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Massena talks traffic concerns

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
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MASSENA -- Massena village officials are weighing the pros and cons and placing yield signs around the Bridges Avenue and Elm Circle area to slow traffic after numerous complaints.

According to Department of Public Works Superintendent Marty Miller, he sat in the area for three consecutive days to assess the traffic flow.

Miller said the area is of concern and likely needs a few yield signs.

For Trustee Ken McGowan, he has seen first hand why yield signs are necessary.

McGowan commented that he has new neighbors in the area, noting there are "a bunch of kids in the neighborhood now."

"It's a raceway in the Ransom and Bridges area at certain times of the day, just like every street in the village," he said.



Massena officials say yield signs could help ease issues.

McGowan said he "gets it," but said there is a merge there that includes a village park.

He said his neighbor reached out to him to see if the police department and DPW could weigh in on the situation.

Though he wasn't sure if a yield sign would actually be effective given the traffic flow pattern, he did say something needs to be done.

"You go to Elm Circle and there's yield signs everywhere," he said.

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Dirty Gringo eyes Dobisky concessions rental

BY JIMMY LAWTON
North Country This Week

OGDENSBURG -- The Dirty Gringo is looking to rent the concessions at the Dobisky Center after plans for "Hole in the Wall" to open there fell through.

On Monday City Council voted in favor of holding a public hearing July 22 that would pave the way for the city to rent the facilities to Murray and Jenna Graveline who operated the Dirty Gringo restaurant.

Ogdensburg officials explained that Nathan Griffith, who had been approved to rent the property from the city, was not able to meet the timeline to get started, the Dirty Gringo operators were hoping to move forward.

The Dobisky Center previously housed 'The Window' eatery.



Prior to that, the city had struggled to keep a regular operator since its construction. Despite its location and negotiable price, it remained vacant from 2013 until 2021.

The kitchen is 389 square-feet in size and

includes basic commercial kitchen equipment and appliances such as refrigerators, freezers, grill, fryers and a stove.

Griffith had proposed renting the facility for \$500 per month through Oct. 31, 2024, but details on the Dirty Gringo proposal were not yet made publicly

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Ogdensburg recently completed a massive \$40 million modernization project at its Waste-water Treatment Plant, but it appears problems with the city's storm drains and sewage lines need to be addressed.

invested \$40 million in a water treatment plan that nearly flooded in the recent rain event.

Unfortunately, on Wednesday July 10 a flood watch warning was issued for the region and the weather report called for as much as 4 inches of rain, which is likely to cause problems for some residents.

City officials were set to meet with the Development Authority of the North Country and a Syracuse engineering

firm to discuss the issues on Wednesday.

Council has made clear they intend to address the matter, with Deputy Mayor Dan Skamperle referring to the situation as an emergency.

Although he wanted to see immediate action taken, other councilors said expert advice was needed before tackling a solution, which led to the meeting

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Parade fun in Morristown

The United Helpers Morristown IRA float, with its water guns, was a hit with the crowds wanting to cool off at Morristown's 4th of July parade. See more July 4 photos on page 5.



Lalonde Family Initiative announces recipients of the 2024 Lalonde Family Athletic Scholarships

BRASHER FALLS — The Lalonde Family Initiative has announced the launch of a new program, the Lalonde Family Athletic Scholarships, beginning with the 2023-24 academic and athletic school year.

The scholarships will be given annually by the Lalonde Family Initiative to outstanding local athletes in the North Country.

A goal of the Initiative is to encourage participation in scholastic athletics, which provide an opportunity for high school students to enhance their discipline, perseverance, teamwork and leadership skills.

With these scholarships, the Initiative aims to highlight the strong, positive bond between scholastic athletes, the North Country and its citizens.

The Lalonde Family Initiative is proud to announce award recipients for the inaugural Lalonde Family Athletic Scholarships totaling \$40,000 are St. Lawrence Central senior athletes Austin Mason, Kalissa Young and Ella Bellinger.

Austin Mason

Mason, a two-sport varsity athlete in basketball and soccer, finished his senior year as a Second Team All-Northern selection, two-year captain of the basketball team and the leading goal-scorer of St. Lawrence Central's soccer team.

Mason also earned Athlete of Distinction honors, which recognizes senior students who have maintained an academic average of 90 throughout their entire career.

Kalissa Young

Young is an all-around athlete at St. Lawrence Central, starting varsity all four years in soccer and basketball and three years in softball.

She has received back-to-back Second Team All-Northern selections in softball and basketball, and First Team All-Northern honors in soccer her senior year. Additionally, Young has been recognized as an Athlete of Distinction for her academic achievements.

Ella Bellinger

Bellinger has been a four-year member of St. Lawrence



St. Lawrence Central senior athletes, from left, Austin Mason, Ella Bellinger and Kalissa Young have been awarded the inaugural Lalonde Family Athletic Scholarships of 2024. At right is Derek Lalonde, who presented the scholarships to the students during a ceremony at Pike's Place in Brasher Falls on June 26.

Central's swim team, where she has served as team captain and received several honors including the Lisa Lane Award, Swimming Sportsmanship Award and Athlete of Distinction recognition.

She has qualified for the New York State Championship in swimming since her sophomore year of high school, and has earned a total of six First Team All-Northern selections and

seven Second Team All-Northern selections across a variety of events, including the 400-freestyle relay, where she broke the school record her junior year.

The Lalonde Family Initiative would like to congratulate each recipient on their athletic and academic achievements, which exemplify the values of the Initiative and the spirit of the mission.

Lalonde Family Initiative fosters scholastic athletics and service to the community in North Country

BRASHER FALLS -- The Lalonde Family Initiative was founded as a vehicle to foster the tradition of scholastic athletics and service to the community within the Tri-Town region of the North Country.

The Lalonde family consists of 12 siblings and children of Canadian immigrants, Omer and Yvonne, most of whom attended St. Lawrence Central beginning in the mid-20th century.

The Lalonde children were seen as leaders in scholastic athletics at St. Lawrence Central, and future generations of the Lalonde family have continued this tradition of athletic engagement and leadership.

The Lalonde Family believes sports create a connection between individuals, education and the community.

For students at St. Lawrence Central, there exists a unique connection between teacher, coach, student athlete and the community.

This network of support for the student athlete creates a model for forming well-rounded adults that feel confident remaining engaged in community and service.

With this goal in mind, the Lalonde Family Initiative has focused on enhancing access for St. Lawrence Central students to athletic equipment, opportunities, and funding college scholarships.



Karen Lalonde Ice, who originated the concept for the Lalonde Family Athletic Scholarships, speaks at a ceremony at Pike's Place during which the 2024 scholarships were presented.

Arships for student athletes who are outstanding citizens in the community and embody the values of this program.

The Lalonde Family Initiative strongly believes that scholastic athletics fosters a tight

and positive bond between North Country citizens and that participation in scholastic athletics provides an opportunity for high school students to enhance their discipline, perseverance, teamwork and leadership skills

The Lalonde Family Initiative has focused on enhancing access for St. Lawrence Central students to athletic equipment, opportunities, and funding college scholarships for student athletes who are outstanding citizens in the community

that will last long into a happy and successful adulthood.



Blizzard team participates in Morristown parade

The North Country Blizzard Travel Softball Team had a float of balloons at the 4th of July parade in Morristown.

Massena school switching to ParentSquare for communication with families

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

MASSENA -- Parents with children enrolled in the Massena Central School district will have a new communication platform for the 2024-25 academic year as the district looks to transition to ParentSquare.

Superintendent Ron Burke said the platform has "a strong record of improving communication between home and school."

The district's administrative team will begin learning how to use the program over the next few weeks to provide "better communication with all stakeholders," according to Burke.

According to Nicole Charleston, district director of curriculum, instruction and assessment, said multiple tools like ClassDojo and Messenger were used for communication purposes.

She said with so many platforms in play for communication with families, it became hard to navigate the information being sent to families, "especially if you have multiple children in different buildings."

Family, dog saved from fire

OGDENSBURG -- Firefighters saved a family and their dog from a fire on East David Street Tuesday evening.

Fire personnel responded around 7:15 p.m. to a reported structure fire, according to the department's Facebook page.

Heuvelton Fire was called in for more manpower, and Morristown Fire provided standby, firefighters said.

"Crews went to work immediately with probationary firefighter Barr on the nozzle and first through the door, crews were met with a heavy volume of fire on the first floor, as the initial crew from shift 2 worked to extinguish the fire, off duty personnel began arriving on scene allowing crews to begin the interior search," the post said.

The home was reportedly cleared of people and the family dog was pulled from the fire.

Ogdensburg Volunteer Rescue squad members administered oxygen to the dog through a special mask designed for pets.

The fire was determined to be out and all units were placed back into service at 9:06 p.m.

"As always we want to thank HVFD and MVFD for their quick

and dedicated mutual aide response as well as Ogdensburg Volunteer Rescue for their quick response and all the actions taken to help the animal in need. We would also like to thank the Ogdensburg Police department for their assistance on scene," the online statement said.

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Convicted of stolen valor, sentenced to probation, community service, fine

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
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MASSENA -- A former Massena man convicted of falsifying his military discharge forms has been sentenced to two years of federal probation.

According to a statement from U.S. Attorney Carla Freedman and U.S. Marshal David McNulty, Randall Montour, 45, was also ordered to pay a \$10,000 fine and conduct 200 hours of community service as part of the conviction.

Montour, who now resides in Cornwall, Ontario, was convicted of violating the Stolen Valor Act of 2013 after he took a plea deal Feb. 29.

According to a previous release, Montour admitted he falsified his Form DD-214 to show he received an honorable discharge from the U.S. Air Force, along with numerous badges, campaign ribbons, citations, decorations and medals. Montour

claimed he received the Purple Heart while serving as well.

According to court documents, Montour received a bad conduct discharge in 2001 and only received the Air Force Training Ribbon during his service. Montour admitted to altering his DD-214 in order to purchase and use Purple Heart Recipient license plates from the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

Montour also admitted to wearing an Air Force Uniform belonging to a non-commissioned officer, a rank he never achieved, while also displaying a ribbon stack with falsified awards, medals and badges he never won.

The case was investigated by the U.S. Marshals Service with assistance from the U.S. Air Force Office of Special Investigations, Homeland Security Investigations, U.S. Customs and Border Protection and the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Douglas Collyer.

July 21-27 proclaimed as Probation, Parole and Community Supervision Week

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

CANTON -- July 21-27 is Probation, Parole and Community Supervision Week.

County legislators issued the proclamation during the July 1 full board meeting.

According to the resolution, "community corrections professionals are trained professionals who provide services and referrals for offenders, and work in partnership with other community agencies to promote prevention, intervention, and advocacy."

Officials note that community corrections "is an essential part of

the justice system," with community corrections professionals upholding the law "with dignity, while recognizing the right of the public to be safe-guarded from criminal activity."

Community correctional professionals are responsible for supervising adult and juvenile offenders in the community and provide services, support and protection to victims, officials say.

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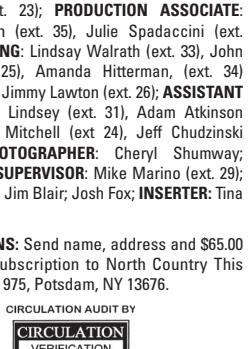
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Blue Devils perform on the 4th of July

The Ogdensburg Free Academy Marching Blue Devils perform for the crowd and judges at the 4th of July parade in Morristown.

92-year-old slain by vehicle

OGDENSBURG — The victim in a motor vehicle-pedestrian accident on July 3 was a 92-year-old Ogdensburg woman, according to Ogdensburg police in a press release issued on Monday.

Police confirmed that Roberta J. Hagerty, was killed after she was struck by a commercial vehicle on the 300 block of Ford Street around 2:26 p.m.

Life saving measures attempted

on scene by good samaritans and First Responders were unsuccessful and Hagerty was pronounced deceased on scene.

The investigation is ongoing with the assistance of the New York State Police Crash Reconstruction Unit. Assisting city police at the accident scene were the Ogdensburg Fire Department, Ogdensburg Volunteer Rescue Squad and St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office.

Business fails ID enforcement detail check

One business fails, 5 others compliant in St. Lawrence County underage drinking enforcement detail

State Police in conjunction with St. Lawrence County Stop DWI conducted an Underage Drinking Initiative in St. Lawrence County on July 5.

During the initiative six businesses were checked for compliance. One person was charged with first-degree unlawfully dealing with a child, after selling alcohol to a person under age 21.

Valero, 3681 State Highway 37, Morristown, was not complaint under the New York Beverage Control Law Section 65, prohibited sale to person under the age of 21.

The following establishments are recognized for their compliance:

- Dollar General, 3712 State Highway 37, Morristown
- Dollar General, 52 S. Main Street, Hammond
- Stewarts, 88 State Street, Heuvelton
- Dollar General, 6 Mcilwee Road, Heuvelton
- Price Chopper, 981 Ford Street Ext, Ogdensburg
- 711, 301 Champlain Street, Ogdensburg

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Pleads guilty to drugs, firearm crimes

HOGANSBURG -- A Hogansburg man pled guilty in connection with a drugs for guns trade that led to his arrest last summer.

Joseph Thompson, 37, pled guilty yesterday to possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance and possession of firearms in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime, according to United States Attorney Carla B. Freedman and Bryan Miller, Special Agent in Charge of the United States Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF), New York Field Division.

As part of his guilty plea, Thompson admitted that in June 2023, he arranged to meet another individual at a parking lot in Massena, for the purpose of selling marijuana in exchange for firearms.

Thompson reportedly admitted that he gave the individual approximately 18 pounds of marijuana in exchange for 7 semiautomatic pistols and ammunition magazines. During the transaction,

Thompson said that he was a "middle guy," and

that he had a contact in Montreal who would pay him approximately \$2,000 to \$2,300 for each firearm. Thompson was arrested immediately after the transaction.

At sentencing, Thompson faces at least five years and up to life in federal prison, a total maximum fine of \$500,000, and a term of post-imprisonment supervised release of at least 2 years and up to life.

A defendant's sentence is imposed by a judge based on the particular statute the defendant is charged with violating, the U.S. Sentencing Guidelines, and other factors.

ATF investigated the case, with assistance from Quebec Provincial Police, St. Regis Tribal Police, New York State Police, U.S. Homeland Security Investigations, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office, Massena Police Department, and U.S. Bureau of Industry and Security. Assistant U.S. Attorney Matthew J. McCrobie is prosecuting the case.

OBITUARIES

Curtis M. Connor, 66

Madrid

MADRID -- Curtis M. Connor, age 66, passed away after a brief illness on Sunday June 30, 2024, at Upstate Medical University Hospital.

In accordance with his wishes, there will be no public calling hours and services will be private and at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the Phillips Memorial Home in Madrid.

Curt was born in Colton, NY to the late Donald J. and Doris E. (Matott) Connor on August 4, 1957.

He attended Madrid-Waddington schools and was later married to Deborah Montroy, who predeceased him.

Curt enjoyed reading books, watching television, and spending time with friends and family.

He worked for several years as a self-employed handyman.

Curt had a life-long love of dogs and shared his home with many throughout the years.



Curtis Connor

humor and his affectionate texts. He also leaves several great-nieces and great-nephews and his last K-9 companion "Astro".

In addition to his parents and wife, Curt was predeceased by his sister, Diane Conran.

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

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Thousands of people turned out for a massive fireworks show at Gouverneur fairgrounds Wednesday to celebrate Independence Day. The sky lit up in many colors and loud booms wowed children in attendance, despite the on-off rainfall most of the evening. There were food trucks on site and a 50/50 raffle to benefit the local fire department. This year marked the 146th annual July 4 celebration at the fairgrounds.



