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## NYPA helps foot bill for road repairs

BY PAUL MITCHELL  
North Country This Week

CANTON - The Town of Canton will be receiving nearly \$120,000 from the New York Power Authority (NYPA) for damages incurred on town roads during the recently-completed transmission line work.

More than two years, Canton Town Councilman James T. Smith expressed concerns about the wear and tear on town roads from the transmission line replacement work.

"I've noticed over the past two months that the town roads are getting pounded by Michels. There's been a lot of traffic over 32 miles of town roads, which is close to one-third of our roads," said Smith in May 2021. "And we will get left paying for that."

At Wednesday night's (July 12) monthly town board meeting, Smith's concerns were compensated by a \$119,663.43 settlement from NYPA for "wear and tear" on town roads.

The settlement was negotiated by Town Highway Superintendent Steven Smith.

"Steve was tenacious on this," said Councilman John Taillon. "They were trying to low ball us."

NYPA settlements have also been reached for the Town of Madrid and St. Lawrence County.

Michels Power, Inc., Brownsville,

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Sara Fregoe | Submitted

## Big python in Potsdam

Molly Fregoe, 9, Hannawa Falls, holds a rather large snake at the reptiles booth in Ives Park during last week's Potsdam Summer Festival. When asked what she thought she said "I think I love this," said her mother Sara Fregoe.

## Sex abuse claims push Diocese to file bankruptcy

BY JIMMY LAWTON  
North Country This Week

OGDENSBURG - The Ogdensburg Diocese has filed for bankruptcy, a move triggered by 124 pending lawsuits from more than 50 alleged victims who say they suffered childhood sexual abuse at the hands of clergy from the 1940s to 1990s.

The Diocese encompasses 12,036 square miles of northern New York, including Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lewis and St. Lawrence counties, as well as northern Herkimer County.

"This difficult yet necessary decision was made in response to lawsuits filed against the Diocese under the Child Victims Act. 124 cases are currently pending against the Diocese following implementation of the act, which allows individuals who assert that they were the victims of childhood sexual abuse to file claims, regardless of when the alleged abuse took place. The claims filed against the Diocese date back decades (1940s through 1990s), prior to the institution of the Diocese's safe environment policies and procedures," spokeswoman

Darcy Fargo said in a prepared statement.

The Diocese has been encumbered with lawsuits related to sexual abuse allegations and had acknowledged years ago that bankruptcy was being considered.

"The goal for filing a reorganization case is to resolve the legal cases in a fair and equitable manner while allowing the Diocese to continue its mission. Had the Diocese not filed for reorganization, civil actions would continue for many years, with claimants who filed the first lawsuits potentially receiving larger awards or settlements, leaving little, if any, money for the remaining claimants. Filing for reorganization does not hinder claims filed by survivors," said Bishop LaValley. "Instead, it establishes a process for all claims to be treated fairly."

Attorneys who represent victims of the Diocese see things differently though.

"The Diocese of Ogdensburg's decision to file for Chapter 11 Bankruptcy is an unfortunate yet predictable attempt to conceal the truth about the diocese's

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## Clerk says goodbye after 30-year run

BY ADAM ATKINSON  
North Country This Week

POTSDAM - After 31 years, with a lion's share serving as village clerk, Lori Queor is retiring at the end of August.

Queor and her husband Bob plan to relocate to Tennessee once her retirement begins and spend time gardening and living a more calm, relaxed life. Until then she is on hand to assist incoming village clerk Georgine Scott, but has been using some of her accrued vacation time this summer.

"I've never had a summer off really. Summer here in the village

is traditionally tax season," Queor said with a smile.

It's much-earned time off for the outgoing clerk who has been busy working in public service for decades now.

Queor started with the village on May 4, 1992 in the code enforcement and planning office and worked her way up from the basement to serve the village and the taxpayers in a variety of capacities.

"I started downstairs in the planning department as a keyboard specialist," Queor said. "I've worked with some great people over the years."

When the clerk's position was

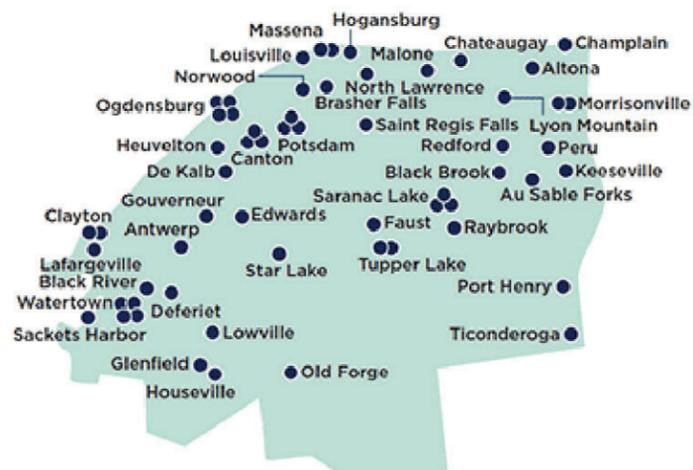
available after the previous clerk retired, Queor applied, was hired and started Jan. 14, 2002.

In October 2010, Queor took on the extra responsibilities of the village treasurer, in addition to the clerk job, after the previous treasurer retired, and saved the village money by filling both posts for years.

"It was not a difficult job, I'm good with numbers, but it was a tremendous amount of work. I got it done and did it for eight years," she said.

When the registrar retired, the

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A report from a Minnesota law firm specializing in representing sexually abused children has released a report identifying locations where eight priests, accused of molesting children, were assigned at St. Lawrence County churches.

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Potsdam Fire | Courtesy

A Winthrop man was charged after he crashed his vehicle into a tree last week on U.S. Highway 11. Troopers say he was under the influence of drugs at the time of the accident.

## Troopers say man was high when he crashed into tree

POTSDAM — A Winthrop man was charged after his vehicle crashed into a tree on U.S. Highway 11 July 11, according to state police.

Devon A. Young, 27, was charged with operating a motor vehicle while ability impaired by drugs, seventh-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance, third-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance and failure to keep right, officers said.

Young allegedly crashed his 2015 black Jeep Cherokee into trees on U.S. Highway 11, police said.

While speaking with Young, he was allegedly showing signs of impairment.

Troopers say Young failed field sobriety tests.

While waiting for the tow to arrive, troopers said they searched the vehicle and located glass smoking devices with crack cocaine residue.

Also, inside of the vehicle a collapsible baton was located, officers said.

State police are investigating after a vehicle crashed into and

became stuck in a tree on U.S. Highway 11, according to the Potsdam fire.

Potsdam Fire, Potsdam Rescue, and County Car 10 responded around 10:42 a.m. Tuesday near 8006 US Highway 11 following a report of a car crashing into a tree and the driver unable to exit the vehicle.

West Stockholm Fire Chief Torey Russell happened to be going by the scene and stopped to assist, officials said. He contacted Potsdam Fire to advise them the driver of the vehicle had exited the vehicle.

When Potsdam Fire units arrived on scene they reportedly found the victim outside of the vehicle.

Firefighters set up traffic control. Potsdam Fire was on scene until Johnson's Towing removed the vehicle.

The driver was not transported by Potsdam Rescue, fire officials said.

The scene is reportedly being investigated by the state police.

All Potsdam Fire units were in service at 1:22 p.m.

## Canton considers anaerobic digester law

BY PAUL MITCHELL  
North Country This Week

CANTON — The Canton Town Board is ready to introduce a local law dealing with anaerobic digesters to the public.

Town attorney Eric Gustafson told board members that a final draft revised to include comments and recommendations from the public and county officials is ready for a public hearing set Aug. 9 at 5:45 p.m. at the Canton Municipal Building.

The town board hoped to have the local law ready at its June 14 meeting

forcing them to extend a moratorium to Aug. 31.

"We want to get it right," said Deputy Town Supervisor James T. Smith at that meeting.

Smith has pointed out that a \$25 million digester project is in the works in the Town of Canton by an out-of-town developer. He said the facility would be operating 365 days of the year with manure coming from at least five different farms.

Anaerobic digestion is a process through which bacteria break down organic matter—such as animal manure, wastewater biosolids, and

food wastes—in the absence of oxygen.

Anaerobic digestion for biogas production takes place in a sealed vessel called a reactor, which is designed and constructed in various shapes and sizes specific to the site and feedstock conditions. These reactors contain complex microbial communities that break down (or digest) the waste and produce resultant biogas and digestate (the solid and liquid material end-products of the AD process) which is discharged from the digester, as defined on the Environmental Protection Agency website.

## Gouverneur woman allegedly shook boyfriend's baby causing brain injuries

FOWLER — State Police arrested Tiara K. Allen, 25, of Gouverneur, on July 13 for reckless assault of a Child, and endangering the welfare of a child.

Police said Allen was charged after an investigation determined that on July 7, around 9:40 a.m., she was in the care of her boyfriend's 5-month-old child at their residence on Sand Road in the town of Fowler.

Allen became frustrated with the child's incessant crying and began to shake the child, police said.

Shortly thereafter, the child became unresponsive and was transported to Gouverneur Hospital.

Due to the severity the child is suffering, the child

was transported to Upstate Golisano Children's Hospital, Syracuse, NY, where the child was diagnosed with Anoxic Brain Injury and Subdural Hematomas as result of Allen's actions.

The victim is still being monitored at Upstate Golisano Children's Hospital, Syracuse, but listed in stable condition.

Allen was arrested and processed at SP Gouverneur.

She was arraigned in the Town of Fowler Court where she was remanded to St. Lawrence County Correctional Facility in lieu of \$10,000 cash, \$20,000 bond.

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# Canton church to offer human sexuality workshops to youth

CANTON – The Unitarian Universalist Church in Canton is offering human sexuality workshops for 5th-6th grade and 7th-8th graders during the 2023-24 school year.

The church will utilize the Our Whole Lives program of human sexuality workshops which focus on evidence-based information

and age-appropriate curriculum.

The 25 workshops for the 7-8 grade program provide research-based information to people who are becoming adults and address sexual health and reproduction, as well as how sexuality and identity can be expressed, a press release from the church said.

Some of the specific topics

include gender roles, gender expression, sexual orientation, consent, bullying, social media and more.

The 5-6 grade curriculum is 10-week interactive, developmentally appropriate introduction to body image, gender and sexual identity, peer pressure, consent, social media/internet and healthy

relationships.

This curriculum was developed and updated by the Unitarian Universalist and United Church of Christ. It centers evidence-based information and not religious doctrine, the press release said.

The programs are presented by facilitators who have been trained and screened. As a part of

the church's Religious Education program it follows Safe Congregation policies and best practices by having two facilitators at each workshop.

Info: Carol Zimmerman, Director of Religious Education, at dre@uucanton.org or call 315-386-2498.

## OBITUARIES

### Barbara Helen Mulvaugh, 91 formerly of Massena

TOWNSEND, GA -- In loving memory of our mother, Barbara Helen Mulvaugh, 91, formerly of Massena, who passed away on April 4, 2023, at her home in Townsend, Georgia.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of the Phillips Memorial Home in Massena.

Born on December 20, 1931, to the late Thomas Arthur and Beulah (Cooper) Staples in Syracuse, NY, Barb spent her formative years growing up between Syracuse, Buffalo, and Canton, graduating from Canton High School in 1949.

Barb married her high school sweetheart, Robert Taylor Mulvaugh in 1950 and they were joyfully married for 68 years.

They settled in Massena, NY, and raised six children, keeping the same phone number for almost 60 years.

With Bob, Barb guided her children into adulthood, to husbands and wives with children of their own, who also have children of their own. A legacy.

She went by many names: Mrs. Mulvaugh, Mrs. Moe, Barb, Aunt Barb, Mother, Mom, Grandma, Nan, Nanny, Furnanna (long sorry). Under these names she showed us all how to be a family and taught us that home is not a place, it's a feeling of family and belonging, of unconditional love.

Barb had several passions through the years.

In a time when her eyesight was keener, she and her chosen sister,

Betty, would sew and quilt or knit or create a veritable plethora of crafts (she liked the phrase veritable plethora).

Many of us are the proud owners of her handiwork.

She also enjoyed singing and her family loved to join with her.

More than once, it has been said that we are a family that can break into song at the drop of a

hat.

She was often teased about singing a veritable plethora of children's nursery rhymes that today are not totally politically correct just ask us and we'll sing one.

A legacy that has been passed on to her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Her love of singing could be witnessed as she sang in the choir at Emmanuel Congregational Church where she was an active member, and she considered the people there her extended family.

After her move to Georgia, she still attended church via YouTube. Every Sunday she moved from the living room recliner to her bedroom recliner saying, "I'm going to Church. See you in an hour." Then after 5 minutes she's asking for help getting YouTube on the TV.

Mom's perfect day: her family

### Rowena F. Tyo, 98 Massena

MASSENA, NY -- Rowena F. Tyo age 98, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, surrounded by her loving family at the Morning Point Nursing home in Spring Hill, Tennessee.

Arrangements are under the care and guidance of the Phillips Memorial Home 64 Andrews Street Massena, NY.

Born in Massena, NY she was the daughter of the late Harold and Gertrude (Brothers) Fregoe.

Rowena attended Massena Central School District graduating in 1943.

She was united in marriage to the late Keith Tyo on October 12, 1946.

Rowena worked as a secretary for Alcoa for 37 years retiring in 1982.

Rowena and Keith loved to travel, they went to Holland, Spain, and Hawaii.

They traveled the United States in their RV.

Rowena loved to hunt and camp with her family. Rowena and Keith moved to Lyles Tennessee in 1998.

For several years they wintered in Florida and Arizona.

Rowena was a member of the 25-year Club at Alcoa and she was a life member of RCBA and the American Legion Post 79 Auxiliary.

Rowena was a dedicated wife, Mother, Grandmother, and friend.

She loved gatherings with her family and friends and was known to enjoy the occasional martini. She will be missed.

Rowena is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Dana and

would voluntarily attend church, after which maybe a trip to the casino, followed by a turkey dinner (don't forget the dressing and gravy) and a rousing game to Yahtzee where she would pencil whip her numbers and ultimately win the game.

Upon bedtime, a few episodes of Outlander to top off the night.

Seriously, though, she was happiest surrounded by her family and friends where laughter was given. So much laughter. You might say veritable plethora.

Barb is survived by a daughter of Bridgeport, NY; a daughter and husband of Danbury, NH; a daughter and husband of Townsend, GA; daughter-in-law of Massena, NY and sons of Josephine, TX and a son and wife of Shallotte, NC; her 12 grandchildren and her 20 great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Barbara was predeceased by her husband, Robert, son Robert Thomas Mulvaugh, son-in-law, Chester Chappuis Jr., daughter-in-law, Della Mae (Vice) Mulvaugh, and her best friend Elizabeth (Betty) Ames.

A celebration of Life for Barbara will be held on Saturday, July 22, 2023, at 11:00 am at the Emanuel Congregational Church with burial following in Louisville Community Church.

Online condolences, memories, and pictures may be shared with the family at [www.PhillipsMemorial.com](http://www.PhillipsMemorial.com).

Paula Tyo of Columbia Tennessee; one brother, Earl and Mary Fregoe of Louisville, NY. She is also survived by four grandchildren; seven Great Grandchildren, and three Great-Great Grandchildren. Several Nieces and Nephews also survive.

She was predeceased by two brothers and one sister, Kenny and Elwood Fregoe and Elzina Warren.

Friends and relatives are invited and may call at the Phillips Memorial Home 64 Andrews Street, Massena, NY on Monday, July 17, 2023, from 8:30 am to 9:30 am.

A Mass of Christian burial will be held at 10:00 am Monday, July 17, 2023, at Sacred Heart Church with burial to follow in Calvary Cemetery, Massena.

Family and friends are invited to share online condolences and memories by visiting [www.PhillipsMemorial.com](http://www.PhillipsMemorial.com).

### Lynden Lee "Larry" Larrow, 72 formerly of Massena

DRYDEN, NY -- Lynden Lee "Larry" Larrow, formerly of Massena, passed away after a brief illness at SUNY Upstate Medical Hospital in Syracuse, NY on Sunday, June 25, 2023.

The family has entrusted arrangements to the care and direction of the Phillips Memorial Home, Massena.

Calling hours for Larry will be held on Monday, July 17, 2023, from 1:30 pm until the time of funeral services at 2:30 with the Phillips Memorial Home located at 64 Andrews Street, Massena.

Burial will follow in Calvary Cemetery, Massena with full military honors.

Larry was born on July 18, 1950, to the late Amos L. and Victoria (French) Larrow in Massena, NY where he attended school graduating from Massena Central in 1968.

Shortly after, Larry enlisted into the United States Navy, where he served his country proudly, retiring in Sand Diego, CA in 1984.

He began work at San Diego Hardware Store for the next 25 years in the shipping and receiving department.

Larry later relocated to New York

to be closer to his family.

Larry an avid movie buff and enjoyed watching his stories on television. He will be greatly missed by those who knew him best.

Larry is survived by his siblings, Aaron P. Larrow and his companion, Brittany of Massena, NY, James L.

Larrow also of Massena, NY and a sister Ann Viau of Cortland, NY. Larry is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a brother, Harlan "Sonny" Larrow, and sisters, Evelyn Lesizza and Bonnie Larrow.

Memorial contributions may be shared with the DAV Chapter No. 171; 101 W. Hatfield Street, Massena, New York 13662

Friends and family are encouraged to share memories, photos, and condolence online by visiting [www.PhillipsMemorial.com](http://www.PhillipsMemorial.com).



Lynden Larrow

### Marvin J. "Sonny" Silver, 89 Massena

MASSENA -- A graveside service with full military for Marvin J. "Sonny" Silver, who passed away peacefully surrounded by his devoted family on Monday, July 3, 2023, will be held at 1:00 PM, Saturday, July 29, 2023, in St. Lawrence Cemetery, Louisville.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Phillips Memorial Home, in Massena.

Sonny was born to the late Oscar and Dorothy (Delosh) Silver on January 6, 1934, in Massena, NY. He attended Massena Schools and helped his parents with the family farm.

Sonny later enlisted into the United States Airforce and proudly served his country during the Korean Conflict.

After his honorable discharge and return back home, he was soon married to his bride Joan LeBoeuf at St. Joseph's Church by the late Rev. Harold Skelly. They started their family as he helped with the family business at Silver Trucking where he worked for the next 25 years.

