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Massena battling blighted properties

Abandoned properties targeted for safety

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MASSENA -- Another abandoned property is causing issues in Massena, this time for the town code enforcement officer.

Code Enforcement Officer Patrick O'Brien updated town board members of issues with a property on North Raquette Road, which has been abandoned "for some time."

During the May board meeting, O'Brien told board members the property had received six different complaints in recent weeks.

But upon investigation, he was unable to immediately track down the owner.

Remnants of previous tenants were also left behind, including a yard full of garbage.

The issues were even larger than that, however, as the location did not have a real septic system, O'Brien said.

"As I was doing the inspection of that property, I also discovered that their septic system is literally just a PVC pipe coming out of the basement and into the ground, not even out into the ground, but on top of the ground. So, we're addressing that currently," he said.

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Paying respect

Emilia, a JR Auxiliary member at Post 420 in Waddington and Asa, a Son of the American Legion are pictured with a relative from the Civil War who gave his life on the Battlefield. Every year they help put out and pick up flags from veterans grave markers in their community.

At the Docks says hotel still on menu

Apartment project now priority due to grant

JIMMY LAWTON
North Country This Week

OGDENSBURG – Owners of At the Docks LLC said a \$3.5 million grant from the state will help bring apartments to the city's waterfront, but that won't derail plans to bring a Wyndham Hotel to the area.

On Monday the At The Docks said they were grateful to city and state officials who helped secure a Restore NY grant.

"We're incredibly honored and excited to be chosen for this amazing grant award, which will play a big role in helping us move forward with the development of Ogdensburg's waterfront—a project that means so much to our city's future," a public statement from the company said.

"This wouldn't have been possible without the support and guidance of some truly dedicated people. We want to give a special thank-you to Andrea Smith, former City Planner, for her knowledge, hard work, and steady guidance through the entire process. We're also deeply thankful to Fonda Chronis, our City Manager, for his leadership and belief in what this project can bring to our community."

At the Docks is owned by Chris Frary and operated

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Citizen Advocates faces lawsuit

Woman says she was fired for whistleblowing

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

OGDENSBURG -- A self-proclaimed whistleblower whose employment was terminated by Citizen Advocates for alleged HIPAA violations is now suing the non-profit organization for wrongful termination.

According to court documents obtained by North Country This Week, Brandi Lamay is taking legal action against Citizen Advocates, her employer from October 2021 through Nov. 10, 2023 for firing her for accessing patients' charts. In the filing, she says the termination was actually retaliatory after she raised concerns regarding improper activities by employees of the organization.

In the complaint, Lamay alleges in her role as an addiction counselor and Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), she saw multiple patients who claimed therapy sessions listed on charts were never conducted.

The first complaint occurred around April or May 2022, when one patient said they had not gone through Credentialed Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Counselors therapy sessions "in several months."

Lamay alleges over the following months she spoke to several other patients, whom she was directly involved in the care of, with each stating they too had not received treatments listed on their respective medical charts.

She also claims the patients' medical records were not "accurately documenting decisions made by patients concerning treatment options."

Lamay said "many patients" complained they were not regularly receiving therapy or counseling sessions at the frequency their charts claimed, with some charts also "indicating in correction decisions that have been made by the respective patients

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Centennial celebration

Eloise June (Finley) Kroeger, a lifelong North Country resident, is celebrating a milestone birthday as she turns 100-years-old. St. Lawrence County officials celebrated the occasion Monday at the full board meeting, See story inside on page 6.

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SLC Chamber brings back ambassador program in Massena

Director announces series of events, sponsors sought

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
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MASSENA -- The St. Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce is relaunching an ambassadors program in Massena, welcoming businesses and officials to the community.

According to Chamber Director Ben Dixon the ambassadors will also attend grand openings, open houses, groundbreaking ceremonies and marketing events to boost local business.

Dixon recently told Town Board members and meeting attendees the group was already taking shape, with monthly meetings already in the works.

He called the ambassadors “boots on the ground” volunteers and interested parties who will help spur economic growth and retention throughout Massena.

“I feel like we’re getting a lot of traction there with them, and that I think is a big turning point for us in Massena, to have that group of engaged citizens working with us. It’s a great group of people,” Dixon

commented.

Community members will see the red coats at various events in the near future, with plans to add to the ranks to bolster efforts.

Dixon also announced the Tourism Destination Marketing Award will go to the Seaway Visitor Center at Eisenhower Lock, a distinction that will be presented to Director Amy Stark and staff at the annual tourism dinner at the Freighthouse Restaurant.

He complimented Stark and staff alike for this efforts in the relaunch of the newly renovated visitor center, which has brought over 37,000 visitors to the area from all 50 states and more than 30 countries.

“It’s really been quite the asset for Massena and the county, and we’re excited to recognize them,” Dixon said.

The Best Western University Inn will also be awarded the Best to the Guest award.

Dixon said the Chamber has a number of events planned for the summer as well, including the Dairy Festival, slated to run June 6 and 7.

Other events include the follow-

ing:

- Car-B-Que on Saturday, June 21st, at Fort La Presentation in Ogdensburg.
- Business After Hours Networking event on June 24th, from 5-7pm at JJ’s on the River (a • Hosmer’s Marina business) in Ogdensburg.

Additional Business After Hours events will be scheduled at various locations around the county.

- Massena Community-wide Garage Sales on June 28th & June 29th.

- Canton Community-wide Garage Sales Saturday August 2nd & Sunday August 3rd.

- Craft, Food & Wine Open Air Market on Saturday, September 20th, at the St. Lawrence Power & Equipment Museum in Madrid.

- Non-Profit Conference on Wednesday, September 17th, at the Best Western University Inn in Canton.

- Annual Dinner on Wednesday, October 22nd, at the GranView in Ogdensburg.

- Craft, Food & Wine Holiday Market – location and date to be determined.

Sponsors are also being sought for the events, Dixon said.

“Chamber events, while just one element of our extensive programming, provide multiple benefits to our members, businesses, non-profit, service organizations, and communities of St. Lawrence County. Through them, we provide networking, exposure, education, commerce, tourism attraction, and quality of life opportunities,” Dixon said.

For more information on these upcoming events or sponsorship opportunities, please contact Laura Pearson at Laura@slcchamber.org or 315-386-4000 ext. 6 or visit our website at: www.SLCChamber.org.



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Birds of a feather

Over a dozen Canada geese goslings follow their parents on the St. Lawrence River on the causeway near Wilson Hill, Louisville.

SLC celebrating National Dairy Month with ‘Red, White and Moo’ theme

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
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CANTON -- June will be “Red, White and Moo” as St. Lawrence County celebrates National Dairy Month.

To celebrate the occasion, Dairy Princess Isabella Perretta and alternate Dairy Princess Danica Dishaw.

Other ambassadors include alternate Dairy Princess Myrah Bullock, and promoters Grace MacDonald, Bella Dalton, Kathryn Fitzgerald, Ava Fitzgerald, Melanie Gilbert, Rose Smith, Norah MacDonald, Kenzie Phillips and Bailey Phillips.

Perretta and Dishaw both addressed the legislature, highlighting the key role dairy plays in healthy and active lifestyles.

Perretta said she and the dairy ambassadors have attended numerous events, including high school athletics and college hockey games to promote chocolate milk through the chocolate milk refuel program, highlighting the benefits of rehydrating and recovering with choco-

late milk after athletic events.

Perretta said she and ambassadors continue to work with families and athletes across the county through numerous events each year, while also highlighting the role of dairy farms in the region.