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The Heuvelton Marching Bulldogs percussionists perform at the Morristown's annual 4th of July parade.



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High school bands, fire departments, floats and classic cars joined in the Annual Steve Spilman Memorial 4th of July Parade. A large crowd was entertained by local marching bands from Morristown, Lisbon, Heuvelton, Gouverneur and Ogdensburg. Fire departments came from Morristown, Brier Hill, Hammond, Heuvelton, Lisbon, Ogdensburg, Canton, and even from across the border from Prescott, Ontario. Following the parade was a classic car show, craft fair, kids games and a chicken BBQ. The Morristown Marching Rockets entertain the crowd at Morristown's 4th of July parade. This year's theme is Rockin' Out with the Rockets.



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The color guard leads the Ogdensburg Free Academy Marching Blue Devils in the 4th of July parade at Morristown.



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Ogdensburg residents Kristen Paquette and her daughter Olivia Bell enjoy Morristown's 4th of July parade. Kristen wears a commemorative T-shirt of her grandmother, Julia Paquette, a Morristown woman who died of cancer.

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Carol Anne Pelkey, 83

Massena

MASSENA -- Carol Anne Pelkey, 83, of Elgin Ave, passed away Sunday, June 23, 2024, at Adirondack Medical Center, Saranac Lake after a lengthy illness.

Carol was born July 24, 1940, in Bombay, the daughter of the late Patrick C. and Helen E. (McElwain) Pelkey.

She first attended Sacred Heart School before attending Norwood-Norfolk Central School where she graduated in 1958.

She moved to Michigan in 1962 working for the State of Michigan Library System for many years. She later started working for the Michigan Guaranty Agency, retiring as the Assistant to the Director.

Following her retirement, Carol moved back to Massena in 2008.

Carol was an artist and greatly enjoyed painting, playing video games, and playing the piano.

She was a communicant of St. Mary's Catholic Chur, where she was a member of the Small Bass Prayer Group, St. Mary's Outreach Committee and Bereavement Committee, and volunteered for the Massena Free Clinic.

Carol is survived by her siblings, Vernon Pelkey of Azle, Texas, Juanita McPherson of Massena, Terrance and Lily Pelkey of Victorville, California, Blaine and Linda Pelkey of Edmonds, Washington,

Virginia and Robert Barringer of Manchester, New Hampshire, and Stephen and Jennifer Pelkey of Brasher Falls; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Carol was predeceased by a sister, Penelope O'Neil and a brother, Walter Pelkey.

A Mass of Christian Burial

will be celebrated at 11:00 AM on July 8, 2024, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Massena.

Her family will receive friends prior to the mass beginning at 10:00 AM.

Burial will follow in Visitation Cemetery, Norfolk.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing may consider memorial contributions to St. Peter's Parish Outreach Ministry for the Gabriel Project or the Massena Humane Society.

Arrangements are under the care and guidance of the Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena, where friends may share memories and offer condolences online at www.donaldsonfh.com.

Mark J. Cameron, 71

Massena

MASSENA -- Mark J. Cameron, 71, of North Main Street, passed away peacefully early Thursday morning, June 27, 2024, at Canton-Potsdam Hospital.

Mark was born on November 25, 1952, in Massena, the son of the late John E. "Jack" Cameron and Mary L. (Horan) Cameron and was a graduate of Holy Family High School Class of 1970.

Mark was a self-employed contractor. He took great pride in his work.

Mark cherished his family and circle of friends, always lending a hand for any job, big or small.

He is survived by his brothers, Christopher (Gail) of Cohoes, NY, Patrick of Massena, NY; and his nephews, Christopher of Wash-

ton, DC, Trevor of Plattsburgh, NY and Michael (Emma) of Saratoga Springs, NY.

Graveside services will be held Tuesday, July 9, 2024, at 1 p.m. at Calvary Cemetery.

A celebration of his life will follow the services at Coach's Corner.

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Lynita Shere Hull, 43

Madrid

MADRID -- Lynita Shere Hull was born in Schenectady, NY the day after Christmas, 1980, the same day of an historic deep-freeze. Lynita was the first child born to her parents William Hull and Deborah (Hull) Forfa.

She was raised in Schenectady, and later moved with her dad, brother, Mark, & step-mother, Nancy Hull to a home her father built in New Baltimore, NY.

She was soon joined by two little brothers (Benjamin Hull and Jonathan Forfa) and little sister (Anastasia Hull). She loved them all dearly and was a wonderful big sister.

Lynita lived and worked in the Albany, NY area before relocating to Northern New York to be close to family.

Here, she met her fiancée Zachary Eng, who loved her very much.

Lynita will be missed greatly and remembered for her laugh, her devotion to nieces & nephews, her famous deviled eggs, her love for her cats, her work-ethic, and her presence at many family dinners.

Lynita is survived by her father, William Hull (Nancy) of Madrid, NY, her mother, Deborah Forfa (Peter), of Canton, NC, brother,

Mark Hull (Thuli) of Madrid, NY, brother, Jonathan Forfa of Asheville, NC, brother, Benjamin Hull (Liana) of

Madrid, NY, sister, Anastasia Cote of Norwood, NY, her fiancée, Zachary Eng (Madrid, NY) and numerous nieces and nephews. She is also survived by Jean Kaylor, Jean Oathout, and Janet Cem-

balski, grandmothers. Calling hours for Lynita were held on Friday, June 28, 2024, at the Phillips Memorial Home from 4:00pm until time of services at 6:00pm.

Burial to take place at the convenience of the family.

Her faith was in Jesus, and we rejoice she is at rest in His everlasting arms.

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

Madrid, NY, sister, Barbara Viskovich at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Rev. Leo Wiley, officiating.

Paul worked at General Motors for many years until its closure. He was also a local businessman who owned and operated Skin Stitch in Massena and was a co-owner of Nadeau's.

Paul was a member of the Elks Lodge and an avid Boston Bruins Hockey fan. He enjoyed traveling,

and was a wonderful big sister.

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Madrid, NY, sister, Barbara Viskovich at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Rev. Leo Wiley, officiating.

Paul worked at General Motors for many years until its closure. He was also a local businessman who owned and operated Skin Stitch in Massena and was a co-owner of Nadeau's.

Paul was a member of the Elks Lodge and an avid Boston Bruins Hockey fan. He enjoyed traveling,

RECENT DEATHS

RITA RINKE, 82, Massena. June 28.

PAUL MORROW, 81, Massena, July 1. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

TRACI JONES, 43, formerly of

Lisbon, July 2. Arrangements with Fox & Murray Funeral Home, Ogdensburg.

JOHN PERAZZO, 77, Massena, July 3. Arrangements with Buck Funeral Home, Norwood.

Beverly M. Putnam, 91

formerly of Rensselaer Falls

odist Church in Ogdensburg, New York.

They moved to Fort Benning, Georgia, where her husband was serving in the United States Army from 1952 to 1954 before returning to Heuvelton and then moving to Rensselaer Falls where they raised their

three children Donna, Wayne and Diane.

Surviving are a daughter, Donna

and Pedro Alvarez, Ogdensburg,

NY, a son, Wayne and Barbara Putnam, Auburn, NY and a daughter,

Diane Putnam-Reed, Sebastian,

FL. Sisters Edna Lake, Heuvelton,

NY and Frances Countrymen, Louisiana; and a sister-in-law, Trudy Bishop; seven grandchildren; and fourteen great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She is preceded by her husband, Merle Putnam; parents, Franklin and Jessie Bishop; a brother, George Bishop, who passed two weeks after Beverly; and son-in-law, Eugene (Gene) Reed.

Beverly loved her family and spending time with them making memories.

She loved baking with her great grandchildren, showing them how to roll out the cookie dough, pie crust and teaching them how to make the perfect raspberry pie. It made her so happy when she would get a call asking how to make her cabbage salad, fruit salad, spaghetti sauce and her homemade meatballs.

She also enjoyed gardening, diamond art, board games, puzzles, watching movies and rides in the golf cart.

Online Condolences can be made at, www.islandcremations.com.

In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to the Rensselaer Falls Volunteer Fire Department in Our Mother's Name.

Shirley M. O'Neil, 85

Waddington

NY; her sister-in-law, Peggy (John) Langford of Chase Mills, NY; and her brother-in-law, William (Pat)

O'Neil of Chase Mills, NY,

sister-in-law, Kathleen O'Neil of Pittsford, NY;

several grandchildren, great

grandchildren, nieces, nephews

and cousins. Her nephew Joseph Tiernan who

was like a brother to her.

She was predeceased by her husband, John T.

O'Neil Sr., granddaughter, Jennifer O'Neil, sons-in-law, Charles F.

Zackman IV, and Brian Deshane;

brothers, Joseph Ellis, Elmer, Paul,

Henry, John (Melvin), Calvin Jr.,

and Jay, sisters, Dorothy Prashaw,

and Jean Tiernan, and Barbara Price,

sister-in-law, Shirley O'Neil, brothers-in-law, Francis O'Neil, Charles O'Neil, Maurice Tiernan, Donald

Price and Benny Prashaw.

Shirley's legacy continues through the memories she created with her family and friends.

Please join the family in honoring Shirley's life and sharing fond memories at the calling hours held at Phillips Memorial Home, Waddington, NY from 6-8pm on Thursday July 11, 2024, and funeral at 11:00am on Friday, July 12, 2024, at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Rev. Garry Giroux presiding.

A graveside service immediately following in St. Mary's Cemetery, Waddington

Friends and family are welcome to share memories, photos and condolences online by, visiting PhillipsMemorial.com.

Paul B. Morrow, 81

Massena

having spent a month in Egypt and China as well as vacations to Costa Rica. Additionally, Paul enjoyed

Sea-Dooing, car rides, playing

cards, and his pets.

Paul is survived by his daughter and

her companion, Heather Morrow and JT Lamkin,

of Ithaca; his wife, Barbara

of Massena; his sister, Maureen

Terrance of Massena; and his nieces

and nephews, Pat Breen, Julie

Cooke, Peter and Trina Terrance,

Patrick, Michael, and Maureen

Leary.

In addition to his parents, he was

precedeased by two sisters, Martha Connors and Patricia Matthews.

There will be no calling hours.

A Memorial Mass will be cel-

brated Friday 2:00 PM at St.

Mary's Catholic Church, Massena.

A celebration of his life will follow

the services beginning at 3:00 PM

at the Elks Lodge, Bowers Street,

Massena.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing may consider memorial contributions to be made in his memory to the Massena Humane Society.

Arrangements are under the care and guidance of the Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena, where friends may offer condolences and share memories online at www.donaldsonfh.com.

ALEX LAFRANCE, 56, Akwe-

sasne, July 7. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Mas-

sena.

PATRICIA TOCATLIAN, 81, Morristown, July 7. Arrangements with Frary Funeral Home, Ogdensburg.

MARIE MORLEY, 92, Ogdensburg, July 7. Arrangements with Fox & Murray Funeral Home, Ogdensburg.

Too many pets, not enough volunteers at Potsdam Humane Society

BY MATT LINDSEY
North Country This Week

POTSDAM -- If the meows and barks seem a bit louder at the local animal shelter, there is a good reason. Too many homeless pets.

The Potsdam Humane Society is full, nearly unable to accept any pets that may come through their doors.

On top of that, the number of volunteers needed to take care of the animals is shrinking, according to Eudora Watson, Potsdam Humane Society Animal Enrichment and Adoption Volunteer Coordinator.

College students often fill in the gaps volunteering during the year, but their time begins to trail off in late winter and ends in summer, she said.

"Retirees and those 16 and up make excellent volunteers, and so do those under 16 who volunteer with a responsible adult who has also done the training," Watson said.

Children over the age of 13 are eligible to volunteer at the shelter, pending a few hours of training by shelter staff. It could be a great opportunity for a team, or organization to provide community service by walking dogs, and petting cats.

The shelter, located at 17 Madrid Ave., displays 16 dogs in their adoption area, but they are caring for more than 30 other dogs in other areas of the facility, according to Bob Stewart, shelter volunteer.

Felines have it as bad, he said. The shelter is caring for well over

100 cats and kittens with minimal space to handle any emergency situations if they arise.

Cats and dogs are now filling space once dedicated to other pets such as birds, small rodents and ferrets. The shelter simply does not have the time or resources to care for and offer other kinds of animals.

Rising costs

Large litters of puppies and kittens, drop-offs and the economy all have contributed to the recent influx of animals, Watson said.

"People just can't afford pets," she said.

To help offset costs, the shelter recently held a "Pittie Party" where all pit bull breeds were 30% off. The shelter also has a food pantry for pets to help people get by.

Stewart has started creating short videos on their social media page highlighting each dog's personality.

This allows people to view the dogs prior to meeting them, eliminating some stress on the dogs and even the adopting family in the process, he said.

Walking into the kennel, dogs can act seemingly aggressive, when all they really want is to get near you to play with you, Watson said.

Watson, who trains dogs, said body language between aggression and playfulness is a fine line but there are ways to help dogs remain more calm.

Treats, minimal eye contact with the dogs and respect go a long way.

Adoption programs

How can you help? If able, adopt a pet, volunteer time or donate money or pet goods to the shelter.

Ideally, adoption of an animal is the best outcome for the shelter, the animals, and hopefully the person or family adopting it.

The shelter offers several programs that can make it easier to transition to live with a new pet.

The Seniors for Seniors program allows any person over age 60 to adopt a pet that is seven years or older for free.

Similarly, a Veteran's Adoption Program waives adoption fees for active duty or veterans of the military.

A third program can benefit everyone.

The Foster to Adopt Program allows a pet to enter a home with the intent to adopt, but to allow people and pets to see if they are a good fit.

This program also benefits the shelter by freeing up space, and resources.

Time is precious, especially for animals with short lifespans. Getting pets ready to get out the door to forever homes requires lots of time from volunteers.

Volunteers needed

Volunteers are needed to socialize, walk and train the animals. For those not ready for that commitment, the shelter can always use help with laundry, maintenance, clerical services and manpower in their Best Friends Thrift Store,

which also serves as a source of income.

"We currently have 5-7 volunteers in any given month who work with our dogs. Ideally, we'd have 15 volunteers who came to the shelter at least four hours a month to work with the dogs," Watson said.

Working with dogs includes walking them, offering them quiet one-on-one time, playing games like fetch, and incorporating basic training in all interactions.

"Some dogs are quite shy and need a quiet, patient person to help them develop trust, and our youngest dogs benefit socially from meeting all types of people," Watson said.

The shelter has agility equipment available for those who either know how to use that equipment or would like to learn.

"We offer levels of training for

those who want to advance their dog handling skills and encourage volunteers to work at the level they are comfortable with," she said.

If unable to adopt or give time, financial donations, and donations of food and pet supplies are always needed.

Caring for hundreds of animals is expensive, to the tune of \$617,872 budgeted for this year.

The shelter also raises money through fundraisers such as Strut Your Mutt, bottle drives and grants, but the largest source of their income is donations from individuals, businesses and organizations.

"Volunteers make great advocates for our dogs, sharing photographs of our animals on social media and reminding people to 'shop local' when looking for a dog," Watson said.

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County seeking state snowmobile grant

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

CANTON -- St. Lawrence County legislators have signed off to sponsor a snowmobile grant application through the state Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation.

According to the resolution passed during the full board meeting held July 1, St. Lawrence County has served as the local sponsor of the New York State Snowmobile Trails Grant-In-Aid Program since 1988.