In 1989 He later started work for JAC Tower as a mechanic, retiring at the age of 81 in 2015.

He was a member of the VFW

Post No. 1143, American Legion Post No. 79, The Norfolk Rod & Gun, and Massena Rod & Gun Club.

Sonny is survived by his loving wife of nearly 66 years, Joan, and their daughter, Debra and husband, James Paquin of Massena, NY; along with his three grandchildren, Danielle

and Ricky Gladding, Derek and Katie Paquin, and Devin and Casey Paquin all of Massena, NY.

He also leaves behind his 11 great-grandchildren to cherish his memories; Zack, Cory, Amya, Jade, Dylan, Kayla, Kadence, Isa, Hayden, Brinlee, and Dakota. Sonny is survived by his sister Joyce and Leo Murphy of Louisville, NY along with nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Sonny is predeceased by his brother, Ray Silver.

Memorial contributions may be shared with Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley; 6805 US-11, Potsdam, NY 13676.



Marvin Silver

## RECENT DEATHS

**EDWARD MASON JR**, 73, Potsdam, July 1. Arrangements with Gardner Funeral Service.

**SALLY PORTER**, 84, Gouverneur, July 3. Arrangements with Green Funeral Home, Gouverneur.

**KATHY CONROY**, 70, Norwood, July 11. Arrangements with Buck Funeral Home.

**SARA FORSYTHE**, 88, Canton, July 11. Arrangements with Lawrence Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Canton.

**LINDA BACON**, 71, Hermon, July 12. Arrangements with Allen-Denesha Funeral Home, DeKalb Junction.

**TRUDY ELLIS**, 66, Gouverneur,

July 12. Arrangements with Green Funeral Home, Gouverneur.

**MILTON STORIE**, 73, Gouverneur, July 13. Arrangements with Green Funeral Home, Gouverneur.

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**DIocese...**

self-serving practices at the expense of child sexual abuse survivors," Jeff Anderson and Associates law firm said in a joint press release with LaFave, Wien & Frament, PLLC.

"The Diocese of Ogdensburg's resolution to declare bankruptcy shows, once again, a continuity in their intentions—which are, solely and purely, in service to their own self-interest," said attorney Cynthia LaFave. "In declaring bankruptcy, the Diocese knowingly obstructs survivors' long-awaited opportunity to say their piece; to be heard, to be acknowledged. Make no mistake, silencing survivors is exactly what the Diocese has always done. This decision is another in a long line of decisions aimed at preserving the Diocese's frail veneer by undermining the humanity and dignity of survivors."

The law firms say over half of New York's eight Catholic dioceses have filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy to date.

"The Diocese of Ogdensburg is running from accountability," said attorney Jeff Anderson. "Instead of standing up for the people entrusted to their care and acknowledging the harm done to children for which they are responsible, the Diocese is taking drastic, self-serving measures in an attempt to suppress the truth," the firms said.

Bishop LaValley however, said that the Diocese has instituted extensive policies and procedures to prevent sexual abuse.

"The procedures also ensure that allegations are responsibly and justly handled," according to the Bishop.

"We believe that the fact that there have been no claims filed alleging abuse occurred in the last 20 years is evidence that we have made great progress and are on the right course. Nevertheless, we remain vigilant."

The Bishop added that he is available to meet with every abuse survivor, and the Diocese continues to reach out to them with a goal of fostering reconciliation and healing for those who have been so immeasurably harmed."

The Diocese said that prior to the implementation of the CVA, the Diocese offered assistance to survivors of abuse who made prior claims.

In 2018, as part of the Year of Mercy, diocesan officials reached out to survivors through the Independent Reconciliation and Compensation Program (IRCP) seeking reconciliation with them and offering compensation for their suffering. Through the IRCP, 38 claims were resolved. An additional 14 claims were also settled outside the program.

The law firms say they have no plans to quit pushing forward.

"The survivors' courage and strength will not be extinguished by today's bankruptcy filing," added attorney Taylor Stippel. "North Country survivors are resilient. The true nature of the Diocese's dangerous patterns and practices will be revealed."

**ROADS...**

Wis., recently completed the construction of new transmission lines from Massena to Croghan.

New York Gov. Kathy Hochul on June 20 announced the completion and successful energization of the New York Power Authority's Smart Path clean energy transmission infrastructure project.

The Smart Path project is an upgrade of 78 miles of transmission lines that span from Massena in St. Lawrence County to Croghan in Lewis County.

With fewer poles made of steel instead of the original wood, the

project will harden the lines against weather events and enable the secure transmission of clean energy from northern New York into the state's electric power grid.

Smart Path's rebuilt lines can transmit up to 345 kilovolts. They will be operated in the near-term at the 230 kV level until the completion of the Smart Path Connect project. Together the lines are currently rated to carry 900 megawatts during the winter months.

Increasing the voltage is a cost-effective way to add more renewable power, especially from in-state renewable generation, anywhere along the transmission line.

The \$484 million Smart Path project involved the replacement of the original H-frame wood poles, some of which are more than 80 years old with 776 new single steel monopoles in the existing right of way.

**CLERK...**

village board separated the clerk and treasurer positions and hired Queor as clerk-registrar instead on June 1, 2021.

"I've loved the job, and loved the people," she said. "But thirty-one years, it's a lot. I was getting burnt out."

There have been many changes in the community and the clerk's office over the years, along with many memories for the outgoing clerk.

Queor served with three mayors over her tenure, Bill Lawson, Ruth Garner and current mayor Ron Tischler.

She shared a special connection with Garner and remembers her fondly.

"I learned more from that woman in the years I was here and she was here than anyone ever. She was like a second mother for me. She was just amazing," Queor said. "She did a lot for paving the way for females really. I miss her so much."

"It was one of the best things in my 31 years here, was my connection with her."

As she looks back over the years, the long-time clerk said the village receiving the state Downtown Revitalization Initiative funding, and the construction of the Hampton and other commercial development and growth in the village have been great to see. She said she is always surprised to see how quickly real estate sells in the village, as professional people relocate here for the amenities offered in the small, but busy community.

Queor said one of the big challenges facing the village in coming years will be its hydro plants. "The toughest thing is going to be getting those hydro plant where they need to be," she said.

"The board and the administration have always done the best they can," she said. And, Queor said she expects the village to continue to grow in coming years. "I think you are still going to see a lot of improvements."

Some other changes she has seen over the years at the clerk's office is an increase in the amount of birth and death certificates processed after several changes in the regional healthcare scene which led to Canton-Potsdam hospital taking on a larger portion of that traffic. "We went from a 1-inch to a 3-inch binder. We handled about 600 or 700 a year," Queor said.

The clerk said one of the more difficult times on the job was during the COVID pandemic when the village offices had to switch to working remotely, losing that direct interaction with the taxpayers.

"I did not like working from home," she said. "It was horrible."

The clerk also recalls the weirdest thing she ever dealt with on the job. "I remember a gentleman who

came in to have me notarize a document for him," Queor said, who also served as Notary Public at the municipal offices.

"He proceeds to tell me that he is going to Florida for an exorcism and he needed to have a hold harmless medical release on himself notarized."

"That's probably the weirdest thing I remember. I often wondered 'Is that man okay?'" she said. "That stuck with me."

Queor credited her family, husband Bob, daughter Ashlenn, 23, who lives locally, and son Nicholas, 29, who lives in Washington, with their support during her career. "There have been many meetings, and night meetings. They were always very understanding."

"I'm extremely thankful to the taxpayers for all that they have given me," she said. "Not many can say they are 55 with a 31-year career in public service. It's hard to walk away from, but I was burnt out. Those years as clerk/treasurer were intense."

Queor said she took the responsibility of serving as treasurer of taxpayer money very seriously. "I always looked for savings. Every penny was accounted for. To the penny. But that's always stressful."

She feels that she leaves the village offices in good hands with the crew there now. "They are going to do a great job, I have no doubt," she said. With new clerk Georgine Scott taking over the reigns officially after August, Queor said her best advice to her is "Make sure you know the answer before you give it to anyone."

She said a lot of what the village clerk is able to do for taxpayers is regulated by state law and taxpayers may not realize that in certain instances the village office's hands are tied when it comes to certain things.

"That's the thing I'm going to miss the most is interacting with the taxpayers. There are some amazing people in the village of Potsdam," said Queor.

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The Rensselaer Falls Village Board declared June 14 as “Betty Poor Appreciation Day” while presenting her with a Distinguished Service Award. From the left are Bob Poor, Betty Poor, Charles Fifield, deputy mayor, Mayor Michael Hammond, Connie McAllister, Samantha Booth, and Jolene LaSeige, village trustees.

## Village of Rensselaer Falls designates ‘Betty Poor Appreciation Day’

BY PAUL MITCHELL  
North Country This Week

RENSSELAER FALLS – For more than 60 years, Betty Poor has been a pillar in the Rensselaer Falls community.

On Monday night, the Rensselaer Falls Village Board honored Poor with a Distinguished Service award.

“The Village of Rensselaer Falls proudly recognizes Betty Poor for her remarkable service and dedication to the community. With over 60 years of unwavering commitment, Betty has become a shining example of selflessness and unity,” said Mayor Michael Hammond. “Her infectious smile

and warm greetings have uplifted countless community members, fostering joy and connection. Betty’s green thumb and love for family have enriched lives, inspiring others to cultivate their passions and strengthen family bonds.”

In recognition of her exceptional achievements, the village board declared June 14 as “Betty Poor Appreciation Day.” Each year, residents are encouraged to celebrate her selflessness, dedication, and positive impact.

A resolution adopted Monday night reads:

WHEREAS, the Village of Rensselaer Falls, NY, takes great pride in recognizing individuals who have demonstrated exceptional commitment and dedication to serving the community; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Betty Poor has exemplified these qualities through her 60+ years of service to the larger Rensselaer Falls community as well as the Rensselaer Falls Fire and Rescue Auxiliary; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Poor’s warm and infectious smile, coupled with her heartfelt greetings, have uplifted the spirits of countless

community members, creating a sense of joy and connection among all who encounter her; and

WHEREAS, her remarkable green thumb and love for family have not only enriched her own life but have also positively impacted the entire community, serving as an inspiration for others to cultivate their own passions and foster strong family bonds; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Poor has served her community with unwavering pride, demonstrating her dedication as a pillar of support and fostering a sense of unity among residents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Mayor Michael Hammond and the Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Rensselaer Falls, NY, hereby extend their sincerest gratitude and commend Betty Poor for her outstanding service, selfless commitment, and invaluable contributions to the Rensselaer Falls community; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Village of Rensselaer Falls, NY, declares June 14 as “Betty Poor Appreciation Day” to honor and recognize her exceptional achievements, and encourages all residents to join in celebrating her selflessness, dedication, and positive impact on the community; and

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## Hearing set for annexation of former diner property

BY ADAM ATKINSON  
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — The Potsdam town and village boards will host a public hearing to receive comments on the requested annexation of the former Cheryl’s Diner property from town jurisdiction into the village.

Ronald Page, a local developer and businessman, purchased the lot at 215 and 219 State Route 11B (parcel number 65.053-2-6) on March 1 for \$45,000 from the estate of Janet

Lindsay.

The property, which sits on town land, is surrounded on three sides by the village’s Damon Field Airport which sits on village land.

The diner, previously managed by Cheryl and Dave Denny, closed in September 2019.

Page has filed a petition to annex the property from the town into the village.

The public hearing is scheduled for Aug. 8 at 6:30 p.m. at the town hall, 18 Elm St.

## Richville man allegedly shot gun at vehicle in DeKalb

DEKALB — A Richville man was charged with felonies after allegedly firing a gun at a vehicle during a domestic dispute Monday night, according to state police.

William P. Simmons, 35, was charged with two counts of first-degree reckless endangerment, felonies, at 10:15 p.m., officers said.

Troopers said they responded to County Route 18 and an investigation determined the victim and Simmons were involved in a verbal argument at their residence.

The victim left the initial scene, police said.

Simmons followed the victim and another verbal argument started,

which turned physical, officers said.

Simmons and the victim stopped the altercation, but he allegedly took the victim’s purse.

As the victim was approaching the home, Simmons allegedly pointed a gun at the victim’s vehicle and shot at the vehicle. Police said the bullet did not strike a person, or the vehicle.

Simmons was also charged with second-degree menacing and fourth-degree criminal possession of a weapon with intent to use, police said.

He was arraigned in Gouverneur court and released on his own recognizance, officers said.

## Town board approves new hires, salaries, benefit packages

BY ADAM ATKINSON  
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — The town board has approved several new hires, salaries and benefit packages.

Council members unanimously voted for the following appointments and pay rates after convening an executive session at their meeting July 12.

Morgan Simonds was appointed as bookkeeper to the supervisor retroactive to June 29, with a salary of \$42,000 with benefits.

Margaret Russo was appointed by the board, upon advice from Town Justices James Mason and David Haggard, to serve as the town justice court clerk effective July 28.

Russo will serve a 6-month probationary period to start. The board approved an annual salary of \$45,000 with benefits.

The board also approved that Larry Hayes’ term as a consultant to town court be extended until Aug. 4 with hours not to exceed 20 per week.

Board members voted to accept the transfer of Tina Miller from St. Lawrence County Real Property department to the town as a real property tax aid starting July 26 at a salary of \$49,000 with benefits. Miller will serve a 3-month probationary period.

Finally the board approved a benefits package for acting assessor Daniel Mitchell.

### BRIEFLY

#### Agenda action

CANTON – The Canton Town Board acted and reported on several agenda items at its July 12. Julie Parkman was appointed to a five-year term on the town’s Board of Assessment Review. The board accepted the resignation, with regret, of Jason Measheaw, a heavy

equipment operation at the town highway department, effective July 10, and approved payment of Measheaw’s accrued time. The Canton Historian’s Office will be closed by July 24-28. A joint town and village meeting will be held July 26 at 6 p.m. in the courtroom of the Canton Municipal Building.

#### Stolen vehicle arrest

POTSDAM — A Potsdam man is accused of stealing a vehicle in April and was charged July 12, according to village police. Francis T. Green, 45, was charged with fourth-degree grand larceny and second-degree criminal contempt, officers said. He allegedly stole a vehicle from a residence on Market Street on April 15, police said. Green was transported from Jefferson County Correctional Facility to Potsdam court for arraignment and held on \$100 bail. Police said Green was transported back to Jefferson County Correctional Facility, where he is being held on an unrelated case.

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## Hospice honors doctor

Dr. Sandra McCloy was honored for her 37 years working at Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley at its 40th anniversary celebration June 22 at its Potsdam office. A new donor giving society was established in her honor, through her compassionate and caring years of support and medical expertise to Hospice patients and families. Over 900 inaugural members were inducted into the society for supporting Hospice 10 or more years.

## Norwood woman competing for podcast award

NORWOOD – A recent Norwood-Norfolk Central School graduate is seeking the public's help in her quest for a People's Choice podcast award.

Caramia Carista has a weekly podcast series on Spotify called "Caramia Carista's Passing It On." Her podcast is officially on the voting ballot for the award with voting ending July 31.

People can vote at <https://www.podcastawards.com/app/signup>. Her category is entertainment. People do not need to be signed up with Spotify to vote.

According to a press release submitted by her grandmother

Nancy Besaw to North Country This Week, Carista has interviewed a variety of people from award-winning sportscasters including Bob Rathbun who announces for the Atlanta Hawks, NASA representatives, hockey player Brendan Mark, musicians and several local people.

Some of her local interviews include Norfolk Concert Series organizer Chris Paige, and Lee Mittelstaedt of the Kiwanis Club. The 10-to-15-minute podcasts are available on Spotify or follow her on Facebook at Carista's Podcast.

She will be attending SUNY Brockport in the fall.

## Winner named in Potsdam Rotary 'Ducky Pluck'

POTSDAM – Tom Burns won the top prize at the annual Rotary Club of Potsdam Rubber Ducky Pluck in Ives Park during the Potsdam Summer Festival on Saturday, July 15. The \$500 award was donated by Dr. and Mrs. G. Michael Maresca.

Proceeds from the Ducky Pluck send children with disabilities to summer camp at Dodge Pond as well as benefiting other Rotary community projects.

The other prize winners were Moe Lalonde, \$150 cash from Plumley Real Estate; Renee Holsten, \$100 cash from Accountability; Anthony Stockwell, \$100 in Potsdam Chamber Dollars from Community Bank; Tracy Hutton, \$50 in Potsdam Chamber Dollars from Pinto, Mucenski, Hooper and Van House CPAs; Nancy Griffin, \$50 in Potsdam Chamber Dollars from North Country Savings Bank; Aileen O'Donoghue, two Clarkson University men's exhibition hockey game tickets; Bruce Friedel, two Clarkson Uni-

versity men's exhibition hockey game tickets; Laura Stevenson, a \$25 gift certificate from Harris Medical; and Lydia Wangerin, a \$15 Dunkin' Gift Card from a friend of Rotary.

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# St. Lawrence County named in Title 42 lawsuit following State of Emergency

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI  
North Country This Week

CANTON — In a relatively abrupt turnaround, Palisades EOM has filed a motion to amend its legal complaint that named St. Lawrence County as a defendant.

Under the complaint, St. Lawrence County and a large number of New York state counties were named for declaring a state of emergency following the expiration of Title 42.

St. Lawrence County lawmakers first declared the state of emergency in early May following the expiration of Title 42, a Trump era policy that extended into the Biden administration and restricted travel of migrants at the bor-

ders.

County lawmakers previously said that the county was ill prepared for a potential influx of migrants, hence the declaration of a state of emergency. With the state of emergency in place, officials would be able to request FEMA money to support any potential migrants that may come to the North Country.

Alarm bells first went off last month when it was reported that two migrants left a shelter in New York City, making their way north to Rockland County where they were able to obtain Department of Social Services benefits without being citizens, having social security numbers or working papers.

In response, Rockland County, Orange County and Niagara

County all filed for a temporary restraining order and a state of emergency.

In total, 31 counties have filed a state of emergency, though not all have taken the added step to also announce emergency orders or provisions that would bar hotels from housing migrants.

To date, St. Lawrence County has not announced any emergency orders or hotel provisions.

Though the county should be removed from the complaint in the near future, the county will still be on the hook for legal fees after hiring Attorney James P. Youngs of Hancock Estabrook law firm due to state licensing requirements for attorneys in the southern district of the state.

