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Ogdensburg creates ethics board

City wants a neutral non-political ethics team

BY JIMMY LAWTON
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OGDENSBURG — Making good on earlier statements Ogdensburg City Council has established a Board of Ethics, at least on paper.

On Monday, City Council approved changes to the ethics code following a public hearing that will create a new board that will offer advisory opinions on grievances that come before it.

The board will consist of five members to be appointed by the City Council for terms of one year.

Members of the board must reside in the city and will serve without compensation at the pleasure of the City Council.

A majority of such members shall be persons other than officers or employees of the City of Ogdensburg and at least one member who is an elected or appointed municipal officer or employee.

According to the resolution, the board shall have the powers and duties prescribed and will render advisory opinions to the officers and employees of the City of Ogdensburg with respect to the Code of Ethics as the Board may prescribe.

In addition, the Board may make

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Cheryl Shumway | NCTW

At the polls

Patricia S. McGrath feeds her completed ballot into the voting machine, with the help of poll worker Rosemary Paradis, at the Massena Meals on Wheels building on Election Day. One person was arrested, a machine had to be replaced in Hammond and a minor disturbance was raised in Hannawa Falls at the polls Tuesday as St. Lawrence County residents cast their ballots. Elections officials reported a large turnout this year with the presidential race, Proposition 1 and the 21st Congressional District seat up for grabs. See more inside on page 2.

Air products deal will net village \$300k

Water deal officially approved by village board

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

MASSENA — Village trustees have formally adopted and signed an escrow and reimbursement agreement with Air Products, a green hydrogen facility being built on Pontoon Bridge Road in the town of Massena.

The action came during a special meeting held Oct. 30.

The village previously agreed to a deal with Air Products to supply \$300,000 worth of water to the facility each year, which utilizes hydrolysis to extract hydrogen from water.

Village officials previously commented that there was an excess capacity in the raw water supply of the village which could be utilized by Air Products to support their facility.

As part of the agreement with Air Products, feasibility

studies and improvements will have to be made to the water infrastructure of the village to ensure a supply can reach Air Products.

Department of Public Works Superintendent Marty Miller previously commented that the pumps at the water treatment facility, along with a redundant water line to the north end of the village and into the town would be required.

Mayor Greg Paquin said he and village officials would discuss the matter with Air Products in hopes of striking a deal that would see the hydrogen producer help pay for the upgrades and new line.

The village will also contract with Labella Associates to perform the early phase engineering work of the project, along with feasibility studies.

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Adam Smith trial continues in Canton Autopsies and murder weapons discussed at trial

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

State Police Investigators have testified that they believe a knife recovered from Adam Smith's impounded truck is the weapon used to murder Ronald "Huck" Durham on Feb. 11, 2023.

Smith stands accused of murdering Durham and William Freeman on March 2, 2023 in the town of Rossie.

Murder weapon match?
During his cross examination

by defense attorney Brian Barrett, Investigator Daniel Haley was asked about the knife that police found in a garbage bag found in the back of Smith's impounded 2016 Ford F-150 that was secured in Cortland.

Barrett asked for a timeline of the discovery of evidence, which Haley said occurred on March 9, nearly four weeks after Durham's murder on Feb. 11.

Barrett asked Haley if he had spoken to Patrolman Austin Fisk of the Cortland City Police Department, to which Haley replied he

had not due to Fisk being on vacation at the time he was informed of Smith's truck being in Cortland City Police impound.

Barrett called into question the duration of time between the murder and discovery of the knife, suggesting it could be difficult to prove the knife was used.

But during redirect by District Attorney Gary Pasqua, Haley said Dr. Scott Lapoint, who conducted the autopsy on Durham on Feb. 12, had commented that one injury sustained to Durham's chin was consistent with a partially serrated

blade.

Haley said the blade of the Gerber knife recovered from Smith's truck was a partially serrated blade.

Patricia Woods, manager of the Gouverneur ACE Hardware, confirmed that Smith purchased a 10" Gerber fixed blade knife at the store just weeks prior to Durham's murder as well.

Searching Wing's residence

Shortly after the death of Ronald Durham on Feb. 11, police investigated Freddie Wing's

involvement in the homicide.

Haley said he was told on Feb. 12 that Wing had confessed to the murder, after which investigators secured a search warrant to investigate Wing's residence on Van Buren Road which happened to be just a few hundred yards down the road from the scene of the crime.

"What were you looking for at Freddie Wing's residence?" Barrett asked.

"We were told to look for knives specifically," Haley said.

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St. Lawrence County voters back Trump, GOP Senate candidate, oppose Prop 1

St. Lawrence County voters favored Republicans Donald Trump for president and Michael D. Sapracone for U.S. Senator while also opposing the controversial Proposition 1 during voting on Tuesday.

For president, Donald J. Trump and J.D. Vance, who ran on the Republican/Conservative Party lines, received 25,210 votes in St. Lawrence County. Democrats Kamala D. Harris and Tim Walz, on the Democratic and Working Families Party lines, received 17,502.

U.S. Senator Kirsten E. Gillibrand, a Democrat, won re-election, but St. Lawrence County voters favored her opponent, Republican Michael D. Sapracone. He received 22,122 votes in St. Lawrence County, compared to 18,804 for Gillibrand. Diane Sare, the LaRouche Party candidate, tallied 148 from St. Lawrence County voters.

A total of 21,960 St. Lawrence County citizens voted against Proposition 1, which was approved statewide,

while 18,050 in St. Lawrence County in favor.

The proposal will put protections in the state constitution against unequal treatment based on ethnicity, national origin, age, disability, and sex, including sexual orientation, gender identity and pregnancy. It will also protect against unequal treatment based on reproductive healthcare and autonomy.

Proponents say the measure would strengthen and codify protections of a number of rights, especially, but not limited to a woman's right to have an abortion. Opponents of the amendment believe it could limit parental rights by including age as a protected class. They say it would open the doors for children to make their own healthcare decisions. Concerns have also been raised that it would impact high school sports teams by possibly allowing transgender girls to play on girls sports teams.

All results are unofficial and do not include absentee ballots.

Simpson, Broadbent elected to village board

MASSENA – Democrat Chad Simpson and Republican David Broadbent were elected to the Massena Village Board on Tuesday.

Simpson received 1,899 votes and Broadbent had 1,799. Their challengers were Democrat Ronald LeRoux Jr., with 1,735 votes and Republican Brandon Webb, with 1,511.

A 25-year Massena resident, Simpson has served on the village board since being appointed to finish now-Mayor Greg Paquin's term after Paquin was elected mayor. He has worked as a high school teacher and coach.

Broadbent has lived in the Massena School District for 30 years and the village for 22 years. He recently

retired. He ran unsuccessfully for Massena Central School Board the St. Lawrence County Legislature in recent years.

Political newcomer LeRoux has been a Massena resident since age 12 and has eight children. He is employed by ARC Health working with released prisoners who are HIV or Hep C Positive transition from prison to home life.

Webb, a Texas native, moved to the village in 2020 and works for Lavalle Transportation in Potsdam. He is also a New York State baseball umpire.

Trustee Shelyn Peets declined to seek re-election.

The results are unofficial and do not include absentee ballots.



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Voting turnout high in Massena

Douglas Richard Bushey puts his ballot into the voting machine at the Massena Meals on Wheels building on Election Day. Over 400 had voted there by noon.

State reps, county treasurer win re-election

County family court judge wins unopposed

The four Republican state senators and assemblymen who represent St. Lawrence County were re-elected Tuesday, having faced no Democratic opponents.

Meanwhile, St. Lawrence County Treasurer Renne M. Cole, a Dem-

ocrat, faced no challenger and was re-elected. County Family Court Judge candidate Effie Kyriakopoulos, a Republican, had no opponent and won the seat.

Daniel G. Stec won re-election to the 45th State Senate District with 20,003. Another 8,253 voters did not make a choice in the race. Stec represents the eastern part of St. Lawrence County, as well as Clinton, Essex, Franklin, and Warren counties and parts of Washington County.

Mark C. Walczek won re-election to the 49th State Senate District with 11,911 votes. Another 2,779 voters did not make a choice in the race. He represents the western part of St. Lawrence County as well as Hamilton, Fulton, Jefferson, and

Lewis counties, and parts of Herkimer and Oswego counties.

Scott A. Gray won re-election to the 116th State Assembly District, also known as the "River District," with 19,891 votes. Another 6,776 voters did not make a choice in the race. The district includes the northern parts of St. Lawrence and Jefferson counties.

Kenneth Blankenbush won re-election to the 117th State Assembly District, which includes the southern part of St. Lawrence County, with 12,516 votes. Another 3,776 voters did not make a choice in the race. It also includes Lewis County, and portions of Oneida and Jefferson.

The results are unofficial and do not include absentee ballots.

Rep. Elise Stefanik easily won re-election to her sixth term representing the 21st Congressional district on Tuesday.

With 521 of 571 election districts reporting in the 15-county district, the Republican had received 208,787 votes by shortly after midnight on Wednesday, compared with 126,345 for her Democratic opponent, Paula Collins.

In St. Lawrence County, 25,497 voted in favor of Stefanik, while 16,598 cast ballots for Collins.

There are 492,273 registered voters in the 21st Congressional district that includes all or parts of St. Lawrence, Jefferson, Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Fulton, Hamilton, Jefferson, Herkimer, Lewis, Montgomery, Oneida, Saratoga, Warren, Schoharie and Washington counties.

As chair of the House Republican Conference since 2021, Stefanik is the fourth-ranking House Republican. She has backing from Donald Trump supporters and was at one

time on the short list as a potential vice presidential candidate.

During the campaign, Stefanik said she is "focused on lowering inflation, securing the border including increasing resources for our Northern border, supporting local small businesses and agriculture, standing with law enforcement, and as the chief advocate for Fort Drum soldiers and military families as well as our local veterans."

She champions the pro-life movement and opposes the use of federal dollars to fund abortions, has blamed the Biden administration for the influx of migrants, and is against a single-payer healthcare system or expanding Medicare.

Stefanik was 30 when first elected to the House in 2014, the youngest woman elected to Congress at the time.

Collins is a downstate cannabis tax attorney and former special education teacher who rented a residence in DeKalb while undertaking the campaign.

She says her views are very much in line with that of Presidential hopeful Kamala Harris.

Collins said Stefanik has had five terms to improve the lives of North Country residents and it's time to give someone else a chance.

She advocates fighting back against the anti-abortion movement, revisiting the bipartisan federal immigration bill that failed to pass by one vote, and moving towards a single-payer health care system to lower costs.

Trash pickup changes

MASSENA — In observance of Veteran's Day, garbage and recyclables will not be collected in the Village of Massena on Monday, Nov. 11.

The area normally collected on Monday will be picked up on Tuesday, Nov. 12.

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Village hopes facade work will be finished this year

Former Massena School of Business to be removed as part of DRI project

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI

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MASSENA -- Seven projects have received funding through the village's Core of the Community Fund, which was established after the village was awarded \$10 million through the Downtown Revitalization Initiative.

Village Administrator Monique Chatland said the three rounds of applications were a huge success, with a number of businesses applying for the funding.

She said the village recently held informational meetings for three grantees, a required step of the program.

Grant funds through the Core of the Community can range from \$5,000 to \$100,000 for the third she said.

Up to 75% of total project costs could be covered through the grant.

For round two, grants ranged from \$10,000 to \$50,000, she said.

With a sizable sum of money remaining with the program, requirements were changed for the final round to incentivize more applicants.

Business owner contributions were reduced to 25% and maximum awards could be as high as \$100,000.

Chatland said that adjustment led to more applicants in the final round.

"We allocated approximately \$525,000. We have approximately \$15,000 left, but I'm assuming as construction goes there will be some unexpected things," Chatland said during a recent board meeting.

City seeks new code enforcer

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building trade.

Those who possess a New York State Department of State Code Enforcement Certification as mandated in the State of New York Title 19 NYSCRR Part 434.5 (Certification of Code Enforcement Personnel) and have completed any necessary In-service Code Enforcement Personnel Training to maintain proper certification will also be accepted.

Civil Service applications are available at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall or by clicking here. Completed applications must be returned to City Clerk Cathy A. Jock, 330 Ford Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669. Applications will be accepted continually and reviewed weekly until the position is filled.

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Dinner served to volunteers

An appreciation dinner was held for 60 volunteer drivers of the Massena Meals on Wheels program recently to thank them for delivering meals. Board member Jan Murphy, in front, serves food to the volunteers in line here: Allan Thompson, Gert and Gary Palmer, Nancy Manley, Steve Dickson, Pat Shope and Joanne Dixon. On left are Director Stacie Hawkins and Board member Patty Raiti. Additional drivers are needed, including substitutes.

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Town of Massena passes crypto mining regulations after years-long moratorium

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
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MASSENA -- The town of Massena now has comprehensive regulations for crypto mining operations after years of research, debates and review.

Town board members signed off on the regulations during the Sept. 19 board meeting, bringing an end to a six-year process that began after early operations utilized sea boxes to house their servers.

Following the discovery, town officials put a moratorium in place that was continually extended in three to six month intervals.

Officials signaled earlier this year that the regulations were nearing completion, with just a few tweaks possible before final approval was given.

The news also comes as welcome relief to one operation, North Country Colocation Services, as they seek to expand operations in the industrial zone.

NCCS has operated out of the former Alcoa East facility for years, but an expansion project was placed on hold as the moratorium was continually extended.

NCCS CEO David Fogel raised his concerns with town officials earlier this year, saying the mor-

atorium proved worrisome for investors who were unsure if they wanted to commit \$100 million to the project with regulations still in limbo.

At a previous town board meeting, Fogel said the planned expansion by NCCS would be no different than if Alcoa had sought to expand operations.

"There's all these extra regulations being imposed on us for expanding that wouldn't apply to other businesses. And, by the way, shouldn't apply to our business because they don't fit what we do. I think they do fit what the small operators do," Fogel said at the time.

Fogel said the regulations, as originally planned, were to address operators "on the side of the road" that cause a nuisance to people "because they're unsightly, make noise and are probably unsafe."

Though the regulations would grandfather in the existing operation, the expansion project would not be included, Fogel said.

"The problem is the wording to maybe five words, 'but any expansion thereof shall be subject to these regulations.' That's all we're asking to be resolved," he said.

Fogel said once that language is

clarified, he can move forward and get a deal done with investors who would help finance the planned expansion.

"We simply want clarification of the language so that we can confidently move forward with our expansion project and to tell our investors that we can do this," he told board members.

Following his address to the board and over three dozen attendees, town officials began work to clarify the language of the regulations as it relates to expansion projects and industrial zones.

A review by the county planning board followed in June "out of an abundance of caution," according to Town Attorney Eric Gustafson.

Gustafson told town board members it was not a prerequisite to adopting the regulations, however "out of an abundance of caution" he wanted the County Planning Board to review the proposed regulations before the town adopts them.

"This would be the first time anyone has adopted regulations for such operations, so we want to be extra certain that everything is ready before we move forward," he said.

The review came back this summer, with only minor changes suggested.