“We want to help share the message of nutrition, sustainability and hard working farmers behind every glass of milk,” she said.

According to county officials, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and Department of Health and Human Services released the Dietary Guidelines for Americans, which aimed to reinforce the importance of consuming three daily servings of dairy food like milk, yogurt and cheese.

“Dairy farming is a family tradition, one that has been a way of life for many generations, and St. Lawrence County is fortunate to have at least eighteen family-owned farms that have been in operation for more than 100 years,” county officials said.



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Former scout leader convicted of child sex assault may appeal to Supreme Court

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CANTON -- A former attorney and Boy Scout troop leader convicted of sexually assaulting a child during a Boy Scout camping trip in 2014 may take his appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Michael Kelsey, who was convicted of sexual assault in 2016, is attempting to appeal his conviction in St. Lawrence County Court, striking at the very constitutionality of the court's decision.

Kelsey has long sought to overturn his conviction in 2016, which in turn would have allowed him to also have his name removed from the state sex offender registry.

He previously sought in forma pauperis status, which would have allowed for court filing fees to be waived.

But Kelsey argued the court gave "no advance notice" to the dismissal of his appeal, writing he only sought pauperis status and not a decision of his appeal in his previous filing.

"The Court's 2/20/25 dismissal should be set aside to allow argument on the appeal of the District Court's July 2024 granting of a motion to dismiss," Kelsey wrote in his filing.

Now, Kelsey may bring the matter to the U.S. Supreme Court, though the clock is ticking.

Kelsey has 60 days from the issuance of the 2nd Circuit's mandate to bring his appeal to the high court, though no indication has been made if he will do so.

Kelsey, who was also a Dutchess County legislator at the time of the initial allegations, was convicted of first-degree sexual abuse, first-degree attempted sexual abuse, forcible touching and two counts of endangering the welfare of a child in 2016.

Kelsey was attempting to strike at the constitutionality of his sex offender status, in particular the Corrections

Law that required him to be registered.

Kelsey was sentenced to an aggregate prison term of seven years to be followed by 10 years of post release supervision following his conviction.

The punishment issued in 2016 was then held up on an appeal, according to court documents.

Kelsey was released from prison in May 2022 but prior to his release, a risk assessment instrument was submitted by the Board of Examiners of Sex Offenders that classified him as a risk level two sex offender with a sexually violent offender designation.

Kelsey tried to reargue the designation but was denied "based on a failure to provide notice of motion to the People," according to court documents.

He also sought to require the St. Lawrence County District Attorney to destroy all copies of pre-sentence reports. Mary Rain was the district attorney during Kelsey's initial conviction.

Kelsey also sought monetary damages, punitive damages and \$10,000 for attorney's fees. Kelsey is representing himself in all court actions.

In other court actions, Kelsey sued County Court Judge Felix Catena, who presided over his trial, Kim Nethaway, the stenographer who transcribed the trial and former Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals Janet DiFiore, claiming that "various alleged deficiencies in the proceedings deprived him of due process and negativity impacted the appeal of his ensuing conviction.

Those actions were dismissed in State Supreme Court since Nethaway was not properly served notice and Catena was entitled to judicial immunity.

Christopher Sherman and Catena were both included in the dismissal issued by the Second Circuit on Feb. 20.

County officials long held that the county should be dismissed from any legal actions involving Kelsey, which was affirmed by the courts.



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Law officers certified to operate boats

The week of May 19, 2025, Swanton Sector Border Patrol Agents hosted a boat crewman certification class. This class included Border Patrol Agents, St. Lawrence County Sheriff Deputies, and a Saint Regis Mohawk Tribal Police Department member. This training allows graduates to be crewmembers on Border Patrol vessels to assist with patrolling the St. Lawrence River and its tributaries.

Garden Club celebrates 100th with history display

OGDENSBURG – A century worth of Ogdensburg Garden Club History is on display at the Ogdensburg History Museum for the month of June.

For a century, Ogdensburg Garden Club has worked to educate youth and community in gardening and in honor of that milestone, the club wants the public to join in the celebration.

"One hundred years ago we began with a mission to 'educate the membership, community, and youth in gardening, civic improvement and flower arranging, and to mutually help members by a generous exchange of knowledge and experience.'" This mission has been fulfilled in many different ways over the years, but it is still what we live by today. Hopefully, our display will illustrate just this," Lin Griffin

said.

The Ogdensburg Garden Club is beginning its 100th Anniversary celebrations with an exhibit for the month of June at the Ogdensburg History Museum.

"We want to thank the Ogdensburg History Museum for hosting and the Seaway Valley Prevention Council for their help in creating and printing materials for this display".

"We want to invite the public to stop by the museum to take a walk back in time with us. Going through old files was quite an eye opener to most of us as current day members of the Garden Club. Folks might see some familiar "old" faces or reminders of events we sponsored that they remember. Awards we have won (some of them) are on display as well," Griffin said.

Schumer concerned with border traffic drop

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

Canadian border crossings have dropped 290,000 across all New York Ports of Entry last month, which equates to a 22% decrease, according to Senator Chuck Schumer.

In a release, Schumer said tariffs imposed by President Donald Trump have led to a "nose dive" in entries, which in turn is hurting the North Country economy as summer tourism efforts ramp up.

In St. Lawrence County, the Ogdensburg Port of Entry decreased from 43,945 crossing in April 2024 to just 31,857 crossings in April 2025. That represents a 27.51% decrease. In Massena, the Seaway Bridge was a much smaller decrease, down from 209,524 in April 2024 to 205,518 crossings in April 2025, a 1.91% decrease.

"Burning bridges and ruining

relationships with our closest ally and key trading partner, Canada, right when summer tourism season is arriving, is about as destructive as it gets. Upstate NY is on the frontlines of Trump's destructive tariff war, and this shocking new data shows our tourism economy is paying the price from Buffalo to Ogdensburg," said Schumer.

According to new data from CBP, Upstate NY & Canada saw approximately 1,017,500 border crossings in April, compared to 1,307,381 during the same month in 2024, a nearly 22% decrease across road and bridge crossings frequented by tourists, federal officials said. In response, Schumer has called upon House Republicans to "stand up for their constituents and Main Street small businesses – like hotels, restaurants and shops – and take up the resolution which has already passed the Senate to end this reckless, ill-conceived and harmful trade war with

Canada."

"This should be a bright red alarm for NY House Republicans who have stayed silent as Trump's reckless trade war has wreaked havoc in their districts. To add insult to injury, he makes absurd declarations on annexing our neighbors to the north, which only depresses travel to the U.S. and the purchase of American products," Schumer said.

According to a recent North Country Chamber of Commerce survey, 66% of businesses are already experiencing a dip in Canadian bookings, the statement said. Canada is the top source of international visitors to the U.S., with 20.4 million visits in 2024, generating \$20.5 billion in spending and supporting 140,000 American jobs, they continued. Schumer said if there were even a 10% reduction in Canadian travel, it could mean as much as \$2 billion in lost spending and 14,000 job losses across America.

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Massena Rotary Club members roll up their sleeves to purchase flowers and spruce up the Massena Hospital courtyard this spring for employees and visitors to enjoy.

SUNY Potsdam recognizes local graduates at commencement

POTSDAM – The State University of New York at Potsdam recognized the Class of 2025 during the College’s 205th Commencement Ceremony on Saturday, May 17.

During Commencement, SUNY Potsdam honors students who have either earned their degree or are eligible to graduate during that calendar year. To learn more about Commencement at SUNY Potsdam, visit www.potsdam.edu/commencement.