## Police: Man strikes vehicle with ax

POTSDAM – A Potsdam man faces numerous charges, including using an ax to damage a vehicle, following an alleged domestic dispute Thursday, July 13, in the Town of Potsdam.

St. Lawrence County Sheriff's deputies charged Russell P. Snyder III, 28, with third-degree criminal mischief, damage the property of

another greater than \$250, a felony, act in a manner injure child less than 17, a misdemeanor, and second-degree harassment.

Deputies responded to a residence on Bagdad Road to find Snyder engaged in a physical altercation with a female causing her injury. It is alleged that Snyder also used an ax to damage

the vehicle of the female while a 13-year-old was seated in the vehicle.

Snyder was arraigned in front of Judge Velez of Hermon Town Court and was released on his own recognizance to appear in Potsdam Town Court at a later date.

## Budget modifications, grant funding okayed

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI  
North Country This Week

CANTON — St. Lawrence County legislators on the operations committee approved a resolution to authorize a contract with New York State Indigent Service Providers, which includes the Public Defender, Conflict Defender and assigned counsel.

The Hurrell-Harring Grant provides the funding for use of Indigent Criminal Defense, according to the resolution.

Under the contract, the three offices are entitled to reimbursement of expenditures related to indigent criminal defense representation, county officials say.

The Office of Indigent Defense consists of the Public Defender's Office, the Conflict Defender's

Office, and the Assigned Counsel Program.

The St. Lawrence County Public and Conflict Defender Offices represent individuals in local criminal courts, County Court, Supreme Court, and Family Court, according to the county website.

Reimbursement totals \$5,309,997 over the course of five years, with \$1,769,999.10 being reimbursed from April 1, 2022 through March 31, 2023, according to the resolution.

In other action, approved a budget modification to accept \$113,510 for the county planning office as part of the Accelerated Transit Capital Program (ATC) through the New York State Department of Transportation.

As part of the program, funds can be used for projects like rehabilitation, restoration and modernization of public transit assets that have a

minimum life of five years, according to the resolution.

The NYS DOT requires grantees to sign off on the grant within thirty days of receiving award notification, with funds distributed and used within three years of executing the agreement.

Legislators also approved a resolution to accept a grant of \$2,996 for the Office of Emergency Services to purchase four Apple iPads.

The devices will be used to help fire investigators "more efficiently investigate and determine the origins and causes of fires."

The iPads will be issued to fire investigators and stored at the Office of Emergency Services or on the mobile command vehicle.

All three resolutions will need final approval from the full board next month.

## Legion breakfast benefits Norwood Museum

NORWOOD – Norwood Lake Association held a Father's Day breakfast at the Norwood American Legion to benefit the Norwood Museum this year.

Norwood Lake Association was formed in 1984 as a non profit organization, comprised of Lake residents and civic minded individuals working for the betterment of the Norwood community and the Lake.

Their mission is to help maintain good water quality in Norwood Lake, to foster pride in Norwood properties, to enhance recreational

use of the Lake, to promote social interaction within the community, and to help resolve future problems.



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### Editor's Notebook

Jimmy Lawton



Across the street, littered with melted and discarded sno-kones are faces stained with cotton candy, laughter from children in bounce houses and vendors hawking overpriced fair toys.

As a kid, the smells and sights really help solidify that summer is

underway.

As a parent, dragging the kids through crowded streets at the height of summer heat admittedly has its drawbacks, but my nostalgia reminds me that it's my job to help my kids experience that summer magic.

Potsdam recently wrapped up its summer festival, which drew hundreds out for free family fun despite sweltering heat and periods of rain.

Thousands of people recently attended parades and fireworks displays in Morristown and Norwood at two of the county's largest Independence Day celebrations.

If you missed out on some or all of those events, there is still time to enjoy yourself at the Ogdensburg International Seaway Festival July 21-30.

If you're an Ogdensburg resident or even from one of the adjacent towns, you may be expecting family members or visiting friends who've

come up to enjoy the fanfare.

Being from Lisbon, I usually find myself hearing from an old friend or two who chose to plan their visit around Seaway Festival events. It's long served as the city's "homecoming" event, and many St. Lawrence County towns hold similar events. In particular, I've enjoyed Waddington's homecoming many times over the years. And don't forget about the Bassmasters fishing events.

I often hear complaints that there isn't anything going on in St. Lawrence County. In my experience, that's not really the case in the summer.

So, if you have a chance and life allows it, I encourage you to come out and attend one of the county's biggest parades and fireworks displays around.

Bring your kids to the firefighters games, check out the classic car show, or just come out and enjoy

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Lawrence County Fair, consider supporting at whatever level you can.

If you can lend your hands, that's big. If you can afford a donation that's big too. If you can spring for a shirt or 50/50 raffle ticket, a button or a duck, consider doing it. It all adds up.

If you want to make sure these summer events continue, please do what you can to keep them going.

I'd also like to thank the organizers for all of the events from Hammond's Scottish Festival or Heuvelton's Labor Day celebration to Massena's Beachaplooza.

Without volunteers, we really might not have so much to do in St. Lawrence County, but I hope you keep bringing summer entertainment our way. I appreciate you.

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

one of the many musical performances.

It really is worth the trip.

One thing I've noticed this year in talking to organizers is volunteerism isn't what it used to be and everything is more expensive.

So, if you're someone who wants to see these events continue, whether it's smaller but fun community events like Lisbon's homecoming or Colton's Lazy Hazy Days, or something bigger like Canton's Dairy Festival or the Gouverneur & St.

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'Inflations down, gas is down and the economy is doing well. I'm taking advantage of this time and traveling all over the east coast. The last 6 years have been crazy so it's nice to be back to some sense of stability.'

'Stay home and save the planet.'

'Gas is too expensive, so I'll smoke a bunch of weed and chill on my vacation days.'

'We are retired and plan to visit family in Virginia. We take a lot of road trips throughout the year.'

'I am not going anywhere. People come here to go on vacation. Summer in the North Country is

'Can only afford to go to the end of my driveway. Don't make enough money to even cross the road.'

'My travels will be in the fall and spring.'

'The older I get, the more I want to stay home where it's comfortable.

With so much scary and crazy things happening all over, I don't feel safe any place other than home.'

'Hopefully going over to Canada for the first time in 10 years this summer.'

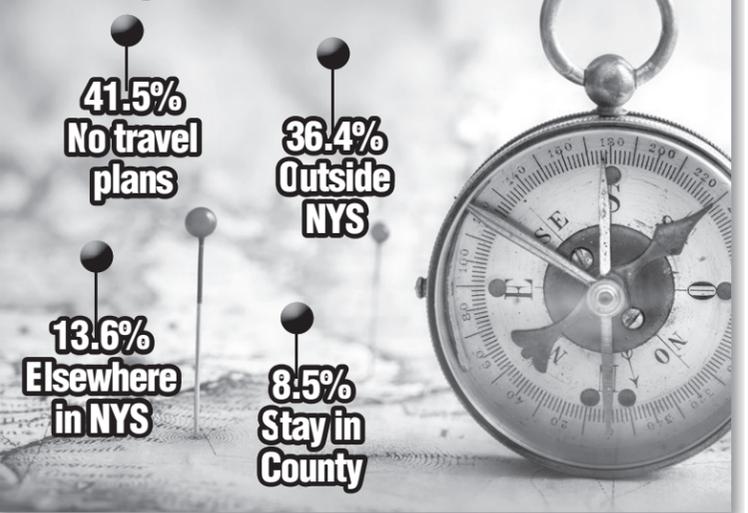
**TO READ MORE COMMENTS**, visit [NorthCountryNow.com/ncnow-survey](http://NorthCountryNow.com/ncnow-survey).

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**THIS WEEK'S QUESTION:** Do you support St. Lawrence County schools using electric buses?

The NCNow Survey is an unscientific

### Majority have no vacation travel plans this summer



Debbie Morgan | NCTW

poll of visitors to NorthCountryNow.com who choose to participate. Please

keep comments to 150 words or fewer.

## REVISITING OUR PAST

### CANTON

Swimming at Taylor Park in the 1950s to 1960s. With the aid of his hockey stick, Johnny Oliver is giving swimming lessons on the beach at the left side of the enclosed swimming area. Missing from the modern pool experience is that distinctive feel of "mud ooze" between your toes while swimming in the river. (Photo courtesy the Canton Town & Village Historian.)



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**LETTERS**

**Complete survey by C3G Group**

A few letters have been submitted to NorthCountry NOW/This Week in response to the ongoing study by the Clarkson University Construction Engineering Management Consulting (C3G) Group regarding pedestrian and bicyclist safety between the Village of Potsdam and Walmart on NYS Hwy. 11. I'd like to provide some information and thoughts on the discussion.

I reached out to the C3G Team to get some information. According to their website, (<https://sites.google.com/clarkson.edu/c3g-route-11-potsdam/home>) a survey prior to options being suggested showed that out of 111 respondents - made up of Potsdam residents and local college students - the majority (85%) regularly bike or walk to businesses along this part of Route 11.

Survey results also showed the respondents would utilize the space if adequately suited for pedestrian use. I'm sure those that had a concern were the most likely to respond to the original survey, but I will add that I have seen many traverse this path on foot in all seasons and I am always hoping for safer conditions for them. I have biked this corridor often and am glad for the change to two lanes on the railroad overpass by DOT to make biking safer.

The group (many of whom I'm told are bikers) is now continuing to survey people as to possible options to make the corridor even safer for pedestrians, bikers, and those in vehicles. These include very robust, moderately robust, and least robust options that are out for public feedback from large parts of the community.

As is stated in the Clarkson Group's scope of work, these comments, as well as all those being collected in the ongoing survey, will be included in the revised final concepts (which will include costs for implementation and ongoing maintenance) provided to the municipalities and the DOT as they move forward to make this corridor as safe as it can be. The devil is certainly in the details and I think this group of students under the guidance of their professors is looking to consider all the details.

I encourage everyone to look at the options and fill out the survey at this link: <https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/2a840a1259184fd3bf647bfbe5adc81f>. They need to hear your voice and concerns and questions to get the most out of this study effort.

Rose Rivezzi  
Co-chair of the Potsdam Climate Smart Communities Task Force

**Check out new church window**

On April 4, 1906, a brand new stained glass window was installed in the chancel of St. Philip's Church in Norwood.

Like the beautiful rose window at the western end of the sanctuary, this new window was designed and created by Harry J. Horwood, Worker of Art Glass, in Ogdensburg, NY. The new window was a reproduction of the 19th century painting by German artist Bernard Plockhorst, of Jesus as the Good Shepherd. The installation of the window was made possible by generous donations from many members of the parish. The total cost of the window, frame and installation was \$581.50.

Since that day several generations of people at St. Philip's have enjoyed the beauty of our Good Shepherd window: the artistry and skilled craftsmanship, the enduring richness of the colors, and the comforting image of the Good Shepherd, tenderly guiding his sheep. But in recent years it had become clear that the window was badly in need of repair and restoration, a task far more costly than the original installation.

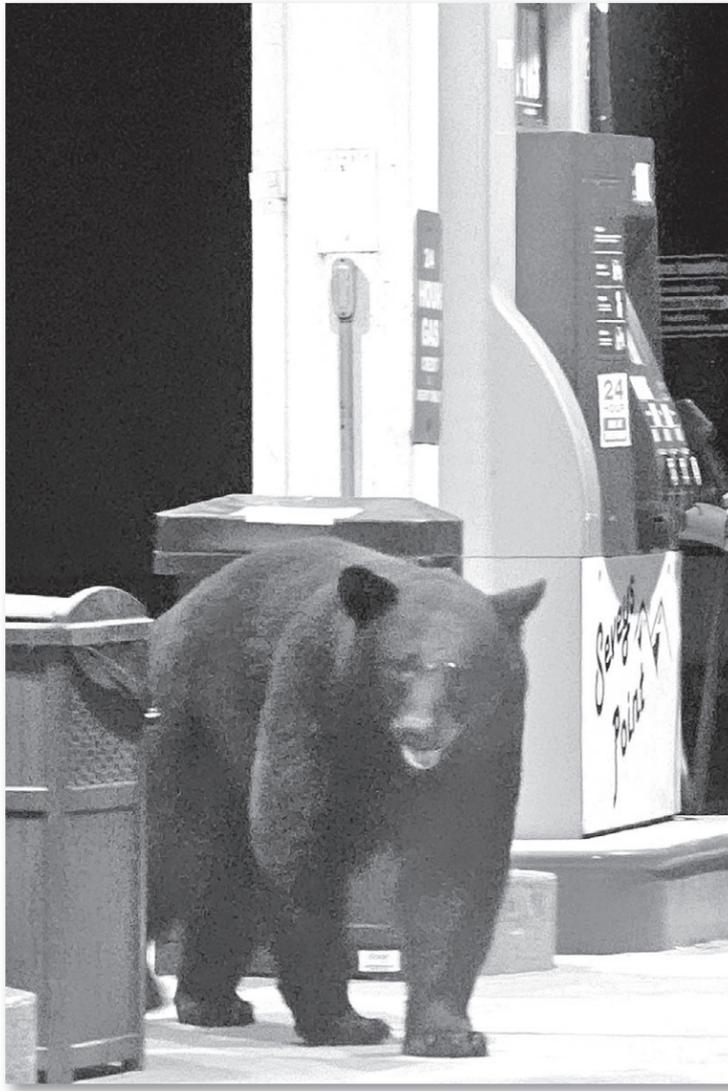
This year we were extremely grateful, therefore, to be awarded a very generous grant from the Rock Charitable Fund through the Northern New York Community Foundation. This grant enabled us to finally accomplish this very important maintenance of our window. The work is being done with meticulous care, under the direction of Ed Dehors, of the Historical Restorations Foundation. In April the window was taken from its frame, section by section, to be taken apart, piece by piece, for cleaning and any necessary repair, and finally to be reassembled and returned to its frame. We expect the window to be back home above our altar some time in August.

The people of St. Philip's would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the Rock Charitable Fund, established by Marjorie Rock, a long-time member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Ogdensburg, for the purpose of preserving the beautiful and historic buildings, churches, and cemeteries in our area.

Our thanks, too, to the Northern New York Community Foundation. Without such generous provisions, much of great value and beauty might be lost forever in the historic buildings of our communities.

We would like to invite all of our neighbors to stop by sometime and see our newly-restored window.

The Rev. Kathryn Boswell  
Rector, St. Philip's Episcopal Church



Erin Wilcox | Submitted

**Looking for midnight snack**

A black bear was recently spotted at Sevey's Point in South Colton. The young bear was spotted digging through the trash after hours, looking for a midnight snack.

**Thanks from Potsdam Snack Pack Program**

Thank you to all the individuals and organizations that supported the Potsdam Snack Pack Program during the 2022-2023 school year. Your generous donations allowed us to supply snack packs and lunch items to more than 340 students across the school district.

Our incredibly committed volunteers prepared and distributed 11,173 snack packs to students during the school year. Besides our fantastic core group of volunteers,

we also hosted "packing parties" so other groups could take part in preparing snack packs outside of regular packing times.

We were pleased to welcome the Potsdam High School Girls Varsity Volleyball team at the beginning of the school year, New Hope Community Church "Service Sunday" volunteers, SUNY Potsdam Teacher Education Student Association (TESA), and Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity and Phi Sigma Sigma Sorority from Clarkson University.

All told, we had a total of nine-

ty-nine unique volunteers during the 2022-2023 school year. With so many organizations looking for quality volunteers we are grateful that people still choose to work with the snack pack program.

We were extremely pleased to receive funds or services from twenty-nine different organizations, the most since our start in 2016.

A special thank you to the educators, staff members and students (including local college students), who always found creative ways to raise funds for the program. Whether it was a bake sale, car wash, dress down day, or collecting loose change, every dollar donated helped us fill a snack pack with a minimum of eight food items. We also received 1,844 individual servings of snack pack items from food drives hosted by six different organizations. The food drives are a big help as they help offset our purchasing costs.

Our next event will be the Back-to-School Fair on Saturday, August 19, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., at New Hope Community Church.

Families will have time to enjoy a fun atmosphere while collecting free school supplies. We are excited to have a venue where families can relax and enjoy free food, games, prizes, books, and so much more. Of course, this event would not be possible without the support of local businesses and organizations.

My time with the program has come to an end, but I'm excited that Lynzie and Scott Schulte, owners of Foster the Plant Café, will be taking over and bringing a fresh approach to the program.

Thank you for your incredible support over the years, I will cherish the memories of the many wonderful people who inspired and encouraged me along the way. It has been an incredible journey and walk of faith.

Laurell Brault  
Executive Director

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## Potsdam UPS workers gearing up for potential Teamsters strike

BY JIMMY LAWTON  
North Country This Week

POTSDAM — Potsdam UPS workers are joining their National Teamster allies in a potential strike.

On Wednesday, July 12, union members gathered in front of the Potsdam location for a “practice strike.”

Jeffrey Norman, Teamster Business Agent, spoke on behalf of Local 687 in a brief interview with North Country This Week Wednesday.

“We are putting the company on

notice,” he said.

The contract is due July 31, and UPS employees across the nation plan to strike if a “fair” contract isn’t brought forward.

Norman says UPS has the absolute power and authority to avoid the strike by bringing a fair offer forward.

“They are continuing to reward shareholders and forgetting about Main Street,” he said.

Norman claimed UPS made \$100 Billion in 2022, \$13 Billion of which is sheer profit.

He said many employees make just a bit over \$15 per hour, a wage he says doesn’t make ends meet in the current economy.

“These people have worked through the pandemic. They were called heroes. They were called essential workers. Many of them loaded vaccinations on the trucks when they themselves couldn’t get the vaccinations,” he said.

Norman said the company has not provided a kind environment for employees either.

“It’s not hassle free. It’s not an easy job to complete,” he said.

Norman said the current situation is “corporate greed.” Negotiations between UPS and the Teamsters union came to a halt recently, in part due to conditions for part-time workers.

A nationwide walkout by 340,000 UPS workers would be the largest strike against a single employer in national history, according to media reports.

The last time UPS workers went on strike was in 1997.

## Four practical nursing graduates

POTSDAM — Four motivated and focused women made up the first graduating class from the Isabella Graham Hart School of Practical Nursing recently.