Gustafson suggested board members adopt a few suggestions to tighten up the regulations but also recommended disregarding others he felt were not necessary.

With the regulations now complete, it appears NCCS will finally be able to move forward with the project, creating numerous construction jobs.

Fogel previously said that once the project is complete NCCS will likely be able to double the number of full-time employees, bringing the total to 180-200 total.

The comprehensive regulations will now ensure that seabed containers cannot be utilized as a structure to house the computers used for crypto mining, while also dictating what areas of the town such operations can be established, such as industrial zones.

As part of the regulations, officials also set standards for noise pollution and other factors that may impact residential areas nearby, as well as standards to mitigate negative impacts on the natural environment.



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Repairs continue at Memorial Park

Repairs are continuing at Massena's Veterans Memorial Park on Andrews Street. An excavator removes soil to make a new retaining wall next to the Fire Department on Oct. 30.

Two jailed on drug charges, bail jumping after traffic stop

Narcotics found during search of vehicle

BRASHER FALLS — Two people were jailed on various charges following a traffic stop Sunday on State Highway 11C, according to state police.

Troopers reportedly observed a red 2009 Chevrolet violate a vehicle and traffic law shortly after 8 p.m. The driver was identified as Michael R. Woods, 49, North Lawrence, the front seat passenger was identified as Kristy Woods, 38, Brasher Falls, and the back seat passengers were identified as Darrin R. Collins, 45, Winthrop and Emily C. Moniere, 27, Potsdam, after they provided incorrect names and date of births, officers said.

During the traffic stop, troopers discovered Collins and Moniere had a stay-away order of protection in place, so they were in violation.

Moniere reportedly had an active bench warrant out of Norfolk Town Court, and Woods had an active bench warrant out of Massena Town Court. All three were taken into custody.

During a search of the vehicle, numerous amounts of narcotic drugs and paraphernalia were

located in the vehicle, police said.

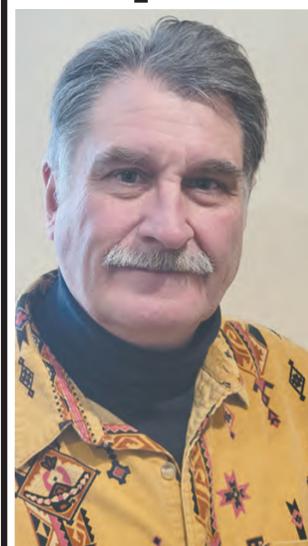
Collins was charged with seventh-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance, second-degree criminal contempt, third-degree bail jumping, and false personation.

He was arraigned in the town of Norfolk Court, where he was remanded to St. Lawrence County jail on \$4,000 bail.

Moniere was charged with two counts of seventh-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance, third-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance, fourth-degree criminal possession of narcotic drug 4th, bail jumping, and false personation. She was arraigned in the town of Norfolk Court, where she was remanded to St. Lawrence County Jail in lieu of \$10,000 cash bail.

Woods was charged with two counts of seventh-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance and second-degree criminal use of drug paraphernalia. She was arraigned in the town of Norfolk Court, where she was released on her own recognizance.

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CANTON - It is with immense sadness and broken hearts that we share with you the great loss of our dear father, Saverio "Sam" Sergi. He passed away peacefully on Tuesday, October 29, 2024, at the age of 81, at the Wilkes Barre General Hospital in Pennsylvania with family by his side.

Sam is survived by his loving children and their spouses: Pasquale and Rosa Sergi, Frank and Marilena Sergi, Lisa and Luigi Vecchio and Michael and Amanda Sergi. He was blessed to be surrounded by his eleven grandchildren who overwhelmed him with love: Maria Lucia Vecchio, Maria Elisabetta Sergi (Leo Zappavigna), Angelina (Robin) Raphael, Elisa Sergi, Antonio Vecchio, Saverio Sergi, Mary Sergi, Giuliana Sergi, Marianna Sergi, Sam Sergi, and Evalina Sergi. He is also survived by two beloved sisters, Carmela (Saverio) Spagnolo of Potsdam, and Maria (Joe) Cufari of Australia.

He was predeceased by his wife, Maria (nee Spagnolo), a younger brother and sister Michael and Josephine. Also predeceased by many brothers and sisters in law.

Sam was born on March 26, 1943, in Plati, Reggio Calabria, Italy. He was the son of the late Pasquale and Elisabetta (nee Callipari) Sergi. Sam immigrated to the United States in 1961, by sponsorship of his uncle, Vincenzo Callipari. On October 27, 1962 he married Maria Spagnolo at St. Mary's Church in Massena, New York. The couple were married 43 years and raised four wonderful children. The couple



Saverio Sergi

moved to Canton where Sam "The Italian Barber" operated his Barber Shop. In 1966 the couple started Sergi's Italian Restaurant and Pizzeria on Main Street, where it still stands today as a landmark in the community. The restaurant has hosted numerous events and gatherings for

many families and organizations within our community.

Sam had a great fondness for horses. His passion led him to become a trainer and driver of harness horses where he further developed Sergi's Stables.

He enjoyed traveling the country with horse trailer in tow, not only within New York State, but also New Jersey, Vermont, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, Florida, and Ohio. He frequently traveled internationally to Canada, where he raced at Rideau Carleton in Ottawa, Woodbine Mohawk Park in Toronto, and Blue Bonnets in Montreal.

His patience and dedication came in developing young horses into future stars, which he had many.

Sam was an active member of the US Trotting Association, Canadian Trotting Association, the Italian American Club, and was a communicant of St. Mary's Church.

Sam lived a life filled with the love of family and friends, caring

for and helping others. His smile was genuine and open hearted, and contained the ability to overjoy any room.

His love for others showed each and every day with his charismatic qualities.

If you had the privilege to know him and accompany him at any table within his restaurant, you shared a piece of his joy.

His smiling face sitting at his table will be greatly missed by those who enter the front door of Sergi's.

His children and grandchildren cherish the countless memories, life lessons, and hard work ethic he instilled in them all, not only at Sergi's Italian Restaurant but Sergi's Stables as well.

The family will receive relatives and friends on Saturday, November 2nd from 7-9 PM and Sunday, November 3rd from 2-4 and 7-9 PM at the Lawrence Funeral Home, 21 Park Street, Canton.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Monday, November 4, 2024, at 11:30 AM at St. Mary's Church, 66 Court Street, Canton. Burial will follow the mass at the St. Mary's Cemetery in Canton.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Saverio "Sam" Sergi Memorial Scholarship fund at Hugh C. Williams High School in Canton. The scholarship will honor a proud individual in the Future Farmers of America Organization (FFA).

Condolences, memories and photos may be shared with the family by visiting www.lawrencefuneral-home.org

Marilyn Rose LeBire, 82

Formerly of Massena

Marilyn then settled with her husband and helped raise their two boys.



Marilyn LeBire

She then started working in 1973 for the General Motors, and later worked in the restaurant business.

After raising her family and her husband's retirement, they began to snow

bird to Florida for the winters. Later, they decided to make Florida their permanent home.

In 2016 and after her husband's passing, Marilyn then moved the Mississippi Gulf Coast to be near family.

Marilyn enjoyed going out with friends and playing Bingo.

She also belonged to the Moose Lodge with her husband.

Marilyn was a loving and devoted

wife and mother.

She will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

Marilyn is survived by her loving sons, Steven D. (Carolyn) LeBire, and Maurice (Alison) LeBire; grandchildren, Krista, Nickie, and Elisha; great grandchildren; Destiny, Jerion, Kennice, Kendall, Kelton, Carmon, and Sadie; and great great granddaughter, Vivian.

Marilyn also leaves behind to cherish her memory a host of nieces, nephews, friends, and extended family.

Her remains will be laid to rest alongside her husband at the Florida Veterans Cemetery, Bushnell.

Riemann Family Funeral Home, Pass Christian is assisting the family. Please leave special message or memory below.

To order memorial trees in memory of Marilyn Rose LeBire, please visit our tree store.

Winthrop, Nov. 1. Arrangements with Hammill Funeral Home, Ogdensburg.

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Sylvia Joan Monroe, 82

Formerly of Massena

ENTS, Walter J. Martin and Evelyn Martin.

Visitation will be held at Baker Funeral Home, 6401 Groom Rd. Baker, LA 70714 on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Visiting will resume at Baker Funeral Home, on Wednesday, November 6, 2024, from 9:00 AM until the

funeral service at 11:00 AM. Interment to follow at Feliciana Rest Cemetery, Slaughter, LA 70777.

To order memorial trees or send flowers to the family in memory of Sylvia Monroe, please visit our flower store: <https://www.condolences.com/baker-funeral-home/flowers>

Tommaso "Thomas" Gramuglia, 74

Massena

MASSENA - The family of Tommaso "Thomas" Gramuglia, age 74, of Massena, NY, are saddened to report his passing on Saturday evening, October 26, 2024, at Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester, NY.

Family and friends are invited to call the Phillips Memorial Home, Massena on Wednesday, November 6, 2024, from 2:00 pm to 4:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, November 7, 2024, at Sacred Heart Church with Rev. Mark Reilly officiating at 10:00 am.

Entombment will take place in Fort Lee, New Jersey on Saturday, November 9, 2024, at Madonna Cemetery & Mausoleum at 10:00 am.

Following the entombment service family and friends will be invited to a local restaurant in Fort Lee to celebrate Tom's life, details to be shared after the service.

Tom was born in Englewood, NJ, to the late Antonio and Maria (Oliveri) Gramuglia on December 6, 1949. Tom attended schools in New Jersey where he graduated from Fort Lee High School, and later attended New York Institute of Technology. Shortly after, Tom met and was married to Ginette Cormier on November 19, 1970, in Mont Royal, Quebec. They began their family shortly after and soon relocated from New Jersey to the North Country in 1973, where they began his first of many successful businesses, Michele Audio Corporation. As technology changed Michele was formed in the late 1980's to manufacture and distribute media packaging and components. His final and still active company Hind-sight Records which was purchased by Tom in the 1970's still continues to release music in the big band, jazz, classical and country genre.

Tom enjoyed many things throughout his life. His love of family and friends was very important.

In addition to his parents, Tom is predeceased by his sisters; Nancy Amendola, Maria Carnovale and Patrick "Patsy" Napoli.

In lieu of flowers, family invites memorial contributions to the American Liver Foundation; 39 Broadway, Suite 2700, New York City, NY 10006 and the Massena Rotary Club; PO Box 477 Massena NY 13662.

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

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RECENT DEATHS

SUE WHITMARSH, 69, Brasher Falls, Sept. Arrangements with Hammill Funeral Home, Winthrop.

TAMMASO GRAMUGLIA, 74, Massena, Oct. 26. Arrangements Phillips Memorial Home, Massena.

LILA FISKE, 93, Brasher Falls, Oct. 28. Arrangements with Hammill Funeral Home, Winthrop.

MICHAEL WOOD, 71, Ogdensburg, Oct. 28. Arrangements with Fox & Murray Funeral Home, Ogdensburg.

ROSE NICOLA, 93, Massena, Oct. 28. Arrangements with Phillips Memorial Home, Massena.

SYLVIA MONROE, 82, formerly

of Massena, Oct. 30. Arrangements with Baker Funeral Home, Baker, LA.

BRUCE LADUE, 80, formerly of Massena, Oct. 30. Arrangements with Wooster Funeral Home, Pauls Valley, OK.

MARYLYN LEBIRE, 82, formerly of Massena, Oct. 30. Arrangements with Riemann Family Funeral Home.

TAMPA STEWART, 64, formerly of Massena, Oct. 30. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

WILLIAM PAYNE, 71, Ogdensburg, Nov. 1. Arrangements with Frary Funeral Home, Ogdensburg.

RAYONA THOMPSON, 86,

OBITUARIES

Jill Suzanna (Joyce) Egan, 82

Ogdensburg

OGDENSBURG - Jill Suzanne (Joyce) Egan, age 82, of Ogdensburg, NY, passed away peacefully at her home on Friday, October 25, 2024. Arrangements are under the care and direction of Fox & Murray Funeral Home.

Jill was born in Canton, NY, to the late Irving and Georgina (Farnsworth) Joyce. She earned her Bachelor's Degree in physical education from SUNY Brockport and later worked as a physical education teacher at Ogdensburg Free Academy and a health teacher at Parishville Hopkinton Central School, and later Potsdam Central School District.

On August 14, 1965, Jill married her beloved husband, Vincent Terrence Egan, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Canton, NY.

Known for her vibrant spirit, Jill was the life of every gathering, a skilled entertainer, and an amazing cook. She spent her quiet time reading.

She and Vince traveled around the country in their RV, spending many happy winters in South Padre Island, Texas. Although she loved to travel, Jill was happiest when home on the St. Lawrence River, enjoying her beautiful view of the water and watching the ships as they passed through the St. Lawrence Seaway. Jill passed her love of the St. Lawrence on to her children and grandchildren who found their many visits to the St. Lawrence the highlight of their summers. Jill loved her time with the grandchildren, making each visit special. Her

family eagerly awaited her weekly texts, filled with warmth and love.

Jill always stated that she won the husband lottery with Vince who was the love of her life. He was her anchor, and she was his skipper. They hit many waves and weathered storms together for 59 years. It's fitting to think

that they've found their eternal safe harbor together, sitting in their chairs while enjoying the ships as they pass by on the river.

Mrs. Egan is survived by her son, Vincent "Terry" Egan Jr. and his wife Anne Marie of Fairport, NY; her daughters, Joyce Egan of Brighton, NY and Jeannie Levesque of Mount Pleasant, SC; her brother, Michael Joyce and his wife Deborah of Columbia, SC; her grandchildren, Brian Terrance Egan of Atlanta, GA, Elizabeth Anne Egan of Buffalo, NY, Katy Maria Gaudieri of Smithtown, NY, Sara Joyce Gaudieri of Nashville, TN, Cash Kennedy Levesque of Mount Pleasant, SC and Brody Vincent Levesque of Mount Pleasant, SC; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Memorial contributions may be made in Jill's name to the American Heart Association at heart.org.

Condolences and fond memories may be shared at foxandmurrayfuneralhome.com.



Jill Egan

Jeannie Marie (Griffin) Snyder, 68

Parish

PARISH - Jeannie Marie (Griffin) Snyder, 68, of Parish, NY passed away October 28, 2024 after a long and courageous battle with multiple sclerosis.

Jeannie was born in Malone, New York on May 1, 1956 to Garth and the late MaryAnn (Maneely) Griffin. She graduated from Holy Family High School in Massena, then furthered her education at Canton ATC with a business degree. She worked for many years in retail management.

She had a deep love for her family and her dogs, Shiloh, Tucker, and Hunter. Her interests included crocheting afghans and creating floral arrangements which she gifted to family and friends for weddings and special occasions, boating, a love of fishing, sitting on the front porch feeding the birds, and her friend Bob the tailless chipmunk. She enjoyed surfing the web for hours in search of online freebies and playing Words with Friends with her best friend Peggy.

She loved camping, the outdoors, and especially her log home in the woods. She loved her chocolate malts from Vicky's Tasty Treats and was obsessed with her Dunkin' Donuts coffee.