The snowmobile registrations will be remitted to St. Lawrence County to be used for snowmobile trail development and maintenance, officials said. Officials said the St. Lawrence County Snowmobile Association and North Country Trail Maintenance Alliance are committed to continuing the maintenance of trails within the County.

In other action, legislators also passed a resolution to sign contracts with designated trail maintenance entities associated with the New York State Snowmobile Trail Grant Program. Officials said the program establishes a mechanism for allocating funds to local governmental sponsors engaged in the development and maintenance of snowmobile trails, designated as part of the NYS Snowmobile Trail System.

According to the resolution, the county is designated as the recipient of funds under the program and is designated as a "local sponsor" for receipt of NYS Snowmobile Grant funds.

"The Program establishes a mechanism for allocating funds to local governmental sponsors that engage in the development and maintenance of snowmobile trails designated as part of the State Snowmobile Trail System," the resolution states.

The county Planning Office has been tasked with the role of Authorized Project Administrator and

will oversee the operations and deliverables on behalf of the county, officials say.

"Several snowmobile associa-

tions assist the County in maintaining the trail system and may be designated as Trail Maintenance Entities," officials said.

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NOTICE OF
FORMATION OF A
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Notice of Formation of Blue Farm Properties LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/10/2024. 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 Frederick & Jeanette Peterson: 385 Blanchard Hill Rd, Russell NY 13684. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

**ST. LAWRENCE
COUNTY
NOTICE OF
FORMATION OF A
LIMITED LIABILITY
COMPANY**
Ben and Courtney Burds, LLC was formed on June 24, 2024. 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 5566 State Highway 56, Potsdam, NY 13676. Ben and Courtney Burds, LLC is engaged in any lawful business activity.

**STOCKHOLM
PUBLIC NOTICE
TOWN OF STOCKHOLM RESIDENTS
DOG CENSUS**
Under Article 7 of the NYS Ag & Markets Law, Section 109, requires that ALL dogs 4 mos. & older must be licensed in the municipality in which they are harbored.

The Town of Stockholm will be conducting a Census of all dogs harbored within the Town. Each resident that we have no record of a licensed dog will be mailed a form so the town can count your dog/s. If your dog is not licensed, you will be required to do so. Fees are \$7.50 for a spayed or neutered dog and \$15.50 for an unspayed or unneutered dog. If your dog is not licensed, you will need proof of rabies vaccination and spay/neutering. Licenses are renewable yearly. If your dog is at-large and picked up by the Dog Control Officer, penalties can run up to \$100 or more.

By Order of the Town Board.
Dated: June 13, 2024

County signs contract with Blue Wing for tower revenues

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

CANTON -- St. Lawrence County legislators have agreed to a one-year contract with Blue Wing Services Inc. to utilize vacant tower space to generate revenue for the county.

County Attorney Steve Button spoke on the matter during the June 24 finance committee meeting, saying the lease agreement is allowed under federal regulations.

"As I think everyone here is aware, our towers have the capacity under their Federal Communications Commission licenses to be able to collaborate with potential commercial carriers," he said.

Button said with those regulations in place, the county can lease the tower space to carriers to generate revenue in the ballpark of \$100,000 to \$150,000 over a five-year period.

Since 2014, Blue Wing has assisted the county with planning, implementation and design of the St. Lawrence County Emergency Services Interoperability Telecommunications Tower Project, a partnership that has seen multiple public safety radio towers go up over the last decade.

Towers have been installed in Colton, Gouverneur, Hammond, Massena, Ogdensburg, Russell and Waddington, officials said.

County officials say during the implementation phase of the tower projects it was determined that collocations of user groups, like private carriers, could increase the likelihood of project approvals from various state and federal

agencies as well.

As part of the agreement Blue Wing will retain 20% of all revenue for managing, collecting fees, maintaining and leasing the tower space, county officials say.

No additional fees can be charged and no additional payments for service will be issued for Blue Wing under the agreement.

In order for an entity to lease space county legislators will have to sign off on each individual agreement with a resolution, Button said.

Just when this will happen is still up in the air, Button said.

Button said the agreement has been drafted with general language but is not set in stone.

"We have prepared a contract, a proposed contract, associated with this leasing arrangement. Most of my contracts are drafted with general language that indicates the effective date commences upon final execution by the county," he said.

Button noted that a handful of tower projects are still in the works, with towers and repeaters in the southern portion of the county not yet online.

"We may have circumstances that preclude us from commencing on a specific date," he said.

In order to get the deal started, Button said they may have to "massage the effective date."

Button said the pre-existing relationship with Blue Wing and his review of the arrangements between Blue Wing and the county made it apparent that they were out of contract in regard to the development of towers.

The selection process to enter into the initial contract with Blue Wing was like many with the county, with a Request for Proposal (RFP) process used.

The competitive process allows many companies to submit a proposal to the county for consideration.

Before moving forward with the new agreement with Blue Wing, Button said he went through an evaluation process that included reviewing two other entities. After that time, he said it was apparent that Blue Wing was the best option.

"Generally speaking, the other entities were almost double the retained revenue compared to Blue Wing," he said.

The other two entities said they would retain 40-60% of the total revenue generated, while Blue Wing will only retain 20%.

Button said Blue Wing also has the pedigree with respect to the development of the towers themselves, something that will help as more towers are put up around the county.

But Legislator Larry Denesha said he would not support the measure, saying their service has been "less than stellar."

"For a myriad of reasons I cannot support this resolution," he said.

Button said he was aware of the concerns and took them into consideration, which is why the contract will be a one-year test run to see how well the process works with Blue Wing.

Legislators finalized the contract at the July 1 meeting.

Sheriff's office applying to be prime agency for state grant

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

CANTON -- The St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office is applying to become the prime grantee for the Northern New York Trafficking Program Grant after the Erie County Sheriff's Office ended their involvement sooner than expected.

Legislators approved a resolution to close out the New York Labor Trafficking Program Grant that was previously accepted in 2022, returning any unused funds to the Howard G. Buffet Foundation within 15 days.

That action came during a special meeting prior to the finance committee meeting held May 20.

The grant, which was accepted unanimously by county legislators during a full board meeting on Sept. 12, 2022, was to be paid out over 3 years.

The grant funding was to be utilized for a task force that includes local law enforcement, victim serving agencies, legal service and outreach entities.

The grant funds were to be administered by the Erie County Sheriff's Office with sub awards "to local law enforcement and not-for-profit agencies to cover criminal investigations, prosecutions, outreach, legal advocacy, case management, emergency assistance, training coordination and data analysis," officials said at the time.

Officials said at the time that they hoped to conduct "victim centered proactive labor trafficking investigations and prosecu-

tions" with the funding while providing "comprehensive case management and immigration legal services to identify victims, to conduct outreach services to vulnerable communities and to develop promising practices for identifying, responding to and servicing survivors of labor trafficking.

The grant amount was \$1,000,720 and was to be used to cover salary, benefits and "any other necessary equipment and contractual expenses." In a corresponding move, legislators also accepted a \$45,000 grant for the Sheriff's Office in an effort to continue the work that began because of the former grant.

The charitable contribution from the foundation will assist during the transition to the new grant, which is potentially anticipated to be a 60-day period.

With the Erie County Sheriff's Office pulling out of their role as the prime grantee, allowing them to function as the pass through agency, St. Lawrence County Sheriffs' Office will now seek to become the prime grantee in their place.

If successful, legislators will have to accept and modify the Office's 2024 budget accordingly, officials say.

The Sheriff will also work with the county treasurer's office to reconcile and return the balance of the grant funds in the meantime.

Talent show winners

OGDENSBURG – The Ogdensburg Free Academy Key Club's annual spring talent show drew a record crowd as the area's most talented performers competed in the city's oldest student-run event.

The winners included:

ELEMENTARY DIVISION

FIRST PLACE - Third grader Alexa Bouchard from Madill Elementary School who sang "I Want It Now" from Willy Wonka.

SECOND PLACE - Fifth graders Sydney Garno and Myah Maroney from Kennedy School who danced to "Fearless" by Taylor Swift.

THIRD PLACE - Second grader Tyler Nelson from John F. Kennedy Elementary School who sang "Beautiful Things" by Benson Boone.

JUNIOR HIGH DIVISION

FIRST PLACE - Eighth grader Olivia Sias from OFA who sang "Never Enough" from the Greatest Showman

SECOND PLACE - Eighth grader Taylor Richer from OFA

who sang "Taking What's Not Yours."

HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION

FIRST PLACE - Tenth grader Logan Moran from OFA will play guitar and sing "Wake Me Up When September Ends" by Green Day

SECOND PLACE - Ninth grader Carly George from OFA will dance to "Reflection."

THIRD PLACE Eleventh grader Karlos Lawrence from OFA will dance to "Bang" by AJR.

"The OFA Key Club wants to thank everyone who came out to our annual talent show which provided a family friendly evening for the entire community," said OFA Key Club Kiwanis Advisor Jim Reagen. "For almost 30 years, our talent show has given generations of area children an opportunity to show what they can do on stage. We especially want to thank our judges, the OFA AV Club, AV Director Bob Ladouceur and everyone else who helped make it such a wonderful success."

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Dated: July 2, 2024
Allen Fukes, Assessor

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

Notice of formation of 30 Klondike Road, LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/24/24. Office location: St. Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 34 Kline Dr., Pennellville, NY 13132. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

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

Notice of formation of 4076 State Highway 37, LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/23/24. Office location: St. Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 34 Kline Dr., Pennellville, NY 13132. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

**BRASHER
LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Final Assessment Roll for the Town of Brasher, St. Lawrence County, New York, for the year 2024 has been finally completed and verified by the undersigned assessors and a certified copy thereof filed in the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Brasher on the 2nd day of July 2024 to remain on file for public inspection. The final assessment roll is also available for viewing on the assessing unit's website - townofbrasher.com or the St. Lawrence County website - www.stlawco.org - per requirement of RPTL section 1590.

Dated: July 2, 2024.
Leon Shorette Assessor

**COLTON
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF FILING
FINAL
ASSESSMENT ROLL**

Notice is hereby given that the final assessment roll for the Town of Colton, St. Lawrence County, New York, for the year 2024 has been finally completed and verified by the undersigned assessors and a certified copy thereof filed in the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Colton on the 1st day of July, 2024 to remain on file for public inspection. The final assessment roll is also available for viewing on the assessing unit's website - townofcolton.com or the St. Lawrence County website - www.stlawco.org per requirement of RPTL section 1590.

Dated: July 3, 2024.
By: Shelley Rayner, Sole Assessor

**COLTON
NOTICE OF MEETING
NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that the Colton-
Pierrepont Central
School Board of
Education will hold a
Special Board Meeting
at 9:00 a.m. on July 16,
2024 in the library.**

Jennifer Fleury

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Clifton-Fine Central School District invites the submission of Sealed Bid Proposals to furnish materials and labor to complete the

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

Please visit thebcgroup.com/bidding for the project information and select the project and complete the Bid Set Request Form to order a printed or digital copy or both, of the bidding documents. Printed copies of the documents for each prospective bidder may be obtained from the office of BCA Architects & Engineers upon payment of \$100.00 for printed sets. A payment of \$100.00 will be required for each printed additional set requested (if available). Bidders wishing documents mailed to them shall include, in addition to the document deposit, a non-refundable check of \$15.00 per set for handling and postage or a UPS/FedEx account number. *There is no cost to the bidders for digital copies.*

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF BCA Architects & Engineers AND PRINTED MUST BE RETURNED IN GOOD CONDITION WITHIN THIRTY (30) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER AWARD OF CONTRACT OR REJECTION OF BIDS. The plan deposit for one set of Plans and Specifications will be refunded to bona fide bidders returning Plans and Specifications to BCA Architects & Engineers within 30 business days after award of Contract or rejection of bids. A partial refund of the plan deposit, in an amount equal to the full amount of such deposit, less the actual cost of reproduction of the Plans and Specifications shall be made to non-bidders and unsuccessful bidders for the return of all other copies of the Plans and Specifications in good condition within 30 business days following the award of the Contract or the rejection of the bids.

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

Access to the site for inspection of the work area can be scheduled by contacting Emerson Northrop via email 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, Supplementary, 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:

Alison Frizzell
District Clerk

Date: July 12, 2024

**LISBON
LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF BOND RESOLUTION**

The resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, was adopted on July 2, 2024. 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 Lisbon 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 days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the constitution.

Krista S. Woods
District Clerk

SUMMARY OF BOND RESOLUTION

A Bond Resolution adopted by the Board of Education of the Lisbon Central School District on July 2, 2024 authorizes the issuance of bonds and other obligations to purchase and finance two diesel motor 72-passenger student transport vehicles, including furnishings, equipment, machinery and apparatus as may be required for the purposes for which the vehicles are to be used and to expend therefore an amount, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof, not to exceed the estimated maximum cost of \$360,000. The plan of financing includes the issuance of serial bonds in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$360,000 and the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the District to pay the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall become due and payable, subject to applicable amounts of state assistance available or to any revenues available for such purpose from any other source. The bonds may be issued such that annual installments of principal and interest are substantially level, as provided by law. Under the Local Finance Law, the student transport vehicles have a period of probable usefulness of five (5) years. Such resolution shall be kept available for public inspection in the District Offices during regular business hours for twenty days following this publication.

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

Notice of Formation of ISR PROPERTIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/01/2024. 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 Isaiah S. Reiter: PO BOX 81, Norfolk, NY 13667. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

Northern Pennysaver, LLC was formed on June 7, 2024. 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 PO Box 733, Massena, NY 13662. Northern Pennysaver, LLC is engaged in any lawful business activity.

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

Notice of Formation of DREAM MAKER BUILDERS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/05/2024. 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 United States Corporation Agents, Inc.: NY. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

Basswood Central, LLC was formed on May 6, 2024. 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 1125 County Route 14, Rensselaer Falls, NY 13680. Basswood Central, LLC is engaged in any lawful business activity.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
NOTICE AND RECEIPT OF TAX ROLL AND WARRANT**

Notice of Filing Final Assessment Roll. Notice is hereby given that the Final Assessment Roll for the Town of Waddington, St. Lawrence County, New York for the year 2024 has been finally completed and verified by the undersigned assessors and a certified copy thereof filed in the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Waddington on the 1st day of July, 2024 to remain on file for public inspection. The final assessment roll is also available for review on the assessing unit's website <http://townofwaddington.org/> or the St. Lawrence County website - www.stlawco.org - per requirement of RPTL section 1590. Dated: July 1, 2024. Amy S Hunt, Assessor.

**MORRISTOWN PUBLIC NOTICE
Legal Notice of Annual Fire Inspection**

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Fire Inspection of the school buildings of the Morristown Central School District for fire hazards, which might endanger the lives of students, teachers, and employees therein, has been completed. The report thereof is available with Mr. Larry Yeddo; Director of Buildings, Grounds, and Transportation; 408 Gouverneur Street; Morristown, NY; for inspection by all interested persons. The report is also available on the District's website at: <https://greenrockets.org> under the District tab.

A public hearing to review the report will be held at the August 20, 2024, Board of Education Meeting, at 6:00 p.m. in the School's Library.

Stacey L. Basford
District Clerk

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NORTH COUNTRY THIS WEEK

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

Notice of Formation of Through Your Eyes LCSW PLLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/11/2024. Office location: St. Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of Professional Service Limited Liability Company (PLLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Denise Herheim, 121 Barnes St., Gouverneur, NY 13642. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NORTH COUNTRY SPOTLIGHT

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Improve your balance,
help researchers

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Clarkson University Motion Analysis Lab



NORTH COUNTRY THIS WEEK | MASSENA-OGDENSBURG, NY | JULY 13 - 19, 2024

Volunteers sought to participate in balance assessment and training research study

The Clarkson University Motion Analysis Lab is seeking volunteers for an exciting balance assessment and training of apparently healthy individuals between the ages of 55 - 80 years.