The following Massena and Ogdensburg area graduates include:

- **Akwesasne:** Annabelle Mitchell, Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, Taylor Swamp, Master of Science in Education degree in Educational Technology Specialist.
- **Brasher Falls:** Zoe Brothers, cum laude with a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Visual Arts, McKenna Daoust, Master of Science in Education degree in Literacy, Drew Rose, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration, and Tommy Storrin, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in History.
- **Chase Mills:** Patrick Dubuque, Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, and Caleb Lawrence, Bachelor of Arts degree in History.
- **DePeyster:** Emily Martin, with distinction with a Master of Science in Education degree in Curriculum and Instruction.
- **Hammond:** Kelsey Bennett, with both a Bachelor of Arts and a Master of Science in Teaching degree in Biology Middle/Secondary Education and Biology, Hailey Cunningham, Bachelor of Science degree in Public Health, and Rebekah Oliver, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education.
- **Heuvelton:** Trista Ashley, Bachelor of

Arts degree in Psychology, Lauren Baldwin, with distinction with a Master of Music degree in Music Education (K-12), Emily Basford, with distinction with a Master of Science in Education degree in Special Education, and Erin Denner, Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education.

- **Hogansburg:** Jill Benedict, with distinction with a Master of Science degree in Management, Keeya Capton, Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics Middle/Secondary Education and Mathematics, Autumn Cook, Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Cobie Cree, Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration, Millie King, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Lexi Lazore, Master of Science in Education degree in Special Education, Erin Lewis, Master of Science in Education degree in Curriculum and Instruction, Cassandra Phillips, Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, Amber Strable, Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Netta Terrance, Bachelor of Science degree in Public Health, Jake Thompson, Bachelor of Science degree in Biology, and Talon Thompson, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology.
- **Lisbon:** Breanna Ashley, Bachelor of Arts degree in Theatre.
- **Massena:** Haden Ashley, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Anthropology, Savannah Belile, with distinction with a Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, Laylah Bingham, Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Julia Blair, Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Kristen Bresett, Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, Charlie Champion, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Theatre, Melissa Connors-Chamberlain,

Master of Science degree in Management, Seth Denney, Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Carly Garcia, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Hannah Greco, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology and Women’s and Gender Studies, Casey Hooper, Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Gideon Jagers, Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Joshua Kaplan, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology, Seantaie Kelley, Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, Kaydence Ladison, summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Lindsey LaDue, Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, Hannah Laneuville, Master of Science in Education degree in Special Education, Andrew Lantry, Bachelor of Arts degree in History, Joshua Lashomb, with distinction with a Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, Thomas Leboeuf, Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Jack Loran, Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration, Daniel Mariano, summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Politics, and Jeanna Matthews, summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Creative Writing.

Also, Megan McGowan, Master of Science in Teaching degree in English Middle/Secondary Education, Amanda Morris, Master of Science in Education degree in Literacy, Lee Necaise, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Jonnileigh Price, Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, Maddy Taylor, summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in English and Creative Writing, and Literature/Writing, Patrick Whitney, Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, Kassondra

Whoston, Bachelor of Science degree in Exercise Science, and Zoe Williamson, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Music degree in Music Business.

- **Morristown:** Joshua Carter, with distinction with a Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education.
- **North Lawrence:** Hannah Richards, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, and Courtney Riley, with distinction with a Master of Science in Teaching degree in Biology Secondary Education.
- **Ogdensburg:** Logan Brooks, Bachelor of Science degree in Exercise Science, Kiara Chase, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Theatre, Austin Colby, Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration, Abby Evans, summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, Ellie Foster, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Anthropology, Robert Gannon, cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, Megan Hart, Bachelor of Arts degree in History, Alexxa Hooper, with distinction with a Master of Science in Teaching degree in Physics Secondary Education, Natalie Hyde, Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Art Education (Pre-K-12), Alyx Jenner, Bachelor of Arts degree in Childhood/Early Childhood Education, Kiera Johnson, Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology and Criminal Justice Studies, Julia L’Orange, Master of Science in Teaching degree in Childhood Education, Gary Ladouceur, Bachelor of Arts degree in Geology, April Lewis, Bachelor of Arts degree in French, Taylor Mack, Master of Science in Education degree in Special Education, Lara Martin, magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology, Marissa McCabe, cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Graphic Design and New Media, Kayle McCormick, cum laude with a

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Local dairy farms to get state taxpayer cash for modernization projects

Four St. Lawrence County farms are to be awarded part of about \$3.3 million in state grants to modernize their farm operations, announced the governor's office.

J&J Farms of Ogdensburg, River Breeze Dairy LLC in Chase Mills, Royal J. Acres LLC in Ogdensburg, and Stauffer Farms LLC in North Lawrence are among 15 North Country farms the state says will receive grants.

The North Country farm awards are part of nearly \$21.6 million awarded to 103 farms across the state through the Dairy Modernization Grant Program to support New York's dairy industry, the press release from the governor's office said.

The state claims the funding, first announced in the Governor's 2024 State of the State address, will help New York's dairy farm-

ers and dairy cooperatives invest in new equipment, expand storage capacity, and strengthen their operations, particularly as they face extreme weather events, providing a critical boost to New York's dairy industry.

The state awarded eligible applicants for projects to expand on-farm milk storage capacity, and improve the transportation and storage of milk.

"New York's dairy industry is critical to the agricultural and economic health of our state," said New York State Farm Bureau President David Fisher, a Madrid farm owner. "The Dairy Modernization Grant Program is not only a significant step in improving operations for farmers across New York, but also in making a commitment to agricultural sustainability."

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**CANTON
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**ST. LAWRENCE-LEWIS BOCES
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES CENTER
MECHANICAL / ELECTRICAL IMPROVEMENTS**

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Examination of Contract Documents:
Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

MARCH Associates 258 Genesee Street, Suite 300 Utica, NY 13502	Plan & Print Systems, Inc. 6160 Eastern Avenue Syracuse, NY 13211
Plan Rooms: Syracuse Builders Exchange 6563 Ridings Road Syracuse, NY 13206	Northern NY Builders Exchange 22074 Fabco Road Watertown, NY 13601
CMD Group, LLC www.cmdgroup.com	Dodge Data & Analytics-McGraw Hill www.construction.com

Drawings and specifications are available for searching and viewing at www.planandprint.com. Navigate to the Plan Rooms link and then select “All Public Projects” and search for the Project Title.

Obtaining Electronic Contract Documents: *
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*** Only complete sets will be issued.**

Contract documents will be delivered via UPS Ground service upon request and receipt of an additional non-refundable delivery and handling charge, payable by separate check to **Plan & Print Systems, Inc.** Contact Plan & Print for shipping and handling costs at (315) 437-5111.

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Upon request for bidding documents; provide Bidder’s company name, Bidder’s business and shipping address (if different), Contact person(s), Telephone number, Fax number, E-mail address for contact person, and Prime Contract Trade affiliation.

Return of Contract Documents:

Upon returning sets promptly to **Plan & Print Systems, Inc.**, in re-usable condition, **within 30 days** after the date of the Bid opening, deposits will be refunded as follows:

- Any Planholder will be refunded his deposit in full.
- All Contract Documents received (except for Documents held by Successful Bidders) must be **returned to Plan & Print Systems, Inc., 6160 Eastern Avenue, Syracuse, New York, 13211.**
- Deposits for documents, which are **not** returned within this 30-day period, will not be refundable.

The **St. Lawrence-Lewis BOCES Cooperative Board** reserves the right to waive any irregularity and reject any or all Bids.

Each Bidder must deposit, with his Bid, security in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the Base Bid in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

Attention of Bidders is particularly called to requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and attached wage rates schedule to be paid under this Contract.