Most importantly she loved



Jeannie Snyder

spending time outside in nature enjoying her home and walking her dog before the disease made that impossible.

Jeannie will be remembered by all for her feisty spirit, never afraid to fight or argue or speak her mind. She was a sassy individual full of piss and vinegar as her son remembers her.

She is survived by her husband of 40 years, David Snyder; son, Charlie "Boomer" (Stacy) Nadeau; granddaughter, Charlise Nadeau; siblings, Karen (Tom) Dufort, Tom (Carolyn) Griffin, Aletha (John) Babbie, Jeri-Lyn (Randy) Blow, Robert (Angie) Griffin, Rebecca (Shawn) Bleakley; several nieces, nephews, grand-nieces and grand-nephews; and her inseparable companion and protector, her dog Hunter.

Per Jeannie's request, there will be no services but memorial contributions may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society of NY in her name.

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28 Clinton St., Waddington
315-388-4428

Fox & Murray
Funeral Home

528 Franklin Street
Ogdensburg
315-393-4879

Rose M. Nicola, 93

Massena

MASSENA - Rose M. Nicola, age 93, passed away on Monday, October 28, 2024, at Massena Hospital, surrounded by her loving caregivers, Shaneen and Jessie, and her devoted niece Roberta Worden. Friends and family may be received on Friday, November 1, 2024, from 4:00pm to 7:00pm at Phillips Memorial Home in Massena. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 11:00am on Saturday, November 2, 2024, at St. Mary's Church, Massena with Rev. Mark Reilly officiating. Burial to follow in Calvary Cemetery, Massena, NY.

Rose was born on February 10, 1931, in Massena to Benjamin and Theresa (Bronchetti) Nicola. Rose graduated from Massena High School and attended Potsdam State earning a teaching degree. After a brief time working in Syracuse, she returned to the North Country to take care of her parents at their family home located at 129 N. Main Street in Massena. She taught Kindergarten, second and third grades at Madison School in Massena, retiring after 34 years. With her many friends she pursued her interests in golf, driving sporty cars and traveling.

Rose is survived by many nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews: Roberta Rosanne Worden (Michael) of Delmar, NY, Anita Roseanne Manolt (Edward) of Hudson Falls, NY; Joan Boisvert Bidgood (Rick) of East Sandwich, MA; Anne Nicola Audette (Charles) of Gouverneur, NY, Michael Nicola

Michael Lucien Wood, 71

Ogdensburg

OGDENSBURG - Michael Lucien Wood, age 71, of Ogdensburg, NY, formerly of Carthage, NY, passed away Monday, October 28, 2024, at Samaritan Medical Center due to complications following surgery.

A funeral mass will be announced at a later date. Arrangements are under the care and direction of Fox & Murray Funeral Home.

Born on July 22, 1953, in Watertown, NY. Michael was the son of Margaret (Peggy) Martin. After graduating from Carthage Central School, he proudly served in the United States Army from 1971, working as a Medic at Tripler Army Medical Center in Honolulu, Hawaii.

During his time in Hawaii,

Michael was also played semi-professional football, showcasing his love for sports. He had additional medical training at Fort Ord, CA.

Following his military service, Michael graduated from Jefferson Community College in Watertown, NY, earning an Associate's Degree in liberal arts. He then worked as an EMT in California and Northern



Michael Wood

New York, where he later served as a traveling phlebotomist, conducting health screenings and blood work for insurance companies.

Later he joined First Student as a bus driver, where he enjoyed connecting with the community. On December 27, 2002, Michael married Mary

Callahan Zelie at Notre Dame Church in Ogdensburg, NY, officiated by Rev. F. James Shurtliff. He was previously married to Karen Bevans. That union resulted in one son, Paul, who was the apple of Michael's eye, and brought great joy to him during his life.

Michael was an avid outdoorsman, enjoying fishing and hunting. He also served as a NYS Hunter Safety instructor for firearms and archery. And he was a certified NRA pistol instructor. He cherished time spent with his grandchildren and remained a lifelong athlete until health challenges arose later

Bruce F. LaDue, 80

Massena

MASSENA - Surrounded by his loving family, Bruce F. LaDue, 80, a resident of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma formerly from Massena, New York, passed peacefully on October 30, 2024 at Norman Regional Hospital.

Bruce was born in Massena, New York on August 18, 1944 the son of the late Frederick and Kathleen (Thompson) LaDue. He attended Sacred Heart school and was a proud 1962 graduate of Massena Central High School. He went onto the Air Force January 1963 becoming a security forces officer.

November 13, 1965 he married his loving wife Sammie L. Carson in Santa Maria, California. Upon discharge from the military in 1967, Bruce returned to Massena with his family.

He went on to serve his community in the Massena Rescue Squad and begin his career at Alcoa retiring in 2005 after 38 years.

He had a love of sports, especially

baseball, golf, and tennis. He was an active member of the First Baptist Church in Pauls Valley. He is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Sammie; daughter Tammie Bailey of Clayton, Ohio, sons Bruce (Lisa) LaDue of Massena and Eddie LaDue and partner Christina Garner of Pauls Valley. He is survived by a sister Crystal (Fred) Wilmer, Syracuse, NY and a niece McKenna (LaDue) Sauerhoff of Kingsville, TX. His grand children; Shawn, Trista, Ashley, Lleyton, Lindsey, Abbygale (Andi), Ely,

(Tracey) of Lake Placid, NY, David Nicola (Serena) of Lake Placid, NY, Peter Nicola of Syracuse, NY, and Ruth Nicola Ottaviani (Joe) of Cincinnati, OH; Fredrica Nicola Capshaw (Bill) of Dobbs Ferry, NY; Stephanie Nicola of Monroe, GA; and Don Michael Nicola of Winter Park, FL.

Besides her parents, she was also predeceased by four brothers: Albert, Joseph, Dominic, and Michael Nicola; two sisters, Mary Rosanne and Lucille Boisvert; her nephews Albert Nicola II, Joel Nicola, James Nicola and Benjamin Nicola; and her beloved great-nephew and Godson, Gregory James Fox.

May she be reunited with her beloved brothers and sisters, mother and father, and all the Bronchetti's, Cappione's and her dear friends the Agresta families. She will remain a guiding light for all of us.

Memorial contributions may be shared with St. Peter's Parish; 212 Main Street, Massena, New York 13662.

Online pictures, condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting, www.PhillipsMemorial.com

in life. When possible, he followed the sports activities of his son (often coaching) and grandchildren.

Mr. Wood is survived by his beloved wife, Mary Wood of Ogdensburg; a son, Paul Wood and his wife Kim of Watertown, NY; his siblings: Kevin Wood and his wife Sue of Carthage, NY, Darla Crabbe - Whitney and her husband Andy of Phoenix, AZ, and Kathy Crabbe - Windey and her husband Bill of Casterland, NY. Michael's grandchildren are Dana Chantel (husband Maximilian Townsend), Mackenzie Elizabeth, Patricia Margaret (companion Jadiel Feliciano) and Lucien Wood; There are also several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was predeceased by his parents, Ivan Wood and Margaret Martin; and his brothers, Robert Wood and Thomas Crabbe.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Michael's name to Ogdensburg Rescue Squad at P.O. Box 172, Ogdensburg, NY 13669.

Condolences and fond memories may be shared at foxandmurrayfuneralhome.com.

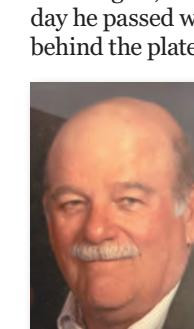
Sieanna, Addisyn, Carson and Alex.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Richard Charles LaDue and nephew, Brandon Keith LaDue and daughter Stacy LaDue.

Arrangements are under the care and guidance of Wooster funeral home, 1601 South Chickasaw, Pauls Valley, OK 73075, where friends McCall on Sunday, November 3 from 5-7 PM. A service will be celebrated on Monday, November 4 at Beatty Baptist church 32090 Airline Rd., Pauls Valley, OK 73075 with Pastor Glenn Alley Officiating at 10am. Burial will be at Mount Olive cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Memorial contributions can be made to P.A.W.S. (Pauls Valley Animal Welfare Society). Pvpaws4pets.com

Friends are encouraged to share memories online at woosterfuneral-home@sbcglobal.net



Bruce LaDue

Arrested for attempted break-in at OFA

OGDENSBURG -- A Madrid man was arrested on Wednesday, Nov. 6 after trying to break into an Ogdensburg school building, and brandishing a knife and a makeshift weapon.

Ogdensburg Police Department reports that Stanley W. Greer Jr., 39, was charged with four counts of second-degree menacing (Class A misdemeanors), one count of second-degree menacing a police officer (Class D felony), resisting arrest (Class A misdemeanor), five counts

of criminal possession of a weapon (Class A misdemeanor), and one count of second-degree attempted burglary (Class C felony).

Police said they responded to a complaint on Nov. 6 at about 10:07 a.m. of a male subject, later identified as Greer, attempting to gain access into Ogdensburg Free Academy with a weapon.

Police said that when Greer was confronted by the school staff, he brandished a makeshift weapon, threatening the staff.

Upon the School Resource Officer arriving at Greer's location, he had fled on foot, causing a pursuit.

When the SRO caught up to Stanley, he turned and brandished a knife at the officer.

The foot pursuit then continued and shortly after Greer was subdued, police said.

At the time of this report (Wednesday, Nov. 6), Greer was being held at the Ogdensburg Police Department awaiting arraignment at city court at 2 p.m.

Experienced assessor needed in Ogdensburg

OGDENSBURG – Ogdensburg is looking to hire an experienced assessor.

The City of Ogdensburg is accepting applications for the position with a salary set between \$70,000 to \$80,000 and fringe benefit package including NYS retirement and platinum-level health insurance significantly covered by the City.

Those interested in applying will need a Bachelor's Degree and six months experience in an occupation involving the valuation of real property, such as assessor, appraiser, valuation data manager, real property appraisal aide or the likeG or graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered two-year college with an Associate's Degree and one year of

the experience.

Alternatively those in possession of a high school diploma, highs school equivalency diploma or possession of an Individual Education Plan diploma and two years of the experience can also apply.

Civil Service applications are available at the City Clerk's Office

at City Hall.

Completed applications must be returned to Cathy Jock, City Clerk, 330 Ford Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669.

Applications will be accepted continually and reviewed weekly until the position is filled.



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

Notice of Formation of Empire Spiral Solutions, LLC . Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/16/2024. 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 The Limited Liability Company: 39 South Gordon Street, Gouverneur, NY 13642. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Notice of Public Sale:

On November 14th at 3pm at Massena Savings & Loan, 255 Main Street, Massena, NY 13662 the following vehicle will be sold at public auction:

Vehicle: 2009 Custom Hardtail Chopper, VIN #: 1U9HC29509N092004. This sale is being held to enforce the rights of Massena Savings & Loan, as the secure party arising from security agreements signed by Jacob L. Seguin.

MASSENA SAVINGS & LOAN reserves the right to bid on the vehicle.

NORTH COUNTRY THIS WEEK

NORFOLK NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Preliminary Budget of the Town of Norfolk, New York for the fiscal year beginning January 01, 2025 has been completed and filed in the Office of the Town Clerk of Norfolk, New York where it may be inspected by any and all interested persons during regular working hours.

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Norfolk Town Board will meet and review said Preliminary Budget and hold a Public Hearing thereon at the Norfolk Town Hall at 5:45 PM on the 14th day of November, 2025, and that at such Hearing any person may be heard in favor or against any item or items therein contained. Pursuant of Section 113 of the Town Law, the proposed salaries of the following elected Town Officers are hereby specified as follows:

Supervisor	\$16,829.76
Town Council (4)	\$21,485.00
Town Justice (2)	\$35,000.00
Town Clerk / Tax Collector	\$35,968.00
Highway Superintendent	\$65,358.00

Dated – October 30, 2024
By Order of the Town Board
Jill M. Molnar – Norfolk Town Clerk

CANTON NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of Boak Enterprises LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/11/2024. 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 Nathaniel Boak: 10 Church St., Canton NY 13617. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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

Notice of Formation of Mike's Trophies LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/07/2024. 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 Jennifer Middlemiss: 565 County Route 33 Madrid, NY 13660. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LOUISVILLE PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Town of Louisville Board of Appeals will hold a public meeting on November 18th, 2024 at 6:30pm at the Thomas J. Carroll Louisville Municipal Building located at 14810 SH 37. The meeting will be held for an area variance request for property located at 114 River Drive, with tax map number 8.047-1-34 and such other and further business as may come before the board. November 5, 2024 Louisville Board of Appeals Lisa Lincoln, Code Clerk

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

Notice of Formation of Inspired Wishes, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 08/05/2024. 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 Robyn Jae Bickelhaupt: 1947 NY-37, Hammond, NY 13646, USA. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF A SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING OF VOTERS OF THE LISBON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE LISBON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that pursuant to a Resolution adopted by the Board of Education of the District on October 17, 2024, a special meeting of the qualified voters of said District will be held in the School Main Lobby located at 6866 County Route 10, Lisbon, New York on December 17, 2024, from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., prevailing time, for the purpose of voting on the proposition described in the Notice of Special District Meeting hereinafter set forth by voting machine or paper ballot:

PROPOSITION

Shall the following resolution be adopted:

RESOLVED, that the Lisbon Central School District is hereby authorized to undertake a capital improvement project consisting of the reconstruction and renovation of, and the construction of improvements, additions and upgrades to various District buildings and facilities and the sites thereof, including the construction of a new transportation facility, the purchase of original furnishings, equipment, machinery and apparatus required in connection with the purposes for which such buildings, facilities and sites are used, all to include site, access, parking, demolition, utility, mechanical, plumbing and electrical improvements as well as payment of professional fees and all other necessary costs incidental to such work, and expend therefore a total sum not to exceed \$9,396,000, which is estimated to be the total maximum cost thereof, and to pay for such project by using any available funds, including State building aid and to the extent necessary, the levy of a tax upon the taxable property of the School District to be collected in annual installments in the years and in the amounts as the Board of Education shall determine and in anticipation of such tax the District is authorized to issue up to \$9,396,000 of obligations of the School District, and levy a tax to pay the principal and interest on said obligations when due.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that qualified voters of the District may obtain applications for an absentee ballot or an early voting ballot from the office of the Clerk of the District. Completed applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven days before the election if the absentee ballot or an early voting ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the absentee ballot or an early voting ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. A listing of all persons to whom an absentee ballot or an early voting ballot is issued will be available for inspection by any qualified voter in the office of the Clerk of the District between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. during each of the 5 days prior to the election, except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, and shall also be posted at the polling place at the election.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that military ballots may be applied for by qualified voters by requesting an application from the District Clerk at (315) 393-4951 or woodsk@lisbon.k12.ny.us. Completed applications for military ballots must be received by the Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on November 22, 2024. In a request for a military ballot application or ballot, the military voter may indicate their preference for receiving the application or ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail. An individual will qualify as a military voter if he or she (1) is a qualified voter of the State of New York, who is in actual military service, and by reason of such military service is absent from the District on the day of the election, or is a voter who is discharged from military service within 30 days of an election; or (2) a spouse, parent, child, or dependent of such service member who is a qualified voter and is absent due to accompanying or being with the military service member.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Education of the Lisbon Central School District has previously complied with the requirements of the State Environmental Quality Review Act (the "SEQRA Act"), Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, as amended, and the Regulations of the Department of Environmental Conservation thereunder (the "Regulations"). No further action under the SEQRA Act and Regulations is required.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY MEACHAM CHIROPRACTIC, PLLC

NOTICE OF FORMATION of a domestic Professional Limited Liability Company (PLLC):

DATE OF FORMATION: The Articles of Organization were filed with the New York State Secretary of State on September 19, 2024.