Megan Cardinell, Mary Sue Foster, Chelsea McBain, and Alexis Sprankle spent the last 10 months attending the school located in The Quarry building on Elm Street in Potsdam, and have earned their Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) degrees. The LPN school is operated through the efforts of St. Lawrence Health (SLH) and its parent system, Rochester Regional Health.

St. Lawrence Health and Canton-Potsdam Hospital President Donna McGregor addressed the students during their graduation ceremony and told them how proud she and the whole of SLH are of them.

To learn about being a St. Lawrence Health nurse, visit <https://www.stlawrencehealthsystem.org/nursing>.



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## Fun times at the Festival

Sophia Bradley, Colton, cools off with lemonade from The Lemon-Drop booth during Potsdam Summer Festival. She also received a Dalmatian face painting at the festival.

## Property tax levy growth at 2%

For the third consecutive year, property tax levy growth will be capped at 2% for 2024 for local governments that operate on a calendar-based fiscal year.

State Comptroller Thomas P. DiNapoli released the data on July

13. This figure affects tax cap calculations for all counties, towns and fire districts, as well as 44 cities and 13 villages.

“Allowable tax levy growth will be limited to 2% for a third consecutive year,” DiNapoli said. “Although the rate of inflation has begun to decrease, it still poses a challenge for local governments and their budgets. As local governments spend down their one-time federal pandemic assistance, officials will need to carefully develop and balance their budgets for the coming year.”

In accordance with state law, DiNapoli’s office calculated the 2024 inflation factor at 6.26% for those local governments with a calendar fiscal year, well above the 2% allowable levy increase, and indicative of the higher costs facing these localities.

The tax cap, which first applied to local governments and school districts in 2012, limits annual tax levy increases to the lesser of the rate of inflation or 2% with certain exceptions including a provision that allows municipalities to override the tax cap.

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## Sweet Revenge on Norfolk stage

NORFOLK — The Norfolk Concert Series next performance is Saturday, July 22 and will feature the band, Sweet Revenge.

The band started with bassist Kevin Bosjolie, drummer Scott Barney and guitarist Matt French in 2006. Since then they have made a solid reputation playing songs that aren't the typical mix of what was overplayed. This set them apart from other bands at the time.

In 2012 they added guitarist Andy Deon to the lineup.

Mixing a selection of songs from such artists as The Tragically Hip, AC/DC, Journey, Collective Soul and many others.

Sweet Revenge takes great pride in giving audiences something different and something to remember.

The performance is free but donations are appreciated.

Contributions can be offered in person at the performances, via PayPal at [norfolkconcertseries.com](http://norfolkconcertseries.com), or mailed to Norfolk Concert Series c/o Chris Paige, 7238 state highway 5t, Norwood, NY 13668.

Donations (beyond what is needed to cover the cost of Season 2) will be applied toward the series' "Build-a-Bandshell" fund. All donations are tax deductible.

Info: [norfolkconcertseries.com](http://norfolkconcertseries.com); [norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com](mailto:norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com) or 315-244-7787.



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## Hot dog eating contest held

Two pound hot dogs and fries were wolfed down by six men at the hot dog eating contest hosted by Saint Larry's Bar and Grill during Potsdam Summer Festival. Among them was third place winner Gabriel Matthis, of Potsdam, pictured here. Elder Paopao, a missionary from California, took first place, with a finishing time of 12 minutes, 54 seconds.

## Pipeline Park turns into Jurassic Park

DEKALB JUNCTION — The DeKalb Revitalization Committee is turning Pipeline Park into Jurassic Park on Friday, July 21 from 7-10:30 p.m.

The fun starts around 7 with Lena The Lizard Lady who is bringing lizards, snakes, and other reptilians to talk about these "modern day" dinosaurs.

This is a hands-on event with photo opportunities for parents. For those not interested in cold-blooded animals, Lena is also bringing a sloth to the event.

There will be all sorts of dinosaur-themed activities as well as concessions for sale and free popcorn. This event is free to the public. Donations are appreciated.

Pipeline Park is located on Gibbons Street in DeKalb Junction (directly behind the Junction Supply hardware store on Rt 11).

## Fantasy Faire 4 to be held in Madrid

MADRID — Fantasy Faire 4 will be held July 29, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., in Madrid Municipal Park. There will be games, live music, vendors, entertainment, metaphysical mysteries, food and more. Come in costume and enter our costume contest. To benefit Renewal House. Admission is a non-perishable food item or monetary donation. Hosted by the Town of Madrid and Madrid Dam Music Series.

The event, which started in 2018, was up till now held in Ives Park. This year the Town of Madrid and Madrid Dam Music Series are hosting it the park.

Fantasy Faire is held to raise money and awareness for the Renewal House which works with women and families involved in domestic violence, and rape crisis.

The North Country Crusaders will host carnival games. There will also be contests, entertainments, workshops, food trucks and more. The Madd Hatter Cupcake Soiree will be at 10:30, with games, a craft, sweet treat and fun with the Madd Hatter.

Cost is \$5 per child and each ticket gets placed in a drawing for a prize basket worth \$75.

The Band Merryweather will join us at 11:30, Kosmic-konjurur and his assistant Mysteria will be entertaining us with their magical antics at 3 p.m., and there will be many acts of dance, music from our pirates, and more. Boma Ferra will entertain at 4 with his incredible drum and dance ensemble. Those attending can come dressed up in their favorite costume.

Info: 315-250-1070.

### BRIEFLY

#### Political caucuses slated

RENSELAER FALLS — Village of Rensselaer Falls Democrats, Republicans and residents are invited to attend caucuses on July 24 at the Rensselaer Falls Fire and Rescue department, 424 Rensselaer St. Democrats will caucus at 4:30 p.m.; Republicans at 5 p.m. Residents are encouraged to participate, discuss

local issues, and help shape the future of our community.

#### Youth Summer Camp

RUSSELL — The Hermon Theater group is having a Youth Summer Camp from August 13-19 at 6-8 p.m. at the Russell Theater, 8 Pestle Street Road. The event is free for ages 4-18 and interested parents

should register by July 1. To register, call Kaitlyn at 315-869-0302.

#### Bag sale underway

NORFOLK — Whistle Stop Thrift Store, 11 W. Main St., is having a \$5 bag sale on clothing/footwear until further notice. Store hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m.-noon.

## Ursa and the Major Key, Divided Roads to perform

NORWOOD — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Sunday, July 23 with performances from local touring groups, Ursa and the Major Key at 6 p.m., and Divided Roads at 7:30 p.m.

Ursa and the Major Key is an indie/psychedelic rock band from Plattsburgh, NY. The band fuses influences from classic artists including The Beatles, The Grateful Dead, Pink Floyd, and The Band, as well as modern artists like Whitney, Beach Fossils, and Levitation Room. The band has cultivated a 60s and 70s inspired sound in much of their music that pays clear homage to their influences.

Their debut album, Daytime/Nighttime, is also out now on Cricket Records. The album showcases an eclectic blend of influences filtered through the lens of indie and psychedelic rock. They have also been working recently on an album which combines feelings of love for your

micro community and concern for the health of the world; your macro community. That's the big theme for their coming album; reveling in the solitude and homegrown stability that you can create for yourself, while the world outside seems out of control.

For more information, visit their website: [Ursaandthemajorkey.com](http://Ursaandthemajorkey.com)

Divided Roads is an original/cover band that formed back in 2001, in a garage out of Potsdam. While growing up through the 90's, the band members were all heavily influenced by bands such as Alice In Chains, Creed, Tool, Metallica, Pearl Jam, and Rush. The band consists of Andy Deon as the Lead Vocalist and Rhythm Guitar, Brandon Snell on Drums and Vocals, Mike Forget on Lead Guitar and Vocals, and Dave Belile on Drums. The band has played many local venues over the years and has even traveled to gigs in NYC.

The series is supported by the Office of the Governor and New York State Legislature.

For further information consult the series website: [nvgcs.org](http://nvgcs.org) or call 315-261-2866.

## Youth in the Fire Service Day planned

WEST POTSDAM — The St. Lawrence County Youth in the Fire Service Day will be Saturday, Aug. 26, from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. at the St. Lawrence County Fire Training Center, 45 Blanchard Rd.

Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. Or pre-register online at <https://tinyurl.com/56pkzqp2> by Aug. 16.

Events include: firefighting history, CPR firefighter down, wet line hose advancement, donning & doffing turn out gear, forcible entry, and PPE decontamination.

Lunch will be served.

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6. Three.
7. Mount Olympus.
8. Carolina Reaper.
9. Insulin.
10. An animal with irregular patches

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Three of fifteen dragon boats launch from shore at Postwood Park to prepare for the start of the Raquette River Dragon Boat Festival races held at Hannawa Falls July 16. From left are "suPAhumans," "Different Strokes," and "Sustainable Dragon."

## Dragonboats race in Hannawa

BY CHERYL SHUMWAY  
North Country This Week

HANNAWA FALLS — Fifteen dragon boats, each holding 20 paddlers, a drummer and steerer, paddled together in sync with the drumbeats at Postwood Park on July 16.

A large crowd cheered on the boats competing in the second year of The Raquette River Dragon Boat Festival.

The event, organized by Clarkson University Health Services Program, in conjunction with Potsdam Town Recreation, raises money to support mission trips, health initiatives and health education in St. Lawrence County.

"Last year we raised \$13,000. We are hoping for \$15,000 this year," said Chris LaPoint, event organizer and Assistant Clinical Professor of Clarkson University's Physician Assistant Program.

"The money raised will fund new health initiatives," said LaPoint. "Last year we did a fitness program, Girls on the Run," for third and fourth grade girls. We are looking to add a yoga and mindfulness program in schools this year," he said.

"This event teaches Clarkson Health Science students how to organize events and it gives them something fun to do," said LaPoint. "It also helps promote local businesses and helps Postwood Park grow," LaPoint said.

First place winners were "Clarkson Hockey," a combined men's and women's team. Second place went to Ichor Life Sciences, a biotechnology company partnering with Clarkson University. St. Lawrence Valley

Paddlers' "Paddle to the Medal" team took third, and Canton-Potsdam Hospital's "Stroke Protocol" took fourth place.

Highlights of the event included two Buffalo women's teams made up entirely of cancer survivors, "Nina's Hope" and "Nina's Dream."

"The Hope Chest runs support groups that show what breast cancer survivors can do. It's a positive support group that started their dragon boat racing in 2000," said Anne Kist, head coach and organizer. "The teams' names honor their co-founder, Nina, whose spirit lives on with the 125 women who currently make up three Nina teams."

Several local catering food trucks were available, as well as music, corn hole, and raffles.

Dynamic Dragon Boat Racing, of Knoxville, TN, again supplied the boats and navigator for each competitor boat. Dynamic Dragon Boat Racing was the company which helped stage past events in Waddington.

Both LaPoint and Michelle Garrow, Potsdam Town Recreation Director, have plans to keep growing the festival. This year had an inaugural youth team made up of soccer students from Edward-Knox, Canton, Heuvelton and Norwood-Norfolk schools. They hope to engage more youth teams next year.

LaPoint is also looking for more business sponsors. Barstow Motors, Northern Tier Contracting, Leeward Physical Therapy and DeFelsko partnered with the Dragon Boat Festival this year. To donate, businesses can contact Christopher LaPoint: clapoint@clarkson.edu

## Poetry event planned at Potsdam library

POTSDAM — SLC Arts will host the first event of its newest series, Poetry with Purpose, on Tuesday, July 25 at the Potsdam Public Library, 2 Park St.

Each event will highlight a local author and bring a monthly offering of literature that links to activism, advocacy, or our North County history, and will offer a reading and presentation, an open Q&A, and a book signing and opportunity to meet the author.

This event will feature local poet Jim Bourey and his recent projects centered around the Lyon Mountain and Standish areas.

Bourey's poetry examines place and the human condition through storytelling.

His work explores the history of small places with the purpose of

keeping them alive in our collective memory.

He is currently working on a project that describes the history of Lyon Mountain, a small mining town in the northeast Adirondacks.

The collection examines the many viewpoints of folks as they aged and their town aged with them.

As a native of Lyon Mountain, many of his poems focus on generations of his ancestral family. Most importantly, Bourey's work is accessible; he believes poetry is an art that belongs to all people.

Bourey's newest book, *Out There and Back Again*, was released in April 2023 by Cold River Press.

In 2022 Season of Harvest, a collection co-authored with noted poet Linda Blaskey, was published by

Pond Road Press.

And in 2020 his first full collection, *The Distance Between Us*, was published by Cold River Press.

He is also the author of a chapbook, *Silence, Interrupted*, from Broadkill River Press in 2015.

His work has appeared in many journals and anthologies, in print and online.

Bourey is also a contributing editor for the *Broadkill Review*.

He was an adjudicator for the Poetry Out Loud program when he lived in Delaware. Bourey is active in the St. Lawrence Area Poets organization.

This event is free and open to the community.

## Mexican Bolero group to play at Norwood Village Green

NORWOOD — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Thursday, July 27 with a special performance from the touring Mexican Bolero group, Tres Souls at 7 p.m.

Beloved Los Angeles trio, Tres Souls has been capturing the hearts of Angelenos, one ballad at a time.

For the last decade Rocio Mendoza, Roberto Carlos, and Jesus Martinez have serenaded audiences in LA and beyond, with their own interpretations of a genre called "Bolero." They relive the vintage sounds and songs of the 1940s-1960s, stylized during the Golden Era of Mexican Cinema.

Each member of the trio is an accomplished musician, and each inherited the knowledge and importance of Mexican heritage music through their family and generations

before them. In their own way Tres Souls are following in the footsteps of other "Trio Romanticos", like Eydie Gorme Y Los Panchos, Los Tres Reyes and Los Tres Ases, while interspersing musical influences that can be heard echoing throughout the diaspora of Los Angeles.

"Through their expert musicianship and swooning vocals Tres Souls enchants audiences and transports them to a more romantic time." -The Music Center

For more information, visit their website at: [tressouls.com](http://tressouls.com)

These performances are supported by the Sweetgrass Foundation. The series is also supported by the Office of the Governor and New York State Legislature.

For further information consult the series website: [nvgcs.org](http://nvgcs.org) or call 315-261-2866.

## Rip Friot Memorial Race to paddle the Oswegatchie

HEUVELTON — Registration is now open for the Frederic Remington/Rip Friot Memorial (Rem I) Race July 22 at 9 a.m.

The event is a 10-mile downstream race on the Oswegatchie River from Heuvelton Boat Launch to Ogdensburg.

The course is flatwater, however there is one shallow water section by Eel Weir State Park and one short portage around the Eel Weir Dam at the 6-mile mark.

This race is sponsored by the St. Lawrence Valley Paddlers.

Race Details

Save \$5 by pre-registering before race day. Entry fees are payable by check or exact change on race day. Race day registrations will also be accepted for an additional \$5 fee. All participants must sign a liability waiver prior to competing. Launch is located at the Heuvelton Boat Launch off Lisbon Street/Horseshoe

Road in Heuvelton, NY.

Check-in begins at 8:30 a.m.

Race start times: First line, 9:30 a.m.; second line, 10 a.m.

Two buoys will mark both the start and finish lines.

Race finish is 12:30 p.m. at the boat launch, river left, under the Lafayette Street bridge in Ogdensburg.

Portable toilets will be available at the start and finish launch and landing sites.

Results will be posted following the race.

Preregistration race entry fees: \$20 solo canoe, kayak or SUP; \$35 tandem canoe or kayak; \$50 C-4 canoe; add \$5 for race day registrations.

Exact change or check payable to: Ogdensburg International Seaway Festival is due on race day.

Register online at <https://tinyurl.com/3hambx9n>.

## Summer Splash event set July 22 at SUNY Canton

CANTON — SUNY Canton is continuing its popular "Summer Splash" event for prospective students and families from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, July 22.

Summer Splash combines campus tours and information sessions with recreational activities like kayaking and water balloon tosses.

"Summer is one of the most beautiful seasons on campus, and we like to take every opportunity to invite guests to see for themselves what makes SUNY Canton special," said Executive Director of Enrollment Melissa J. Evans. "We have a mix of informative and fun activities that the whole family can enjoy."

The day's agenda includes discussions with admissions and financial

aid representatives, as well as a question-and-answer session with the president. Complimentary lunch will be provided, followed by a kayak excursion on the Grasse River and outdoor games.

Evans added that the college will cover application fees for any Fall 2023 or Fall 2024 prospective student who meets with an admissions counselor at the event. To learn more or to sign up, visit [www.canton.edu](http://www.canton.edu) or contact the Admissions Office at (800) 388-7123 or [admissions@canton.edu](mailto:admissions@canton.edu).

A second informational event is scheduled for Aug. 5. More information on the upcoming Saturday Visit Day can be found at [www.canton.edu](http://www.canton.edu).

## Agricultural tour planned in August

CANTON — St. Lawrence County 2023 Agricultural Tour will be Friday, Aug. 18, starting at the St. Lawrence County Courthouse Parking lot at 9:45 a.m.

Attire is casual; participants should wear closed-toed shoes and be prepared to walk a few hundred yards during the tour.

Lunch will be provided by The Blue House at Zufall Farm. If you would like a vegetarian option for lunch, let organizers know. RSVP by Aug. 15.

The tour will visit Never Tire Farm, 496 Murphy Road, Lisbon; Robert Zufall Farm, 20 Campbell Road, Lisbon; Woodcrest Dairy, LLC, 326 County Route 28, Lisbon; and return to the courthouse at 2:10 p.m.

The event is sponsored by Cornell Cooperative Extension of St. Lawrence County, St. Lawrence County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board, county Board of Legislators, and St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency.

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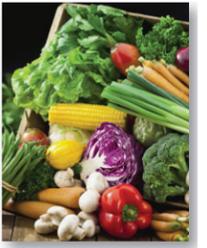
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## Farm to table tour

Cornell Cooperative Extension's Local Foods team toured Laing Family Farm of Potsdam as part of their farm-to-table initiative which offers free professional photo shoots to producers in St. Lawrence County who sell products to the public. Traci and Scott Laing offer beef, maple, produce and more in their farm store plus to accomodations for rent.

## How to share your extra garden

BY SARA TRIMM

Master Gardener Volunteer  
Cornell Cooperative Extension of St. Lawrence County

Nothing beats the taste of those first few harvests from the garden. The flavor and freshness, combined with the pride of having grown it yourself, just can't be beat... but when the novelty wears off, the freezer fills, and the excitement of processing your harvest turns into a chore, you might find yourself with an excess of wonderful food and no energy left to deal with it.