No Bidder may withdraw his Bid within forty-five (45) days after the date set for the opening thereof.

The Board of Education further reserves its right to disqualify Bidders for any material failure to comply with the “Instructions to Bidders.”

The District adheres to a policy of nondiscrimination on the basis of race, creed, color, disability, gender or national origin in employment, programs and services.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on **Wednesday, June 18th, 2025, at 11:00AM** at the **Educational Services Center** followed by a walk-through of that building. Attendance is strongly recommended.

St. Lawrence-Lewis BOCES
40 West Main Street
Canton, NY 13617

Thomas R. Burns, District Superintendent / Executive Officer

LEGAL NOTICE
A petition has been filed by Raiewate Herne for the Estate of Jan David Herne, late of Akwesasne, NY.

All potential creditors who may have an interest in the aforementioned Estate or a claim against the Estate of Jan David Herne please contact the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribal Courts at (518)358-6300 by no later than July 2, 2025.

**GOVERNEUR
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**
Notice of Formation of WOOD’S MARKET, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/21/2025. 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 LLC: 44 MAIN STREET HAILESBORO ROAD GOUVERNEUR, NY 13642. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Letters of testamentary for the Estate of Cecil M. Garrow of Akwesasne, New York, have been requested by Carrie Garrow.

Notice is hereby given to anyone objecting to the appointment of Carrie Garrow.

All potential creditors who may have an interest in the aforementioned estate of those wanting to object to the validity of the will must notify the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribal Courts at (518) 358-6300 by no later than May 30, 2025.

**MASSENA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**
Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 300 of the Zoning Law of the Village of Massena, New York, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be conducted by the Zoning Board of Appeals in the Town Hall, 60 Main St, Rm 30, Massena, NY on June 16, 2025 at 5:15 o’clock p.m., to consider the following matter.

Stephen Dennis for Jason Premo regarding 21 Grove St (Tax Map# 9.067-6-27) is requesting area variance to Chapter 300-17-E for heightening a fence to 8 ft high where 6ft is allowed. The property is zoned Residential-B. Said Village Zoning Board of Appeals will at said time and place; hear all persons in support of such matter or any objections thereto.

Dated: May 29, 2025
Robert VanDusen
Chairman of the Zoning Board of Appeals

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Todd Manning regarding 23 Grove St (Tax Map# 9.067-6-26) is requesting area variance to Chapter 300-17-E for heightening a fence to 8 ft high where 6 ft is allowed. The property is zoned Residential-B. Said Village Zoning Board of Appeals will at said time and place; hear all persons in support of such matter or any objections thereto.

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

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of Speedy Klean LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/20/2025. 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: Sara Pircsuk, 600 Sissionville Road, Potsdam, NY 13676. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.



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NORTH COUNTRY
THISWEEK

SLC legislature

celebrates centenarian

during June 2 meeting

BY JEFF CHUDZINSKI
North Country This Week

CANTON -- Eloise June (Finley) Kroeger, a lifelong North Country resident, is celebrating a milestone birthday as she turns 100-years-old.

St. Lawrence County officials celebrated the occasion Monday at the full board meeting, with County Historian Nancy LaFaver detailing Kroeger’s life.

Born June 3, 1925 to Arthur and Edith Edna (Beals) Finley, Eloise attended the Marshville/Heacher one-room schoolhouse in the hamlet of Marshville, near Hermon, until eighth grade.

Later attending high school in Hermon, Kroeger was the valedictorian of her class, though no yearbook exists, nor was prom held for her class due to WWII.

“She remembers having fun socially by going to square dances, she especially remembers a member of the band who had a crush on her and wrote a song for her to the tune of the Yellow Rose of Texas, the first stanza was, “There’s a little girl in Marshville,” LaFaver said.

Following graduation, Eloise went to live with her grandparents in Massena, working for Alcoa during the war. She would go to the facility each day with telegrams from customers who were looking for their shipments “as everything was always shipped late because the war orders were sent first,” LaFaver said.

Enrolling in the Cadets Nursing Program for the US Department of Health in 1945, which ran through the state hospital in Ogdensburg, Eloise studied at the hospital during her first and third years, while spending year two conducting hands-on training in general nursing at the Morrisania Hospital in the Bronx. She graduated in 1947, once again as the valedictorian of her class.

With the war ending and the Cadet Nursing program coming to a close, Eloise later began working for the state hospital in Ogdensburg, eventually moving up to be the Supervisor of the Center East Building, LaFaver said.

She continued working there for 33 more years, retiring in 1983.

While working at the state hospital, Eloise met her future

husband William who was working in the kitchen after returning from his service as a pilot and navigator in the Naval Air Corp.

Despite asking Eloise to go on a date on multiple occasions, she refused each time until a friend of William’s convinced Eloise he did not have a steady girlfriend, LaFaver said.

After marrying, the young couple moved into a house in Vets Village in Ogdensburg, which was government housing for WWII veterans returning home from the war.

They eventually settled on Hamilton Street, where they raised their seven children; William Arthur, Michael John, Gerald (Jerry), Margaret Louise, Ann Elizabeth, Kevin John, and Karen Sue.

“While working and raising their children, Eloise enjoyed belonging to clubs such as the Writers Club, North of Upstate, and doing things with her husband, who was a member of the Elks Club of Ogdensburg, and the American Legion in Lisbon. Eloise also enjoyed gardening, flowers, writing poetry, knitting, and spending time with family at their camp on the St. Lawrence River,” LaFaver said.

The ever “spunky, strong-willed, intuitive and direct” Eloise now has nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Known to have a “heart bigger than the county she lives in,” Eloise has been described as an honest woman with integrity, trustworthiness and strong work ethic that has made her a “role model, exhibiting strong moral character,” LaFaver said.

In later life Eloise had one goal, to outlive the Queen of England, LaFaver said.

“Which she has. She states that the secret to a long life is to keep breathing and refuse to die,” she continued.

Eloise has said her next goal and dream is to see her family all find happiness.

A neighbor of Chairman David Forsythe’s wife when she was a child, the chairman offered his congratulations to Eloise and her family during the meeting.

“I simply want to say congratulations. This is a huge honor and I can’t think of a better family to recognize this way,” Forsythe said.

Brothers charged after

Massena altercation

MASSENA— A Massena man who allegedly became disorderly while his brother was being investigated by State Police was himself arrested May 16, State Police say.

According to State Police, patrols responded to Alcoa Road in the town of Massena in response to a complaint of a fight in progress.

The investigation revealed that Michael J. Green, 38, of Massena, had allegedly struck a victim in the face, resulting in them being transported to Massena Memorial Hospital with non life-threatening injuries. Upon review of the original victim’s medical records, State Police charged Michael J.

Green May 31 with one count third-degree assault.

While Troopers were interviewing witnesses following the original incident, State Police say that Michael J. Green’s brother, Alan M. Green, 33, of Massena, became disorderly. He allegedly made disrespectful remarks, acted belligerently, swore, and displayed violent behavior towards law enforcement. Alan M. Green was charged May 16 with one count each disorderly conduct and resisting arrest.

Both brothers were issued appearance tickets returnable to Massena Town Court at a later date in June.

Lisbon accident leads to drug arrest

Charged with menacing with knife

LISBON— An Ogdensburg male is facing two drug felonies following a motor vehicle in the town of Lisbon, according to State Police.

Anthony J. Foti, 42, of Ogdensburg, was charged May 27 with two counts fifth-degree criminal possession of a controlled substance (D felony), one count second-degree criminally using drug paraphernalia, and one count operating a motor vehicle while ability impaired by drugs, State Police say.