NEW YORK OFFICE LOCATION: St. Lawrence County

AGENT FOR PROCESS: The Secretary of State is designated as Agent upon whom process against the PLLC may be served. The Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the PLLC to 66 County Route 52, North Lawrence, New York 12967.

PURPOSE: To engage in any lawful act or activity.

**BRASHER
LEGAL NOTICE**
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE
that the Brasher Zoning Board will hold a Public Hearing at the Municipal Building in Brasher Falls, NY on Monday, November 18, 2024 at 6 P.M., and at any adjourned date, to hear the following: A variance request from Keisha Gurrola for minimum lot size to operate a service retail business, at 3 West Main Street, in the Town of Brasher, NY, Tax Map No. 35.045-4-10. This variance is requested for Article III Section 15 Part C Minimum Lot Size as found in the Town of Brasher Zoning Regulations. This meeting is open to the public and all interested parties will be heard.
Dated: November 4, 2024
Andrew Gray Zoning Chairman

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**
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Dated: November 4, 2024

Jeff Murray
Code Enforcement Officer
Town of Potsdam

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The meeting will be convened in the downstairs courtroom of the Municipal Building at 60 Main Street, Canton, New York, where the public may attend. A Zoom virtual meeting option will also be made available. Zoom connection information is available on the municipal website at www.cantony.gov.

Public comments may also be submitted via email addressed to chairperson Conrad Stuntz, at villagezba@cantony.gov or by regular mail addressed to the Canton Village ZBA, 60 Main Street, Canton, NY 13617, to be received by 4:00pm on Wednesday, November 20, 2024, and will be made part of the record of the public hearing and meeting.

Date: October 31, 2024
Conrad Stuntz
Village Zoning Board of Appeals Chairperson

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Conrad Stuntz
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ANNUAL ELECTION OF
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ANNUAL ELECTION OF
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On December 10, 2024

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Elections on or before
November 18, 2024
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Date: November 4,
2024
Susan
M. Wood, Secretary

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Thomas R. Adams, Esq., Referee, 2 Judson Street, Canton, NY 13617 Morgan & Associates, PLLC, attorneys for the Plaintiff, 201 N. Union St., Ste. 410, Olean, NY 14760, 716-373-2165

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By Order Of:

Date: October 24, 2024

Alison Frizzell
District Clerk

Second Circuit reinstates majority of CCIA despite Supreme Court intervention

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

CANTON — The 2nd Circuit Court of Appeals has once again reinstated a large portion of the Concealed Carry Improvement Act (CCIA) months after the U.S. Supreme Court vacated the court's previous decision upholding the laws.

"Gun safety laws save lives and keep our streets safer. Today's ruling by the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit upholds the core tenets of the Concealed Carry Improvement Act, the common-sense measure I signed into law two years ago that is saving lives across New York. That's one reason why New York continues to have one of the lowest firearm mortality rates of any state in the nation. Public safety is my top priority, and I'll continue to fight gun violence and protect all New Yorkers," Gov-

ernor Kathy Hochul said after the court upheld and reinstated much of the law.

The case in question, Antonyuk v. Nigrel, has been in the works for roughly two years now following the passage of the CCIA following two mass shootings at a Tops Supermarket in Buffalo, NY, and the Uvalde, TX, school shooting.

Under the CCIA, state legislators and Governor Kathy Hochul passed multiple laws that created new requirements to obtain a concealed carry license and governed firearm ownership in general, including a 16-hour course with two hours of range time, an extensive list of spaces where firearms are prohibited, the requirement to disclose all social media information to law enforcement, the requirement to disclose all firearms and persons in the home, along with a "good moral character" clause that gave licensing officers broad discretion of what constitutes

"good moral character."

Supreme Court Justices had vacated the 2nd Circuit decision to uphold the controversial CCIA, remanding the case back to the Appeals Court for another look.

In doing so, the Supreme Court had in essence reverted back to a Northern District court decision from Justice Glenn T. Suddaby that largely ruled the CCIA to be unconstitutional until the 2nd Circuit weighed in again.

St. Lawrence County Attorney Steve Button has been working as counsel with Gun Owners of America on the Antonyuk case since county legislators approved his participation in Oct. 2022.

With the 2nd Circuit's new ruling in place a number of "sensitive spaces" that were struck by the Supreme Court's intervention are now back on the effective list.

No firearms will be permitted in urban parks, zoos, hospitals, men-

thol health or chemical dependency providers, bars and restaurants that allow for on site alcohol consumption, along with banquet halls, theaters, schools and governmental buildings.

A requirement to provide proof of "good moral character" has also been reinstated, a controversial measure that many critics of the legislation say gives licensing authorities broad and ambiguous discretion to deny an applicant.

Applicants will also once again be forced to remit information about cohabitants in the home, including children, grandchildren, spouses or partners and other habitants.

Enjoined in the decision, or struck by the court, is the requirement to disclose social media profiles for investigation, as well as a former restriction to carry on private lands that are open to the public.

Public parks not including urban zoos and parks are also enjoined by

the decision.

Houses of worship are allowed to have armed security on site, a move that was not enjoined by the decision but led to statutory changes.

Gun rights organizations previously argued that under the original interpretation of the CCIA, anecdotally 97% of the state would have been considered a prohibited space.

Even after language was adopted in the 2023 budget bill that excluded the Adirondack Park and Catskills Park as prohibited spaces, critics of the legislation said nearly half of the state was still a prohibited space, essentially nullifying a conceal carry license.

Court documents show that justices hearing arguments took a very different approach from the 3rd Circuit Court of Appeals on the scope of the 2nd Amendment, while also taking a very narrow view of standing.

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Water buffalo raised in Hammond

Did you know there is a water buffalo farm in the north country? Water buffaloes have been raised in Venezuela for over a century, which is where Jose first came to know them as a boy. He and his partner Erin are passionate about these animals, marveling at their strength as a dual-purpose breed, valued for both fluid milk and meat. They chose to move to NYS, settling in Hammond earlier this spring. The resilient water buffaloes are grass fed, rotating through four pastures and making their own wallowing pits along the way. Rocking TT Bar sells their USDA processed cuts direct to consumers with future plans to develop the farm offerings. This photo is taken at Rocking TT Bar.

Community invitation to offer insight into food system

Three area organizations are collaborating to gain insight into the local food system, inviting the community to join them for a free roundtable discussion. Cornell Cooperative Extension of St. Lawrence County, the Adirondack Food System Network and GardenShare are gathering first hand knowledge and experience about challenges and opportunities related to the food system, in an effort to build a shared understanding for collective action and intervention.

The roundtable will be held from 3-5pm on Thursday, November 14th at the Extension Learning Farm in Canton. There is an optional tour of the farm before the roundtable from 2-3pm. Refreshments will be served. This roundtable is part of a series being held across northern New York from mid-October to mid-December 2024.

This event is open to people working in the local food system in a variety of ways including farmers, grocers, business owners, food pantry operators, non-profits and more. While the event is free and open to the public, RSVP is required for planning purposes. Register for the roundtable at the Adirondack Food System Network page at www.adkfoodsystem.org/. Contact the Local Food Program Leader M. "Flip" Filippi with questions at (315) 379-9192, ext. 229 or mpf65@cornell.edu.

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Growing farm-to-school purchasing and education through collaboration

By M. Flip Filippi
Local Foods Program Leader

Exciting activities are afoot with the Fresh-cut Farm-to-School Program, an initiative that buys tens of thousands of pounds of local vegetables and fruits and lightly processes them in the Harvest Kitchen.

Since 2018, this three way collaboration with St. Lawrence-Lewis BOCES, Cornell Cooperative Extension of St. Lawrence County, and Big Spoon Kitchen has supplied many north country school districts with delicious local produce for student lunches.

The partners have been proactive in seeking funding to expand the program and develop the food system in northern NY and was recently successful with two grant awards. The first includes \$99,235 in funding from NYS Agriculture and Markets to Cornell Cooperative Extension of St. Lawrence County. The second proposal is \$99,814 awarded to St. Lawrence-Lewis BOCES from the Patrick Leahy Farm to School Grant Program for a total project cost of \$191,214.

The funding will support growing the Fresh-cut program from 65,000 pounds of finished product purchased by area districts in 2023-24 school year to over 100,000 pounds in 2024-2025. Additional activities include contracting with the Industrial Development Agency (IDA) for a comprehensive business analysis identifying areas of improvement and best equipment investments.

Moving healthy fruits and vegetables from local farm fields onto student lunch trays requires many steps and each partner has a unique role. The Harvest Kitchen at the Extension Learning Farm in Canton provides a commercial kitchen space to prepare the produce and store raw ingredients and finished product, while advising on process improvements. Big Spoon Kitchen facilitates the purchasing of produce from farmers, coordinates the deliveries to the Harvest Kitchen and prepares the fruits and vegetables into ready-to-use fresh ingredients including apple wedges, carrot coins, salsa mix, coleslaw mix, and diced butternut squash, plus frozen corn on the cob and green beans. These minimally processed foods simplify lunch preparation for school cafeterias. SLL BOCES manages the orders from schools and delivers to the districts each Monday, ensuring students' ability to enjoy farm fresh produce the entire school year.

This consistent weekly pur-

chase of lightly processed produce is a cornerstone of the program's strength. Kudos to the food service directors and supportive cafeterias which includes orders from Brasher Falls, Canton, Clifton-Fine, Colton-Pierrepont, Edwards-Knox, Gouverneur, Hammond, Harrisville, Hermon-DeKalb, Heuvelton, Lisbon, Lyme, Madrid-Waddington, Morristown, Norwood-Norfolk, Ogdensburg, Potsdam, Sackets Harbor, and Watertown.

The success of the Fresh-Cut Farm to School Program is also built upon farmers and their high quality product. The program sources its fruits and vegetables from 13 local and regional farms. The most popular product is apple wedges. The apples come from Applewood Orchards in Rensselaer Falls, Canton Apples in Canton, Parishville Center Orchards in Parishville, Adirondack Growers in Malone, plus Forrence and Northern Orchards in Peru. Carrots and cabbage are supplied by Kent Family Growers in Lisbon. When carrots from St. Lawrence County become scarcer in the late winter, procurement stretches into central NY. Sweet corn is sourced from Phillips Agriculture in Heuvelton. Tomatoes, peppers, onions, and cabbage come from Martin's Farmstand in Potsdam and Mose Miller in Brasher Falls. Herschberger Farm provides butternut squash and this year has grown 20,000 pounds that will be

processed 600 pounds at a time to deliver to school as peeled, diced cubes throughout the winter.

Director of School Food Service Artie Frego explains, "The Farm to School partnership between St. Lawrence-Lewis BOCES, Cornell Cooperative Extension, and Big Spoon Kitchen is a win-win for schools, farmers, and communities. By promoting healthy eating habits and supporting local agriculture, this partnership is helping to improve the well-being of students and the local community."

Co-owner and operator of Big Spoon Kitchen Will Trithart says, "Building up the farm to school program has been a rewarding and fun process for us at Big Spoon. It has helped our business develop relationships with new producers in the area and employ more people to work with local food. Special thanks to Joshua Martin who has been managing our Harvest Kitchen processing this year and to Flip Filippi for her tireless, patient and optimistic support for the program from day one."

Enhancements for the 2024-2025 school year include more Farm-to-School educational offerings such as hands-on lessons in classrooms, multi-stop food system field trips and most excitingly, a Spring 2025 revival of the Junior Iron Chef Competition where teams develop recipes and compete against one another.



Photo credit Erica LaFountain

Foraging 'tasting tour' held

The Master Gardener Volunteers of St. Lawrence County found many treats on their foraging 'tasting tour' at the Extension Learning Farm on Halloween. Led by Pat Banker, a wild edible expert at Franklin County Extension, the group learned about historic uses of dandelion root, wild carrot, stinging nettles and more. The gardeners brought the results of their 'free-range shopping' inside to the Harvest Kitchen to make a meal of wild stir fry, roasted dandelion root tea, sunchoke fries and white pine cookies.

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GUNS . . .**Gun rights groups will continue to sue in court**

In one section, justices commented that church assemblies were not even within the gamut of protected assemblies under the 1st Amendment, a stance that has been continually overturned in Federal Courts that have in fact said churches are in fact covered under the 1st Amendment.

Antonyuk was launched following the now famous NYSRPA v. Bruen decision in 2022 that greatly expanded gun rights.

Under the ruling, many gun rights organizations have since launched lawsuits against state

lawmakers, arguing laws passed to ban "assault rifles" and high capacity magazines, among others, violate the 2nd Amendment.

Button said cases are now weighed against a historical analogue that must be consistent with those passed at the founding of the nation and when the 2nd Amendment was ratified in 1791.

In many cases, state lawmakers and attorneys general have since pivoted to an 1868 interpretation of the laws, arguing that post-Reconstruction Era urban centers were on the rise and further restrictions on firearms became necessary for the safety of the public.

But critics of that interpretation say those laws were founded in racist rhetoric as governments sought to keep firearms out of the hands of Native Americans, freed slaves and former Confederate soldiers and sympathizers who may harbor those allegiances post-Civil War.

Options moving forward for GOA include taking up the cases again and appealing up to the Supreme Court once again or accepting the remand order and litigating the case at the District Court level again and working up to the 2nd Circuit.

In a public statement following the court's decision, GOA officials signaled they may in fact be taking the case to the Supreme Court, however no official action has been announced as of press time.

"This is an outrageous ruling from a court of anti-gun judges. The 2nd Circuit got it wrong the first time, SCOTUS (Supreme Court) told them to try again and this nearly identical ruling is a slap in the face to every gun owner in New York. We will continue the fight in Antonyuk v. Nigroli," GOA officials wrote.

Gala raises**\$50,000**

POTSDAM -- The North Country Children's Museum's recent Gala raised \$50,000 for the Second Floor Expansion project.

The museum's \$3.7M "We're Growing Up" Capital Campaign is now 93% funded.