Individuals should have had no issues that can affect their balance in the past 6 months, including dizziness, muscle, bone or joint problems.

Since the study has been designed to improve your balance, your participation will most importantly contribute to scientific advancement in balance research and prolong longevity. You will also receive a gift card of \$75.

Those volunteering to participate will be given balance-training tests on various standard clinical balance equipment. There will be 11 sessions over three weeks, each lasting 30-90 minutes.

The tests will be held at the Downtown Campus Clarkson University Motion Analysis Lab, Room 3102, 3rd floor, Clarkson Hall, 59 Main St.

This research will help researchers better understand how the balance system

Your participation will most importantly contribute to scientific advancement in balance research and prolong longevity.

in our inner ears, our vision and body/joint sensations respond to a specialized balance training program and improve overtime.

The study has been approved by Clarkson University Institutional Review Board (approval #: 23-30).

For more information about participating in the Clarkson University Motion Analysis Lab study, email cumotionanalysislab@gmail.com or madridaa@clarkson.edu



How to apply to be a balance research volunteer

Email your name, age, and when you would like be enrolled as a volunteer to: cumotionanalysislab@gmail.com or madridaa@clarkson.edu



Clarkson



Meet the team!

Here are the researchers who will be conducting the balance assessment and training at Clarkson University. From left, Vishal Singaraju, Shylendra Sai Bangaru, Dr. Kwadwo Appiah-Kubi, Ibrahim Khalil Kasmi and Charity Nyamuchengwa

Balance exercises prolong longevity, improve health

Balance exercises prolong longevity.

Our balance system begins to degenerate after age 40, exposing us to risk of falls.

Over three million people experience falls in the U.S. each year, leading to health care costs exceeding \$30 billion annually.

Early detection and training of balance problems will help to prevent fall incidence by 24% in older adults.

Importance of Balance Exercises

Balance exercises are an important way for senior citizens to maintain their health and prolong longevity.

Exercises that improve balance help:

- Prevent falls and maintain independence
 - Improve stability, flexibility, and endurance
 - Increase coordination and mobility
 - Enhance posture, boost confidence and reduce anxiety
 - Improve breathing capacity and function
 - Enhance cognitive function and overall quality of life
 - Reduce risk of injuries
- Delay the onset of bones and joint diseases such as arthritis and osteoporosis
 - Prolong longevity

Tips on Improving Balance

- Have well-fitted, non-slip shoes
- Regularly check your vision and note any decrease in function
- Avoid walking in dark places and ensure good lighting in your environment
- Maintain an upright sitting and standing position
- Slow down on stairs and use handrails
- Be mindful of slippery surfaces when walking
- Use appropriate canes and walkers if needed
- Remove any obstacle in your environment that may pose as potential hazard
- Perform safe strengthening and flexibility exercises at least twice a week
- Monitor medications that may cause dizziness or affect balance
- Speak to your doctor about any loss of balance or potential fall experiences

Fiddling phenom to perform in Norwood

NORWOOD – The Norwood Village Green Concert Series will continue its 51st Annual Season on Sunday, July 14 at 7 p.m. with Michael Cleveland and Flamekeeper.

Born blind and almost deaf in one ear, Michael Cleveland has attained legendary status as one of the greatest fiddlers of his or any other generation.

The tension between tradition and innovation is at the core of bluegrass music, and the fiddle playing of Michael Cleveland exemplifies this musical tug of war. As a boy, Cleveland heard a local fiddler play "Orange Blossom Special," which sparked a lifelong obsession with the tune that mimics that sound of a train. Cleveland's improvisational versions push the piece's descriptive tones and percussive bowing to a new level. With an encyclopedic memory for melodies, and an uncanny intuition for improvisation, Cleveland's music is both rooted in tradition and fueled by his melodic imagination.

From an early age, Cleveland heard old-time and bluegrass music at local jams and festivals near his hometown of Henryville, Indiana. His grandparents hosted regular bluegrass gatherings at the American Legion, and at age four, he began playing the fiddle. He attended the Kentucky School for the Blind in Louisville, where he learned the Suzuki method of violin. While he practiced the violin at school, he played fiddle at home. When Cleveland was 12, he met music historian Dave Samuelson, who recognized the young musician's interest and talent. Samuelson curated several Braille-labeled tapes for the young musician, which served as Cleveland's essential listening guide to bluegrass music. Cleveland's repertoire and musicianship grew, and in 1993 he played the International Bluegrass Music Association (IBMA) awards show with the Bluegrass Youth All-Stars.

Michael began playing professionally after he graduated from high school, however, Cleveland had dreamed of leading



Photo submitted

Michael Cleveland and Flamekeeper will perform at the Norwood Village Green on July 14.

his own band. In 2006, he formed Flamekeeper, the seven-time recipients of the IBMA's "Instrumental Group of the Year" award. Flamekeeper includes Josh Richards, Nathan Livers, Jasiah Shrode, and Chris Douglas.

Widely considered the bluegrass fiddler of his generation, Cleveland has been recognized 12 times as the IBMA's "Fiddler of the Year" and in 2018 was inducted into the National

SEE **FIDDLER** ON 13.

Reservations for Ogdensburg's Class of '74 50th reunion must be made by July 15

OGDENSBURG – The Ogdensburg Free Academy Class of 1974's 50-year reunion dinner dance will be held Saturday on July 28 at the Gran View in Ogdensburg from 5 to 11 p.m. and reservations must be made by July 15.

Enjoy stations of carved roast beef, pasta with a choice of sauces, GranView salad, hot hors d'oeuvres, cold hors d'oeuvres, and desserts.

In addition, there will be 2 complimentary drink tickets. Dance to the music of Double Axel from 8-11 pm. \$35 per person limited to classmates and one guest.

Family and friends welcome after 8 pm with a \$10 donation to benefit the Remington Foundation

Dress: Smart Casual

Reservations for the dinner dance by sending a check payable: OFA Class of 1974 to Shirley Hobbs Miller, 823 Caroline Street, Ogdensburg, New York 13669

*RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST WITH A DEADLINE OF JULY 15 for the dinner dance.

Other events being held between Thursday, July 25 to Sunday, July 28, include:



Reunion committee photo

A photo of the class of '74 in that year's year book. The deadline to signup for the reunion is July 15.

Thursday, July 25

OFA Class of 1974-50th Reunion Weekend Kickoff Mixer informal gathering The Place, 1612 Ford Street, Ogdensburg from 5-8 p.m. Family and Friends Welcome! Cash Bar and Restaurant Menu Available.

After 8 pm, wander to the Elk's Club

for ThrowBack Thursday \$5 Admission.

Friday, July 26

10-11:30 a.m. OFA Class of 1974-VIP Grand School Tour Ogdensburg Free Academy, 1100 State Street, Ogdens

SEE **REUNION** ON 13.

WHAT'S GOING ON

SAT., JULY 13

Scottish Festival

HAMMOND -- Hammond Historical Museum will host its 6th annual Scottish Festival on Saturday, July 13, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. The entrance fee is only \$10/person, \$5 for ages 6-16 & ages 5 and under are free to attend. New to the festival this year will be Youth Highland Games for ages 10-14, and additional food vendors. Kathy Sommer Trio with lively Celtic tunes & Clare Smith on the bagpipes. Hammond will be holding its community yard sale, starting at 8 a.m. The 5K Kilt Walk/Run will start at 8:30 a.m., with bagpiper Ray Purser leading the way. Sign up at 5K Kilt Run/Walk at hammondmuseum.com. Bagpiping, Hurdy Gurdy Duo, and HUGS (Hammond Ukulele Group that encourages lots of audience participation). Kilrush, a very spirited Celtic band as well as the talented & graceful Reel Ottawa Dancers. Robin Ward will give more lessons in Scottish country dance, penny whistle & Gaelic words throughout the day. "Battle on the Border" Highland games will include such competitions as stone tosses, Scottish hammers and the famous caber toss. Kids can have fun "storming the castle" via a great little obstacle course, or enjoying the small petting zoo or the "Wee Bairns" activity tent. Face painting will also be offered throughout the day. Throughout the grounds, one can explore family connections with clan representatives, purchase unique items from a variety of craft vendors, and interact with authentic weaving, spinning and blacksmithing demonstrators. "Dress Like a Scot" photo booth, only \$7 for individual or small groups. Historical displays, local artifacts & hands-on kids' activities. Spinners, weavers and blacksmiths demonstrating their talents. Festival raffle at \$10 per ticket. Tickets may be purchased at the museum, Dark Island Spirits, Alex Bay Big M or online at www.HammondMuseum.com. One must be 18 years or older to participate. Info: hammondmuseum.com.

Art show opening

BRASHER FALLS - The Badenhausen Public Library, 897 Main St., will host an art show honoring the memory of Dorothy (Dottie) Goodrich and her contributions to the arts. The show will open Saturday, July 13 at 3 p.m. A "Meet the Artists" reception will begin at 6 p.m. The show will be open for viewing during regular library hours on Monday, July 15 (9 a.m.-1 p.m.), Tuesday, July 16, (10 a.m.-2 p.m.) and Wednesday, July 17 (11 a.m.-6 p.m.). Admission to the opening reception and the art show is free of charge.

Church's 60th

MASSENA -- Grace United Methodist Church, 45 NY-37C, will celebrate its 60th anniversary on Saturday, July 13 with a program of remembrance at 3 p.m. All are welcome.

Doc Yukon performs

MORRISTOWN -- Doc Yukon will perform July 13 as part of the 2024 Morristown Summer Concert Series. Concert begins at 6:30 p.m. on Main Street, Morristown. Bring a chair and enjoy the music, say Morristown Gateway Museum event organizers. .

Float the Oswegatchie!

HEUVELTON -- Nature Up North will host Float the Oswegatchie! on July 13, from 1-6 p.m. Nature Up North is branching out our canoe programming to the Oswegatchie River. We're planning a float trip from the Heuvelton Boat Launch to Eel Weir State Park on Saturday, July 13. This float will start at 1 p.m. in Heuvelton and will finish when the river decides to drop us off. (Or at 6 p.m. with some paddle assistance.) We'll put in at an upstream location (Heuvelton) and take out at a downstream location (Eel Weir State Park). We'll have a

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van available to transport people back to Heuvelton to pick up their vehicles, or vice versa. Register: <https://www.natureupnorth.org/form/community-paddle-registration-os>.

Primitive rug hooking

WADDINGTON -- Intro to Primitive Rug Hooking class will be offered Saturday, July 13, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Gallery at Lake St. Lawrence Arts, 14 Main St. Cost: \$65. Participants will use wool strips to produce a 10" x 10" mat of a "primitive" sheep to use as a wall hanging or pillow cover. All materials provided. Must pre-register at www.lakeslawrencearts.com, Email: lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com, or call 315-705-1241.

Motorcycle Charity Ride

NORFOLK -- The 19th Annual Motorcycle Charity Ride will take place July 13, hosted by The American Legion Riders of Norfolk. Registration will be 9 a.m.-11 a.m., with kickstands up at 11:00 a.m. from the Norfolk American Legion Post #925. Following the 100-mile ride, with stops at local veterans' clubs, dinner, raffles, and a Joker Board will be held at the Norfolk American Legion. For more info: 315-328-4766.

Remembrance service

MASSENA -- Grace United Methodist Church, 41 State Highway 37C, will host a Program of Remembrance on Saturday, July 13 at 3 p.m. All welcome.

Spanish Story Time

OGDENSBURG -- Spanish Language Story Time for ages 3 and up will be held July 13 at 11 a.m. at Ogdensburg Public Library. It is a story time offered for Spanish speakers and learners.

The BackWater Duo

WINTHROP - The BackWater Duo will perform Saturday, July 13 from 3-6 p.m. at High Peaks Winery, 805 Pickle St.

Turtle Trot

LOUISVILLE -- The annual Turtle Trot Walk-Run will be July 13 at Whalen Park on Rt. 131 starting at 9 a.m. Same

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day registration will start at 7:30 a.m. Registration fee is \$30 for adults; \$6 for children 11 and under. Participants may register the day of the race beginning at 7:30 a.m., register by submitting a printable registration form from the Town of Louisville web site at <https://www.louisvillenewyork.com/>, or register on-line at <https://runsignup.com/Race/NY/Massena/WilsonHillTurtleTrotRun-Walk>. Medals will be awarded at the end of the race to first place male and female winners in age categories 15 & under, 16-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69 and 70+. There will be a bounce house, a door prize tent for those who register as well as raffle and silent auction tents. All proceeds of the race go to the Louisville Volunteer Fire Department. Participants must register individually.

Tim Opdyke Appreciation

NORFOLK -- The Tim Opdyke Appreciation Day open house will be held July 13 from 2-6 p.m. at Bregg's Winery, Main Street. All former students, fellow staff, and community members of Norwood-Norfolk school are invited.

SUNDAY, JULY 14
Food truck rodeo, music

HAMMOND -- Bella-Brook Vineyard, 2989 County Route 6, is hosting a food truck rodeo, music and craft fair on July 14 starting at noon. 10 food trucks to choose from: San Cabo Taco Rollin Smoke BBQ College Fund Warrior Wagon Parker's Chuck Wagon Elm Street Tacos Nibbles Pig N Moo Rollin Soul Grub Tub Live Music- Cam Caruso 12-2. Cam is a singer, songwriter, audio engineer, and producer from Oswego, NY. He recently went home with a 2023 SAMMY award for the People's Choice Best Artist/Band category. Local Favorite Common Revolution will perform 2-5pm. Slushies, wine, craft beer, domestic beer, spirits and non-alcoholic options will all be flowing!! Rain or shine event, bring a lawn chair, we will have a tent but feel free to bring your own canopy. No coolers or outside beverages allowed. \$5 Admission for everyone 21 and over. Please bring ID.

Classic Car show

BRIER HILL -- Classic Car Show & Craft Fair will be held Sunday, July 14 from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at The Brier Hill Fire De-

partment. To enter a car in the show or for more information call 315-323-4096. \$10 entry fee. Open to the community. Trophies for winners, raffle baskets and 50/50. Hot dogs, hamburgers and refreshments available for purchase. Proceeds will directly benefit the Brier Hill Fire Department & Auxiliary. Craft vendors are needed. Cost is \$20 for a 10x10 space with a table. Contact Mary at 315-323-6308.

Live Raptors Program

MASSENA -- Get a close up look and learn about live birds with Mark Manske, from Adirondack Raptors, at Nicandri Nature Center every other Sunday at 2 p.m. this summer. The free program will be offered June 30, July 14, July 28, Aug. 11 and Aug. 25.

Michael Cleveland

NORWOOD -- The 51st annual Norwood Village Green Concert Series presents Michael Cleveland and Flamekeeper on Sunday, July 14 at 7 p.m. nvgcs.org.

Sons of Amvets meeting

HEUVELTON -- Sons of Amvets will meet at Amvets Post 1997, 107 State St., on July 14 at 1:30 p.m.

MONDAY, JULY 15**Grief support class**

MASSENA -- Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley will host "Navigating Grief Together," a six-week support group, in Massena for adults grieving any type of loss. The group will meet in person Mondays from 4-5 p.m. starting July 15 at the Massena Community Center, 61 Beach St. For more information, contact Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley's Bereavement Program at 315-265-3105.