Troopers report that Foti was charged following investigation of a motor vehicle accident, which revealed that Foti

was allegedly driving while his ability was impaired by drugs.

Foti was found to possess cocaine and several containers with pills that were controlled substances, State Police say.

Foti was processed at the Ogdensburg State Police station, arraigned in Lisbon Town Court, and released.

BRASHER— A Massena female who allegedly threatened a victim with a knife during a domestic incident was arrested by State Police.

Trisha M. Stevens, 41, was charged June 2 with one count each second-degree menacing and third-degree criminal trespass following an alleged domestic incident in the Brasher, during which a verbal argument reportedly escalated to physical threats.

Stevens is alleged to have grabbed a knife and made threatening remarks toward the victim during the course of the argument.

State Police say that the victim was able to contact law enforcement during the course of the altercation, prompting Stevens to leave the residence.

Stevens was arraigned in Norfolk Town Courts and released under the supervision of probation.

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INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Brasher Falls CSD invites sealed bids, in duplicate, for:

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For: 2025-26 Capital Outlay Project

SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Bids will be received by the Owner until 11:00 AM, Local Time, Thursday, June 19, 2025 by Timothy Redmond at the Bus Garage main office, 1039 State Highway 11C, Brasher Falls NY 13613.

Contractors should refer to the 2008 Wicks Reform and New York State Labor Law Section 220-i for additional bid submission procedures and requirements not otherwise outlined in the contract documents.

OPENING OF BIDS

Bids will be opened and read aloud at 11:05 AM on Thursday, June 19, 2025, in the Bus Garage conference room, 1039 State Highway 11C, Brasher Falls NY 13613.

EXAMINATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

King + King Architects, LLP
358 West Jefferson Street
Syracuse, NY 13202
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Plan & Print Systems, Inc.
6160 Eastern Avenue
Syracuse, NY 13211
315.437.5111
315.463.1510 (f)

Builders Exchange of the Southern Tier
15 Belden Street
Binghamton, NY 13903
607.771.7000
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6 Airline Drive
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Contract Documents may be downloaded from the Plan and Print Systems, Inc. website for a **non-refundable** cost of \$49.00. Electronic Contract Documents on a flash drive may also be obtained from Plan & Print (Telephone: 315.437.5111, Fax: 315.463.1510) upon payment of a **non-refundable** \$49.00 plus shipping and handling per flash drive. Contact Plan & Print for shipping and handling costs. Checks shall be made payable to **Plan & Print Systems, Inc.**

OBTAINING PAPER CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

Contract Documents may be obtained at Plan & Print Systems, Inc., 6160 Eastern Ave, Syracuse, NY 13211 (Telephone: 315.437.5111, Fax: 315.463.1510) upon receipt of a \$100.00 deposit per set. Checks for deposit for Contract Documents shall be made payable to Brasher Falls CSD. Cash will not be accepted as a deposit. Prospective Bidders will be issued a maximum of two (2) sets each. Subcontractors, Material Suppliers, etc., will be issued a maximum of one (1) set each.

Contract documents will be delivered via UPS Ground service upon request and receipt of an additional non-refundable delivery and handling charge, payable by separate check to Plan & Print Systems, Inc. Contact Plan & Print for shipping and handling costs.

Any sets required in excess of the above-mentioned maximums are to be obtained directly by interested parties at the full cost of printing, at their cost, directly from Plan & Print Systems.

Only complete sets will be issued.

At the time the order is placed, plan holder shall advise Plan & Print Systems of status as to prime bidder, subcontractor, or material supplier and to trade affiliation. Postal address, telephone number, fax number, and email will also be required.

ADDENDA

Addenda for this project will be emailed to each plan holder of record, except as noted. Addenda containing full sized drawings will be issued in hard copy format only and sent via UPS. It is the responsibility of each prospective bidder to submit an accurate email address when requesting Bidding/Contract Documents and to download each addendum. Addenda will be sent to the e-mail address on record.

RETURN OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

Upon returning sets promptly and in reusable condition to Plan & Print Systems, Inc. within 30 days after the date of the Bid opening, deposits will be refunded as follows:

1. Any Bidder will be refunded his or her deposit in full.

2. All other persons receiving any or all the Contract Documents, including Subcontractors and Material Suppliers, will be refunded their deposit in full.

All Contract Documents received (except for Documents held by Successful Bidders) must be returned to **Plan & Print Systems, Inc.**, at the above address.

For Contract Documents which are not returned to the printer within this 30-day period, deposits will NOT be refunded.

RIGHT TO WAIVE OR REJECT

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all Bids.

BID SECURITY

Each Bidder must deposit with its Bid, security in an amount and form subject to the conditions provided in the Contract Documents.

WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS

Withdrawal of Bids will be subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

COMPLETION TIME

The work of this project shall be completed by the dates set forth in Section 011000 entitled “Summary.”

PREBID MEETING

No pre-bid meeting scheduled at this time.

INSPECTION OF SITE

Bidders will be able to visit the Site at the convenience of the Brasher Falls CSD with a minimum of forty-eight hours prior notification to Mr. Tim Redmond by telephone at 315-389-4957.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

Requests for interpretation, information or clarification (RFI) of the Contract Documents must be made in writing. Responses to RFIs will not be made over the telephone. Responses to RFIs will be advisory only and will not modify the Contract Documents. The Contract Documents stand as published except as modified by written Addenda before bid and Modifications after execution of the Agreement.

RFIs may be mailed to:

Ms. Megan Vanderbrook
King + King Architects LLP
358 W. Jefferson Street
Syracuse, New York 13202
or e-mailed to Ms. Vanderbrook’s attention at mvanderbrook@kingarch.com

BLIGHT... Code officer tackling issues

As of the meeting, O’Brien said he was still working through who actually owned the property.

He said ensuring the records with the county are up to date is the first hurdle. Then finding an address to contact the owner would be next.

“Once we figure out who owns it, it’s actually finding them because address information is pretty sketchy,” he said.

O’Brien said he would continue to work with the county to identify the owner and further address the issues with the property.

In other news, O’Brien said a new issue arose with the former St. Lawrence Centre Mall, with lighting complaints reaching the office.

The location, now an industrial complex, has been dealing effectively with a myriad of code violations, O’Brien said.

“We received complaints that the mall lighting was ineffective for safety and too bright. We mention nuisance light in the code, as does the state, but there’s really no definition,” O’Brien said.

Despite having a light meter to determine the brightness of the lights, O’Brien said there is nothing specifically in state or local code.

O’Brien said he has reached out to the owners of the complex, who

were very receptive, and requested a contractor come back to the location to angle the lights down to address the issues in the meantime.

The change comes after O’Brien cited the complex for not having sufficient exterior lighting or parking lights. He said the structure is “pretty well lit up now.”

DEVELOPMENT... At the Docks still wants hotel

with help from family members.

The Frary family offered appreciation to the council and economic and strategic development team members.

“To the City Council, thank you for your vision and for continuing to invest in the future of Ogdensburg and believing in our project. We also want to thank the Economic and Strategic Development (ESD) team for approving this grant and recognizing the potential of our waterfront project. Their support helps bring projects like this to life across the state, and we’re proud to be part of that momentum. We’re also happy to share this moment with our neighbor, Hosmer’s Marina, and congratulate them on receiving a grant award as well. It’s exciting to see multiple efforts coming together to create lasting improvements along the waterfront—this is a win not just for us, but for the entire community.