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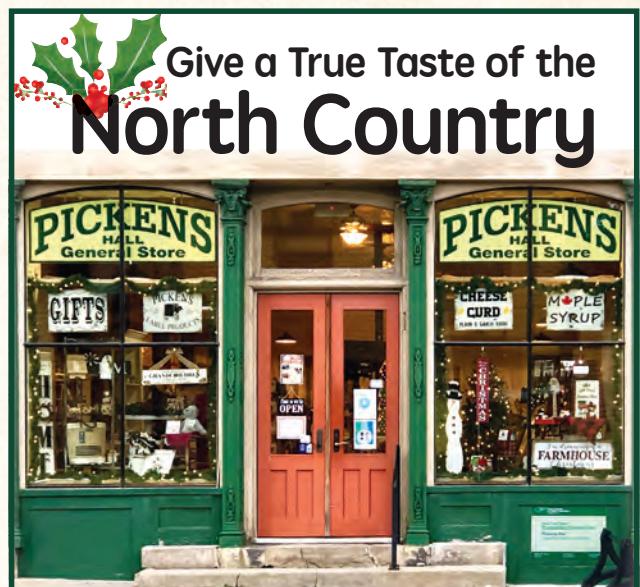


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Annual Holiday Market to feature regional vendors, products



Shoppers at the Craft, Food & Wine Holiday Market 2023.

POTSDAM — The Craft, Food & Wine Holiday Market will be held on Saturday, December 7, and Sunday, December 8 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at SUNY Potsdam's Maxcy Hall, 5 Tupper Lake Drive.

"This is an annual event that the St. Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce has put on for many years to bring together a one-stop local shopping experience," said STLC Chamber Tourism & Events Manager, Kathryn Puleo. "We are in the heart of Small Business Season right now, and this market offers shop-

pers the perfect opportunity to spend their dollars locally and purchase one-of-a-kind gifts."

The market is fully packed this year with more than 120 booth sites featuring local and regional vendors selling everything from handmade soaps, quilts, woodwork, ceramics, and self-published books, to meats, baked goods, wines, and spirits. "It's quite an eclectic and unique group of north country producers," Puleo said.

SEE MARKET ON 15.

Massena artists hold reception for new exhibit

MASSENA — Massena Artists Association Membership Association held their annual art show Oct. 19 at the Massena Public Library.

The artwork will be on display at the Massena Public Library through the November 9.

Artist of the Year was awarded to Carolyn Cook for her mixed media piece titled "Harbor."

Awards for also given for first, second, and third places, and honorable mention in several categories.

First place winners were given for Oil: Steven Cobb for "On South Bay"; Acrylic: A.J. Murray for "New Smyrna at Dawn";

SEE RECEPTION ON 15.



The Massena Artists Association held their annual membership show with a reception October 19, at the Massena Public Library. The artwork will be on display at the library through November 9.

Photo courtesy of Massena Artists Association

WHAT'S GOING ON

SATURDAY, NOV. 9

Bickford-style class

WADDINGTON -- From 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. a painting class will be held at the Old Town Hall, 38 Main Street, Waddington. Rita Goodwin is a certified Wilson Bickford teacher and will be teaching a reproduction of this original oil painting. All skill levels welcome. All materials provided. Min 10, Max 20. Bring lunch and a drink. Must pre-register to reserve an easel. Email: lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com, or phone Rita at 315-742-2620 or Bonnie Grant at 315-705-5198. Cost \$55.

Annual bazaar

MASSENA -- St. Peter's Parish will host its annual bazaar at its social hall, 7 Sycamore St., on Saturday, Nov. 9 from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Free admission, Food and family activities. Win \$2,500 in Big Draw. All welcome.

Annual holiday bazaar

NORWOOD -- The annual holiday bazaar at Norwood United Methodist Church, 8 Prospect St., will be Nov. 9, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. The 2024 bazaar theme is "The Gift of Christmas." Also, baked goods, homemade soup, candy, handcrafted items, elephant tables.

Boyden Brook Band

NORFOLK -- The Boyden Brook Band, North Country's premier Americana band, will play at Breck Winery on Saturday, Nov. 9 from 6 to 9 p.m. Donations to the Norfolk Historical Association will be accepted.

Dinovember party

BRASHER FALLS - The Badenhausen Public Library, on Saturday, Nov. 9, will host a DIY Dinovember party with goodies, crafts and more, starting at 9 a.m.

Fall Trivia Night!

CANTON -- St. Mary's Church is hosting a Fall Trivia Night at 2 Powers Street in Canton on Nov. 9 at 6 p.m. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and trivia begins at 6 p.m. Ages 21+. \$20 admission includes two beverages (beer, wine, or soda), two slices of pizza, popcorn, and the chance to win door prizes. Free childcare available. Register your team of 4-6 players online at cantoncatholics.com/trivia. Single players welcome and will be placed with a team. For more information, contact St. Mary's Parish Office at (315) 386-2543 or cantonsec@rcdony.org.

Gift of Christmas Bazaar

NORWOOD -- The Gift of Christmas Bazaar at The United Methodist Church, Prospect St, Norwood will be Saturday, Nov. 9, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be baked goods, candy, deserts, hand-crafted items, homemade soup, and nearly new items.

Murder mystery

OGDENSBURG - Elks Lodge 772, 322 Caroline St., will host Ticket to Cruise by the Grasse River Players on Nov. 9 at 5:30 p.m. Tickets: \$35 with dinner, cash bar; 315-393-5430. Guess the suspect to be entered in drawing for tickets for Two Nation Tour in Alexandria Bay; tickets to Elks Lodge Bootlegger Ball; or one ticket for \$100-a-day giveaway. Reservations by Nov. 6: 315-393-5430.

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Native American program

OGDENSBURG -- The Ogdensburg History Museum will host a Native American Children's Program Saturday, Nov. 9 at 11:30 a.m. The event will take place at the museum located at 206 Ford St. and is free and open to the public. Native American Heritage Month is observed in November to call attention to the culture, traditions, and achievements of the nation's original inhabitants and of their descendants. City Historian and retired teacher Julie Madlin will be leading the program, which will include interactive activities, games, and crafts that will teach children about the history and traditions of Native Americans. All children must be accompanied by an adult, and participants must RSVP on our website. To reserve a spot, please visit ogdensburghistorymuseum.com. Info: ogdensburghistorymuseum.com or contact us at oburghistorymuseum@gmail.com.

Spaghetti dinner

MASSENA -- The Massena Hospital Auxiliary is hosting a spaghetti dinner fundraiser at the Italian-American Club, 16 Beach St., on Saturday, Nov. 9 from 12-6 p.m. \$10 per person, includes spaghetti, meatballs, salad, bread, butter, beverage choice of coffee, tea or water and dessert. Sit-down or take-out. To place a takeout order, contact Loretta Perez at (315) 250-1968 beginning November 1. Takeout ordering closes November 8.

Breakfast for Veterans

NORWOOD -- A pancake breakfast to benefit local veteran's groups in St. Lawrence County will be held at the Norwood Municipal building in Norwood. Breakfast will include pancakes, French toast, sausage, eggs, and drinks. Price for adults is \$8, students \$5, children 5 and under \$3, and veterans are free. We are also looking for donations of non perishable food, clothing and household items. Breakfast will be served from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Come out and show our appreciation to our Veterans.

Veterans Party

HEUVELTON -- Amvets Post 1997, 107 State St., will host a "Honor Our Veterans Party" featuring Al Netto on Nov. 9, 5-8 p.m. Enjoy country music, refreshment, donation auction, raffle, and fun. \$5 cover charge. Sponsored by Amvets Ladies Auxiliary 1997.

Wilson Bickford painting
WADDINGTON -- The Gallery at Lake Saint Lawrence Arts is organizing a "Paint This Wilson Bickford Original" class with instructor Rita Marie Goodwin on Saturday, Nov. 9, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., at the Old Town Hall, 38 Main St. Cost \$55. Rita is a certified Wilson Bickford teacher and will teach a reproduction of this original oil painting. All skill levels welcome. All materials provided. Min 10, Max 20. Bring lunch and a drink. Must pre-register to reserve an easel. lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com, or 315-742-2620 or 315-705-5198.

Spaghetti fundraiser

MASSENA -- The Massena Cub Scout Pack 31 will host a spaghetti dinner at 189 Main St., on Nov. 9 from 4-7 p.m. \$10 per person. Spaghetti, garlic bread,

drinks, cookies. All proceeds help the cubs K-5th grade with various programs.

SUNDAY, NOV. 10**Sports card show**

MASSENA -- There will be sports cards, coins and collectibles show on Sunday, Nov. 10 from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at the American Legion, 40 E. Orvis St. \$2 admission, door prizes, raffles.

Vet's breakfast

HEUVELTON -- Amvets Post 1997, 107 State St., will host a veterans' buffet breakfast, free to all veterans on Nov. 10 from 8-11 a.m. All others eat by donation. Bacon, sausage, pancakes, French toast, Scrambled eggs, Sausage gravy and biscuits, and beverage.

Sons of Amvets meet

HEUVELTON -- The Nov. 10 1:30 p.m. Sons of Amvets 1997 meet at the post at 107 State St. on Nov. 10 at 1:30 p.m.

MONDAY, NOV. 11**Veteran's Day service**

HEUVELTON -- A Veteran's Day service will be held on Nov. 11 at 11 a.m. at the Heuvelton Town Hall, 51 N State St., followed by a luncheon and flag retirement at Amvets Post 1997.

TUESDAY, NOV. 12**Art study**

OGDENSBURG - Remington's twenty-first bronze subject, The Trooper of the Plains 1868, will be the subject of the Remington Museum's "Consider This" program on Friday, Nov. 8 and Tuesday, Nov. 12, both at noon. For all ability levels, and no art background is required. To learn more and to register, please call 315-393-2425 or email Julie at jupratt@fredericremington.org.

Contra Dance

MORRISTOWN -- There will be a free community contra dance offer by the Morristown Public Library on Tuesday, Nov. 12 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at St. John's Parish Center, 500 Morris St. Info: 315-375-8833. Contra Dances are easy to learn and do not require you bring a partner with you. Each dance is taught with a walk through at the start. Moves are easy to do. Live music is provided by fiddler Kathy Sommer of Redwood, and the dance caller is Beth Robinson of Potsdam.

Library trustees meet

BRASHER FALLS - The Badenhausen Public Library trustees will meet Tuesday, Nov. 12 at 5 p.m. Meetings are open to the public.

Seniors meet

MADRID - The next meeting for the Seaway Valley Senior Citizens Club will be on Tuesday, Nov. 12 at the Madrid Community Building at noon. A Thanksgiving meal will be provided but bring your place settings if you wish. Call President Anna Campbell (315-265-2047) or check the Facebook page (Seaway Valley Seniors Club of Louisville, Madrid, and Waddington) for more information.

WEDS., NOV. 13**Blood drive**

MASSENA - Massena Hospital is spon-

Village of Massena GARBAGE NOTICE

In observance of **Veteran's Day**, garbage and recyclables will not be collected on **Monday, November 11th**.

The area normally collected on **Monday** will be picked up on **Tuesday, November 12th**.

The area normally collected on **Tuesday** will be picked up on **Wednesday, November 13th**.



soring a Blood Drive through the Adirondack Regional Blood Center on Wednesday, Nov. 13, in Massena Hospital's Community Education Room, 1 Hospital Drive. Walk-ins accepted from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Donors must be healthy, at least 16 years of age, and weigh at least 110 lbs. Advanced registration is not required; however, donors are asked to provide identification. For more information, call CPH at (518) 561-2000 and ask for the Donor Center. For a list of upcoming blood drives sponsored by Rochester Regional Health's St. Lawrence Region, please visit <https://stlawrencehealthsystem.org/about/events>.

Amvets meet

HEUVELTON -- Amvets Post 1997 will meet Nov. 13 at 6:30 p.m.

THURS., NOV. 14**BOCES board meets**

OGDENSBURG - The St. Lawrence-Lewis Board of Cooperative Educational Services will hold a regular board meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14, at the Northwest Technical Center, 1000 Park Street, Ogdensburg, beginning at 6 p.m.

FRIDAY, NOV. 15**The BackWater Duo**

OGDENSBURG - The BackWater Duo will perform Friday, Nov. 15, at 6 p.m. at the Shipwreck'd Bar & Grill, 17 Commerce St.

SATURDAY, NOV. 16**Primitive rug hooking**

WADDINGTON -- From 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 16, a primitive rug hooking class will be held at The Gallery at Lake Saint Lawrence Arts, 14 Main St. Carol Lama will teach an introduction to the historic art of rug hooking with wool strips. Participants will produce a 10" X 10" mat of a Sparkly Snowman suitable for a wall hanging or a pillow cover and leave with the knowledge to produce hooked works of their own. The wool has sparkly silver thread in it, and he wears a red scarf. All materials provided. Bring lunch and a pair of scissors. Limit 10 students. Must pre-register at lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com or call 315-705-5198. Cost: \$65.

Food distribution

NORFOLK -- On Saturday, Nov. 16, the Norfolk Raymondville Food Pantry will have its monthly food distribution. Residents of Norfolk, Raymondville and Norwood are invited to attend. You will receive the equivalent of 15 meals per person in the household. If you are not signed up with us you will need to bring the names, ages and birthdates of all people in the household. We follow the financial guidelines of the Food Bank of CNY. If you are in need of Emergency Food, please call 315.212.0520 to schedule a mutually convenient time to meet at the food pantry.

Sally's Speakeasy

OGDENSBURG - The Frederic Remington Museum event, "Sally's Speakeasy," has been postponed until Nov. 16 at 6 p.m. \$30 per person. Attendees encouraged to wear period-specific clothes. 20's inspired games, food, and beverages.

Food distribution

MASSENA -- St. Peter's Outreach Minis-

try, 128 Main St., will hold a food distribution for St. Lawrence County residents on Saturday, Nov. 16, from 8:30-10 a.m. The distribution will close earlier if items are depleted.

MARKET . . .

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"For us, this is an opportunity to encourage shopping local," Puleo said, "but also to provide a much-needed marketing and sales opportunity for small businesses that make handmade and value-added products, meaning all the vendors create their own goods. There are no resellers or direct sale vendors at this event."

Shoppers can now enjoy a full weekend experience, as this year's market will take place on Saturday and Sunday, a shift from previous years' Friday and Saturday format.

"Our goal is to enhance community accessibility to the event and boost sales for our participating businesses," said Puleo. Shoppers are also encouraged to explore the local eateries in Downtown Potsdam, in addition to enjoying the offerings from Maxcy Hall's Concession Stand, which will be open throughout the market.

Admission to the market is \$5 cash. Ages 12 and younger get in free.

The last hour of admission, on Sunday, December 8th, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. will be free.

A complimentary shuttle will be available from parking lots surrounding Maxcy Hall at SUNY Potsdam.

The Chamber is actively seeking volunteers to help behind the scenes and is also seeking sponsors to help support event programming. To become a sponsor or to volunteer, call the STLC Chamber office at 315-386-4000!

For more information, see the events page on www.VisitSTLC.com, or contact the chamber at 315-386-4000.

RECEPTION . . .

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Watercolor: Sally Kirby for "Stone Valley Kayaker"; Pastel: Joanne Deleel for "Catskill Mountain Morning"; Digital: Kristen Rozelle for "Light the World Up"; Photography: Beverly Patchin for "Raquette River View"; Sculpture: Lisa Darrow for "Starlight Swirl"; and Mixed Media: Marie Engels for "The Glacier".