Paper marbling class

MASSENA -- 'Adventures through Art' class for ages 5 and up will be offered Mondays through August 5 from 2-3 p.m. at the Massena Public Library downstairs in Room B. Paper marbling will be offered July 15, Tongan tiki totem sculptures on July 22, Collage from nature on July 29, and 3D space planet canvases on Aug. 5. Registration is required: call or email Lexi : 315-769-9914, or Imarolf@ncls.org.

River story time

OGDENSBURG -- River Story time with "My Little Book" stories and activities about painted turtles for ages 5-9 will be held July 15 at 2 p.m. at the Ogdensburg Public Library.

Sacco Big Band performs

MORRISTOWN -- Sacco Big Band performs July 15 as part of the 2024 Morristown Summer Concert Series. Concert begins at 6:30 p.m. on Main Street, Morristown. Bring a chair and enjoy the music, say Morristown Gateway Museum event organizers.

Free gentle yoga

MORRISTOWN -- Free gentle yoga will be offered at Morristown Public Library on July 15, 22 and 29 at 6 p.m. with Ellie Beeler from the Canton Yoga Loft. Bring a mat (and blocks if you use them). [Ehttps://www.yoga-loft.org/](https://www.yoga-loft.org/)

TUESDAY, JULY 16**Blowing giant bubbles**

OGDENSBURG -- The world-famous bubble expert, Jeff Boyer, will perform for all ages with his blowing bubbles show July 16 at 2:30 p.m. at the Ogdensburg Public Library.

Chair yoga

OGDENSBURG -- Chair yoga will be offered at Maple City Yoga @ Julie's Dance Studio on July 16 from 10-10:45 a.m. Chair yoga is one of the most gentle forms of yoga. Students perform postures and breathing exercises using the support of a chair. No prior yoga experience necessary. All props provided. Modifications offered during class. Donations accepted.

WEDS., JULY 17**Lava lamps science**

MASSENA --- Messy science program 'Lava Lamps' for ages 6-9 will be offered on Wednesday, July 17, at 2 p.m. at Massena Public Library.

Community Band

MADRID -- The Madrid Dam Music Series 2024 Summer Season will feature Potsdam Community Band at the Madrid Power and Equipment Museum's Equine Building on July 17 at 6 p.m. Shows are free to attend. Donations are welcome. Venmo contributions to @madridmusicseries. The concession stand will be open for refreshments.

THURS., JULY 18**Her-petology show**

MASSENA -- Reptiles and amphibians will be visiting the Massena Public Library on Thursday, July 18, at 10 a.m. Zowie Auger, with her Her-petology show, will give an interactive and education experience to teach the audience about specific animals and conservation topics.

String Solstice

NORWOOD -- The 51st annual Norwood Village Green Concert Series presents String Solstice on Thursday, July 18 at 7 p.m. Local musicians Mike Welsh, Jennifer Hubbard Kessler, Chip Lamson, Chris Hosmer, and Larry Baycura offer a unique blend of contemporary folk-like song. nvgcs.org.

Hiking workshop

MORRISTOWN -- The Summer Reading Program at Morristown Public Library will present a hiking workshop on July 16 at 9:30 a.m. Local long-distance hiking expert Steve Goobic will be here to show us how to hike and survive in nature. This event is free and fun for all ages.

Agriculture lecture

MORRISTOWN -- The Morristown Public Library will host speaker Dani Baker of Cross Island Farms at its Terrific Thursdays Lecture Series on July 18 at 1 p.m. Baker will present her workshop lecture on "Hosting Beneficial Creatures". Read Baker's bio at <http://www.crossislandfarms.com/about.php>.

FRIDAY, JULY 19**Double Axel**

WADDINGTON -- The Music on the Shore-2024 series continues July 19, everyone's favorite group Double Axel from 6:30-9:30 p.m. in the pavilion at Island View Park overlooking the St. Lawrence River, at the end of Main St., rain or shine. Alex, Rob and Frank have been making music together since 1971. All concerts are free.

The BackWater Duo

MASSENA - The BackWater Duo will perform Friday, July 19 from 7-10 p.m. at Chase's Riverside Dining, 829 State Highway 131.

SAT., JULY 20**Double Barrel band**

NORFOLK -- Double Barrel Blues Band will be held the Norfolk Concert Series at Memorial Garden Park on July 20 at 6 p.m. Concert is free.

Food distribution

MASSENA -- St. Peter's Outreach Ministry, 128 Main St., is hosting a food distribution for St. Lawrence County residents only on Saturday, July 20, from 8:30 a.m.-10 a.m.

Fort Fest

OGDENSBURG - The St. Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce's Ogdensburg community office is hosting the 2nd Annual Fort Fest and Artist Festival on Saturday, July 20 from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Fort Fest will be held in conjunction with the Fort LaPresentation Association's "LeSiege du Fort de La Presentation" - a live re-enactment of land and water battles of the French and Indian War, scheduled for July 20 and 21, both taking place at Fort La Presentation. The Fort La Presentation site is located at 22 Albany Ave. (State Highway 68 and Commerce Street/Van Rensselaer (Light-house) Point) and has plenty of space for vendors and re-enactment activities - such as French, British, Native, and Maritime encampments; children's activities; historical talks; demonstrations; art & history exhibits and food offerings. Fort Fest is fun for the whole family with admission to LeSiege du Fort de La Presentation at \$5 for adults and \$2 for children aged 6-16. Free admission will be granted for children on Sunday with paid adults (re-enactment only).

Hammond Field Day,

HAMMOND - The Hammond Fire and Rescue Annual Field Day will be held on Saturday, July 20, at the fire station located at 300 Lake St. The day starts off with a chicken barbecue from 2-3:30. Pre-order take out or eat in chicken dinner by calling 315-783-2396. The Firemen's Parade follows at 7 p.m. and features many area high school bands, civic organizations and local groups. Sign up for the parade at hammondsec@aol.com or call 585-750-1426. Fire Chief Len Bickelhaupt describes the day, "as a fun family event with lots of things to do for kids of all ages." The auction, bounce house, and kid's games will open immediately after the parade and the day concludes with a dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. featuring the band Common Revolution. Anyone wishing to donate items or gift certificates for the auction can contact any Hammond Firefighter or drop it off at the station July 15-19 after 6:30 p.m. Hammond Fire and Rescue, Inc., is a not for profit organization that provides fire protection and ambulance service to the Village and Town of Hammond.

Jayne Trudell

RENSSELAER FALLS -- The Summer Night in The Falls Concert Series will feature four acts and food trucks at Pioneer Park, hosted by The Falls Festival Committee. Scheduled are: July 20, 3-8 p.m. Jaynie Trudell. Food Truck: Morgan's Munchies (Rain Date: July 21).

Food pantry distribution

NORFOLK -- The Norfolk Raymondville Food Pantry will be holding its monthly food distribution on Saturday, July 20th from 9-11 a.m. The pantry is a five day pantry meaning that we give the equivalent of 15 meals per person in the household. The pantry is open to families/ individuals living in Norwood, Norfolk and Raymondville. We follow the financial eligibility guidelines set by the Food Bank of Central New York. If you have questions, please call 315-212-0520.

Red Cross blood drive

NORTH LAWRENCE - A Red Cross blood drive will be held July 20 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at Lawrence Christian Fellowship, 88 County Route 5. Simply download the

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The Art of Kumihiyo

WADDINGTON -- The Art of Kumihiyo will be offered Saturday, July 20 and Saturday, Aug. 3, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at The Gallery, 14 Main St. Cost: \$75. Kumihiyo is a traditional Japanese artwork of making braids and cords - (literally meaning "gathering threads"). Susan Riley will teach the class to make a Kumihiyo cord and attach a tassel. Materials provided. Class limited to 5 people. Must pre-register at www.lakesaintlawrencearts.com.

com. Email: lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com, or call 315-705-1241.

Selfie Scavenger Hunt

OGDENSBURG -- A Selfie Scavenger Hunt will be held to celebrate Le Siege Weekend at Lighthouse Point on July 20-21 with the Ogdensburg History Museum and the Fort La Presentation Association. This event is both kid and adult friendly. Pick up the entry form at the museum or at the Fort La Presentation site. Take a selfie of yourself with listed items and post to the Ogdensburg History Facebook group. Add the hashtag #ogdensburghistory. Examples of selfies are photos with the Father Picquet Monument, a historic sign, and the Glass Beach. Turn in your entry form by 1 p.m. on July 21 and win cool swag from the Ogdensburg History Museum. For more information contact Julie Madlin at 315-528-0733.

FIDDLER . . .

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Fiddler's Hall of Fame. His recording Fiddler's Dream was nominated in 2018 for a Grammy for Best Bluegrass Album, and in 2019, he won a Grammy for his album Tall Fiddler. In 2019, Michael's amazing life of adversity and achievement was featured in the documentary film "Flamekeeper: The Michael Cleveland Story". And in 2022, he was awarded the National Endowment for the Arts Heritage Fellowship.

The Series is supported in part by the Northern New York Community Foundation helping establish and maintain the series endowment fund. Public monies from the Town of Potsdam and the Village of Nor-

wood also support the series. It is also supported in part by the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the Office of the Governor and New York State Legislature.

Info: nvgcs.org or call 315-261-2866.

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1-4 p.m. OFA Class of 1974 Golf Outing St. Lawrence State Park Golf Course, 4955 State Highway 37, Ogdensburg Co-Ed Captain & Crew Format-Nine Holes-Golfers

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Sunday, July 28 11 a.m.

4 p.m. Ecumenical Service and Family Picnic at the Sherman Inn, 615 Franklin Street, Ogdensburg, hosted by Jim and Donna Reagan with fellow classmate, Rev. Rob Noble leading the ecumenical service of Thanksgiving at 11:30 am followed by a class picnic. Families are invited.

Hamburgers, hot dogs and salads will be provided. BYOB.

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The office will be closed on July 4.

See the distribution schedule below for when we will be in your area with the coupons.

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Schedule subject to change based on coupon availability.

If you need a ride to a distribution site, call Public Transportation at 315-386-2600 and ask about the First Mile, Last Mile Program.

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The 2024 Farmer's Market Coupon distribution schedule:

- July 8, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Massena-Laurel Terrace; and 11 a.m.-12 p.m., Massena-Grasmere Terrace;

- July 10, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Ogdensburg Nutrition Center, Centennial Terrace; and 11 a.m.-12 p.m., Parkview Street Housing, Ogdensburg;

- July 11, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Brasher Nutrition Center, LBSH;

- July 21, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Massena Farmers Market, Tractor Supply parking lot;

- July 24, 9 a.m.-11 a.m., HSB drive thru.

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How to support someone who is grieving

BY KATE FAVARO

Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley

When I share with people I work for a Hospice providing grief support to patient's family members after their deaths I typically get one of two responses.

The first is a large gulp followed by some version of "ok..." and then, suddenly, they've remembered they need to be somewhere (anywhere) else.

The second is "Wow! I don't know how you can do that job; I could never do it!"

When the response is they could never do my job, I always assure people they could in fact do what I do, and likely have for their own friends and family already.

To help empower people to support others in their grief Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley offers the following suggestions:

- Do not be afraid to bring it up! Too often people don't want to ask how someone is doing since a loss because they don't want to make them sad or upset. The person who is grieving is already impacted by their grief. By asking how they are you are letting them know their grief is seen, normal, and ok to talk about. Bonus points here if you use the name of person who died. After someone dies, people may avoid saying their name for the same reason as above.

- Respect their grieving style. The way people express their grief happens along a spectrum with most people falling toward one of two sides. Intuitive grievers are the people who feel better when they cry, they want to tell you about the person (even if it makes them cry harder), they're people you take one look at and know they're going through it. The other side are your instrumental grievers. People who grieve this way do not benefit from

crying and talking about the person. They work through their grief in hands-on ways. They'll redo a bathroom, plant a garden, or make a piece of art. If you're supporting someone who does not want to talk about their feelings, it does not mean they're avoiding their grief. Rather than trying to talk, find an activity to do together.

- Recognize you're not here to "fix" anything. Grief, and someone who is grieving, are not things that need to be "fixed." Grief is a natural response to loss. It's hard, it hurts, it's exhausting and confusing, but it is natural. As someone supporting a griever, you're not going to fix this. What you can do is remind them there's nothing wrong with grief and let them know you're able to help by listening or doing an activity with them to distract them. Side note, do not let them know you're there to help with "anything they need" unless you truly mean it. It can also be helpful to offer to help with something specific, such as picking up dinner, or taking the dog to the groomer, since grievers do not always know what they need.

A big concern people have when thinking about supporting someone who is grieving is they'll say the "wrong" thing.

Spoiler alert, you will say something wrong!

I do this for my career and have said wrong things to people. When you accidentally say the wrong thing, simply acknowledge it was not the best thing to say and apologize.

For more information on being a good grief supporter contact Hospice Bereavement Services at 315-265-3105.

Kate Favaro is a C.T. Bereavement Coordinator at Hospice of St. Lawrence Valley.

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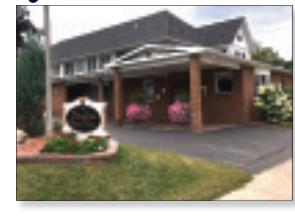
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Massena Memorial retirees meet up

The Massena Memorial Hospital Retirees group has been in existence for many years. This group of past Massena Memorial Hospital employees meets twice a year. The retirees donate to various organizations in Massena and also make food donations to the various food pantries in Massena. Submitted Photo.

United Helpers resident's love of fire trucks fulfilled by Rensselaer Falls Fire Dept.

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OGDENSBURG – When David Margeson first came to United Helpers in August of 2007, he arrived with a shoebox containing his personal belongings – some magazines, family photos, a few dollar bills and several toy fire trucks.

As he began to adjust to his new surroundings, it didn't take staff at the Kendrew IRA in Rensselaer Falls very long to realize that David loved both firetrucks and firefighters.

According to Spruce Street IRA Residential Manager Karen Howie, he would eventually become an honorary member of the Rensselaer Falls Volunteer Fire Department. He would help wash trucks and even ride in them with other members of the department during parades. In 2018 David moved to the

'Every time David saw a fire truck his face would light up.'

Karen Howie
United Helpers IRA

McIntyre IRA and in 2020 he moved into the Spruce Street IRA in Ogdensburg. Those two moves just introduced him to more firefighters to become friends with.

In fact when he celebrated his 85th birthday, a party was held in his honor. In attendance was a truck from the Ogdensburg Fire Department along with several members of the city's fire department.

Just over a month later, David would pass away.

"Every time David saw a fire truck his face would light up," Mrs. Howie said. "Sometimes when David was having a bad day, he would even pull the fire alarm at the IRA, which of course would sound the alarms and then the local fire department would show up. A smile would begin to creep across his face as he could hear the sirens and then when the truck pulled up, his day would instantly turn around."

It was while living in Ogdensburg that David met Peayton Stark. Peayton's mother, Colleen Stark is a Medical Direct Support Professional (MDSP), and she would often bring Peayton to visit with program members.

"During those visits Peayton developed a special bond with David," Mrs. Howie said.

This bond led her to write an

essay nominating United Helpers for a \$1,000 grant through the Northern New York Community Foundation's Youth Giving Challenge.

In that essay she wrote, "I would like to donate to the IRA in Ogdensburg, because I have a really good connection with some of the residents there and the employees," she wrote. "This one resident is so nice; he always called my sister and me 'his girls.'"

Her essay was selected and in memory of David, United Helpers used a portion of the grant to purchase two shrubs to plant at the IRA. Those plants, appropriately titled fire chief arborvitae, were planted in the home's front yard adjacent to a small monument, which of course includes a picture of a fire truck.

The monument reads, "In Memory of David Margeson, a Friend & Inspiration to us all. 1938-2023."