“This grant is more than just financial support—it’s a symbol of what we can achieve when we work together for the betterment of our city. We’re excited to continue to transform the waterfront into a place that brings new life, new opportunities, and lasting benefits for everyone in Ogdensburg.”

Anne Frary, who spoke on behalf of the company, said that while the apartment project is likely to move forward first, plans to bring a Wyndham hotel to the city are still in place.

“We are still fully committed to the hotel as part of the long-term vision and are in an ongoing agreement with Wyndham, who will be a key partner for that component of the project when we move forward,” the statement to North Country This Week said.

“In the meantime, our immediate focus has shifted to the Stone Mill buildings, thanks to the recent Restore NY grant. That grant was specifically awarded for the rehabilitation and adaptive reuse of those historic structures, and we’re concentrating efforts there for now. The Stone Mill buildings will eventually house long-term residential rentals, an event center, and potentially some local retail spaces — all contributing to the revitalization of the area,” a statement from At the Docks LLC, said.

“While some timelines have evolved based on the funding and sequencing of different project components, the broader vision remains the same: creating a vibrant, mixed-use destination that blends residential, hospitality, and community-focused spaces.”

As they say, it takes a village, and we’re so grateful for the continued support and positive energy from the community. We look forward to sharing more updates as we make progress and continue moving the project forward.”

LAWSUIT...

concerning treatment options. In some cases, allegedly falsified charts showed a patient turned

down inpatient rehab when they, court documents state.

According to court documents, Lamay took the growing number of concerns to Clinic Manager Cynthia Mosher on or around Oct. 16, 2023 to detail the “numerous discrepancies she had discovered between what patients were telling her about their treatments and experiences, and what their respective medical records claimed about the treatments they were supposedly receiving.”

Mosher then directed Lamay to bring the issue to the Human Resources Department, court documents state.

Lamay claims she contacted HR representative Bernadette Moore about the complaints on Oct. 23, 2023, not receiving a response.

Documents state on Oct. 24 Lamay spoke with Mosher again to follow up about her report to HR, to which Mosher allegedly said HR and upper management opted to “just re-train them” when referring to the counselors who made the entries at issue.

Lamay claims that based on the lack of response by HR and brief interaction with Mosher that no investigation would occur and no corrections would be made in good faith.

That in turn led Lamay to report her findings to the New York State Justice Center for the Protection of People with Special Needs, filing a report on Oct. 25, 2023 to raise concerns about Citizen Advocates practices, according to documents.

But that report to the Justice Center led to Citizen Advocates to “look for grounds to terminate” Lamay, the claim states.

Around the time of the report, Lamay said she received a text message from the Nursing team lead and her direct supervisor, Brittany Shorrette, informing Lamay that leadership with Citizen Advocates were “asking me to review your attendance and list of any call outs, late arrivals, etc” to establish ground for discipline and/or termination.

On or around Nov. 10, 2023, roughly two weeks after submitting complaints, Lamay was issued a “written warning” from Citizen Advocates, citing attendance and performance concerns, documents state.

Court documents state the warning, which was received Nov. 10, 2023, was backdated to August 22, 2023.

On Nov. 22, 2023 Lamay received a text message from Director of Nursing Jessica Foster, advising her “to not report to work for her 7 a.m. shift, but to instead come in at 9 a.m.,” documents state. It was at this time Lamay knew her employment would be terminated, she claims.

During a telephone call with Jamie Tavineur, the Director of Nursing, Lamay was informed she was being terminated for HIPAA violations, documents state.

According to the complaint, Lamay was informed she “went in the charts...above and beyond in the

charts” when referring to patients’ medical records Lamay reviewed in connection with bringing the internal and external complaints.

A written notice of termination was received Nov. 22, 2023, citing “a second HIPPA violation” but not further grounds for termination, according to the complaint.

Following the termination notice, Lamay said a complaint was filed against her by Citizen Advocates for “professional misconduct with the New York State Education Department,” for which she received written notice from NYSED dated Feb. 27, 2024, advising her that it was investigating claims against her of professional misconduct.

Lamay alleges the complaint filed with NYSED was “based on its allegations that Plaintiff (Lamay) had committed HIPAA violations by reviewing patients’ medical charts” in connection with the internal and external complaints files.

On May 1, 2024, NYSED informed Lamay she was cleared of any wrongdoing following their investigation and that the file was to be closed on the matter, according to the complaint.

Lamay alleges it was upon information and belief that Citizen Advocates did not file a report with any other state or federal agency, such as the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services or the Office of Civil Rights regarding the alleged HIPAA violations.

She also claims she did not commit any HIPAA violations in connection with reviewing her patients’ medical charts and filing the complaints associated.

Due to this, Lamay alleges misconduct and false pre textual reasons to establish grounds for termination, according to the complaint.

Lamay alleges the actions of Citizen Advocates are in direct retaliation for her actions in filing the complaints, a direct violation of New York State Labor laws and whistleblower protections.

As part of her complaint, Lamay is seeking a payment for all recoverable damages, including an injunction to “restrain continued violations” of multiple sections of state law, along with all available front pay, compensation for lost wages, benefits and other remuneration, payment of reasonable costs, disbursements and attorney’s fees, along with “payment of a civil penalty in an amount not to exceed \$10,000 and/or all available punitive damages, if the violation is willful, malicious or wanton.”

In February 2025 St. Lawrence County officials selected Citizen Advocates to replace Reachout for comprehensive crisis intervention and response services for the county

Reachout, a Potsdam based firm that served the North Country since 1977, officially shuttered on Dec. 31, 2024 citing a lack of funding.

The organization has offered emergency mental health counseling to those in need with both paid staff and volunteers managing the phone hotlines.

In their place, Citizen Advocates were approved to receive \$150,000 in Opioid Settlement Funds to cover start-up costs in the county.

The comprehensive service plan will include a 24/7 mobile crisis response service where licensed and certified staff able to practice in New York State will provide intervention services.

Along with the crisis hotline, Citizen Advocates will also have an electronic health record and the ability to bill Medicaid Managed Care for both telephonic and mobile responses, an appropriate level of crisis follow-up services, and provide the current community provider, if indicated, documentation of the crisis contact the following day, officials said.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Massena Elks grateful for donation

Recently, the Elks Veterans Committee, Lodge 1702 distributed hygiene supplies, snacks and socks to veterans in the two Massena nursing homes. These supplies were donated by BJ's in Massena.

The Committee would like to recognize and offer a very special thank you to BJ's.

Norman Lazore
Chairman of the Elks Veterans Comm.

Massena man responds to aid in dying letter

I consider myself extraordinarily privileged to have been able to have read Derek C. Maus's opinion piece on MAID, the recently passed Medical Aid in Dying Act by the NYS Assembly (NorthCountryNow.com, May 28).

It is a particularly difficult task for someone to write about legislative issues without becoming self-involved and coming across as political and preachy.

He managed to execute such with a level of dignity, thoughtfulness and compassion that I have not read (from anyone) in a very, very long time.

A quick web search afterwards revealed that the author is an accomplished and published English Professor. (Of course he is).

Thank You, Professor Maus, for the giving of your time and talent, for sharing your personal journey with multiple myeloma, and for offering such a well-considered and executed perspective to the issue at

hand.

It was not only a master class in writing, but a needed reminder of the fact of just how much that we are all human.

Leland Farnsworth
Massena

Massena resident says most can choose kindness

There are many things in life over which we have no control. But choosing to be part of a kind, honest and compassionate world vs. an aggressive, antagonistic, ego-centered world is something most of us do have control over. That decision isn't dependent upon how much money or education we have or even our upbringing.