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Sports tourism survey yields positive results

CANTON -- With the results in hand from the sport tourism survey recently completed by the St. Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with Cimarron Global Solutions, is now in the final stages of strategy development for the county-wide Sport Tourism initiative, the chamber said in a press release.

The recent survey, which sought to gather local insights on the county's potential as a sport tourism destination, saw an enthusiastic response from exactly 100 participants--far exceeding initial expectations, the chamber said.

Analysis of the results is being used to further inform the foundational strategy being developed for the Chamber's sport tourism initiative, which focuses on a growing sport tourism segment where travelers are drawn to destinations for sports events or activities, the press release said.

The chamber said that sport tourism is poised to play a transformative role in St. Lawrence County, and the survey's exceptional turnout highlights a strong community interest and engagement in developing the county's sport-related offerings.

The survey assessed aspects of sport tourism where the coun-

ty may excel and also addressed potential challenges and shortcomings, the press release said.

Responses to the survey revealed a high level of community engagement and support for local sporting venues, reports the chamber, including schools and dedicated sports facilities, underscoring the region's readiness to embrace and enhance its sport tourism potential.

Respondents were enthusiastic about the diverse range of outdoor recreation opportunities, the county's well-developed trail systems, and the region's natural beauty, the chamber said.

Participants also highlighted a connection between sports activities and the region's cultural and natural heritage, which emerged as a significant theme, citing activities such as lacrosse and marathon canoe racing that not only engage visitors but also preserve and highlight the unique character of St. Lawrence County.

The survey also pointed out the need for improved infrastructure, the chamber reported, including better-maintained trails and expanded road access for ATVs. The active involvement of local organizations in advocating for these improvements promises to enhance the county's appeal as a sport tour-

ism destination.

Respondents expressed concerns about the environmental impact of certain activities and emphasized the need for sustainable practices to protect the region's natural beauty, said the chamber.

The sport tourism project is approximately 50% complete both in the project tasks and the timeline with the final deliverables slated for September 2025.

For more information about the Chamber's sport tourism initiative, project updates and an informational video, please visit www.VisitSTLC.com/sport-tourism or contact Tif Amo at Tif@slccchamber.org or 315-386-4000.

Public skating in Ogdensburg

OGDENSBURG — Public skating, open skate, adult skate, and adult hockey at Lockwood Civic Center are available in November on the following dates.

Public Skates (\$2 entry, \$3 skates) Nov. 9: 2-4 p.m.; Nov. 11: 1-3 p.m.; Nov. 16: 4:30-6:30 p.m.; Nov. 17: 2-4 p.m.; Nov. 23: 12:30-2:30 p.m.; Nov. 30: 1-3 p.m.

Open Skates (\$2 entry, \$3 skates) Nov. 12: 10-11 a.m.; Nov. 19: 10-11 a.m.; Nov. 26: 10-11 a.m.

Adult Skates (\$2 entry, \$3 skates) Nov. 7: 10:15-11:15 a.m.; Nov. 14: 10:15-11:15 a.m.; Nov. 21: 10:15-11:15 a.m.

Adult Hockey (\$2 entry, \$3 skates) Nov. 7: 9-10 a.m.; Nov. 14: 9-10 a.m.; Nov. 21: 9-10 a.m.

Blood drive Nov. 13 at Massena Hospital

MASSENA — Massena Hospital is sponsoring a Blood Drive through the Adirondack Regional Blood Center on Wednesday, Nov. 13, in Massena Hospital's Community Education Room, 1 Hospital Drive.

Walk-ins accepted from 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Donors must be healthy, at least 16 years of age, and weigh at least 110 lbs.

Advanced registration is not required; however, donors are asked to provide identification.

For more information, call CPH at (518) 561-2000 and ask for the Donor Center.

For a list of upcoming blood drives sponsored by Rochester Regional Health's St. Lawrence Region, please visit <https://stlawrencehealthsystem.org/about/events>.

Music, auction at Heuvelton Amvets

HEUVELTON — Heuvelton Amvets Post 1997 of Amvets has a busy weekend planned for Veterans Day. On Saturday, Nov. 9 from 5-8 p.m. there will be a country dance featuring music by Al Netto, famed North Country musician.

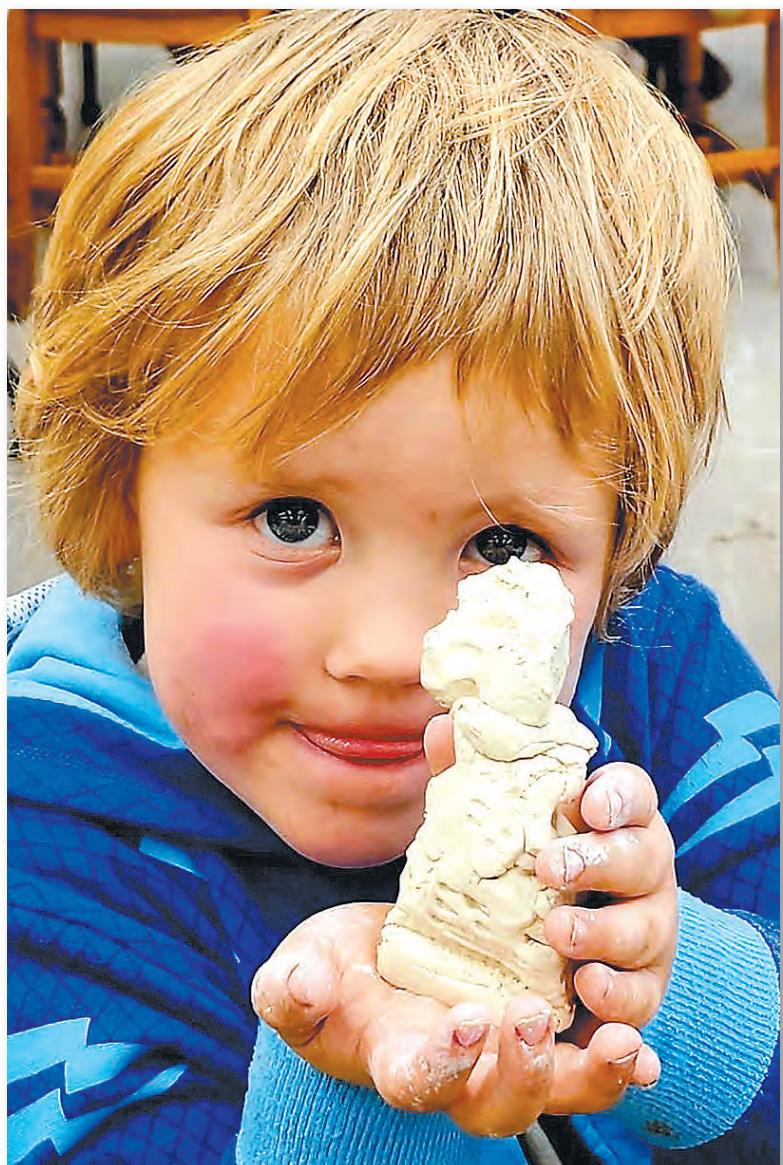
There is a donation auction planned and food will be available.

This fun filled event is meant to raise money to honor our Veterans, past, present and future.

On Sunday, Nov. 10 from 8-1 am there will be a community breakfast served at Post 1997 in Heuvelton.

Buffet is free, but donations accepted.

Check Facebook page or call the Post at 315-344-2364 for more information.



Kris Phoenix | Submitted

Displaying his masterpiece

Gideon Morrison-Nowak holds his air-dried clay monster created at the Massena Public Library recently. Artist Kris Phoenix teaches the children's Falls Arts Academy program at the library, sponsored by the Friends of the Massena Public Library. Photo courtesy of Kris Phoenix.

Merry Market at Remington

OGDENSBURG — Embrace the holiday spirit at Remington's Merry Market, a festive vendor expo showcasing an array of talented local artisans and businesses.

The event will be held Saturday, Dec. 14, from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at 311 Washington St.

There will be:

- Sample & Shop: Indulge in delicious samples from our diverse vendors while exploring unique gifts that are perfect for everyone on your holiday list.

- Live Orchestra: Enjoy enchanting performances from a live orchestra, creating a festive atmosphere that enhances your holiday shopping experience.

- Holiday Gift Ideas: Discover one-of-a-kind gifts, from handmade crafts to gourmet treats, that will bring joy to your loved ones this season.

Free entry for museum members and an additional 5% discount on all gift shop purchases (on top of your current membership discounts).

Non-members pay \$5 admission with a 5% discount on all gift shop purchases.

For more information or to RSVP, contact Ashley Swanson at (315)393-2425 or communications@fredericremington.org.

Bootleggers Ball at Elks

OGDENSBURG — The second Bootleggers Ball will be held at Ogdensburg Elks Lodge, 332 Caroline St., on Saturday, Dec. 14, at 6 p.m.

Travel back in time to the 1920's. Wear your flapper dress or jazz suit (Not required).

The Lodge will be transformed into a speakeasy, the Jolly Cork Lounge. Enjoy an evening with Another Fine Mess, playing from 7-11 p.m.

Appetizers available with a cash bar. Tickets available at the lodge for \$10. Uncover the secrets of the evening with the password provided with the purchase of a ticket. The password is a closely guarded secret. Proceeds will help the Elks invest in the community and provide programs that support children and veterans. 50/50 raffle and silent auction.

Nature's Storehouse fundraiser

CANTON — Nature's Storehouse and GardenShare are inviting customers to support the Bonus Bucks Program during the Thanksgiving season. From Nov. 1 to 27, customers will be asked if they'd like to make a donation to GardenShare while checking out.

Joining Nature's Storehouse in this season of giving is a local anonymous donor who will contribute a match incentive of \$500: for every dollar raised at checkout, they will donate a matching dollar.

The Gratitude through Giving fundraiser supports GardenShare's Bonus Buck Program, which offers a cost-sharing arrangement to income eligible St. Lawrence County residents to participate in a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) share or to purchase at St. Lawrence County farmers markets.



Horizon Youth Clubhouse | Courtesy

Spooky spot for candy

The Hardy Family, of Hardy's Bakery in Massena, had a table of candy to pass out at Massena's Trunk or Treat. The event drew almost 1,300 people. The event was hosted by the Horizon Youth Clubhouse, who hosted the event.

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Public gets first hand look into artists' studios

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Waddington artist Susan Riley, in front, works on Japanese Kumihimo, an art form for making braiding and cords, while Bonnie Grant, Massena, makes a beaded bracelet at The Gallery at Lake St. Lawrence Arts, Waddington, Nov. 2.

The 37th annual artist's studio tour was held last weekend, sponsored by the St. Lawrence County Arts Council.

The free tour gives the public an opportunity to explore the creative spaces of local artists and artisans, and witness the inspiration and techniques that drive their work.

Those who take the tour are invited to meet the artists, ask questions, and purchase one-of-a-kind pieces directly from the creators.



Artist Virginia Burnett, Winthrop, owner of Goblin's Market, wears one of her hand dyed scarves during St. Lawrence County Arts Council's 37th annual county-wide artist's studio tour Nov. 2 and 3. She displayed her artwork, including jewelry and other clothing, at Creative Spirit Community Arts Center, Potsdam, and also sells at TAUNY, Canton, and on Etsy.



Jim Griswold, of Rensselaer Falls, does finishing touches on his artwork at The Gallery at Lake St. Lawrence Arts, Waddington, Nov. 2, during the St. Lawrence County Arts Council's 37th annual county-wide artist's studio tour.



Rebecca Del Rossi, a Canton native now living in Philadelphia, PA, returns to Canton to participate in St. Lawrence County Arts Council's 37th annual county-wide artist's studio tour Nov. 2. She is owner of Rebecca Del Rossi Ceramics.



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Air Products contributes \$5,000 for Massena FD golf tournament

MASSENA -- The Massena Fire Department has received a \$5,000 donation from Air Products, Inc. to sponsor the department's 2024 Fundraising Golf Tournament.

"This significant contribution highlights Air Products' continued commitment to the local community and its vital role in supporting the first responders who serve and protect it," Massena Fire officials wrote.

Fire Chief Patrick O'Brien expressed gratitude for the dona-

tion, emphasizing how crucial partnerships like the one with Air Products are for ensuring the department has the resources necessary to address the increasing complexity and volume of emergency calls.

"This donation will not only help make our 2024 fundraising golf tournament a success but also ensure our department can continue to invest in the tools, equipment, and training our firefighters to keep the community safe," Chief O'Brien

said. The collaborative relationship between Air Products and the Massena Fire Department demonstrates a shared dedication to the well-being of the community, officials said.

"We are proud to support the Massena Fire Department," Air Products officials wrote.

"Our first responders are at the heart of the community, and ensuring they have the resources they need to respond effectively is essential to all of us."

As the call volumes for the Massena Fire Department continue to rise and the complexities of emergency situations grow, donations like this are instrumental in keeping the department well-prepared and equipped, Massena Fire officials said.

Events like the Firehouse Cup help bridge the gap between community needs and available resources.

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Tea time

Christy Lust, owner of Christy's Creations, Ogdensburg, gives samples of her 'best teas loaded & more' to Heather Kish, Stockholm, on left, and Jody Gadway, Brasher, at the Norwood American Legion's Holiday Craft Fair Nov. 2.

Massena PAL receives \$30k from Alcoa Foundation

MASSENA – The Alcoa Foundation recently granted \$30,000 to the Police Activities League of Massena (PAL). Alcoa Foundation supports community resiliency programs aimed at increasing access to education, health, clean water, STEM-related school programs and student mentorship, and food security.

The grant will be used to support new after-school programming during the 2024-2025 school year.

"The overarching theme is Environmental Literacy and STEM," said Zachary Monroe, PAL Executive Director. "We will be running five to six 'clubs' every week throughout the year. Every 5 weeks all of the children in our program will select which 'club' they would like to belong to. A variety of activities in each 'club' focus on Environmental Literacy helping the children to become Environmental Ambassadors. The 'clubs'

will include a First Lego League Robotics team which will prepare to compete at Clarkson University's regional event, a STEM club, a Healthy Habits club, a cooking club, and an Engineering club. We know that children learn in different ways and have different interests. We are hoping to engage and impact the children more via these different interest groups, all while helping them grow in their knowledge of environmental literacy."

Chrissy Moody, Alcoa Massena Operations HR Business Partner, toured the facility and presented the check on behalf of Alcoa Foundation to Monroe and some of the students that attended.

"We are excited to support PAL and the new programming. This approach not only enhances student's academic achievement, but it also inspires them to pursue careers in STEM, contributing to a more sustainable future," stated Moody.

SeaComm pledges \$50,000 for Massena Hospital expansion

MASSENA – SeaComm Federal Credit Union has committed \$50,000 toward the expansion of the Massena Hospital Emergency Department.

This investment will assist in ensuring that the community has access to state-of-the-art emergency services in an updated facility, according to a statement from SeaComm.

By assuring Massena Hospital staff and providers have appropriate space to deliver care, SeaComm's pledge joins those of the Massena Hospital Foundation and Massena Hospital Auxiliary, in assisting to improve the overall patient experience when in need of emergency medical services.