Prior to the unveiling of the monument, both Mrs. Howie and David's Advocate Stacey Cannizzo recalled David and the impact he had on their lives, as well as those around him.

"One thing I'll always remember about David is how much people loved him and how much he loved people," Mrs. Cannizzo said. "Today is a testament to what David stood for, which is family and friends."

While his brother Paul was unable to attend the unveiling, David did have many friends in attendance, including staff who had cared for him, fellow program members and several members of the Ogdensburg Fire Department, who of course arrived in a shiny red fire truck with lights and sirens, just the way David would have liked.



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Ogdensburg residents, from left, Iris, Nora and Cheyenne Legault cool off at the Lisbon Town Beach on a recent hot day. The beach is now open daily 9 a.m.-7 p.m.

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This free, annual summer celebration returns with a boot-stompin' country theme, bringing the spirit of Nashville to the beautiful St. Lawrence River.

The festivities kick off with rising regional star Taylor Lavallee taking the stage with her powerful vocals and heartfelt songwriting that'll transport you to the backroads and honky-tonks.

The electrifying headliner will be Brett Westgrove - one of country music's newest breakout acts straight from Music City.

With hits like "Kiss Me Like That" and "Heartbreak Hangover", Brett's rich voice and infectious melodies fuse authentic country roots with a fresh, contemporary energy.

In addition, Rockin' The River features a vendor village showcasing local artisans, businesses, and makers.

Food trucks, cold brews and refreshing drinks will be onsite.

New for 2024 is the Kids' Zone packed with activities and entertainment to keep the little ones engaged throughout the day.

Stay tuned for more details on performances times, vendors, and more.

Learn more at <https://www.exploremassena.com/rockin-the-river/>

Summer concerts in Morristown

MORRISTOWN — The 2024 Morristown Summer Concert Series begins in July and runs through mid-September.

Concerts begin at 6:30 p.m. on Main Street, Morristown.

Bring a chair and enjoy the music, say Morristown Gateway Museum event organizers.

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July 29: Another Fine Mess

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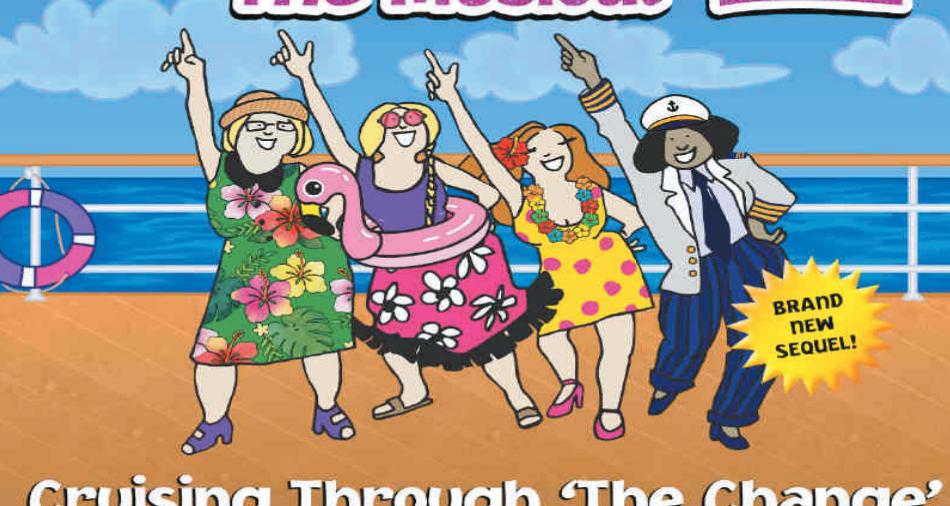
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Le Siege re-enactment set for July 20 at Van Rensselaer Point

OGDENSBURG -- The Fort La Présentation Association will host "Le Siege" on Van Rensselaer Point in Ogdensburg, on July 20 and 21. French and Indian War re-enactors from across the northeastern US and Canada together with period craftspeople will provide guests with a glimpse of life in the St. Lawrence Valley in the 1760's.

Le Siege is a reenactment of the historic Battle of the Thousand Islands that took place just downstream from the International Bridge on Chimney Island. For three days in August of 1760, a small force comprised of French marines and militia held out against a British armada of 10,000 sailors, soldiers and colonial militia. The battle marked the last battle of the French and Indian War in North America.

Visitors to Le Siege will encounter historic re-enactors engaged in activities of daily life including cooking over an open fire, colonial anglers, a blacksmith, shop owners, sailors and soldiers.

Popular historic musician Linda Russell will entertain visitors and there will be games for children and adults.

An historic battle reenactment will be presented on both Saturday and Sunday after-

Hammond Field Day, BBQ, parade planned

HAMMOND – The Hammond Fire and Rescue Annual Field Day will be held on Saturday, July 20, at the fire station located at 300 Lake St.

The day starts off with a chicken barbecue from 2-3:30. Pre-order take out or eat in chicken dinner by calling 315-783-2396.

The Firemen's Parade follows at 7 p.m. and features many area high school bands, civic organizations and local groups.

Sign up for the parade at hammondsec@aol.com or call 585-750-1426.

Fire Chief Len Bickelhaupt describes the day, "as a fun family event with lots of things to do for kids of all ages."

The auction, bounce house, and kid's games will open immediately after the parade and the day concludes with a dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. featuring the band Common Revolution.

Anyone wishing to donate items or gift certificates for the auction can contact any Hammond Firefighter or drop it off at the station July 15-19 after 6:30 p.m.

Hammond Fire and Rescue, Inc., is a not for profit organization that provides fire protection and ambulance service to the Village and Town of Hammond.

Standup comedy show at the Elks

MASSENA -- SLC Arts will host its Art After Dark event featuring stand-up comedy featuring the Aboriginal Outlaws at Massena Elks Lodge on Friday, Aug. 30.

This dynamic trio hailing from Akwesasne brings a unique blend of humor.

Doors open at 6 p.m., and the show starts at 7 p.m.

Tickets are \$55, and there will be a cash bar and appetizers available.

21+ only.

Tickets: <https://slc-arts-council.myshopify.com/products/comedy>.

Info: <https://www.aboriginaloutlaws.com/>

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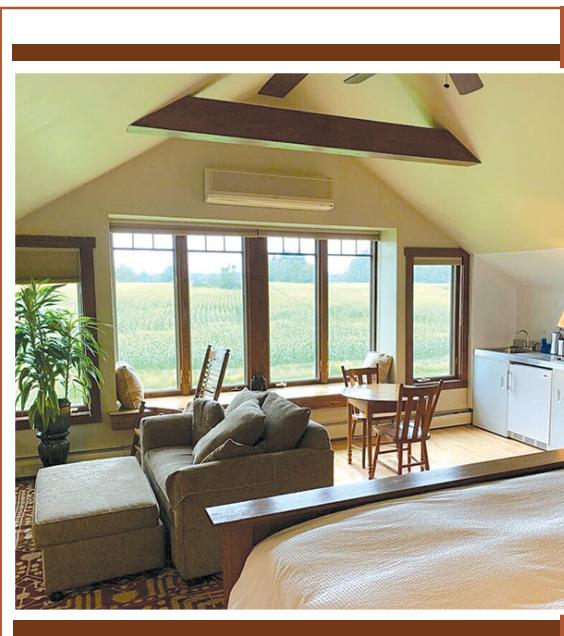
Commentary will be provided by St. Lawrence County Legislator Jim Reagan, author of Warriors of Fort Présentation.

The gates open at 10 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

The admission price is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children (ages 6-16).

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Leave Those Kids Alone to perform in Waddington

WADDINGTON -- The Waddington Summer Concert Series will present Leave Those Kids Alone at a free concert on the river on July 12 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at the pavilion on the St. Lawrence River, at the foot of Main St. Leave Those Kids Alone features talented teenagers performing note-for-note renditions of classic rock favorites.

Audiences from across Ontario, the U.S. Midwest and world wide online audience love hearing LTKA's renditions of Styx, Frampton, The Beatles and so many more chart-topping hitmakers.

Formed in 2018, the band has performed over 300 shows and are no strangers to events with 5000+ people in attendance.

Based in Windsor-Essex Ontario, LTKA is a go-to act for family friendly events, festivals, summer concerts and other events.

Brother-sister duo Alex (guitar) and Addi (drums) are paired with Luca (bass) and Louis (keyboards).

In 2015, as students of the Canadian Conservatory of Music in Windsor, Ontario, the kids began rehearsing and performing classic rock hits with school director, Peter Palazzolo and Alex's father John-Paul Bonadonna.

Three years later, with recital performances and a growing local and online reputation under their wings, the band claimed the moniker Leave Those Kids Alone and began performing to audiences across the region.

As recording artists, LTKA released their debut all-original album titled "Groundwork" in 2022, featuring seven songs written by the band.

The bands 2022 CBC Music Searchlight entry was named the fan vote winner.

Waddington beach now open

WADDINGTON — The Waddington Town Beach is open with lifeguards on duty for swimming Sunday - Saturday between 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

No swimming is permitted when lifeguards are not on duty.

The Beach Pavilion is available to book for reunions, birthday parties, and weddings.

To book the pavilion contact the Town Clerk @ 315-388-5629 during regular business hours.

Pavilion Fees: Residents: \$50/Non Residents: \$75 non refundable fee

The Howard Park Beach is located on River Rd, Waddington.

For more information call 315-388-3075.

Jamboree for June Queor planned

LISBON -- There will be a jamboree for June Queor on July 21 at 1 p.m. at The American Legion, 6991 County Route 10. The event, hosted by Aleashia Parameter and Cassidy Hargrove will feature music, food, drinks, 50/50 and raffles.

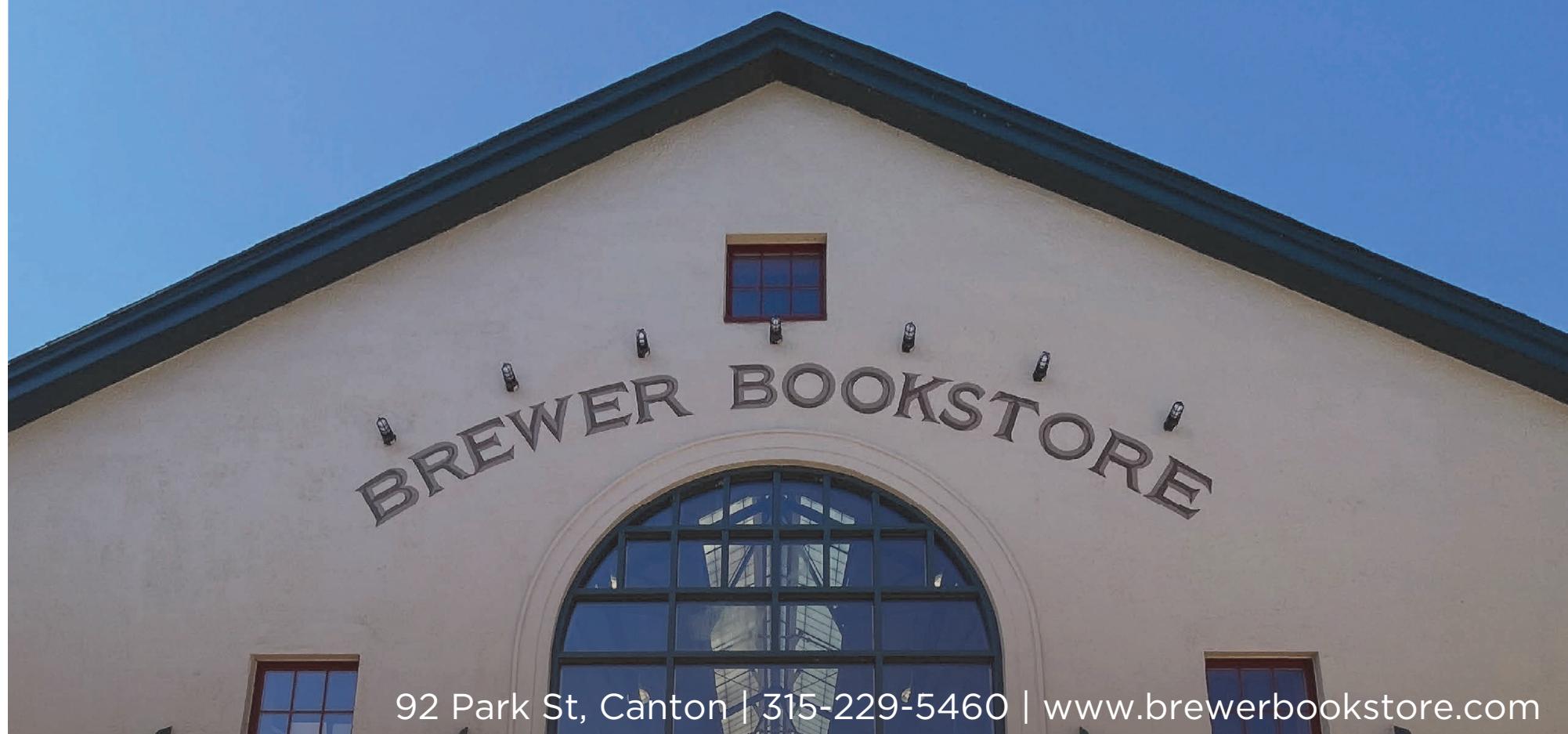
Queor had open heart surgery on June 11. Proceeds from the jamboree will help pay for

her medical expenses. Queor will be out of work for 8 months to a year with no income.

Entry fee is \$10 per person or \$18 per couple, \$6 for children 10 and younger. Children 5 and under are free. Food will be included in the admission price.

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Nature Night offered at Nicandri

MASSENA — Nature Night will be offered Friday, July 12, at Nicandri Nature Center.

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Stations include an evening walk at 8:00, viewing the night sky with our telescope (after dark), bat detecting with audio bat detectors starts after sunset.

Open time in the nature center is 8:00-11:00 p.m. Campfire with s'mores is from 8:00-9:00 p.m..

Activities may change based on weather. Call or check facebook for updates. Info: 315-705-5022.

The nature center is located at 19 Robinson Bay Rd, Massena.

Selfie Scavenger Hunt to be held

OGDENSBURG -- A Selfie Scavenger Hunt will be held to celebrate Le Siege Weekend at Lighthouse Point on July 20-21 with the Ogdensburg History Museum and the Fort la Presentation Association.

This event is both kid and adult friendly. Pick up the entry form at the museum or at the Fort la Presentation site.

Take a selfie of yourself with listed items and post to the Ogdensburg History Facebook

group. Add the hashtag #ogdensburghistory. Examples of selfies are photos with the Father Picquet Monument, a historic sign, and the Glass Beach.

Turn in your entry form by 1 p.m. on July 21 and win cool swag from the Ogdensburg History Museum.

For more information contact Julie Madlin at 315-528-0733.



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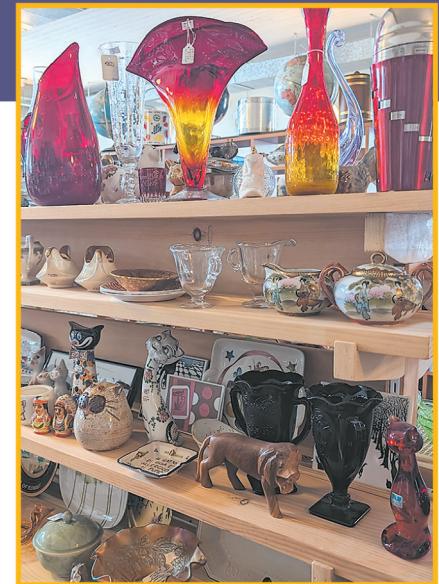
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Charity golf tourney July 27

MASSENA – The Police Activities League (PAL) of Massena is holding its Annual Charity Golf Tournament July 27 at Cedar View Golf Course.