I know I'm very fortunate to have grown up in a loving home. There was no violence, sarcasm, swearing or anger.

My father was a gentle working-class man who quietly and dutifully served this community and the church. Born on a farm in 1904, he had lived through two World Wars and the Depression before I was even born.

That generation (the "Greatest Generation") believed that a man's good character meant more than any amount of wealth, power or prestige.

It may be an old-fashioned idea but I still believe that's true. How people relate to others reveals a lot about the kind of world they've decided to value.

There are those who volunteer, donate to charities, become social workers, teachers or medical pro-

fessionals because they believe helping others is a sign of goodness. They don't posture as righteous church-goers, but do exemplify compassion and open-minded tolerance modeled upon Biblical scripture. Goodness means generously offering comfort and support to everyone around them.

There are those who see the world through combative eyes. They argue to win, bully others to feel superior and find fault with things in general.

How their actions affect others doesn't concern them. There's no thought to understanding someone else's viewpoint. The world is just an arena in which they fight for dominance in opinion and status. When things don't go their way or they feel criticized, they lash out.

In my memory, our society used to be a kinder, more considerate one. That was before the increase in cut-throat business and politics,

commercialized super-competitive sports and 24/7 profit-driven media consuming our time and dictating our preferences. We're more apt to be ego-focused and detached from personal interactions, community involvement and civic responsibility.

However, we don't have to be victims of these shifts in our culture. We can demonstrate what we value. Do our actions mirror increased aggression, negativity and harmful behavior toward others? Or do we promote kindness and respectful understanding among fellow human beings? It's up to each of us to make that decision about how we relate to others.

Martha Hodges
Massena

Ogdensburg library friends note successful book sale

Thanks to the reading public, the

Friends of the Ogdensburg Public Library had a successful spring book sale.

Thousands of books found new homes.

The sale was busy for the four days it ran.

Thank you to the many people, both Friends members and students from the OFA Honor Society, who volunteered their time to set up, work the sales shifts, and pack up; your time is appreciated.

Look for the next sale in Fall 2025. In the meantime, check out the Friends of the Library bookstore which is located in the lower level of the library.

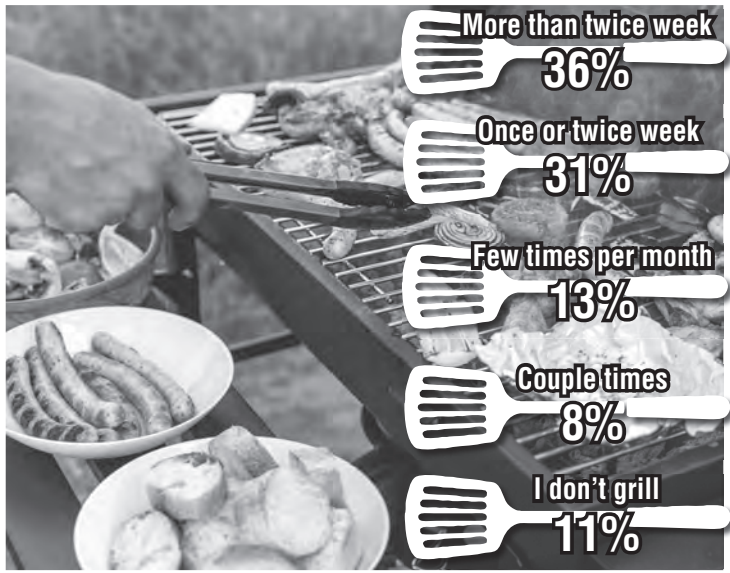
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Kathleen Lawrence
Ogdensburg Friends of the Library
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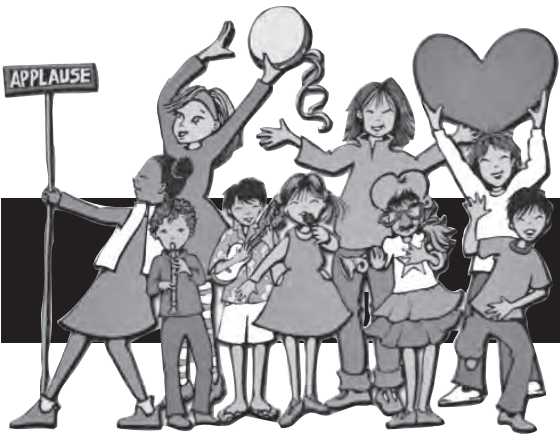
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Rich Road Solar Energy Center St. Lawrence County, New York

NOTICE OF SUBMISSION OF WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION REQUEST

This notice announces that Rich Road Solar Energy Center, LLC (“the Applicant”), a wholly owned subsidiary of EDF Renewables Development, Inc. (“EDF”) filed a Joint Application for a Wetlands Permit, which included a request for a Water Quality Certification (WQC), with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) (collectively the “Joint Application”). The Joint Application will be filed with the New York State Office of Renewable Energy Siting and Transmission (ORES) on or about June 13, 2025. The Joint Application relates to the construction of the proposed 240-megawatt (MW) major solar electric generating facility along with a 20 MW battery energy storage system, to be located in the Town of Canton, St. Lawrence County, New York (“the Project”).

On September 24, 2024, the Applicant was issued a Siting Permit under Article VIII of the Public Service Law from ORES (Matter No. 22-02969). The Joint Application that is the subject of this notice covers the permits/approvals required to construct and/or operate the Project under the Clean Water Act 404 and for WQC from ORES under Clean Water Act 401 and 6 NYCRR Part 608. No public comment period is required for the Joint Application at this time.

The Joint Application includes, among other things: a description of the Project, including details on Project components, Project design, Project construction, and related information; an analysis of the environmental setting of the Project; results from analyses conducted to assess potential impacts to aquatic resources, streams and jurisdictional waters from construction and operation of the Project; proposed measures to minimize environmental impacts; and reasonable alternatives. The pending USACE application also addresses compliance with the Endangered Species Act and the Historic Preservation Act.

The Project’s environmental impacts are more fully described in the record before ORES under Article VIII; as relevant to the request for Water Quality Certification and USACE Application under review, the Joint Application for Permit will include detailed descriptions of impacts to wetlands and waterbodies, both temporary and permanent, as it relates to jurisdictional resources. In general, the project is anticipated to result in less than 0.5 acres of permanent federal wetland impacts and de minimus impacts to federally regulated streams resulting from the installation of permanent culverts for facility access roads. Additional temporary wetland impacts and permanent forest conversion impacts will be described in further detail in the Joint Application for Permit. Any necessary wetland mitigation related to potential Project impacts will be determined by the USACE.

Pursuant to the ORES regulations, this notice is being provided in accordance with 16 NYCRR 1100-1.4(b)(1) and 1.6(c) and will be published at least three (3) days prior to the filing of the Water Quality Certification request with ORES. A copy of the Water Quality Certification request will be served on the Chief Executive Officer of each municipality in which any portion of the Project is located, as well as those persons and agencies enumerated in 16 NYCRR 1100-1.6(a).

This request, when filed with ORES, will be available on the project’s dedicated website (<https://www.richroadsolar.com/>) or on the ORES website at (<https://dps.ny.gov/ores-permit-applications>) under Matter No. 22-02969. Documents may also be viewed at the following public repositories: Canton Town Hall, Municipal Building, 60 Main Street, Canton, NY 13617; Canton Free Library, 8 Park Street, Canton NY 13617. Libraries often have free internet access.

