" x 24" LR, composite deck, garage door w/opener and dishwasher</p>
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