When you find yourself with an overabundance, you can share it with the people in our community who love delicious, fresh food, but have no means of growing their own. Here are some suggestions for connecting with them:

GardenShare has created a comprehensive interactive map where you can filter for food pantries and community meals. Locations and details are listed online at [gardenshare.org/food-guide](https://gardenshare.org/food-guide). United Helpers has a number of subsidized housing units throughout the county, and their house managers would be glad to talk to you about donating to the residents. Recovery and Safe Houses also welcome donations and reaching out to their respective directors would help you understand what they need most, or what they could consume.

There are many food donation options in every community here in the North Country. In my experience, these organizations and the people they serve are always grateful for fresh, nutritious food, even if you have enough for one family. Free will dinners sometimes provide "take home food" when they have extras, and your produce could be part of that offering. If we all share just a portion of our harvests, the impact will be staggering.

I recommend looking for an organization near you now, even if your harvest isn't ready. Find out who the best contact is, where you can drop things off, and what they will/can accept. Once you make that connection, when the busy harvest time arrives, it will be easier to follow through with the donation. When you create a connection with someone in your community who is doing wonderful work to serve your neighbors, I'm confident you'll be impressed with their dedication, and you'll learn about the real needs that are present right where you live. Those are the connections that make the world a better place.

Test it out this year to find your place, then as you plan for next year, consider increasing plantings of one or more crops that you can share. For most gardeners, the garden is our happy place and our therapy. By sharing our harvest, it also becomes a chance to grow our community.

## How to make strawberry popsicles

Homemade popsicles are a great way to share a treat with your family.

The sugar can be significantly reduced from the store bought version without sacrificing on taste. There are infinite fun flavor combinations to experiment with.

The variations below include strawberries, but other fruits available in northern New York include blueberries and raspberries, or even applesauce!

Contributed by the Harvest Kitchen at the Extension Learning Farm

### Ingredients

- 4 packed cups strawberries, fresh or frozen
  - 2 tsp vanilla extract
  - 1/2 cup maple syrup
  - 1- 2 TBSP minced herbs such as mint, basil, lemon verbena
1. Puree all ingredients until smooth in a blender or food processor.

cessor. Taste and adjust as needed.

2. Pour into popsicle molds until nearly full and freeze until solid

### Notes

- You can increase the amount of sweetener in the popsicles because cold foods reduce the tongue's perception of sweetness.
- Popsicles are flexible, experiment with dairy or lactose free substitutes such as silken tofu, oat milk, or coconut milk.

## Dragon Noodles

### Fresh, local, quick stir fry

Enjoy a quick noodle stir fry filled with fresh local vegetables melded with a tasty peanut sauce.

Techniques used:  
Stove top cooking  
Contributed by Laurel Balog

Time: 45 minutes  
Yield: 4 servings (15 minutes prep, 30 minutes cooking)

### Ingredients

#### Noodles

- 1/2 to 1 package rice noodles

#### Stir fry

- 1 medium-large bunch leafy greens (bok choy, kale, swiss chard, collards, etc), chopped roughly
- 1-2 cups chopped mushrooms (small button varieties, such as crimini)
- 1/2 cup small diced radishes
- 3 scallions, chopped
- 1/4 -1/2 cucumber, chopped
- 6-8 garlic scapes, chopped
- 1 package tempeh, cut in 1/4 inch- 1/2 inch squares (see protein substitutions below)
- 2 TBSP olive oil

#### Sauce

- 1 small bunch cilantro, chopped
- 3-4 TBSP peanut butter
- 2-3 TBSP soy sauce or coconut aminos
- 1/2-1 can full coconut milk or 1 cup regular milk
- 1 TBSP sesame or olive oil
- Lime juice to taste

### Instructions

1. In a medium bowl, combine all sauce ingredients and whisk together until a lightly thickened sauce forms. If the sauce is thick and doesn't spread well, add more coconut milk or milk to achieve a thinner sauce.
2. Cook noodles of your choice according to package directions. Drain and rinse with cold water.
3. In a medium to large pan, heat olive oil over medium heat. Cook tempeh until golden on each side, approximately 5 minutes. Remove from the pan and place onto a plate.
4. In that same pan, add additional oil if needed. Add in mushrooms, garlic scapes, and scallions. Cook until softened. Add in greens and



cook until wilted and slightly soft. Remove from heat. Toss in radishes and cucumbers raw for an added crunch or keep separate.

5. Assemble your dragon noodles either by tossing noodles, vegetables, tempeh all in one big bowl with sauce or place noodles, vegetables, and tempeh topped with sauce in individual bowls.

6. Top with a squeeze of lime juice and/or chopped peanuts if desired.

### Notes

- You can use any type of milk, sub approximately 1 cup of milk instead of the coconut milk.
  - To make prep easier, try a food processor to lightly chop radishes, cucumber, mushrooms, scallions, and garlic scapes. Process the radishes and cucumber separately from the ingredients that will be cooked so you can add them raw. Overprocessing will result in mushy bits.
  - Vegetables can be prepared ahead to be ready for busy weeknight cooking.
  - Cubed chicken, thinly sliced beef, shrimp, etc, can replace the tempeh.
  - Adjust sauce spicing to your liking - such as adding red pepper flakes, ginger or lemongrass.
  - Increase sauce as needed to coat the noodles and vegetables well.
- Find sourcing options for seizing summers' bounty in the GardenShare Local Food Guide, which covers St. Lawrence County, and the Adirondack Harvest Map, which covers a multi-county region across northern New York.



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## Parade, music, fireworks to highlight Seaway Fest

### FRIDAY, JULY 21

- MOVIE NIGHT IN THE PARK: LUNA: 8:30 p.m., Montroy Park

### SATURDAY, JULY 22

- RIP FRIOT/REMINGTON CANOE RACE: Registration 8:30 a.m., Race Begins 9:30 a.m., Heuvelton Boat Launch
- KID'S FISHING DERBY: 9:30 - 11 a.m., Wheathouse Bay
- SUMMER WINE & CRAFT SHOW: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Lockwood Arena
- FIREFIGHTERS' KIDS' GAMES: 12 to 2 p.m., Library Park
- CONCERT IN THE PARK, RYAN MCNALLY: 6 to 8 p.m., Library Park

### SUNDAY, JULY 23

- SANDBAR CLASSIC FISHING DERBY: 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Hosmer's Marina
- SUMMER WINE & CRAFT SHOW: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Lockwood Arena
- OSWEGATCHIE GOLF CHALLENGE: (pending construction) 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Trafalger Park
- BATTLE OF THE BANDS: 6 to 8 p.m., Ogdensburg Free Academy Athletic Facility

### MONDAY, JULY 24

- OGDENSBURG DANCE STUDIO PERFORMAN: 6 to 7 p.m., Library Park



### TUESDAY, JULY 25

- LIP SYNC CONTEST: 6 to 8 p.m., Library Park
- SEAWAY FESTIVAL 5K RACE: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Maple City Trail

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

- CLASSIC CAR CRUISE IN: 6 to 8 p.m., Library Park
- CONCERT IN THE PARK, JAYNIE TRUDELL: 6 to 8 p.m., Library Park

### THURSDAY, JULY 27

- TUG OF WAR: 6 p.m., Monnet Park
- CONCERT IN THE PARK, ATOM GHOST: 6 to 8 p.m., Library Park
- DUNKING BOOTH: 6 to 8 p.m., Library Park

### FRIDAY, JULY 28

- CONCERT IN THE PARK, AT ALL TIMES: 5 to 7 p.m., Library Park
- CONCERT IN THE PARK, COMMON REVOLUTION: 7 to 10 p.m., Library Park
- FIREWORKS SPECTACULAR, 8 p.m., Library Park

### SATURDAY, JULY 29

- SEAWAY FESTIVAL PARADE: 11 a.m., Ford St.

### SUNDAY, JULY 30

- 3-ON-3 ON THE RIVER: 9 a.m., Morrisette Park
- SEAWAY CRUISERS CAR SHOW: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Ford de La Presentation Area
- DUCK RACE: 11 a.m. Ogdensburg City Pool
- CRAFT & FARMERS MARKET: 12 to 4 p.m. City Property at Lighthouse Point
- CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT: 1 p.m. Ogdensburg Moose Lodge
- PETTING ZOO: 3 p.m. Ogdensburg Moose Lodge

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Fireworks light up the sky at last year's Seaway Festival display

## Seaway Festival fireworks return

The annual fireworks display over the St. Lawrence River – always an Ogdensburg International Seaway Festival highlight – return Friday, July 28.

Fireworks will begin at dusk when the sky is dark enough for viewing. The sun will set around 8:30 p.m., so go early to get settled in and secure your spot in Library Park. Be sure to bring blankets, chairs, and bug spray!

Food trucks and stalls will be setup in the park before and during the show.

## Tug-of-war, other events at festival

A tug-of-war competition will take place in Monnet Park at 6 p.m. Thursday, July 27.

Teams of 10 will compete against one another to claim this year's title as champs. Entry fee is \$30 per team. At least two team members of each team must be female.

Entries can be made online at [www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org/tug-of-war-signup](http://www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org/tug-of-war-signup) or at the Dobisky Center or Roethel's River Rat Design.

### Duck race

One thousand rubber ducks will hit the slide and race to the bottom at 11 a.m. Sunday, July 30 at the Ogdensburg City Pool.

First prize is \$1,000; second and third prizes are \$100 each and fourth and fifth prizes are \$50 each.

Buy a ticket with a winning number for a chance to win cash prizes. Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased in advance at River Rat Design / Roethel's on Ford Street. All proceeds benefit the Seaway Festival.

### Lip Sync Contest

A Lip Sync Contest will be presented in Library Park on Tuesday, July 25 from 6 to 8 p.m., sponsored by Buster's.

First place winner will receive a \$100 Buster's gift card. Second place winner will get a \$50 gift card and third place will receive a \$25 card.

### Cornhole tournament

Join us for a Cornhole Tournament 1 p.m. Sunday, July 30 at the Ogdensburg Moose lodge. The tournament will feature two-person teams and a double elimination format. Prizes will be awarded. Food and beverages will be available.

Entry fee is \$20 per team and can be made at Moose Lodge #814 or Roethel's on Ford Street. Call 315-393-3518 to enter by phone. Register online at [www.ogdensburgseaway-festival.org/cornhole-tournament-signup/](http://www.ogdensburgseaway-festival.org/cornhole-tournament-signup/)

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# Enjoy paddling, fishing, battle of bands, running at this year's Ogdensburg Seaway Festival

## Remington/Friot race

The Frederic Remington/Rip Friot Memorial, a 10-mile downstream race on the Oswegatchie River from Heuvelton to Ogdensburg, takes place Saturday, July 22, sponsored by the St. Lawrence Valley Paddlers.

Launch is at the Heuvelton Boat Launch off Lisbon Street/Horseshoe Road in Heuvelton. Check-in begins at 8:30 a.m., and races start at 9:30 and 10 a.m.

Race finish is 12:30 p.m. at the boat launch under the Lafayette Street bridge in Ogdensburg.

Entry fees in advance are: \$20 for solo canoe, kayak or SUP; \$35 for tandem canoe or kayak; and \$50 for C-4 canoe. Add \$5 for race day registrations

To register, visit: [bit.ly/3PWmGSx](http://bit.ly/3PWmGSx)

## Kid's fishing derby

A Kid's Fishing Derby returns to Wheat-house Bay Saturday, July 22 from 9:30 - 11 a.m. for ages 12 and under. No sign-up is required - just show up at the docks at Wheathouse Bay.

Worms will be provided.

Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Stangest Catch, and Sportsmanship. Lots of prizes will also be handed out.

## Sandbar Classic

The Sandbar Classic Fishing Derby returns to Hosmer's Marina Sunday, July 23 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Adult anglers can register for \$20 and fish for bass, walleye, northern pike and perch. The first 75 anglers will receive a free t-shirt.

There will also be a youth division for ages 16 and under, with registration of \$10.

Each angler can only submit one fish from each of the categories. Each fish entered will be weighed and its length recorded. Winners will be determined by weight and if a tie, the length will determine the winner.

Winners will be announced and trophies and prizes will be awarded at 3 p.m.

## Battle of the Bands

The Battle of the Bands competition will

return to the Ogdensburg Free Academy Athletic Facility Sunday, July 23 from 6 to 8 p.m.

Come check out nearby high school bands and a half-time show by Downbeats Percussion.

Please do not bring your own chairs - bleacher seating will be available. Admission fee is \$3.

The Athletic Booster Club concession stand will sell hot dogs, hamburgers, pretzels, cotton candy, nacho cheese, freezies, chips, candy, chocolate, cold drinks and cold water.

## 5k race

The Seaway Festival 5K Race on Maple City Trail will take place Tuesday, July 25.

The race begins at 5:30 p.m. at the Dobisky Center with a \$10 entry fee to benefit the Seaway Festival.

Top male and female runners will receive a trophy and medals will be presented to first place male and female finishers in each of the following divisions: walkers, youth (14 & under), high school (15-19), 20-29, 30-29, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70 & up.



Sean McNamara | NCTW

Marching bands, along with floats, dance performances and more will highlight the 2023 Seaway Festival Parade. Pictured is the OFA Blue Devils mascot with the OFA marching band.

## Festival parade set for Saturday

The Seaway Festival Parade starts at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 29, featuring marching bands, floats, dance performances, and more.

The parade starts at the east end of Ford Street at the intersection of Champlain and Ford streets and finishes on the west side, usually lasting for two to three hours.

On parade day, expect Ford Street to be closed about 30 minutes before the parade starts.

Chairs may be placed on public property only for anyone who does not have a private residence along the parade route.

## Wine, craft show at Lockwood

The Summer Wine & Craft Show takes place in Lockwood Arena July 22 and 23, featuring local wines, foods, crafts, wares and other items.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday.

A \$2 entry fee will be charged, with all proceeds benefitting the Seaway Festival.

All proceeds benefit the Seaway Festival. Hot food will be available from the 'Pig and Moo BBQ' Food Truck

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# WHAT'S GOING ON

## FRIDAY, JULY 21

### Double Axel

**WADDINGTON** — North Country favorite Double Axel will perform at the 14th annual Waddington Concert Series on July 21 at Island View Park from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Free, but donations are accepted. Info: Waddington Concert Series website and Facebook page.

### Jurassic Park

**DEKALB JUNCTION** — DeKalb Revitalization Committee is turning Pipeline Park into Jurassic Park on Friday, July 21 from 7-10:30 p.m. Lena The Lizard Lady is bringing lizards, snakes, and other reptilians for a hands-on event with photo opportunities. Dinosaur-themed activities, concessions, and free popcorn. Free, but donations appreciated. Pipeline Park is located on Gibbons Street directly behind the Junction Supply hardware store on Route 11.

### Stock car racer

**CANTON** — Albany-Saratoga Street Stock Racer Jimmy Duncan will visit

KFC, 103 E. Main St., Friday, July 21, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., to meet fans. All are invited to join Duncan to hear stories from the speedway, get up-close with the stock car, take photos, and get an autograph. Everyone in attendance will be able to enter a drawing for a KFC 8-Piece Family Meal.

### Seaway Festival begins

**OGDENSBURG** — The 2023 Ogdensburg International Seaway Festival has dozens of events scheduled from July 21-30 in downtown Ogdensburg. There will be a free Movie Night in the Park featuring the film Luca at Montroy Park Friday, July 21 at 8:30 p.m. Bring your own chairs & blankets. [www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org/event-calendar](http://www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org/event-calendar)

### Technicolor Dreamcoat

**MADRID** — The Arts Program of NNY at Christian Fellowship Center, 3662 County Route 14, will present Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat July 20 and 21, both at 7 p.m., and June 22 at 2 and 7 p.m. Cast of 46 community members. Singing, dancing, and a chil-

dren's choir. The play tells the story of a man who overcomes impossible odds and becomes a hero in his time. Tickets: \$5-\$15, [TheArtsProgram.Org](http://TheArtsProgram.Org).

### Women's cancer retreat

**POTSDAM** — A retreat is planned for women of all ages with cancer, newly diagnosed, in treatment or recovery at The Lodge at Dreaming Tree on July 21 and 22. Free to each participant. Holistic healing, arts/crafts, excellent speakers, and food. Begins July 21 at 6 p.m., with fireside chat and s'mores. On July 22, sound therapy, Reiki, acupuncture, arts/crafts, jewelry making, and pampering starts at 10 a.m. Pool, walking trails and fire pits. Info: [nurseflanagan@gmail.com](mailto:nurseflanagan@gmail.com).

### Holy Family reunion

**MASSENA** — The Holy Family High School (formerly of Massena) class of 1973 is celebrating its 50th year reunion. Events will be held Friday evening, July 21, and Saturday afternoon, July 22. Classmates may join the Facebook group "Holy Family High School Class of 1973" for more information. Former teachers, coaches, and staff who worked at the school while the Class of '73 was there are welcome to join. Contact Sara Marlowe Kardasz for details [kardaszara@gmail.com](mailto:kardaszara@gmail.com).

## SAT., JULY 22

### Rip Friot Race

**HEUVELTON** — Frederic Remington/Rip Friot Memorial Race is July 22. 10-mile downstream on the Oswegatchie from

Heuvelton Boat Launch off Lisbon Street to Ogdensburg boat launch, river left, under the Lafayette Street bridge. Check-in at 8:30 a.m. Race start times: First line, 9:30 a.m.; second line, 10 a.m. Race finish 12:30 p.m. Preregistration fees: \$20 solo canoe, kayak, SUP; \$35 tandem canoe or kayak; \$50 C-4 canoe; add \$5 for race day registrations. Register: <https://tinyurl.com/3hambx9n>.

### SUNY Summer Splash

**CANTON** — SUNY Canton will host its "Summer Splash" event for prospective students and families from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, July 22. Campus tours, information sessions, recreational activities like kayaking and water balloon tosses. Lunch provided, followed by kayak excursion and outdoor games. Application fees for Fall 2023 or 2024 prospective students who meet with admissions at the event will be covered. Sign-up at [www.canton.edu](http://www.canton.edu) or contact the Admissions Office at (800) 388-7123 or [admissions@canton.edu](mailto:admissions@canton.edu).