We are extremely pleased to

provide Massena Hospital Foundation with our financial support for their Emergency Department expansion," said SeaComm President & Chief Executive Officer Scott Wilson. "The hospital is a cornerstone of the greater Massena community and continues to meet the healthcare needs of our members, friends and neighbors, which is extremely important to us," he added.

The renovations of the emergency department include a refresh of current space and nurse stations, updated exam treatment rooms, the establishment of a family consult room/lounge, updated behavioral health rooms and registration areas, as well as new flooring and furniture.

MURDER... Adam Smith trial continues in Canton

Upon investigating, Haley said multiple knives were found at the residence and taken back to SP Gouverneur for latent fingerprint testing.

No conclusive results suggested Wing used any knives at the residence during the course of the homicide.

Durham autopsy

After completing his work at Freddie Wing's residence around 12:30 p.m. or so, Haley said he made his way to Canton-Potsdam Hospital where Ronald Durham's autopsy was being conducted.

Haley said the autopsy took "multiple hours," which Dr. Scott Lapoint also testified to on the first day of the trial on Oct. 22.

Haley identified multiple State Police Investigators who were in attendance and brought a camera to document the process.

After completing the autopsy, Haley said he took multiple articles of clothing, boots, knives and other personal belongings to SP Massena for safekeeping before they could be transported to Ray Brook for further testing.

He said a number of swabs were also used and a vial of blood was drawn as well.

"Why did you take a vial of blood?" Barrett asked.

"It's standard practice to do a blood draw, at least two vials, for testing after a suspicious death," Haley said.

"So, why did you only have one vial then?" Barrett asked.

"Because there was significant blood loss. There wasn't much blood left," Haley said.

Durham cell phone found

Haley said his work on the Durham case did not finish at the time of his Feb. 12 autopsy.

On Feb. 15, Haley said he received a call from his superior once again to report to Gouverneur to collect a cell phone that was believed to have been evidence in Durham's case.

Haley said he was responsible for processing the phone, including dusting the phone for prints, however no fingerprints were deemed identifiable, he said.

He said he also took a swab of what was believed to be blood between the phone and the case. That swab was also submitted into evidence by Pasqua.

The phone was later taken to the FIU team in Ray Brook, where Haley said he and other investigators carried out a detailed investigation of the phone's contents.

Not just garbage

Police were issued a search warrant on March 9 to search Smith's truck, at which time Haley said he began his investigation.

As was shown in multiple photos in court, Haley documented multiple spots in Smith's truck that he said he believed to be blood. All spots were swabbed and submitted to the Albany crime lab for testing.

But things took a turn when Haley and investigators began to open the three garbage bags contained in Smith's truck.

Originally thought to just be garbage by Cortland City Patrolman Austin Fisk, the bags had been left in the bed of Smith's truck until Haley and State Police took possession of the vehicle on March 8.

Haley said when he and investigators opened the three bags

they found multiple spots that they believed to be blood, along with seat covers and red and black gloves that also appeared to have blood on them.

Upon opening the second bag, Haley said he found a wallet with a photo, one dollar and two dollar bills.

Marilyn Durham had testified that her father only ever used his wallet for his ID cards, photos and "just two dollar bills."

The wallet, which also appeared to have blood on it, contained a photo with writing on the back that said "To Huck."

Money bands for \$1,000 were also found in the bag as well, Haley said.

In the other black bag were even more money bands, many of which were for \$1,000, along with a black bandana believed to have blood on it, along with a Brisk bottle that also appeared to have blood on it.

As investigators went through the contents, Haley said they found a black and green handled Gerber fixed blade knife.

Photos shown in court show the knife blade was clean but the handle had blood on it.

As well, Haley said he found two check books in the bag, both of which had Ronald Durham's name and address on the checks.

Both were covered in blood based on photos shown in court.

"Bloody bills"

Former Sandy Creek Dollar General store manager Patricia Lee took the stand Oct. 29 to detail her encounter with Smith on Feb. 11.

According to Lee, Smith came to the store around 1 p.m. and purchased two Apple Pay cards with \$500 cash, all \$100 bills.

She said when he handed her the cash, there appeared to be blood on each bill "about an inch wide or so."

Lee said Smith purchased the cards at 1:02 p.m., as was shown on security footage from the store, along with a receipt of the transaction that was presented in court.

Just five minutes later, Smith was seen on the footage again. This time he purchased a USB charger and Steam card for \$100.

Upon entering a second time, Lee said Smith apologized for his previous behavior when "he appeared agitated" because she was not immediately available to cash him out.

"He said he was having a bad day because his uncle was just murdered," she commented.

She said Smith again paid with a \$100 bill with the same distinct red stain that she believed to be blood.

Lee said she pulled the bills from the cash register moments later and used hand sanitizer to clean them, noting that Smith made a comment "that he had been painting earlier that day" but it was her belief that it was blood.

Week one wrap up

The introduction of evidence police say is crucial to the case comes one week after a contentious start to the trial.

Opening statements proved to be problematic, with Pasqua objecting on multiple occasions to statements made by Barrett.

Just two days later, Barrett made a motion for a mistrial due to the introduction of evidence by the District Attorney's Office that he claimed was to be suppressed based on rulings in pre-trial hearings.

That motion was eventually overruled, though Pasqua was forced to show dash camera footage of Smith's traffic stop in Cortland without any audio.

Barrett had argued that the foot- age and audio should have been

inadmissible in court but jurors were able to view the footage.

Multiple witnesses were also called to the stand, including friends and family members of Durham, all of whom testified that Durham was a friendly but frail old man who had many friends.

ETHICS...

Ogdensburg establishes board of ethics

recommendations with respect to the drafting and adoption of a Code of Ethics or amendments thereto upon request of the City Council. The legal counsel of the Board of Ethics shall be the City Attorney.

The board is expected to be appointed in a timely fashion and upon its formation, shall promulgate its own rules and regulations as to its form and procedures and shall maintain appropriate records of its opinions and proceedings.

Council is hoping to have the board established before the end of the year.

DEAL...

Agreement will bring \$300k to Massena

Air Products will contract with C&S Companies and potentially other companies to perform the construction work.

The village will be responsible for all sums due to Labella Associates from the escrowed funds, with Air Products responsible for all payments due under the construction contracts.

As for the village's financial obligations, they will be covered through state grant funding and bonding.

Officials say the expected costs, along with seeking and securing grant or bond funding will be shared equally between both entities.

Any costs associated that fall to the village will be covered through bonding, village officials say.

Air Products will fund phase two through funds held in escrow.

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and bond financing become available, the village will reimburse the entirety of the funds paid by Air Products out of the escrowed funds.

Officials say Air Products 50% share of the phase 2 scope funding will be recouped by the village through the water supply agreement.

As part of the deal, Air Products will also reimburse the village for the costs associated with professional consultants in connection with both phase one and phase two of the project.

Consultant expenses can include, but are not limited to, review of plans, proposals, memoranda, studies, correspondence and other documents, preparation of documents related to applications and other such documents.

With the agreement signed, Air Products will now deposit \$150,000 into the escrow account, with \$50,000 to be used in phase one for securing an engineering firm and \$100,000 to be used during phase two for reimbursable funds to the village as per the agreement.

All monthly invoices associated with both phases will be reviewed by the village for accuracy and validity of expenses.

Upon review and verification, the village is authorized to withdraw the monies from the escrow account to directly pay the sums set forth in the invoice, according to the agreement.

If the escrow account falls below 20% of the initial balance, Air Products will replenish the account up to the \$50,000 under phase one and \$100,000 under phase two within 15 calendar days of a receipt of notice from the village.

If Air Products fails to meet those obligations, the village will not be required to meet any obligations under the scope until the escrow account balance has been replenished.

Officials say they will now begin preparing for phase two of the project after executing agreements with engineering firms as per the contract.

Air Products officials have said they hope to have the facility online by the end of 2025 or beginning of 2026.

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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.

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.



Lecturer - Business Department

The State University of New York (SUNY) College at Canton and the School of Business and Liberal Arts invite qualified applicants for a full-time, non-tenure track Lecturer position in the Business Department, beginning September 1, 2025.

Required Qualifications:

- MBA, M.S. in Management, or a related field.
- Previous teaching experience in college-level courses (face-to-face, online, or flex (hybrid) delivery).
- Ability to develop and deliver business courses across online, face-to-face, and flex (hybrid) modalities.
- Strong commitment to academic mentoring and student development.

Preferred Additional Qualifications:

- Experience integrating entrepreneurship and applied learning into the curriculum.
- Demonstrated excellence in teaching, with a proven ability to engage and inspire students in both traditional and online settings.
- Experience in curriculum design and development, particularly in management and entrepreneurship, to align with industry trends and student needs.
- Proven ability to work effectively with a diverse student body, including non-traditional and first-generation college students.
- Experience with workforce development and training initiatives.
- At least 5 years of professional experience in management and/or entrepreneurship.
- Experience collaborating with industry partners to create real-world learning opportunities, such as internships, co-op programs, or capstone projects.
- Strong background in academic advising and mentoring, with a focus on guiding students through their academic and career pathways.
- Participation in institutional service and faculty governance.

Duties:

- Teach a variety of courses within the Bachelor of Business Administration in Management and Associate of Science/Applied Science in Business Administration programs, with a 4/4 course load, across face-to-face, online, and hybrid (flex) formats.
- Support efforts to continuously develop and enhance the curriculum to ensure it meets the evolving needs of the business industry and prepares students for successful careers.
- Involvement in program and curriculum development and assessment.
- Advise students enrolled in Business Department majors, guiding them through their academic and career pathways.
- Actively participate in faculty governance and other university service activities.
- Engage in ongoing professional development to enhance teaching skills and stay current in the field.
- Engage with local businesses, entrepreneurs, and community organizations to create partnerships that benefit students and enhance their learning experiences.
- Participate in ongoing assessment and evaluation of courses and programs to ensure they meet educational objectives and maintain high standards of quality.
- Cultivate alumni relationships to support student networking, gather program feedback, and facilitate internships for Management BBA students.

Application Process: Please submit a resume, cover letter, statement of teaching philosophy, and three professional references to Human Resources.

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 a criminal background check.

Application Deadline: Open until filled; application review begins October 1st.

Persons interested in the above position should apply online at: <https://employment.canton.edu/>

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Administrative Assistant II Donor Relations Department

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a 12-Month, **Administrative Assistant II** position.

The salary range is \$18.84-\$25.94/hr.

To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, as well as application instructions please visit: <https://employment.stlawu.edu/postings/3910> or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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

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City of Ogdensburg Employment Opportunity ASSESSOR

The City of Ogdensburg is accepting applications to fill the position of Assessor.

Salary is \$70,000 to \$80,000 (DOQ) with an excellent fringe benefit package including NYS retirement and platinum-level health insurance significantly covered by the City.

Civil Service applications are available at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall or at www.ogdensburg.org. Completed applications must be returned to Cathy Jock, City Clerk, 330 Ford Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669. Applications will be accepted continually and reviewed weekly until the position is filled.

Please review the full job posting and minimum qualifications at www.ogdensburg.org or contact City Clerk Cathy Jock at cjrock@ogdensburg.org with questions.

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Looking for a Care Consultant at the Alzheimer's Association: <https://jobs.alz.org/care-consultant/job/28476386>

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Registered Nurse: The Registered Nurse, under the direction of the Nursing Supervisor, will collaborate with all members of the health care team to develop and maintain a high quality of nursing care. The RN will be accountable for the delivery of high-quality patient care. Status: Full-Time, Non-Exempt, Permanent. Salary: \$27.29 - \$41.03. Deadline: November 20, 2024. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

Registered Nurse/Behavioral Health Care Coordinator: Under the direction of the Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner, the RN/Care Coordinator will assist the Mental Health Therapists, Psychiatrist, Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner, and the Outpatient Alcohol and Chemical Dependency Program staff with meeting the client's needs. The RN/Care Coordinator will work within the guidelines of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe Health Services policies and procedures, including Mental Health and A/CDP, and under standards of care according to the New York State Office of Mental Health and New York State Office of Substance Abuse and Alcohol Services. Status: Full-Time, Exempt, Permanent. Salary: \$56,763.20 - \$85,342.40. Deadline: November 20, 2024. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

Intake Clerk: Under the direction of the Accounts Receivable Supervisor, the Intake Clerk in Patient Registration will gather and enter the necessary patient visit information and promote positive public relations with patients at Health Services in a manner consistent with medical, administrative, ethical, legal and regulatory requirements in all areas of the Business Office. The Referral & Insurance Specialist will compile, process, and maintain referrals for the Diabetes Center

and other consistent with medical, administrative, ethical, legal and regulatory requirements in all areas of the Business Office. The Intake Clerk's primary responsibilities are to answer patient registration phone calls, conduct new patient appointments, receive documentation for updating demographics in patient charts, follow up on insurance appointments, and submit travel applications. Status: Full-Time, Non-exempt, Permanent. Salary: \$15.02 - \$31.68. Deadline: November 20, 2024. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

Referral & Insurance Specialist: Under the direction of the Business Office Manager, the Referral & Insurance Specialist will gather and enter the necessary patient visit information and promote positive public relations with patients at the Diabetes Center for Excellence in a manner consistent with medical, administrative, ethical, legal and regulatory requirements in all areas of the Business Office. The Referral & Insurance Specialist will compile, process, and maintain referrals for the Diabetes Center

St. Lawrence County Community Services Department

is in search of the following positions:

- **Licensed Mental Health Counselor**
(LMHC) - *NO civil service exam required
- **Licensed Master Social Worker**
(LMSW) - *NO civil service exam required
- **Supervising Social Worker**
(LCSW) - *NO civil service exam required
- **Senior Chemical Dependency Counselor**
- **Chemical Dependency Counselor**
*NO civil service exam required

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You can apply online at

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or by contacting Human Resources

315-379-2210

Send application to:
St. Lawrence County
Human Resources Office
48 Court Street, Canton, NY 13617
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Madrid-Waddington Central School



is accepting applications for

Clerk of the Works

The Madrid-Waddington Central School District has an opening for Clerk of the Works/Project Representative for a Capital Project. The \$15 million Capital Project will cover approximately a 20-month period beginning on or about January, 2025.

Applicants must be knowledgeable and experienced in the inspection of general building construction, roofing work, site work including drainage, turf, concrete, and asphalt, and mechanical and electrical systems. A detailed list of roles and responsibilities of the Clerk can be obtained by contacting the District Office.

Interested applicants should send a letter of interest, resume and letters of reference no later than **November 27, 2024** to:

Eric Burke, Superintendent
Madrid-Waddington Central School
PO Box 67, Madrid, NY 13660
eburke@mwcsk12.org

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ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

Administrative Assistant I Major Gifts Department

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a 12-Month, **Administrative Assistant I** position.

The salary range is \$17.72-\$24.49/hr.

To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, as well as application instructions please visit: or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/postings/3796> or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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Assistant Professor Legal Studies (Tenure Track)

Department: Business

Salary Range: \$61,000-\$65,000

The State University of New York (SUNY) College at Canton and the School of Business and Liberal Arts invite qualified applicants for a full-time, tenure-track Assistant Professor position in the Business Department, beginning September 1, 2025.