Organizers are actively seeking teams and sponsors for the event.

The event is sponsored by SeaComm.

The tournament will follow a four-person scramble format with a shotgun start at 9:00 a.m.

The team entry fee is \$320, which includes greens fees, a golf cart, prizes, and a meal.

Following the tournament, participants are invited to an awards reception in the clubhouse, featuring a prize ceremony and a raffle.

In keeping with the organization's mission to support youth and community activities, this year's tournament is dedicated to Scott

Rogers, a former Massena Police Officer, in honor of his contributions to our community. A portion of the proceeds will fund 10 youth member scholarships in Scott's name for the 2024-2025 school year for our after-school program.

"We are excited to host this event again and look forward to bringing the community together for a day of golf and goodwill," said Zachary Monroe, executive director at PAL of Massena.

"This tournament is not only a great opportunity to enjoy a round of golf, but also a chance to support our youth programs and honor the legacy of Scott Rogers."

To register your team or inquire about sponsorship opportunities, contact 315-705-6075, visit www.massenapal.com or follow on social media @MassenaPAL.

Free yoga offered this summer

MORRISTOWN -- Free gentle yoga will be offered at Morristown Public Library on July 15, 22 and 29 at 6 p.m. with Ellie Beeler from the Canton Yoga Loft.

Bring a mat (and blocks if you use them).

Ellie began practicing yoga in 1999 (on the advice of her doctor) to address joint problems and pain associated with aging and arthritis.

At the Canton Yoga Loft, Ellie teaches 50+ Yoga, a practice for seniors who are in rea-

sonably good health, and Chair Yoga which enables people to enjoy the benefits of yoga without getting down and up from the floor.

Ellie completed her Hatha Yoga teacher certification at Shoshoni Shambhava Ashram in Rollinsville, Colorado in 2007, and continues to take annual refresher courses. She is also certified to teach Liz Franklin's Yoga in Chairs®, a specialized program for bringing yoga to people with mobility limitations.

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Farmer's market changes name

OGDENSBURG — The Ogdensburg Farmers Market is now called Ford Street Green Market.

It is an open-air market showcasing handmade, homemade, or locally produced items.

The market is now located behind the First Presbyterian Church, 423 Ford Street, just

before Phillips Diner.

It is open Thursdays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., weather permitting.

For more information, contact manager Elizabeth Graham Lyons at 315-869-6188 or bethglyons@gmail.com.

Art exhibit honors Dottie Goodrich

BRASHER FALLS - The Badenhausen Public Library, 897 Main St., will host an art show honoring the memory of Dorothy (Dottie) Goodrich and her contributions to the arts.

Dottie, an accomplished painter, was known for her finely detailed renditions of historic places in the Brasher Falls area. Several of her paintings, as well as art from other local residents, will be on display in Crasper

Hall above the library.

The show will open Saturday, July 13, at 3 p.m. A "Meet the Artists" reception will begin at 6 p.m.

The show will be open for viewing during regular library hours on Monday, July 15 (9 a.m.-1 p.m.), Tuesday, July 16, (10 a.m.-2 p.m.) and Wednesday, July 17 (11 a.m.-6 p.m.). Admission to the opening reception and the art show is free of charge.

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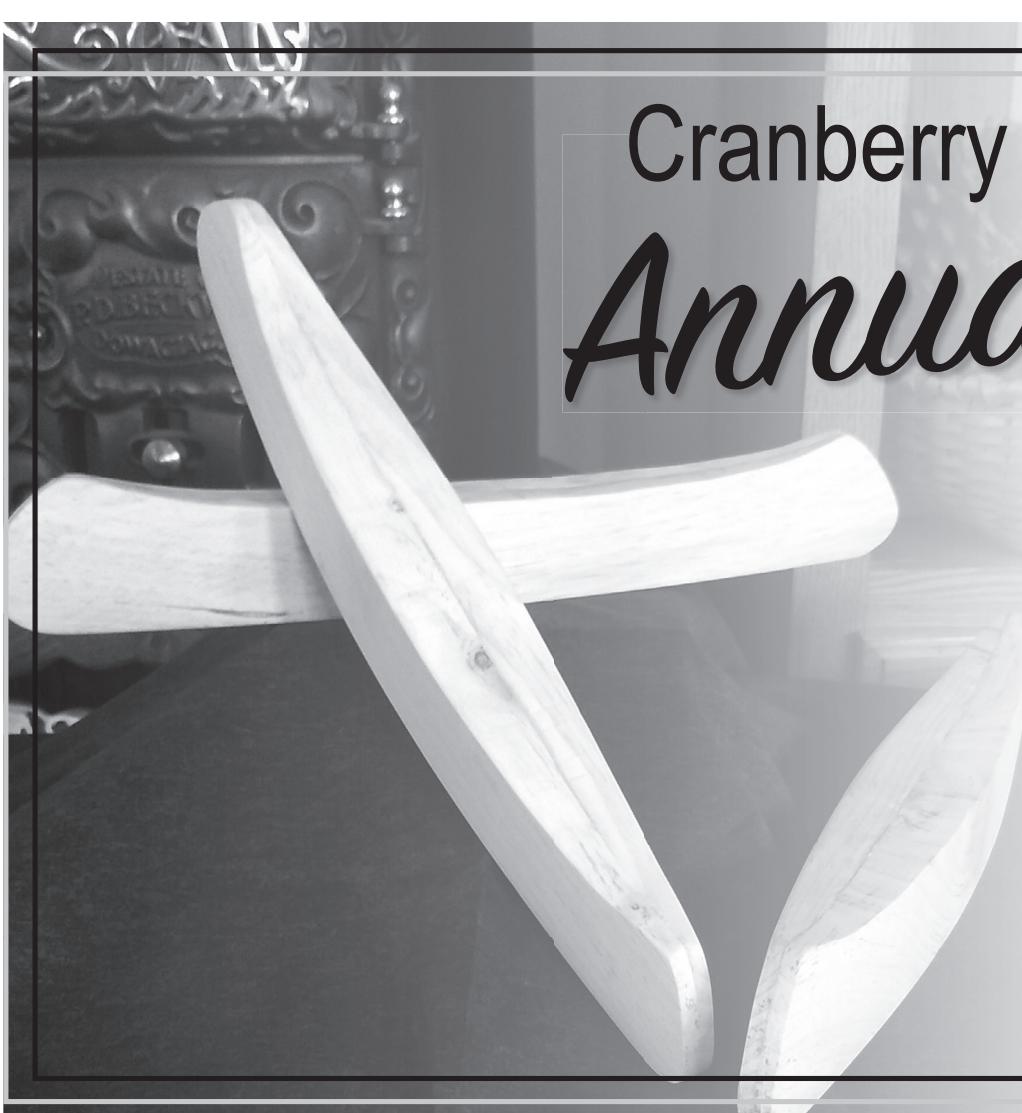
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Though nothing serious has occurred yet, McGowan said he is surprised given the existing concerns.

"We have a nice porch and we sit on it all summer. I'm just surprised there hasn't been something," he said.

This isn't the first time village officials have sought to curb speeding drivers in residential areas.

Officials also previously discussed putting a new stop sign on Liberty Ave. last year, which had been in discussion for several months. Officials said the sign

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At the previous meeting the city discussed bolstering a program that reimburses residents for some costs associated with a black flow installation and other measures, but no formal action has been taken..

Tooley said that the July 15 meeting would allow the city to give the situation the attention and discuss-

sion it deserves.

"Allowing for a special meeting to deal exclusively with this subject, I think is something that will be a good use of council's time as well as our community's time," Tooley said.

GRINGO...

available.

Although the city council unanimously approved the public hearing, councilors did ask to be presented with an average cost for commercial space to be made available for the next meeting.

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would very likely slow traffic on a street that is described as "a runway" or "drag strip."

According to Massena Police, the street is a known issue to the department, however patrol officers are not able to monitor the street 24/7.

Following discussion in early spring of 2023, officials moved forward with the plan and placed a stop sign on Liberty St. in an effort to make the residential area safer.

Officials said it had taken some time for drivers to catch on to the new sign but confirmed it has reduced speeding in the area.

In other action, village trustees

discussed possibly selling a parcel located at 56 1/2 Main St., which currently sits vacant.

According to Village Administrator Monique Chatland, the parcel is a non-buildable vacant lot that was assessed at \$7,400. Given that village law states the government must sell property for "fair and adequate consideration," the village plans to move forward with a purchase offer of \$2,530. Chatland said she reached out to the assessor to give the parcel a second look since it was assessed at \$7,400 since 2007, at which time the assessor determined the offer to be fair.

"If the assessor says that's a good

price, she's the expert," McGowan said. Chatland said if the sale were to go through, it would eventually save the village money in maintenance costs while also putting the parcel back on the tax rolls.

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Mental Wellness Coordinator: A MSW or LSW master's degree in social work, psychology, counseling, or related field. A social worker, psychologist, professional counselor or mental health counselor, or clinical license, with experience with young children and families. Must be licensed or certified. Estimated 30 hours per week for 42 weeks a year. The salary is \$38.00 per hour.

Anticipated Teacher – Gouverneur Center: Bachelor Degree in Early Childhood or related field preferred (24 credit hours of early childhood). Supervisory experience is a plus. The salary range is \$17.95 to \$19.01 per hour depending on degree.

Teachers – Massena (2) Center: Bachelor Degree in Early Childhood or related field preferred (24 credit hours of early childhood). Supervisory experience is a plus. The salary range is \$17.95 to \$19.01 per hour depending on the degree.

Assistant Teachers – (1) Gouverneur, (1) Norwood and (1) Potsdam Centers: Person must have a minimum of a CDA (Child Development Accreditation), or a written plan of study. Early childhood experience preferred. The salary range is \$15.00 - \$15.84 per hour depending on the degree.

Classroom Aides – Brasher, Canton (Anticipated), Massena (Anticipated) and Potsdam Centers: Person must have a minimum of a high school diploma or its equivalent. BOCES Certificate of Early Childhood, CDA, or substantial experience in early childhood daycare preferred. The salary is \$15.00 per hour.

Family Advocate/Bus Monitor – Parishville Center: This is a 28 hour position. Prefer Associate Degree in Human Services, Family Development Credential, or Social Service Competency Based training. Person will be responsible for parent involvement in the program. Home visits are required with families to assist them in securing services. Individual must have a valid NYS Driver's License and mode of transportation in order to complete job requirements. Prefer candidate with good communication, organizational and computer skills. The salary range is \$15.84 to \$16.90 per hour depending on the degree.

Job Description are available on our website at www.slccdp.org. Substitutes in all positions are needed. Positions follow the BOCES schedule/holidays. Send letter of interest, resume and three current, signed and dated written letters of reference including phone number, address, and email address to Head Start, One Commerce Lane, Canton, NY 13617. Deadline is until the positions are filled. Head Start is an EOE. Call 315-386-8574 ext.: 111, 114 or 119 for further information.



POTSDAM CENTRAL SCHOOL VACANCIES
FOR 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

Special Education Teacher (6:1:2)

Preschool Level - NYS Special Education Cert. Required

Application Deadline: July 19, 2024

An application link and additional information
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For questions, contact:

Ms. Davida M. Martin, Office of the Superintendent
29 Leroy St., Potsdam, NY 13676
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College Association, Inc. at SUNY Canton has the following positions open for the Fall 2024 Academic Semester: Cook- Under

Massena Central School District

is currently accepting applications for the
2024-25 school year for the following position:

Assistant Principal/Dean of Students for the High School

The High School is seeking a dynamic individual to serve as either the Assistant Principal or Dean of Students.

To be considered for the Assistant Principal, one must be eligible for certification as a School Building Leader.

Should a viable candidate not be found for the role of Assistant Principal, the District will consider a Teacher on Special Assignment to serve in the role of Dean of Students. In selecting a Dean of Students, it will be with the expectation that the individual completes requirements to be eligible for certification as a School Building Leader in order to transition to the role of Assistant Principal.



Applications can be accessed at
www.mcs.k12.ny.us

Application Deadline is July 18, 2024
or until the positions are filled.

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Ogdensburg City School District

The Ogdensburg City School District is canvassing the St. Lawrence County Civil Service Eligible List for:

Keyboard Specialist (10-MONTH) – Provisional Appointment

(\$28,086.00/yr. – to be prorated)

Keyboard Specialist (12-MONTH) – Provisional Appointment

(\$31,803.00/yr. to be prorated)

All interested candidates must be on the St. Lawrence County Civil Service Eligible List for Keyboard Specialist or currently hold a Keyboard Specialist Title with another entity. The District is currently canvassing this list for interested candidates. If there are no interested candidates from the Eligible Keyboard Specialist List the District can hire provisionally and the successful candidate will be required to take the next scheduled Keyboard Specialist exam offered by St. Lawrence County and score within the top three to maintain their position with the District. The examination is scheduled for October 5, 2024. If you currently hold a Keyboard Specialist Title with another entity, and you are interested in this position, you may request a Transfer through the Human Resources Department at the St. Lawrence County Civil Service Office.

To apply for a possible provisional appointment please submit the following:

- Cover Letter
- Civil Service Application (can be obtained in the Superintendent's Office or downloaded from our school website)
- Resume
- Letters of Reference
- Application deadline is July 15, 2024
- 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
Ogdensburg City School District
1100 State Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669
scharleston@ogdensburgk12.org
315-393-0900 (p) • 315-393-2767 (f)
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Twin Rivers Federal Credit Union is currently seeking a **CONSUMER LOAN OFFICER**.

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Massena, NY 13662

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Director of Student Health Services

DEPARTMENT: Student Affairs

SALARY: \$110,000 - \$120,000

Job Description:

The State University of New York at Canton is searching for a talented individual to join the College community in the position of Director of Student Health Services. This is an eleven-month position.

Responsibilities:

Reporting to the Vice President of Student Affairs, the Director of Health Services/ Nurse Practitioner or Physician Assistant is responsible for the overall design and coordination of a comprehensive student health program that provides consistent, quality, primary care to the undergraduate students of Canton College, and has a strong focus on educating students about developing behaviors that will enhance their long-term quality of life.

Specific responsibilities include:

- Provision of competent, confidential, and respectful direct patient care.
- Working with colleagues across campus to organize and deliver comprehensive health education.
- All tasks consistent with the position as the administrator of the Health Services functional unit including hiring and supervising of staff; management of clinical protocols and record keeping; development and oversight of annual budget; participation in the divisional leadership team.

Required Qualifications:

- New York State licensure as a Nurse Practitioner or Physician Assistant
- Candidates must have experience supervising professional staff, have excellent oral and written communication skills, demonstrate an ability to work in a fast-paced environment and manage multiple assignments concurrently, and demonstrate comfort working with diverse populations.

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

Application Deadline: Open until filled; application review begins immediately.

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Skilled Trades HVAC

St. Lawrence University has a **Skilled Trades HVAC** full time opening. Perform journeyman level work in the installation, maintenance, modification, overhaul, service, and repair of all types of heating, ventilating and air conditioning and related systems and equipment. Install, maintain, adjust, modify, and perform major overhaul and repair of heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems by interpreting blueprints, manufacturer specifications, written and verbal instructions. Make initial settings and final adjustments of heating, ventilating, and air conditioning system and modifying existing installations to obtain required results. Install, troubleshoot, repair, or calibrate, and maintain air handling and all related equipment dealing with heating and cooling. Check and adjust complete HVAC systems after installation. Thorough working knowledge of high and low pressure boilers. Charge all types of refrigeration equipment. Follow a predetermined schedule of preventive maintenance; make recommendations regarding major overhaul of systems. Provide technical guidance and direction to other maintenance personnel. Perform other related duties incidental to the work described herein including coverage for Boiler Tender. Schedule – Monday – Friday 7:00 am – 3:30 pm (Flexible Schedule)

Qualifications: High School diploma (or equivalent) required. A.S.in HVAC technology or related field preferred. Five (5) years' experience at journeyman trade level. Requires operation of equipment related to the trade.