### Moore Trail hike

**WANAKENA** — The Laurentian Chapter of the Adirondack Mountain Club will hike the Moore Trail following the Oswegatchie River from Wanakena to Inlet on Saturday, July 22. The jaunt is a 4-mile round-trip hike with lovely views of the many moods of the river including a small waterfall. Families are welcome. Contact Holly & Neil Woodworth, [hswoodworth@gmail.com](mailto:hswoodworth@gmail.com), 315-848-2953 for details.

### Chiropractic consults

**CANTON** — Towle Chiropractic, 16 Park St., will host an open house event Saturday, July 22 from 9-11 a.m. Dr. Lisa Francey Towle will offer free consultations. Appointments will be available. Coffee, refreshments, meet and greet.

### Alumni luncheon

**HERMON** — The HDCS Alumni Association will host its annual luncheon at Lazy River Playground, 456 Lazy River Road, Saturday, July 22. Registration and social hour from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Horseshoes, shuffleboard, and mini golf with music provided by Marty Robinson starts at 1. Cost: \$25 per person; free for members of 2023 and 1973. Alumni who did not receive an invitation by mail, contact Anne Williams at 315-323-1390.

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### Sweet Revenge

**NORFOLK** — Sweet Revenge will perform for the Norfolk Concert Series Saturday, July 22 at 6 p.m. in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main Street. Free; donations are accepted. Donate, info: [Norfolkconcertseries.com](http://Norfolkconcertseries.com); [norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com](mailto:norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com) or 315-244-7787.

### Phil Hurley Band

**EDWARDS** — The Phil Hurley Band will perform at The Edwards Opera House, 161 Main St., on July 22 during Edwards Community Day at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Visit <https://edwardsoperahouse.com/tickets> for ticket information. Info: [edwardsoperahouse@gmail.com](mailto:edwardsoperahouse@gmail.com), [edwardsoperahouse.com](http://edwardsoperahouse.com).

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## SUNDAY, JULY 23

### Ursa, Divided Roads

**NORWOOD** — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Sunday, July 23 with performances from local touring groups, indie/psychedelic rock band Ursa and the Major Key at 6 p.m., and Potsdam-based rock band Divided Roads at 7:30 p.m. Info: [nvgs.org](http://nvgs.org) or call 315-261-2866.

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**Forest bathing walk**

**HERMON** — A forest bathing walk at Lazy River Playground and Retreat Center, 456 Lazy River Road, will be offered July 23, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. \$30 per person. Register through website lazyriverplaygroundandretreat.com or call 860-488-1895. Hosted by Lazy River Forest Therapy. Sarah Pickard, certified Forest Therapy Guide through the Association of Nature and Forest Therapy (ANFT), will guide.

**Brass Quartet**

**POTSDAM** — The Seaway Valley Brass Quartet will perform multiple genres of music at the Potsdam Public Library on Sunday, July 23 from 3-4 p.m.

**SeawayFest wine show**

**OGDENSBURG** — Two-day wine and craft show at Ogdensburg Seaway Festival will be Saturday, July 22, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. and Sunday, July 23, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at Lockwood Arena. Hot food available from Pig and Moo BBQ food truck. Entry fee is \$2. To sign up for 10x10 vendor spaces (\$45 for one day, \$60 for two days) contact Michele Morrison at 315-528-0332 or email craftsmmm@gmail.com. Proceeds benefit the festival. Info: www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org, or Chris Lalone, 315-229-8297.

**MONDAY, JULY 24**

**Creative camp**

**POTSDAM** — SUNY Potsdam's Creative Arts Camp at the college's performing arts center will be held from July 24-Aug. 5 for students in grades K-12 to explore artistic activities like drama, dance and creative writing. Info: Potsdam.edu/cac.

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**K of C bingo**

**CANTON** — Knights of Columbus of Canton, 30 Miner St., will host bingo on July 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. First call at 7 p.m. Admission is \$5 at the door.

**Vespers service**

**NORWOOD** — The public is invited to a Vespers service Monday, July 24 at 6 p.m. at St. Olympia Orthodox Church, 4 N. Main St., with Archbishop Michael Dahulich of the Diocese of New York and New Jersey, of the Orthodox Church in America. Food and fellowship will follow. Info: www.saintolympiaorthodoxchurch.org.

**Inlay artist speaks**

**POTSDAM** — Potsdam Public Library's Art/Work Speaker Series will feature renowned guitar builder and inlay artist Tracy Cox of Parishville Monday, July 24, 6-7:30 p.m. Tracy Cox Custom Guitars and Inlay combines Cox's skill and passion for art with his love of guitar. Music icons like Jimmy Page, John Mayer, Joan Baez, Roger Waters and Neil Diamond all have instruments with Cox's expert inlays. His work is featured in Guitarmaker, Fretboard Journal and Acoustic Guitar magazines.

**TUESDAY, JULY 25**

**Seaway Festival**

**OGDENSBURG** — The 2023 Ogdensburg International Seaway Festival has dozens of events scheduled from July 21-30 in downtown Ogdensburg. Lip sync contest, 6-8 p.m., Library Park; Seaway Festival 5k Race, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Maple City Trail www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org/event-calendar.

**Saint Olympia Feast Day**

**NORWOOD** — The public is invited to a

Saint Olympia Feast Day services at St. Olympia Orthodox Church, 4 N. Main St., Tuesday, July 25 with Hierarchical Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. [preceded by vesting at 9:30 a.m.]. Archbishop Michael Dahulich of the Diocese of New York and New Jersey, of the Orthodox Church in America will preside. Food and fellowship will follow. Info: www.saintolympiaorthodoxchurch.org.

**Poet Jim Bourey**

**POTSDAM** — The Potsdam Public Library will host Poetry with Purpose: Mining for History with Jim Bourey from 6-7:30 p.m., Tuesday, July 25. Bourey is currently working on a project that describes the history of Lyon Mountain, a small mining town in the northeast Adirondacks. Event will showcase a reading by Bourey, a visual overview of the history of Lyon Mountain, and an open Q&A. Visit potsdamlibrary.org to register.

**WEDS., JULY 26**

**Margarita Mike Duo**

**NORFOLK** — Margarita Mike Duo will perform for the Norfolk Concert Series Wednesday, July 26 at 6 p.m. in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main Street. Free; donations are accepted. Donate, Norfolkconcertseries.com; norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com, 315-244-7787.

**Free pork sandwiches**

**NORWOOD** — St. Philip's Episcopal Church, 42 S. Main St., will offer its monthly free lunch on Wednesday, July 26, from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. This month's luncheon will be pulled pork sandwiches, coleslaw and ice cream for dessert.

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**Summer Dam Jam**

**MADRID** — The 2023 Madrid Dam Music Series will feature the Summer Dam Jam, at SLPEN Equine Building on Wednesday, July 26 starting at 5:30 p.m.

**THURS., JULY 27**

**Books at the Beach**

**CANTON** — The Canton Free Library will host Books at the Beach at Taylor Park with stories, games, splash balls, hula hoops, bubbles, and fun on Thursday, July 27 at 2 p.m. Wear beach clothes for the splash ball soaking and plan to stay afterwards to swim and play. Meet at 2 on the grass to the west of the Taylor Park Beach on Miner Street. No registration necessary. Info: 315-386-3712 ext 4.

**Tres Souls**

**NORWOOD** — The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 50th Anniversary Season on Thursday, July 27 with a special performance from the touring Mexican Bolero group, Tres Souls at 7 p.m. Beloved Los Angeles trio, Tres Souls has been capturing the hearts of Angelenos, one ballad at a time. For more information, visit their website at: tressouls.com. Info: nvgcs.org or call 315-261-2866.

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Atom Ghost: 6-8 p.m., Library Park; Dunking Booth, 6-8 p.m., Library Park. www.ogdensburgseawayfestival.org/event-calendar.

**Free supper**

**POTSDAM** — A free community supper will be offered Thursday, July 27 from 5-6:30 p.m. at the Potsdam Presbyterian Church. All are welcome. Beef tacos, Mexican salad, tortilla chips, dessert, and beverages will be served. Sponsored by Trinity and Potsdam Presbyterian churches.

**Microburst**

**HERMON** — Microburst will perform at the Main Street Summer Music Festival on Thursday, July 27 from 6:30-8 p.m. The concert is free but donations are welcomed and appreciated. The band will perform at the pavilion in McBrier Park (near McBrier Park Manor at 103 Canton St.).

**FRIDAY, JULY 28**

**Seaway Festival**

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**Steelin' Country**

**NORFOLK** — Steelin' Country will perform for the Norfolk Concert Series Friday, July 28 at 6 p.m. in Norfolk Memorial Garden Park on Main Street. Free; donations are accepted. Donate, info: Norfolkconcertseries.com; norfolkconcertseries@gmail.com or 315-244-7787.

**OFA Class of '73 reunion**

**OGDENSBURG** — Ogdensburg Free Academy Class of 1973 50th Reunion will be July 28-30. Registration is Friday,

July 28, with tour of OFA at 10 a.m. Golf at St Lawrence State Park Golf Club at noon. \$20/person. Mail to 913 Morris St. Ogdensburg, or at the registration Info: 315-323-2610, 315-323-2008.

**Class of 1983 reunion**

**OGDENSBURG** — OFA Class of 1983 40th Reunion will be held at the Freight House, 20 Market St., Friday, July 28, 6:30-10:30 p.m. Cost: \$40, includes DJ, appetizers, buffet dinner. Info, RSVP: ofaclassof83@gmail.com .







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Office of Human Resources:  
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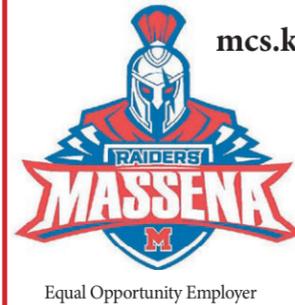
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Applications can be downloaded from the school website ([www.nncsk12.org](http://www.nncsk12.org)) or obtained in the District Office at NNCS. Please include a cover letter, resumé, copy of certification, transcripts, and letters of reference with professional application. **Deadline to apply is July 24, 2023.** NNCS is an EEO Employer. NYS Education Department fingerprint clearance is required for all appointments.



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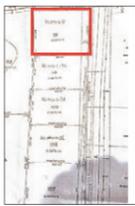
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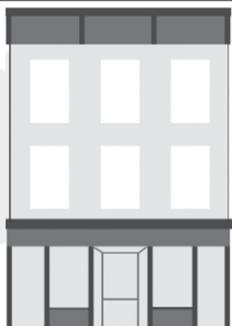
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## NOTABLE

Isabel Boyd, 2023 Norwood-Norfolk Central graduate, has been awarded the Rose Baldwin Memorial Scholarship from Amvets Auxiliary Dept. of New York. The \$500 scholarship is given to assist graduating seniors in furthering their education. The award is based on academic achievement and an essay expressing future goals.

## SUNY Potsdam faculty, staff garner Chancellor's, President's Awards

POTSDAM – SUNY Potsdam recently honored 16 faculty and staff members with the 2023 Chancellor's Awards and President's Awards, in recognition of their dedication and service to the campus.

This year, two employees received Chancellor's Awards, while another 14 were honored with President's Awards. The Chancellor's Awards for Excellence are SUNY-level honors, conferred to acknowledge and provide system-wide recognition for consistently superior professional achievement and to encourage the ongoing pursuit of excellence. The President's Awards are open to faculty and staff at SUNY Potsdam, including PACES Dining Services, the Child Care Center and campus Research Foundation employees.

This year's Chancellor's Award recipients were as follows:

Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching:

Professor Dr. Anthony "Tony" Betrus '93 & '94 is assistant chair of the Department of Business Administration, where he oversees the College's online graduate programs in management, educational technology and instructional design. A model of teaching excellence, Betrus has dedicated his career to teaching and supporting students through innovative programs.

Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service:

Michelle Martin-White is the administrative assistant for the Office of Student Affairs and the Office of Student Conduct and Community Standards. Through-

out her time at SUNY Potsdam, Martin-White has consistently demonstrated exceptional service to the campus community.

This year's President's Award recipients included:

President's Award for Excellence in Academic Advising: David Heuser, Associate Dean and Professor of Music Theory and Composition, The Crane School of Music

President's Award for Excellence in Adjunct Teaching: Patricia Burdick, Instructor, Department of Biology

President's Award for Excellence in Auxiliary and College Educational Service: Ashley LaRock, Potsdam Auxiliary College and Educational Services

President's Award for Excellence in Auxiliary and College Educational Service: Dustin Greene, Potsdam Auxiliary College and Educational Services

President's Award for Excellence in Clerical Service: Katie Logan, Administrative Assistant I, Division of Advancement

President's Award for Excellence in College Service: Patrick O'Brien, Director, Environmental Health and Safety

President's Award for Community Service and Outreach: Dr. Nancy Lewis, Professor, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice

President's Award for Fostering a Welcoming and Inclusive Campus Climate: Jessica Burnett '09 & '11, Director, Accommodative Services

President's Award for Fostering a Welcoming and Inclusive Classroom Environment: Dr. Jan Trybula, Associate Professor, Depart-

ment of Biology

President's Award for Excellence in Operational Services: Tammy Russell, Janitor, Physical Plant/Custodial Services

President's Award for Excellence in Professional Administrative Service: Mark Michaud, University

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President's Award for Excellence in Professional Service: Matthew LeBire, Assistant Director of Institutional Research, Division of Institutional Effectiveness

President's Award for Excellence in Scholarship and Creative Activ-

ities: Dr. Ivette Herryman Rodriguez, Assistant Professor of Music Theory and Composition, Crane School of Music

President's Award for Excellence in Teaching: Dr. Erin Brooks, Associate Professor of Music History, Crane School of Music

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## SUNY Potsdam Student-Athletes earn SUNYAC academic honors

POTSDAM -- The following Potsdam and Canton residents were among the 123 SUNY Potsdam student-athletes to earn a spot on the State University of New York Athletic Conference (SUNYAC) Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll for the 2022-23 school year. Athletes named to the honor roll had a minimum 3.3 cumulative GPA for the year.

They are:

Peyton Snell of Potsdam, is a sophomore member of the SUNY Potsdam Men's Soccer team and is majoring in Childhood/Early Childhood Education.

Alexandrea Quinn of Potsdam, is

a senior member of the SUNY Potsdam Women's Ice Hockey team and is majoring in History.

Keely Towne of Potsdam, is a sophomore member of the SUNY Potsdam Women's Ice Hockey team and is majoring in Business Administration.

Megan MacWilliams of Parishville, is a freshman member of the SUNY Potsdam Women's Lacrosse team and is majoring in Community Health.

Kari Hance of DeKalb Junction, is a senior member of the SUNY Potsdam Women's Soccer team and is majoring in Biology.

## Local Girl Scout Ambassadors

The Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways (GSNYPENN) Council recently recognized eight St. Lawrence County Girl Scout Ambassadors who graduated from high school during Member Year 2022-2023.

They are Destiny Bailey and Shelby Milburn, both of Madrid; Diamond Bishop of DeKalb Junction; Isabelle Gustafson of Canton; Hannah Hartigan and Gabrielle Hartigan, both of Norfolk; Alexandra McDougall and Lily McDougall both of Gouverneur.

Ambassadors are Girl Scouts in 11th and 12th grades and approximately 16-18 years of age.

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**Earns degree**  
NORFOLK -- Jude Lauzon, of Norfolk, received a Bachelor of Science in Health Science Studies from Quinnipiac University during a commencement ceremony held in May.

**On dean's list**  
POTSDAM -- Connor Gray of Potsdam was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2023 semester at SUNY New Paltz. Dean's List recognizes students who excel academically and earn at least a 3.3 grade-point average in a semester with a full-time course load.

**Elmira grad**  
NORFOLK -- Courtney North of Norfolk graduated Summa Cum Laude from Elmira College on June 4.

**Local graduates**  
Three Potsdam and Canton area students have graduated from Le Moyne College and have been named to the Spring 2023 Dean's List. To make the list, students must achieve a GPA of 3.5 or above. They are Riley O'Shea, of Canton, a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology; Brittany Parmley, of Potsdam, a Bachelor of Science in Nursing; and Octavia Viskovich, of Norfolk, a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry.

**On dean's list**  
CANTON -- Nicholas Estabrooks, a sophomore Biology major from Canton, has been named to the Spring 2023 Dean's List at Le Moyne College in Syracuse.

**Makes dean's list**  
Jude Lauzon, of Norfolk, and Emma Rutley, of Potsdam, were each named to the Spring Dean's List at Quinnipiac University in Hamden, Conn. To qualify for the dean's list, students must earn a grade point average of at least 3.5 with no grade lower than C.

**HVCC dean's list**  
Two students from Rensselaer Falls and a third from Hermon were named to the Spring 2023 President's List at Hudson Valley Community College in Troy. They are Olivia Sharpe of Hermon, who is studying in the Non-matriculated academic program; Zachary Platt of Rensselaer Falls, who is studying in the Non-matriculated academic program; and Andrew Platt of Rensselaer Falls, who is studying in the Non-matriculated academic program.

**MADRID ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**  
The Town of Madrid will be accepting bids for the replacement or repair of the roof on the salt storage building located behind the town barns at 3529 County Route 14 Madrid, NY. A certificate of insurance must be provided by the contractor. Any questions regarding the project contact Bill Barkley, Highway Superintendent at 315-322-5606 or 315-322-5760. Bids should be received by August 8<sup>th</sup> of 2023 to be reviewed at the upcoming board meeting. The Town of Madrid reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated: July 13, 2023  
Zoe Hawkins, Town Clerk  
Town of Madrid



**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.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**  
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: Liberty & Worth LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/14/2023. Office Location: 384 River Road, Gouverneur, St. Lawrence County, New York. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to Liberty & Worth LLC, 384 River Road, Gouverneur, St. Lawrence County, New York 13642. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

**CANTON ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**  
St. Lawrence County Community Development Program, Inc. is accepting bids for snow plowing services for the winter of 23-24. The services that are being requested are plowing services for 3" of accumulation to include the full parking lot (front, side & back) of our One Commerce Lane, Canton NY, 13617 office location. Contractors will agree to have snow removal completed on or before 5:00 AM, as needed. The service will not include sidewalks. The contractor must have liability insurance and be able to provide a copy for their file as well as a W9. We are requesting a per-push price, not a seasonal contract. If interested please submit a written proposal by August 18th, 2023. You may contact the Executive Director, Barbara Adams at 315-714-2800 for additional information.