Required Qualifications:

- A Juris Doctor Degree and prior teaching experience in college-level courses, includes graduate-level teaching assistantship within a law-related degree program.
- Ability to develop and deliver law courses across online, face-to-face, and flex (hybrid) modalities.
- Ability to teach a wide-range of undergraduate-level law courses, including business law, criminal practice, civil litigation, legal research, and advanced legal writing
- Strong commitment to academic mentoring and student development.

Preferred Additional Qualifications:

- Admission to state bar.
- Ph.D. in Law.
- At least 5 years of experience practicing law.
- Experience integrating applied learning into curriculum design and instruction.
- Demonstrated excellence in teaching, with a proven ability to engage and inspire students in both traditional and online settings.
- Proven ability to work effectively with a diverse student body, including non-traditional and first-generation college students.
- Experience collaborating with industry partners to create real-world learning opportunities, such as internships, co-op programs, or capstone projects.
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- Experience with institutional service and faculty governance.

Duties:

- Teach a variety of courses within the Legal Studies B.S. program, with a 4/4 course load, across face-to-face, online, and hybrid (flex) formats.
- Support efforts to continuously develop and enhance the curriculum to ensure it meets the evolving needs of the legal field and prepares students for successful careers.
- Involvement in program assessment.
- Advise students enrolled in Business Department majors, guiding them through their academic and career pathways.
- Actively participate in faculty governance and other university service activities.
- Engage in ongoing professional development to enhance teaching skills and stay current in the field.
- Produce law-related research and secure publication in peer-reviewed journals and/or conference proceedings.
- Engage with local businesses, entrepreneurs, and community organizations to create partnerships that benefit students and enhance their learning experiences.
- Participate in ongoing assessment and evaluation of courses and programs to ensure they meet educational objectives and maintain high standards of quality.
- Cultivate alumni relationships to support student networking, gather program feedback, and facilitate internships for Legal Studies B.S. students.

Application Process: Please submit a resume, cover letter, statement of teaching philosophy, and three professional references to Human Resources.

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

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

School Psychologist School Counselor Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA)

SALARY: \$53,032 Additional compensation may be granted based upon education and experience

STARTING: ASAP

LOCATION: ST. REGIS FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT

DEADLINE TO APPLY: OPEN UNTIL FILLED

Applications can be found on:

www.fehb.org/careers

Queries should be directed to:

Candace Poitras- Administrative Assistant

Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES

PO Box 28, Malone, NY 12953

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for Excellence and will work with the Business Office team in planning, coordination, and management of the healthcare delivery system. Status: Full-Time, Non-exempt, Permanent. Salary: \$15.02 - \$31.68. Deadline: November 20, 2024. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmtnsn.gov

Restaurant Openings: Day Cleaner from Friday - Monday. 8 am - 1 pm. Day Dishwasher Tuesday - Saturday 1 pm - 5 pm. Day Prep Cook Mon., Tues., Fri., Sat., Sun. 8 am - 1 pm. Evening Line Cook 3 pm - 10 pm Weekdays and Weekend positions open. Evening Dishwasher starting at 3 pm. All trainable positions. TEXT Larry 315 212 2707 with full name and interview request for position interested.

Seeking an experienced Server/Cook/Cashier for Diner opening in Canton. Flexible hours but must be available to work Mornings/Afternoons/Weekends (Tues-Sat). Exceptional customer service is a must! Please send an email with brief detail of your interest and attach resume to: sidkicks24@yahoo.com

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The Town of Oswegatchie is accepting applications for a full-time Crematory Operator for the Town owned crematorium. Starting salary is \$50,000. Excellent benefit package including HSA health insurance, NYS retirement, holidays, vacation, personal & sick time, etc. Applications may be obtained from the Town Clerk, Vicki Thornhill at 51 State Street, Heuvelton, NY; website: townofoswegatchie.com or by calling 315-344-2400 x110. The deadline to submit application is November 12, 2024.

Licensed Practical Nurse - Hospice of St Lawrence Valley has openings for full-time, part-time, and per diem LPNs to carry out assigned nursing functions under the supervision of a Registered Nurse. Must have a current LPN license in NYS; the ability to maintain confidentiality and function as a member of an interdisciplinary team; a basic understanding and commitment to the Hospice concept of care for the terminally ill; and a valid NYS Driver's license. On-call and travel throughout St Lawrence County is required. Applications are available at hospiceslv.org or by calling Hospice at 315-265-3105.

FAST-PACED DENTAL OFFICE IS SEEKING a temporary position, January to July 2025, an energetic and motivated FRONT OFFICE COORDINATOR to join our team. This position requires an assertive, yet warm and friendly person to assist us in creating and caring for our patients. Coordinator must be detail-oriented and accurate in record keeping and updating patient insurance information. We are a busy office that is expanding and growing rapidly. Hours are 7:30am-4:30pm, Monday-Thursday. Responsibilities: • Provide excellent customer service to all patients and visitors • Coordinating patient check in/check out • Scheduling appointments and identifying/addressing schedule needs • Conducting insurance verification • Providing any additional assistance or support in daily operations • Handle multi-lined phones • Process basic accounting needs. Requirements: • A minimum of one year experience in a fast-paced dental office • Ability to multi-task • Impeccable attendance and punctuality • Ability to be self-directed and motivated, while being a team player • Excellent phone and computer skills • Experience with dental software (Patterson EagleSoft) preferred. Mail or drop off resumé to Adirondack Dental, 145 1/2 Market Street, Suite A, Potsdam, NY 13676.

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J.E. Sheehan Contracting Corporation seeking licensed NYS vehicle inspector, welder, and heavy equipment mechanic. Please send resumes to: jesheehan.net.

Join our team! The Health Initiative is hiring a Program Coordinator to partner with area school districts and early care and education professionals in its Creating Healthy Schools and Communities (CHSC) project. CHSC works in St. Lawrence County to support healthy communities as places where it is easier to practice healthier eating and physical activity behaviors. This is a temporary part-time position, 20 hours per week at \$20.00 per hour. Flexible hours and work environment. Learn more and apply at: www.gethealthyslc.org/work-with-us/

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- Cover Letter
- Application (Please apply using the Regional Common Application)
- Application and information about Lisbon CSD may be found at: <https://www.lisboncsd.org/>
- Resumé
- Letters of Recommendation (three)
- For Instructional Positions, Principal Positions, Teaching Positions and Bus Driver Positions ONLY
- Copy of New York State Certifications
- Original College Transcripts

Failure to provide all requested materials may result in disqualification of the candidate's application. Please submit information attention to:

Mr. Patrick J. Farrand, Superintendent of Schools
LISBON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
6866 County Route 10, Lisbon, NY 13658

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Salmon River Central School District is currently accepting applications for the following positions for the 2024-2025 school year:

Elementary & Secondary Special Education Teachers
Home & Careers/Middle Level CTE Teacher
Math Teacher
School Psychologist
Science Teachers - Biology & General Science Teacher Aide

Start Date: ASAP

Application Deadline: Immediately-Until Filled
Location: Salmon River Secondary School

Full job descriptions and applications can be found at www.srk12.org/employment/

Queries directed to/ Submit a completed application to:
Angela Robert-Assistant Superintendent
Salmon River Central School
Fort Covington, NY 12937

The Salmon River Central School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, political affiliation, gender, age, marital status, sexual orientation, pregnancy, military status, veteran status, genetic pre-disposition or carrier status, ancestry, disability or any other legally protected status in regard to employment opportunities or educational/vocational programs or activities which it operates.

St. Lawrence County Government

St. Lawrence County Building and Grounds Department
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DUTIES OF THE POSITION: Work of this class involves the performance of routine grounds & maintenance activities. Work includes the operation of a variety of light automotive equipment incidental to normal assignments and the performance of routine maintenance or custodial work. Work is performed under general supervision. The incumbent does related work as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Six (6) months of experience in the maintenance of parks and grounds.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: Possession of a valid New York State Operator's License.

Applications accepted until position filled. You can apply online at
<https://stlaw-portal.mycivilservice.com>.

Applications can also be obtained from St. Lawrence County's website,
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or by contacting Human Resources

315-379-2210

Send application to:

St. Lawrence County
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48 Court Street, Canton, NY 13617

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City of Ogdensburg Employment Opportunity CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

The City of Ogdensburg is accepting applications to fill the position of Code Enforcement Officer.

Salary is \$57,579 (\$63,086 in Year 2) with an excellent fringe benefit package including NYS retirement and platinum-level health insurance significantly covered by the City.

Civil Service applications are available at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall or at www.ogdensburg.org. Completed applications must be returned to Cathy Jock, City Clerk, 330 Ford Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669. Applications will be accepted continually and reviewed weekly until the position is filled.

Please review the full job posting and minimum qualifications at www.ogdensburg.org or contact City Clerk Cathy Jock at cjock@ogdensburg.org with questions.

This is a provisional appointment. The successful applicant will need to take a civil service examination and score within the top three interested candidates in order to be permanently appointed.

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ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

Dining Services Leader Dining & Conference Services Department

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a **Full-time, Seasonal, Dining Services Leader**.

The salary is \$18.63 - \$27.09/hr.

To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, as well as application instructions please visit: <https://employment.stlawu.edu/postings/3901> or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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Instructional Support Associate Automotive Technologies

SALARY: \$44,374 - \$52,000

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The State University of New York (SUNY) College at Canton invites qualified applicants for a full-time, Instructional Support Associate SL-2 position in the Automotive Department beginning January 1, 2025.

Responsibilities:

- Maintain automotive laboratory equipment in working order.
- Order supplies.
- Assist faculty and students during lab periods.
- Consult with suppliers.
- Ensure equipment standards.
- Support other academic needs assigned by the supervisor and the faculty.
- The welding laboratory stocking, organization, and maintenance is also part of the duties of the ISA for the program.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Proven record of successful maintenance of automotive or related equipment.
- Organizational skills, ability to receive inventory and parts.
- The successful candidate will have demonstrated the ability to work independently, have good people skills, and a willingness to learn and stay current in the automotive industry.
- Preferred Qualifications:
- Associate degree in the automotive or related field.
- Three years' experience with repair work.
- ASE certifications are needed but can be earned while working.
- A bonus of a NYS Inspector's License but could be earned while working.

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

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System Administrator SL2 Programmer Analyst

SUNY Canton Information Services seeks applicants for a **Systems Administrator (SL2 Programmer Analyst)** to join our team. This position will be responsible for all aspects of mobile device management, software deployment to client machines, and management of print services. The successful candidate will join a group responsible for overall management of our server infrastructure and applications, and management of endpoints, in support of SUNY Canton's academic and business needs.

Job Requirements and Essential Functions

The position will report to the Systems Manager and will work collaboratively with several teams of technical staff to provide support to the college's server infrastructure. The incumbent will share responsibility for setup, configuration, monitoring, tuning, troubleshooting, and the security of systems and servers both physical and virtual; installation, upgrades, and patching of operating systems and software; incident resolution; programming and scripting of in-house applications; documentation of configurations and changes; continuous improvement of services; and continuing professional advancement. Occasional evening/weekend work may be required. This position is physically located at the SUNY Canton campus.

Required Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in computer science or related field, or Associates degree in field with 2 years of relevant work experience.
- Understanding of operating systems, server and storage hardware infrastructure.
- Familiarity with network protocols; information security concepts, standards, technologies, and best practices
- Strong interpersonal skills and abilities to communicate, consult and interact effectively with technical and non-technical individuals in individual or group settings both orally and in writing.
- Strong customer service, organizational, and time management skills
- Ability to independently develop solutions for complex and difficult problems and to automate routine/repetitive tasks.
- Strong problem-solving skills; ability to prioritize multiple tasks; a strong commitment to customer service; and demonstrated ability to learn new technologies and skillsets.

Preferred Qualifications

- Experience with Microsoft Windows Server Systems Administration, Active Directory, and Group Policy.
- Experience with administration of Microsoft Sharepoint and Office 365 suite.
- Experience with enterprise class tools such as: DSC, MDT, SCCM, WSUS; Intune, JAMF, DeployStudio, AutoPkg.
- Experience with hypervisors such as VMware, Vxrails ,Hyper-V, and/or AzureStack HCI
- Programming or scripting experience in at least one language (e.g. PowerShell, Python, BASH, etc.)
- Experience in deploying and supporting mobile devices and apps on iOS and Android.
- Experience with macOS Server and Linux.
- Professional experience in a higher education IT environment.

Persons interested in the position must apply online at <https://employment.canton.edu/> and include a letter of interest, teaching statement, a curriculum vitae, graduate -transcripts (copies acceptable), and three letters of reference.

Review of applications 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.

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Send Research Foundation employment application, cover letter and resume, and reference letters immediately to **Laura Burnett, NMEP, SUNY Potsdam, 282 Van Housen Hall Ext., Potsdam, NY 13676**, or upload to <https://web-space.potsdam.edu/NMEP> or for more information, please email **Lisa Colby at colbylm@potsdam.edu**.

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Tenure-Track Applied Psychology Department

The State University of New York (SUNY) College at Canton invites qualified applicants for a full-time, Tenure-Track position in the Applied Psychology Department beginning September 1, 2025.

Essential Responsibilities:

- A 4/4 teaching load, which will include face-to-face courses, plus the use of online, hybrid, and converged modalities.
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- Collaborative participation in course, curriculum, program development, and assessment.
- Participation in campus, university, and community service activities.
- Engagement in professional development and relevant scholarly activity.

Required Qualifications:

Doctoral degree in Clinical or Counseling Psychology, or related discipline

Preferred Qualifications:

- Prior college teaching experience
- Prior experience in field (e.g., counseling)
- Licensure as appropriate

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EOP Counselor EOP Department

SALARY: \$55,100 - \$60,000

Job Description:

The Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) at the State University of New York at Canton is seeking candidates for a counselor position. The EOP Counselor provides academic and personal support programs for historically disadvantaged students who have diverse talents, strengths, experiences, and needs. This is a full-time, 12-month position in a department that includes the director, administrative assistant, and three full-time counselors who work within the broader academic support services area as a team fostering student success.

Responsibilities:

- Providing individual and group counseling as well as programming in the areas of personal, academic and career development for EOP students.
- Advisement services (course registration, student record reviews, academic planning, etc.) are an integral component of the position.
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- The counselor will help shape the on-boarding process for transfer students and play an active role in the pre-first year summer bridge program as well.

Required Qualifications:

- A Masters degree in counseling or a closely related field is required.
- A valid driver's license, willingness and ability to work some evenings and weekends is required.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience working in a college or university setting, knowledge of college student development, experience in academic advising and/or counseling, academic intervention programs, working with diverse populations, excellent oral and written communication skills is preferred.
- It would be helpful if the candidate is familiar with college financial aid processes, Banner or a closely related data management system, and general knowledge of EOP or college-level TRIO programs.

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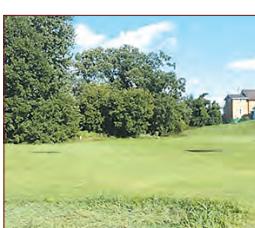
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