To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, interested applicants must apply online at: <https://employment.stlawu.edu>. SLU is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity employer.

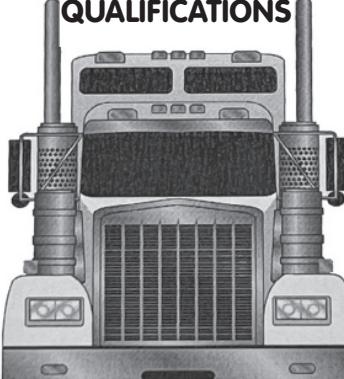
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the supervision of the Dining Management Team, the cook is responsible for preparing and/or directing the preparation of food to be served, complying with all applicable sanitation, health and personal hygiene standards and following established food production programs and procedures. This is a full-time seasonal position based on the academic year and includes a generous benefits package. Hours for this position are Sunday - 9am-8:30pm, Monday-Thursday 1pm-8:30pm. Starting pay is \$15.75 - \$16.00 per hour based on qualifications. Production Cook-The Production Cook is responsible for taking an ongoing inventory of ingredients to ensure nothing is running low, cutting up vegetables, preparing side dishes and getting salads ready for special events and regular dining hours. This is a full-time seasonal position based on the academic year and includes a generous benefits package. Hours for this position are Tuesday-Friday: 1pm-8:30pm, Saturday: 9am-8:30pm. Starting pay is \$15.00 per hour. 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. Various full-time and part-time schedules available. The position is based on the academic year and includes a generous benefits package. Starting pay is \$15.00 per hour. Cook & Catering Assistant-This position assists with preparation of food for catering events, generates daily production and inventory reports, and trains back of the house (BOH) associates in coordination with management. The Cook & Catering Assistant performs duties in all phases of food-service and knowledgeable of commercial kitchens. This is a full-time seasonal position based on the academic year and includes a generous benefits package. Starting pay is \$17-\$17.50 per hour. Send resumes to Nichole Todd, Human Resources Representative, College Association, Inc. SUNY Canton, 34 Cornell Drive, Canton, NY 13617 or atoshea109@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.

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Northeast Migrant Education Program 2024 Adolescent Outreach Advocate/Field Specialist - The Research Foundation for SUNY, a private, not-for-profit corporation, seeks a passionate and enthusiastic full-time Adolescent Outreach Advocate/Field Specialist (Teacher's Assistant) for the Northeast Migrant Education Program at SUNY Potsdam. The successful candidate will assess needs, mentor and tutor students, provide career education and secondary and post-secondary planning, assist director with networking with families and the community, recruit for summer programs, and arrange trips for youth in grades 7-12 in Franklin County, St. Lawrence and Clinton Counties. Associate's degree in education or equivalent combination of education and experience. Experience working with adolescents preferred. Cell phone with voicemail, dependable vehicle and valid driver's license required. Some weekend and evening hours required. Annual Salary is \$36,075.00 - \$40,950.00, with paid mileage and benefits including health, dental, vision and life insurance. Renewal of appointment is subject to The Research Foundation for SUNY policies and procedures, sponsor guidelines, and the availability of annual funding. Send Research Foundation employment application, cover letter, resume, and reference letters immediately to Laura Burnett, NMEP, SUNY Potsdam, 282 Van Housen Hall Ext., Potsdam, NY 13676, or upload to <https://webspace.potsdam.edu/NMEP>. For more information, please email Lisa Colby at colbym@potsdam.edu. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. The Research Foundation is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

COLTON MIRROR & GLASS, INC. is looking to hire an apprentice in the glazing industry. Must have basic carpentry skills and be able to lift 80+ pounds. Must have reliable transportation. Please apply in person 6085 US HWY 11, Canton.

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Food Service Generalist

St. Lawrence University invites applicants for the position of a **Food Service Generalist** for the Dining and Conference Services Department. As part of the Dining Services team, the Food Service Generalist works under the supervision of Leader, Assistant Managers, and Managers and is responsible for preparing food items according to documented recipes in the area assigned and continues to monitor food quality throughout the meal periods. Contributes to the total function of the dining service operation in a positive manner. These positions are full-time, nine-month positions in accordance with the academic year and with full benefits packages. Multiple openings with various hours and shifts available.

Minimum Qualifications: High school diploma or equivalent. Prior experience is preferred. Ability to operate cash register, standard cooking and dish washing equipment and other mechanical devices located in a food service operation.

Interested candidates please apply at <https://employment.stlawu.edu/>. St. Lawrence University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity employer.

All offers of employment are contingent upon the finalist successfully passing a background (including criminal records) check.



ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

General Laborer

St. Lawrence University has several openings for a full time **General Laborer**. Performs work required in the care, maintenance, cleaning and housekeeping of University buildings and campus in accordance with established practices and procedures. Responsible for performing duties associated with setups and deliveries for special events in and around all campus buildings. In the absence of the material recycler or supply clerk, performs the regular duties of that position as assigned. As required performs the primary duties of other "A" classification personnel as assigned by the Management staff.

Minimum Qualifications: High School diploma (or equivalent) required. Ability to follow verbal and printed instructions. Ability to prepare or verbalize reports necessary to the position. Requires ability to lift a minimum of 45 lbs., bending, climbing, pushing and pulling. Must be able to meet University requirements to be authorized to drive University vehicles as assigned. **Pay range** - \$15.00 - \$19.98/hr. depending on experience. To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required.

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HEUVELTON Central School District

is accepting applications for the following position:

.5 Music Teacher

starting Sept 2024;

Deadline to apply July 31, or until filled.

NYS certification required.

Online applications available at

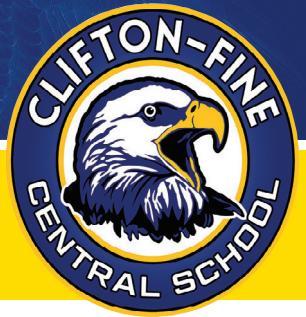
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Direct Inquiries to:

Tessa Herron, therron@heuvelton.k12.ny.us

or 315-344-2414 x28891

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SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER

The CLIFTON-FINE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT has a vacancy for **SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER**. Qualified candidates may apply for this vacancy if holding the following license/certification:

- School Social Worker OR
- Licensed Mental Health Counselor OR
- Licensed Clinical Social Worker

To apply for this position, please fill out an application at www.cliftonfine.org.

Anticipated start date of **September 3, 2024**.

For questions or more information, please call Alison Frizzell at 315-848-3333 or email afrizzell@cliftonfine.org.

Deadline to apply is **Friday, July 19, 2024**.



Mental Health Counselor

SL-3

DEPARTMENT: Counseling Center

SALARY: \$48,000 - \$60,000

DESCRIPTION OF JOB:

The SUNY Canton Counseling Center seeks a counselor for a full-time, 11-month position. Qualified applicants will have demonstrated clinical and outreach experience working with a diverse population.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- The counselor will provide personal/group counseling, assessment interviews, and community & on-campus referrals, along with delivering educational programs to staff and students.
- Services will be implemented via face-to-face and telehealth services. Counselor will perform crisis interventions as needed.
- Counselor will perform other related duties such as assisting with development & implementation of relevant programming to the campus community, consultation with other departments, and training of other college staff members.
- Some evening and weekend hours are required.
- The counselor will maintain licensure during the course of employment and participate in ongoing training to provide quality therapeutic interventions.

KNOWLEDGE/SKILL QUALIFICATIONS:

Required:

- NYS licensure as a Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC), Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), Licensed Psychoanalyst, or current permit holder able to obtain licensure as a LMHC within one year of start date.

Preferred:

- Experience with college and/or diverse populations.
- Proficiency with electronic medical records, crisis interventions skills, and educational programming.

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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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES (EO/AAE) is currently accepting applications for the following position:

New Visions Health Teacher

Located at: North Franklin Educational Center- Malone, NY
Salary Range: \$53,032 (2024-25 Base Salary)

Additional salary may be granted
based upon experience and credit hours.

Deadline to apply: July 19, 2024

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

www.fehb.org/careers

Queries should be directed to:

Candace Poitras- Administrative Assistant

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES (EO/AAE) is currently accepting applications for the following positions located at North Franklin Educational Center in Malone:

Principal Account Clerk

Salary: \$36,254 (2024-25 Base Salary)

Accounting Supervisor

Salary: \$50K-\$58K (Based on experience)

Application Deadline: Until filled

Applications can be found online at:
www.fehb.org/careers

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Minimum Qualifications:

Two (2) year degree in Business or Finance with emphasis on communications or equivalent related experience.

Call Center or customer service and banking experience, preferred.

Proficient PC skills including typing.

Experience with email software and the Internet.

Excellent verbal and written communication skills.

Proficient in letter-writing using business letter skills.

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Compensation: Salary is commensurate with experience.

To apply to this position or to see a full listing of current openings please go to: <https://cbna.com/careers/work-happy>

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SUNY CANTON Facilities Operations Assistant 1

SUNY Canton is seeking applicants for the position of **Facilities Operations Assistant 1** to work in our Athletics Complex. Candidate must have one year of experience in the operation of tractors, mowers, and other equipment. Candidates must possess a valid NYS Driver's License Class D minimum. Incumbents of positions in this class also perform routine cleaning tasks as well as, repair and maintenance of roadways, grounds, landscape, and ice rink maintenance on a variety of different work shifts.

Facilities Operations Assistant 1 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.

Starting Salary: \$35,177

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

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2. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a baby swan called?
3. HISTORY: What is the name of the treaty that ended the Revolutionary War?
4. GEOGRAPHY: In which country is the Basilica de la Sagrada Familia located?
5. SCIENCE: What does a hertz measure?
6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What color is most of the toilet paper in France?
7. PSYCHOLOGY: What irrational fear is represented by coulrophobia?
8. LANGUAGE: What is the first character to be added to Morse Code since WWII?
9. LITERATURE: What is the term for a section at the end of a book that concludes what has happened?
10. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president turned down offers to play professional football after college graduation?

Answers found elsewhere in this paper.



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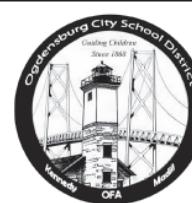
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- Cover Letter
- Application (can be obtained in the Superintendent's Office at OFA or downloaded from our school website)
- Resume`
- Copy of New York State Teaching Certificate(s)
- Original College Transcript(s)
- Letters of Reference (3 Current)
- **Application deadline is July 15, 2024**
- Failure to provide all requested materials will result in disqualification of the candidate's application

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Sabrina Charleston
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Massena, NY

View complete posting on www.usajobs.gov (search on Massena, NY). This vacancy will close on 09/09/2024 with early consideration around 7/11/2024.

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Project Coordinator Workforce & Strategic Initiatives

Salary: \$44,000 - \$47,500

Description of Duties

SUNY Canton is accepting applications for a full-time Project Coordinator for Strategic Initiatives. The successful candidate will work half-time in the Center for Workforce, Community & Industry Partnerships (CWCIP), reporting directly to the Executive Director, and half-time supporting the Vice President for Strategic Relations & Communications (which oversees the CWCIP).

Center for Workforce, Community & Industry Partnerships:

The Project Coordinator will be responsible for coordinating scheduling, invoicing and administrative duties associated with workforce development and relevant campus grants/initiatives. The incumbent will coordinate microcredential initiatives, community engagement, and workforce trainings. This position will work with other staff, faculty, and administrative units on campus when required. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Perform administrative coordinating duties related to the Center for Workforce, Community & Industry Partnerships.
- Facilitate project operation by creating timelines, milestones, and deliverables to contribute to effective planning and implementation.
- Coordinate invoicing, scheduling, and tracking of workforce development trainings and other initiatives, including summer camps.

Strategic Relation & Communications:

The successful candidate will provide administrative and program support for the Vice President of Strategic Relations and Communications in the areas of economic development, community relations, government relations, and special projects.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Perform administrative coordinating duties related to the Office of Strategic Relation & Communications.
- Budget tracking.
- Draft/edit/proofread communications and other documents.
- Aid in administrative details for planning and implementation of projects/initiatives.
- Facilitate communication and coordination between internal and external constituencies.
- Special projects as assigned.

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Application Deadline: Review will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Prior to a 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. Persons interested in the above position should apply online at <https://employment.canton.edu/>

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To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, interested applicants must apply online at: <https://employment.stlawu.edu>. SLU is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity employer. All offers of employment are subject to the applicant successfully passing a background (including criminal records) check.



St. Lawrence County
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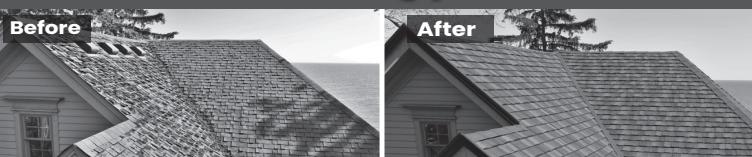
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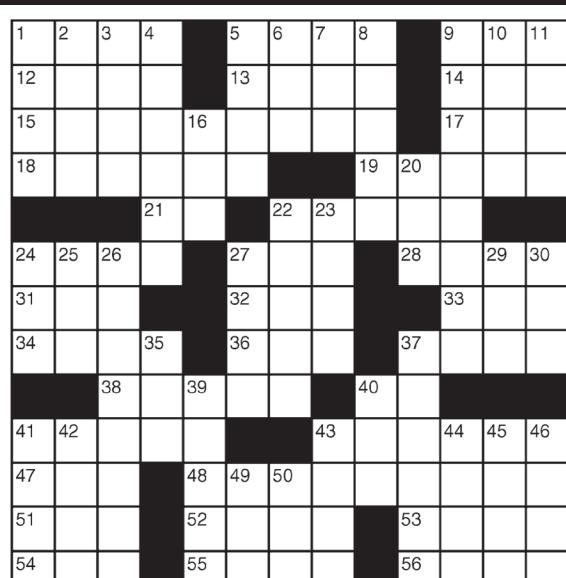
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- 5 Profs' degrees
- 9 "The Matrix" role
- 12 Caspian Sea feeder
- 13 Mine, in Montreal
- 14 Cleric's garment
- 15 When sports events start
- 17 Avril follower
- 18 Whine
- 19 Representative
- 21 Chicago transport
- 22 Sanctioned by Islamic law
- 24 Pottery oven
- 27 Nourished
- 28 Hotel furniture
- 31 JFK info
- 32 Genetic letters
- 33 "Mayday!"
- 34 Jewels
- 36 Weaponize
- 37 D-Day carriers
- 38 Boredom
- 40 Little — Peep
- 41 Move laterally
- 43 Least possible
- 47 Actor Ferrigno



- DOWN**
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- 2 Pakistan neighbor
- 3 "Bohemian Rhapsody" star Malek
- 4 Football team
- 5 Sandbox toy
- 6 "Let me think ..."
- 7 Female hare
- 8 Twine fiber
- 9 Anonymous
- 10 Flair
- 11 Life story?
- 15 Peevish fit
- 16 Website contact no.
- 20 Talk on and on
- 22 Artist Matisse
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