**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 Porcupine Landing 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 Dan H LeSeure: 154 11th Pacific Grove CA 93950. 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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**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

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**  
Notice of Formation of Tidy Homes & Trimmec Lawns LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2022-05-24. 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 Tiffanie England: 508 Bull Run Rd Lisbon NY 13658. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

**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



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

**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

**NORWOOD REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**  
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) - VILLAGE OF NORWOOD INTERNAL AUDIT  
Sealed proposals for the listed services will be received at the Village of Norwood Clerk's Office located at 11 South Main Street, Norwood, NY 13668 until 2:00 pm EST on July 18, 2023 at which time proposals will be opened and read aloud. Provide cost proposal for the following services: TREASURER'S OFFICE Certified audit of financial statements and related filings for the fiscal year 2022-2023.

Proposals shall be placed in a sealed envelope with the following clearly marked on the front of the envelope:  
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"Request for Proposal - 2023-02 RFP AUDIT"  
• Date and Time of Bid Opening

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\*Proposals that are mailed using regular mail must be received by bid opening deadline. Proposals received after this time will not be opened or considered and will be returned to the bidder.

All parties submitted acknowledge compliance with standard clauses for NYS Standard Contracts which may be found at <https://online.ogs.gov>.

**Proposal contents:**  
• Name, address, contact name, phone number, email address of bidder  
• Detailed specifications of equipment/vehicle being offered in response with price bid. Price bid must include all components listed and delivery to Village of Norwood.

The Village of Norwood reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids received and to make awards in the best interest and value to the Village.

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**  
Notice of Formation of RWJ Investing LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 2023-06-22. 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 Russell W. James: 821 CR 25 Canton NY 13617. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**  
Notice of Formation of Moon Lake Getaways LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/13/2023. 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: Crystal A. Tulley, 2650 Hepner Ln, Elizabeth, PA 15037. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**  
**Sealed proposals** will be received at the St. Lawrence County Purchasing Office, where they will be opened and read aloud for; (2023-20) RFP Purchase and Installation of Gate Improvements & Safety Upgrades for St. Lawrence County Correctional Facility  
**Proposal Opening Date: Tuesday, July 25, 2023 @ 3:00 PM Est.**  
Detailed specifications may be obtained at the St. Lawrence County Purchasing Office, 48 Court Street, Canton, New York 13617-1169.  
We strongly encourage all vendors to submit proposals as soon as possible. Bidders will be fully responsible for the delivery of their proposals a timely matter. Reliance upon the US Postal Service or other carriers is at the bidder's risk. Late proposals will not be considered. It is our intent to offer this public proposal opening in Zoom format as well as in-person. Please visit our website 15 minutes before the opening at: [www.Stlawco.org](http://www.Stlawco.org) - visit the Purchasing Office page for the link.  
All proposals must be accompanied by a non-collusion statement. St. Lawrence County reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Please mark envelope with the appropriate **PROPOSAL ITEM AND NUMBER** and mail to:  
St. Lawrence County Purchasing Office  
48 Court Street  
Canton, NY 13617-1169  
July 13, 2023

**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 1<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., local time, in-person at the St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency office, 19 Commerce Lane, Suite 1 (IDA Meeting Room), Canton, New York 13617 and via Zoom meeting. 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:  
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NY USLE Canton Meade, LLC, a New York limited liability company (the "Company"), has submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") consisting of: (A) the acquisition of a sub-leasehold interest in an approximately 30.11 acre parcel of land, being a portion of a 54.8 acre parcel of land, located at 161 Meade Road, Town of Canton, St. Lawrence County, New York 13617 (the "Land"); (B) the construction on the Land of an approximately 30.11 acre 5.0 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 sub-lease of the Agency's interest in the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a 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 [lsibley@slcida.com](mailto:lsibley@slcida.com) and must be received no later than 10:00 a.m. one 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](http://www.slcida.com)) to access instructions to join the meeting and to find copies of the application and the cost benefit analysis.  
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# Crane graduate Fleming honored

POTSDAM— Acclaimed soprano Renee Fleming '81, a graduate of SUNY Potsdam's Crane School of Music, has been selected as one of five honorees who will receive the 46th Kennedy Center Honors for lifetime artistic achievements.

The recipients to be honored at the annual national celebration of the arts in Washington, D.C. this December are: actor and comedian Billy Crystal; acclaimed soprano Renee Fleming; British singer-songwriter producer and member of the Bee Gees, Barry Gibb; rapper, singer and actress Queen Latifah, and sing-

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Clifton-Fine Central School District  
District Office  
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Star Lake, New York, 13690

Any bid may be withdrawn without prejudice prior to the official bid submission time or any publicized postponement thereof.

Please visit [thebcgroup.com/bidding](http://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. **There is no cost to the bidders for digital copies.**

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Plan Deposit Policy, Plan Holders List, Pre-Bid Estimates, and a list of Addendums, if any, may be found at [www.thebcgroup.com/bidding](http://www.thebcgroup.com/bidding).

Access to the site for inspection of the work area can be scheduled by contacting Emerson Northrop via email at [enorthrop@cliftonfine.org](mailto:enorthrop@cliftonfine.org).

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 and Special Conditions.

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:

Date: 7/14/2023

Alison Benjamin, District Clerk

# Three SUNY Canton employees presented SUNY Chancellor's Awards

CANTON – Three SUNY Canton employees have been selected to receive the 2022-2023 State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Excellence.

These statewide honors are given annually in seven categories to

acknowledge consistently superior professional achievement throughout SUNY's 64 institutions. Campuses submit nominations that are reviewed by the SUNY Committee on Awards.

This year, Executive Director of Student Engagement and Leadership & Greek Life Coordinator Priscilla Leggette Collins received the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Professional Service; Associate Professor Christina Huie Lesyk received the

Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Faculty Service; and Administrative Assistant 1 Brenda L. Mullaney received the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service. They were recognized at the college's Faculty and Community Awards Dinner May 17.

Collins is a SUNY Canton alumna who began her career at the college in 2011 as the associate director of student activities and diversity affairs. She was later promoted to director of student activities, involvement, and leadership in 2013 before being appointed to her

current position in 2023. She was nominated for her compassionate leadership, outstanding mentorship of students and alumni, and dedication to providing developmental and enriching opportunities for students.

Lesyk joined the college in 2013 as an adjunct instructor and has served as both a lecturer and assistant professor before being promoted to associate professor in 2022. She was nominated for her contributions to the college, the community, and her field.

Mullaney worked in several roles

at the college in the 1990s before returning to SUNY Canton full-time in 2010 as a keyboard specialist 2 in the Student Activities Office. She then transitioned to her current position in the Residence Life Office in 2015.

Mullaney was nominated for her outstanding customer service skills and willingness to help develop policies that consistently improve the residential student experience. She is also credited with simplifying housing procedures so they are easily understandable by students and families.

**POTSDAM LEGAL NOTICE**  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to Town Law, the Planning Board of the Town of Potsdam will hold public hearings on August 1, 2023 commencing at 6:00 PM at the Potsdam Town Hall, 18 Elm Street, Potsdam, NY.

- Applicant: East Stream Associates LLC  
Location: Morley-Potsdam Rd. Potsdam, NY  
Tax ID: #64.003-1-32.11  
Zoning District: RA  
Review: The applicant wants to subdivide
- Applicant: Matthew Hafer  
Location: SH 56  
Tax ID:#64.004-2-8.3  
Zoning District: RA  
Review: The applicant wants to subdivide

Dated: July 18th, 2023

Jeffrey Murray  
Code Enforcement Officer  
Town of Potsdam

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY LEGAL NOTICE**

The resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, published herewith has been adopted on the 6th day of July, 2023, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Brasher Falls Central School District is not authorized to expend money or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the constitution.

A complete copy of the bond resolution summarized herewith is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the School District Clerk of the School District for a period of twenty days from the date of publication of this Notice.

Cindy Delisle  
District Clerk

**BOND RESOLUTION DATED JULY 6, 2023 OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE BRASHER FALLS CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT AUTHORIZING NOT TO EXCEED \$498,518 AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF SERIAL GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR INSTALLMENT PURCHASE CONTRACTS TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF SCHOOL BUSES AT AN ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST OF \$538,518, THE EXPENDITURE OF SUCH SUM FOR SUCH PURPOSE, LEVY OF TAX IN ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS IN PAYMENT THEREOF TAKING INTO ACCOUNT STATE AID RECEIVED AND TRADE-IN VALUE, AND DETERMINING OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.**

Class of objects or purposes: Acquisition of school buses  
Maximum Estimated Cost: \$538,518  
Period of probable usefulness: Five (5) years  
Amount of obligations to be issued: \$498,518

The Village of Massena, St. Lawrence County, New York will receive sealed bids for the **installation of flashing Project at the Massena Arena.**

Such proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at the Town Hall Building on **Monday, July 31st, 2023 at 9:30 am.**

The information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans and Specifications, Performance Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following offices:

- Village of Massena - Town Hall Building, 60 Main Street, Massena, NY 13662

Copies may be picked up at the Massena Arena by scheduling an appointment (315-769-3161), and may be requested via email at mmccabe@recreation.massena.ny.us.

The Village of Massena will utilize evaluation and selection criteria, based on the Village standard proposal process to determine and acceptable vendor.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all bids, or any part of any bid. Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed.

DATE: July 18, 2023  
Michael P. McCabe - Director of Recreation

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**Potsdam woman graduates**

Lashaka-Mani Hillary, of Potsdam, graduated from SUNY Oneonta on May 20, with a Bachelor of Science in Communication Studies. More than a thousand graduates who completed the requirements for bachelor's degrees, master's degrees and certificates of advanced study participated in three main ceremonies in the Dewar Arena of the Alumni Field House.

**Potsdam man on dean's list**

POTSDAM -- Nicolas Kelson, of Potsdam, earned a spot on the Dean's List for the Spring 2023 semester at The College of Saint Rose in Albany. Kelson is majoring in Cybersecurity at Saint Rose. Full-time undergraduate students, who complete a minimum of 12 graded credit hours and who achieve a semester average of 3.5 without a D, F, or Incomplete are eligible for the Dean's List.

**Goshen College dean's list**

NICHOLVILLE -- Lydia Stauffer, a junior History major from Nicholville, was recognized for academic excellence on the spring semester Dean's List at Goshen College in Goshen, Ind. The Dean's List includes students earning at least a 3.75 GPA, while completing at least 12 hours of coursework for a letter grade. Only grades from the designated semester are included in the Dean's List selection process.

**Norwood student on Dean's List**

Gavin Phillips of Norwood, was named to the Spring 2023 Dean's List at Hartwick College in Oneonta. Phillips is majoring in Criminal Justice and minoring in Forensic Science. To be included on the Dean's List is an indication of excellence in academic work. To qualify, students must earn a GPA of 3.5 or higher and complete a minimum of 12 credit hours during the term.

**Potsdam student on Dean's List**

Brittany Martin, of Potsdam, has been named to the Spring 2023 Dean's List at Roger Williams University, in Bristol, R.I. Full-time students who complete 12 or more credits per semester and earn a grade point average of 3.4 or higher are placed on the Dean's List that semester.

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4. ASTRONOMY: How many planets in our solar system have rings?
5. LITERATURE: The novels "Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn" are set in which U.S. state?
6. TELEVISION: How many seasons of "Star Trek" were produced for television?
7. GEOGRAPHY: What is the name of the highest mountain in Greece?
8. SCIENCE: Which plant produces the world's hottest pepper?
9. ANATOMY: Which hormone regulates blood sugar?
10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a piebald?

Answers found elsewhere in this paper.

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**Sudoku**

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

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- 8 Easy targets
- 12 Geometric calculation
- 13 "The Matrix" hero
- 14 Conspiracy
- 15 Elephant's ancestor
- 17 Sultry Home
- 18 Low isle
- 19 Pale yellow
- 21 Rice recipe
- 24 Colorations
- 25 Landed
- 26 Magazine staff listing
- 30 Leary's drug
- 31 Skin openings
- 32 TiVo precursor
- 33 Became an expert in
- 35 Actress Ward
- 36 — and crafts
- 37 Cancel
- 38 Where Gauguin painted
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- 42 Milky gem
- 43 Large dogs
- 48 Portrayal
- 49 Yale grad
- 50 Humdrum
- 51 Apple product
- 52 Game caller

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- 27 Always
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- 28 Rights org.
- 11 Jazz great
- 29 Colorless
- 16 Klutz
- 30 Reply to "Shall we?"
- 31 Impudent
- 21 Tropical tree
- 32 "Casablanca" role
- 33 Shadowed
- 22 "Casablanca" role
- 34 Writer
- 23 Pot covers
- 35 Writer
- 24 Long-eared hoppers
- 36 Perch
- 26 Philosopher
- 37 Actress
- 27 Always
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- 35 Writer
- 36 Perch
- 37 Actress
- 38 Actress
- 39 Each
- 40 Angelic light
- 41 "Dream on!"
- 42 Milky gem
- 43 Large dogs
- 44 Pub pint
- 45 Winter ailment
- 46 Distant
- 47 HBO rival

Answers found elsewhere in this paper.



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*Send letter of interest, resume and three current, signed and dated written letters of reference to Head Start, One Commerce Lane, Canton, NY 13617. Deadline is until the positions are filled. Head Start is an EOE.*

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### Student Conduct Officer

Are you considering starting or continuing a career in higher education? Do you enjoy helping others? **Come join our SUNY Canton Team as Student Conduct Officer!**

**Description of Duties:**

SUNY Canton is seeking a Student Conduct Officer beginning immediately.

**Responsibilities:**

Responsible for assisting in administration of the judicial process on campus including meeting with students to address violations of the Student Code of Conduct. Adjudicating at and advising during the judicial hearing board processes.

This position may have some evening and weekend hours as well as required regular emergency contact duties.

**Qualifications:**

Bachelor's degree required; Master's degree and/or three to five years of professional student affairs/conduct experience preferred. Successful applicants will have a strong work ethic, positive attitude, excellent communication skills and the desire to take on challenging work in a fun, engaging and ever-changing environment.

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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**RN/LPN:** The Registered Nurse/Licensed Practical Nurse under the direction of the Nursing Supervisor will collaborate with all members of the health care team to develop and maintain a high quality of nursing care. The RN/LPN will be accountable for the delivery of high-quality patient



### Library Services Supervisor

St. Lawrence University invites applications for the position of **Part-Time Seasonal Evening Library Services Supervisor – Library Assistant IV** for the ODY Library. Duties include: student supervision, public service, security, and technical responsibilities in the St. Lawrence University libraries. Responsible for specific circulation, periodical, and interlibrary loan tasks while supervising student workers and maintaining building safety and security. Assist patrons with research questions and schedule research consultations with librarians as appropriate. Close Owen D. Young Library 2-3 nights/week. Special projects requiring organizational and technical skills will also be assigned. Must be able to work independently to cover evening shifts until 1:00 am on assigned nights, with extended hours during final exams.

Schedule will include week and weekend evenings, days off will vary.  
**Qualifications:** High School Diploma required, two years previous work experience. Interested candidates please apply at <https://employment.stlawu.edu/>.

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**care. Status:** Full-Time, Non-Exempt. **Salary:** \$27.29-\$41.03/\$17.09-\$22.59 **Deadline:** Open Until Filled. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: [www.srmt-nsn.gov](http://www.srmt-nsn.gov).

**Lead Security Guard:** Under the direction of the Community Advocacy Program (CAP) Program Manager, the Lead Security Guard is responsible to maintain a safe and secure environment for the Safe Home Residents and staff by patrolling and monitoring the building premises and grounds. **Status:** Full-Time **Salary:** \$28,126.40-\$48,880.00 **Deadline:** August 2, 2023. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: [www.srmt-nsn.gov](http://www.srmt-nsn.gov).

Full-time Painter/Carpenter w/experience needed. Pay equivalent with experience. Available immediately. Must provide own transportation. Drug-free workplace. Must be comfortable with heights. 315.212.2871 to apply.

**The Town of Stockholm** is looking for a **Dog Control Officer** for the purpose of assisting, within the municipality, with the control of dogs and the enforcement of NYS Agriculture & Markets Law §113, Article 7 and the town's Local Law's on Dogs. Job duties include picking up licensed, unlicensed or sick dogs found in the street and transporting them to the animal shelter. Investigate complaints received from the general public, institute court action for violation of laws and ordinances; work with the Town Clerk on calling for late or overdue licensing and issue tickets. Must not be afraid of dealing with dangerous dog(s) or complaints. If interested, please see the Stockholm Town Clerk during regular business hours; Monday – Thursday 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM for an application. We will be accepting applications until August 1, 2023. Interviews will be held before the next board meeting, August 8th.



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**HERMON-DEKALB CENTRAL SCHOOL** is accepting applications for two food service worker positions. One position will be for 6 hours per day and one for 3 hours per day. Applications are available at <http://www.hdcsk12.org> or at HDCS. Please send Letter of Interest, Application, Resume and Letters of Recommendation 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 July 26, 2023.

**Liberty Utilities, Massena NY, is seeking multiple Customer Service Representatives** to support our growing Customer Care Team that supports our local and regional utilities. This position is responsible for handling incoming customer calls, processing payments, assisting and educating customers, and investigating issues. This is a union position with starting hourly rate of \$17.42, annual raises, bonuses, 401k matching, Cash Balance Pension Plan, 11 Paid Holidays, 3 Weeks Vacation, Comprehensive Health Benefits. Please visit our website for more information: <https://jobs.libertyenergyandwater.com/job-invite/4326/> To apply: Please use URL link above or send resume to Liberty Recruiting Specialist Giovanna Fregapane at [giovanna.fregapane@libertyutilities.com](mailto:giovanna.fregapane@libertyutilities.com) with subject line Customer Service, Massena. Thank you!

Bartenders, Servers, Bussers, Food Runner. Shifts start at 3:30 or 4:00pm. Send resume to [pamelatrez@gmail.com](mailto:pamelatrez@gmail.com). To schedule an interview for Cactus Grill, Mama Lucia & Maxfields.

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**LearnWell is accepting applications for a NY certified teacher to fill a 30 hour a week position in Ogdensburg, NY.** The certified teacher will work in a unique psychiatric health facility and treatment center, which involves working with pediatric and adolescent students in a small classroom setting and supporting them academically with common core subjects while they are receiving treatment. Position entails a 30 hour a week commitment, 6 hours a day, Monday through Friday 9am-3pm. The six hour day consists of three hours of teaching and three hours of administrative time. Salary range is \$20 - \$23 / hour. We offer a very generous package of paid time off including vacation time, sick time, and federal holidays. Additional benefits, healthcare plans, paid family leave options, 401K, employer sponsored life insurance policies, and annual grants for tuition reimbursement. Qualifications: B.A./B.S degree from an accredited institution, State Teaching Certification in NY. Comfortable working with students aged 13-18 year olds and sometimes students in K-6. Applications available online at [learnwellservices.com](http://learnwellservices.com) or call 774-205-5961.

**Stone-EZ Pizza** is looking for motivated people to work at a new restaurant in Morristown. **Need COOKS & WAITRESSES.** Creative, energetic people are a plus. Contact Jerry at [Marketing@thegreendoordispensary.com](mailto:Marketing@thegreendoordispensary.com)

**College Association, Inc. at SUNY Canton** has the following positions open for the Fall 2023 Academic Semester: **Clerk/Cashier**-Under the supervision of the Campus Store Director, the Clerk/Cashier runs register as scheduled, maintains store stock, inventories, merchandise and performs all house-keeping. The Clerk/Cashier will order merchandise as directed and is expected to assist in other areas as assigned. This is an annual part-time position. Days and hours of work are typically Monday - Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., 25 hours per week. During the first two weeks of each Semester hours could be Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Occasional evening and weekend work may be required as job duties demand. **Line Cook**- The Line Cook ensures quality and proper presentation of food in a timely manner; that food orders are prepared and assembled quickly according to recipes and procedures to avoid waste; and that the line is always stocked, neat, clean and safe. This is a full-time seasonal position based on the academic year and includes a generous benefit package. Part-Time positions also available. Send resumes to Nichole Todd, Human Resources Representative, College Association, Inc. SUNY Canton, 34 Cornell Drive, Canton, NY 13617 or at [oshea109@canton.edu](mailto:oshea109@canton.edu) College Association, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. All offers of employment are subject to the applicant successfully passing a background (including criminal records) check.

**Community Health Representative:** Under the direct supervision of the Program Manager, the employee will work with the NYS Women, Infant, & Children Program and Saint Regis Mohawk Health Services Health Promotion & Planning Program to assess the health needs of individuals and communities by; developing programs, materials, and events to teach people about health topics, such as managing existing conditions, evaluating the effectiveness of programs and educational materials, providing training programs for community health workers, collecting and analyzing data to learn about a particular community and improve programs and services, and advocate for improved health resources and policies that promote health. **Status:** Full-Time, Non-Exempt. **Salary:** \$33,820.80-\$63,960.00 **Deadline:** Open Until Filled Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: [www.srmt-nsn.gov](http://www.srmt-nsn.gov).

St. Lawrence County Treasurer's Office is in search of: **TITLE SEARCHER.** Salary: \$42,842 with benefits. This is a provisional appointment. The successful applicant will need to take a Civil Service exam and score within the top three interested candidates in order to be permanently appointed. Applications accepted until position has been

filled. Applications and qualifications may be obtained from the County's Website at: <https://stlaw-portal.mycivilservice.com/> or by calling 315-379-2210. AA/EEO.

Make a difference in a young person's life! The Police Activities League of Massena has immediate openings for full-time positions as: Director and Program Manager. Learn more and apply today at: [MassenaPAL.com/careers](http://MassenaPAL.com/careers)

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**CANTON TIRE Mechanic Wanted.** Must have own tools and willing to work hard. This is a full time position. We may also need a part time mechanics helper to maintain the garage and assist mechanic. Stop by with resume, or call Julie at 315-386-8114 to schedule an interview.

**EDWARDS-KNOX CENTRAL SCHOOL** has anticipated openings for **School Bus Drivers, Instructional Technology Coach and FTE Tenure Track School Psychologist** for the upcoming 2023/2024 school year. All certifications and pending certifications will be considered. Applications are due by July 24, 2023. Substitutes in all areas are also being accepted, this is an ongoing search without an application deadline. Applications can be submitted at [www.ekcsk12.org](http://www.ekcsk12.org). Transcripts should be sent to the attention of Brandi Graham, District Clerk, 2512 CR 24, Hermon, NY 13652

**St. Lawrence County Department of Social Services is in search of a Computer Programmer/Analyst.** Starting salary is \$47,856 with excellent benefits. This is a technical position responsible for generating and maintaining the operating systems, programs, systems design and other software required by a computer system and its user agencies. An employee in this class designs logic for systems programs and for modifications to the systems. This is a provisional appointment and the successful applicant will need to take a civil service examination and score within the top three interested candidates in order to be permanently appointed. Applications accepted until the position is filled. You can apply online at <https://stlaw-portal.mycivilservice.com>. Applications can also be obtained from the St. Lawrence County's website, <https://stlawco.org/Departments/HumanResources> or by contacting Human Resources (315)379-2210. AA/EEO

**FULL-TIME PARALEGAL POSITION** available at established law firm in Canton, NY. Duties to include real estate, estate settlement and estate planning. Successful candidates must have strong word processing skills, be detail oriented, self-motivated, reliable, organized with the ability to work under deadlines and in a team environment. Competitive salary and benefits commensurate with experience. Please email resume with references to [ewhite@silverattorneys.com](mailto:ewhite@silverattorneys.com)



St. Lawrence County Human Resources is seeking applications for:

# Personnel Officer

**Salary: \$78,980 – \$97,623/yr**

St. Lawrence County Human Resources is seeking applications for the position of full time Personnel Officer. This is a public officer position charged by law to administer the provisions of the Civil Service Law and Rules for the County and for all civil divisions including towns, villages, school districts and special districts. The incumbent will also administer specific Human Resource functions including benefits administration, civil service education, HR Information Systems (HRIS) coordination, payroll coordination, recruitment, compensation management, audits, and policy development. Administrative supervision for Civil Service related functions is exercised over all department staff. Note: In accordance with New York State Civil Service Law the Personnel Officer shall be appointed by the County Administrator (subject to confirmation by the County Legislators) for a term of six years.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

A) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Bachelor's degree in Human Resource Management, Business Administration, Public Administration or related field and five (5) years of experience in public sector human resource administration two (2) years of which must have been in a supervisory or administrative capacity, OR

B) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered university with an Associate's degree in Human Resource, Business Administration, Public Administration or related field and seven (7) years of experience in public sector human resource administration two (2) years of which must have been in a supervisory or administrative, OR

C) An equivalent combination of training and experience as defined by the limits of (a), (b), and (c) above.

Note: Possession of a Master's degree in public administration, business administration, personnel administration or related field may be substituted for one year of the required experience. Work experience in a unionized environment a plus.

Applications can be obtained from the St. Lawrence County Human Resource's webpage: <https://stlawco.org/Departments/HumanResources> or by contacting Human Resources (315)379-2210. AA/EEO

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**315-375-8814, ext. 21001**



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**Facility Operations Assistant 1 (Grounds)** performs routine equipment maintenance and other maintenance tasks and laboring duties, as necessary. 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.

Candidates should send a SUNY Canton Application, letter of interest, resume and three professional references to [hr@canton.edu](mailto:hr@canton.edu) or by US mail to Facility Operations Assistant 1 (Grounds) Search Committee, Human Resources Department, SUNY Canton, 34 Cornell Drive, Canton, NY 13617

**Closing date for receipt of applications:** Review will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

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## Assistant Director of Student Activities and Leadership

**TEMPORARY POSITION**

St. Lawrence University invites applications for an Assistant Director of Student Activities and Leadership position. This is a full-time, temporary position. The planned duration is approximately 3 months.

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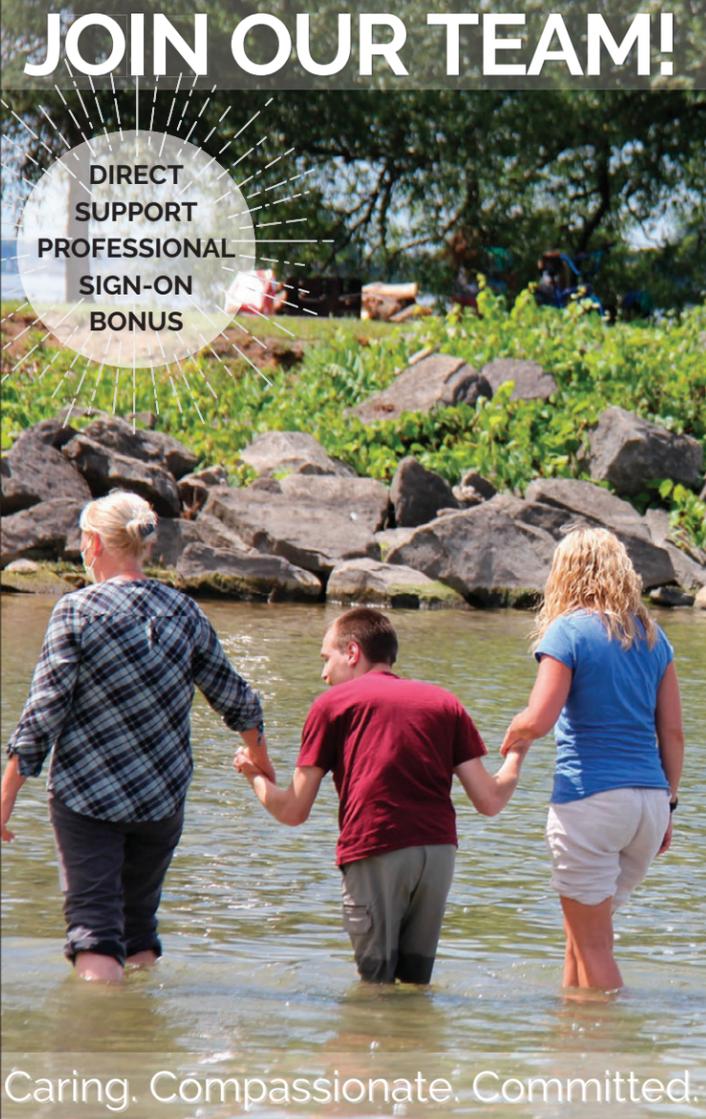
A valid driver's license is needed, as travel is required.

Northern Lights Home Health Care is supported by the consortium of Canton-Potsdam Hospital, Claxton-Hepburn Medical Center, and United Helpers Management Company, Inc.

To apply, visit [mynorthernlights.org](http://mynorthernlights.org) or mail resume to:

**Northern Lights Home Health Care**  
 Attn: Kathy Race  
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## Canton College Foundation Prospect Research Associate

### Summary

This position is responsible for conducting and facilitating research on individuals, private businesses, public corporations, and philanthropic foundations and integrating data gathered from various public and published sources into a computer system for retrieval and analysis. The Prospect Research Associate creates high-quality written research portfolios for use by the development team. This position is essential to enhancing the Foundation's ability to identify, engage, acquire, and solicit major donors in support of its mission.

### Job Duties

- Completes training and develops expertise in iWave, RENXT, LexisNexis, and other software used for prospect research.
- Stays current in the field by identifying and adopting best practices for prospect research.
- Establishes useful and reliable research methods, using creative techniques and a wide variety of biographical, organizational, and financial sources, as well as social media, public records, Guidestar, and existing SUNY Canton files and archives.
- Creates prospect profiles that provide relevant information and conform to the required format and style.
- Suggests prospects to development staff based on research and discovery methods.
- Participates in bi-weekly prospect meetings to share new prospects and understand ongoing gift officer prospect research needs.
- Attaches prospect profiles to constituent records in RENXT and sends update requests to the Director of Annual Giving and Advancement Services as necessary.
- Other duties and projects as assigned.

### Required Qualifications

- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to organize and coordinate complex projects.
- Collaboration skills and ability to understand needs of colleagues.
- Ability to meet tight deadlines and manage multiple priorities.
- Associate's Degree.

### Preferred Qualifications

- Prior experience in higher education advancement.
- Ability to synthesize and organize complex information into well-written materials.
- Experience with Raiser's Edge, iWave, or other donor research software is a definite plus.

### Starting Salary: \$45,000

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/>

The Canton College Foundation is an independent 501(c)3 non-profit organization that supports the students, faculty and staff of SUNY Canton. The incumbent for this position will be an employee of the Canton College Foundation, not SUNY Canton.

The college is located in Canton, a village in the St. Lawrence River valley of northern New York. Located 20 miles from the St. Lawrence River and the Adirondack Park, and 70 miles from the Canadian capital city of Ottawa, Ontario, Canton holds excellent opportunities for the outdoor or cultural enthusiast. SUNY Canton is a member of the Associated Colleges, a consortium of four colleges.



## Part-Time Dispatcher/Senior Clerk

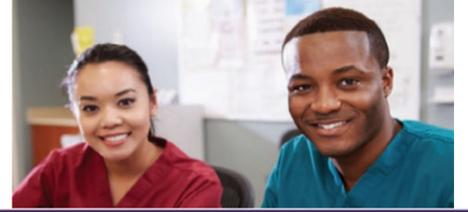
St. Lawrence University invites applications for the position of **Part-Time Dispatcher/Senior Clerk** for the Safety & Security Department. Manages department communication, provides clerical and record support to the department. Maintains radio communications with all shift personnel; monitors and records transmissions; responds to requests; maintains accurate locations of assigned personnel. Maintains log of activities as they occur; prepares and files incident reports. Prepares and files work orders; registers vehicles; and other clerical needs. Upon request conducts motor vehicle registration checks, security reports, and affiliation checks from department records for officers in the field or as requested by external agencies under emergency scenarios. Responsible for monitoring the card access control system, production of the University identification cards and for assigning appropriate access levels to card holders. Responsible for answering the emergency blue light telephones and emergency call boxes; and dispatches appropriate personnel to the caller location. Composes and sends Emergency Notification Alert messages to the campus community under emergency and/or testing conditions. Performs other duties as needed or as assigned.

**Qualifications:** High School Diploma (or equivalent) required; two years experience as a dispatcher or experience in an office setting preferred. Excellent oral and written communication skills required. Must be able to follow verbal and written directions. Must be able to deal with highly confidential matters. Must have ability to remain composed, multi-task, work in high pressure environment and during emergency situations. Must have experience working with computer applications, strong working knowledge of Windows applications preferred. Must be able to work evenings, nights, weekends and holidays as requested. Successful candidates must pass background check.

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## St. Lawrence Psychiatric Center



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# Licensed Practical Nurse

Make a difference in the lives of people with mental illness!

**Minimum Qualifications:**  
Current License or Eligible to Obtain New York State Licensure

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- Responsible for meeting production targets.
- Maintain and adjust equipment to maximize production and minimize downtime.
- Promote a safe working environment and follow all workplace and job safety procedures.
- Occasional lifting, pulling, or pushing heavy objects.
- Responsible for packaging integrity and quality checks
- Operates, adjusts, and cleans lines as needed
- Must work well with others.
- High school diploma or GED is required.
- 12-hour shift

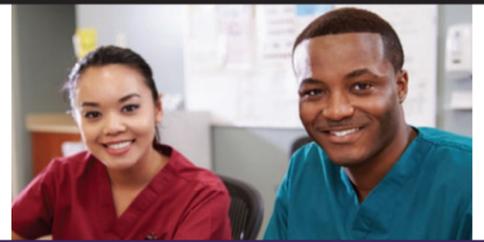
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**Plumber / Steamfitter**

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**Minimum Qualifications:**

Four years of full-time experience in plumbing 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 plumbing at a school, institute, or branch of the Armed Services; OR successful completion of the two-year Trades Specialist (Plumber & Steamfitter) traineeship or a two-year plumbing training, apprenticeship, or equivalent program\* such as the New York State Civil Service Employees Association-Partnership Applied Skilled Trades Traineeship and Certificate Program.

**Salary \$47,530 - \$58,016**

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**Ogdensburg City School District**

is accepting applications for the following openings for the 2023-2024 school year:

**\*CERTIFIED TEACHING ASSISTANTS\***

All interested candidates must submit the following:

- Cover Letter
- Application (can be obtained in the Superintendent's Office at OFA or downloaded from our school website)
- Resume`
- Copy of New York State Teaching Assistant Certification
- Original College Transcript(s)
- Letters of Reference (3 Current)
- Application deadline is **July 28, 2023**
- Failure to provide all requested materials will result in disqualification of the candidate's application

All requested materials are to be submitted to:

**Sabrina Charleston, Human Resources Secretary**  
**Ogdensburg City School District**  
**1100 State Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669**  
**315-393-0900 (p) • 315-393-2767 (f)**

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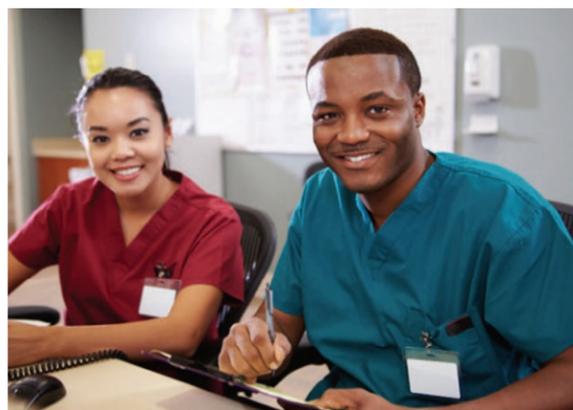
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# Psychologist

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**NYS Pension & Retirement Programs**

**Generous Paid Time Off**

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**Minimum Qualifications:**  
Current License or Eligible to Obtain New York State Licensure

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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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- Maintain and adjust equipment to maximize production and minimize downtime.
- Must work well with others.
- Promote a safe working environment and follow all workplace and job safety procedures.
- Must be computer proficient.

**Physical Requirements:**

- Occasional lifting, pulling, or pushing up to 50 pounds.
- Ability to work from heights, climb ladders, and work in elevated positions following company safety procedures.
- Bending, squatting, climbing stairs, and occasionally lifting items above the shoulders.
- 12-hour shift

**Benefits:**

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- Secretary to The Superintendent
- Board of Education Clerk

Application deadline: Until filled

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Complete applications can be emailed to [rriassetto@stregiscsd.org](mailto:rriassetto@stregiscsd.org) or mailed to:

St. Regis Falls Central School  
Attn: Rachel Rissetto, Director of Human Resources  
PO Box 309, 92 North Main Street  
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