To learn more regarding the Project and/or to receive updates on the Application, visit www.richroadsolar.com or contact us at:

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St. Lawrence Power & Equipment Museum

JUNE 7-13, 2025 | NORTH COUNTRY THIS WEEK | MASSENA-OGDENSBURG, NY

Celebrate Summer at the St. Lawrence Power & Equipment Museum June 14-15

This June, the St. Lawrence Power & Equipment Museum in Madrid invites you to step back in time and celebrate the region's rich agricultural and mechanical heritage during its annual Spring Exhibition weekend. Running Saturday and Sunday, June 14-15, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., this family-friendly event offers two full days of hands-on history, fun competitions, kids' activities, and one delicious barbecue you won't want to miss.

All-Ages Attractions & Live Dem

The museum's entire campus will be open both days, with every building filled with stories, artifacts, and demonstrations. Explore the Blacksmith Shop, visit Fort Tribute for live reenactments, or watch the sawmill and shingle mill in action. Vendors will be set up in the main pavilion, and the Attic Treasures Sale will offer unique finds all weekend long.

A Can't-Miss Chicken BBQ

A highlight of Sunday's events is the Chicken BBQ Dinner, starting at 12 noon and serving until it's gone. Always a crowd favorite, the BBQ draws visitors from across the North Country—so be sure to come early before it sells out!

Women's Skillet Toss – A Fan Favorite!

Back by popular demand, the Women's Skillet Toss takes place Sunday at 11 AM. Open to all women ages 15 and up, this high-spirited competition is judged on the best of two throws using a real 8 lb., 9-inch skillet. It's free to enter, broken into five age groups, and prizes are awarded to the top throwers. Whether you're participating or cheering from the sidelines, this event always brings big laughs and great memories.

Exciting Events for Kids!

There's something for every young visitor. On Saturday, kids can take part in the Kids' Quest scavenger hunt, ride the Cow Train, visit the petting zoo, enjoy face painting, and more.



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At left, an early 1900s-era Texaco gas station, one of dozens of historical buildings. At right, the women's skillet toss is always a fan favorite.

On Sunday, a brand-new event makes its debut: the Mõlkky Yard Game, open to ages 7–16 in the Equine Building. It's a fun and interactive way to introduce kids to this popular Finnish outdoor game.

Tractor Pulls and More

Saturday's action includes the Garden Tractor Pulls and Kids' Pedal Tractor Races, while Sunday features the Antique Tractor Pulls, weather permitting, and Kids' Pedal Tractor Pulls at 1 p.m. And don't miss the Antique Tractor Parade on Saturday at 11 a.m.!

Admission & Dry Camping

Admission is just \$5 per person, and children 12 and under get in free. Only cash is accepted but an ATM will be available on-site.

Want to stay the weekend? Dry camping is available for \$30, which includes admission for the entire weekend. Email slpeminfo@gmail.com or call 518-521-9549 to reserve your spot. For more event details, visit www.slpower-museum.com or follow the St. Lawrence Power & Equipment Museum on Facebook. Don't miss this celebration of local history, hard work, and hands-on fun!

St. Lawrence Power & Equipment Museum



2025 UPCOMING EVENTS

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| June 14 - 15 | Old Time Spring Exhibition & Tractor Show |
| July 26 - 27 | Civil War Reenactment Weekend |
| Aug. 30 - 31 | Old Fashioned Harvest Days & Tractor Show |
| Sept. 20 | SLC CofC Craft, Food and Wine Open Air Market |
| Oct. 4 | Kids Pumpkin Patch Party & US Military Timeline |

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St Lawrence Power and Equipment Museum brings living history to the North Country telling the story of how people of the region once lived and how new technologies helped shape their lives.

The Museum is a volunteer organization. New members are always welcome! An application can be found on our website.

Contact the Museum:
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For more information about the museum, be sure to visit our Facebook page or website.
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OFA Key Club's Talent Show Friday features 12 performers

OGDENSBURG – The Ogdensburg Free Academy Key Club's spring talent show on Friday, June 6 will feature 11 acts featuring 12 student performers.

The show kicks-off at 6 p.m. at the state-of-the-art George Hall Auditorium. Admission is \$5.

"The OFA Key Club Talent Show is Ogdensburg's oldest student-run talent show," said Ogdensburg Kiwanis Advisor Jim Reagen. "We

have some terrific young people ready to show what they can do."

"The Key Club's Talent Show has been an annual tradition for almost three decades," said Key Club Faculty Advisor Ruth-Anne Barkley. "We are proud to bring this opportunity for our community's most talented young people to show what they can do on stage."

Division 1: Kennedy Elementary

School 4th graders Laney Geary and Everett Graveline will dance, Madill Elementary School 4th grader Alexa Bouchard will sing "Journey to the Past," Kennedy School 6th grader Myra Maroney will sing and dance, Kennedy School 6th grader Amy Garo will dance to "What a Time."

Division 2: OFA 8th grader Madeline Hazelton will sing "Hallelujah," OFA 9th grader Olivia Beaulieu will sing "Thank You for the Music," OFA 9th grader Taylor Richer will sing "Coin Operated Boy."

Division 3: OFA 10th grader Carly George will dance "Cry Pretty," OFA 11th grader Logan Moran will play guitar and sing "Macy's Day Parade," OFA 12th grader Taylor Starts will sing "Little Do You Know," OFA 12th grader Karlos Lawrence will sing "A Million Dreams."

All proceeds will go to help the Key Club attend its state leadership training conference in Albany.

For information, email rbarkley@ogdensburgk12.org .



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Smallmouth bass netted at Wilson Hill

Witten Eurtio, Massena, holds his smallmouth bass caught during the Ted Kot Kids Free Fishing Day at Wilson Hill Causeway, hosted by Massena Recreation May 10.

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WHAT'S GOING ON

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

Akwesasne gala
AKWESASNE -- The Akwesasne Cultural Center will host a fundraising Gala at 5 p.m. in the Akwesasne Mohawk Casino ballroom. The event features a dinner, art and fashion auctions, raffles, live painting, and a performance by Bear Fox. Tickets range from \$60-\$100 at AkwesasneCulturalCenterGala.EventBrite.com. Proceeds support the Center's mission to preserve Mohawk heritage and provide cultural programming for future generations. .

Dueling Pianos
MASSENA -- The Massena Police Activities League will host a Dueling Pianos Fundraiser on Friday, June 7 at Cedar View Golf Club, 462 NY-37C. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., show starts at 7 p.m. Featuring The Flying Ivories, this 18+ event supports PAL youth programs. Tickets: \$50 general admission; \$400 for reserved tables of eight. Purchase at massenapal.com or call 315-705-6075. Sponsorships available.

Lawrenceville Rumble
LAWRENCEVILLE -- A demolition derby, the Lawrenceville Rumble, will be held Saturday, June 7, at 12 p.m. at Lawrenceville Fire Department. Gates will open at 8 a.m. for inspections. Rules will be following D.N.A motorsports, semi stock rules. \$30 entry fee per car, \$5 general admission, \$10 pit pass. Kids under 10 enter for free. The Lawrenceville food stand will be available on site. Any questions, contact Bucky LaPage on Facebook or at 518-651-6653.

Madrid Canoe Regatta
MADRID -- St. Lawrence Valley Paddlers for the annual Madrid Canoe Regatta at Madrid Municipal Park on the Grasse River. Awards ceremonies follow each race session. Whether you're racing or spectating, the regatta offers fun for all ages. For more details and registration information, visit <https://www.slvpad-dlers.org/madrid-canoe-regatta>.

Sally's Speakeasy:
OGDENSBURG -- 'Sally's Speakeasy: 1920's Game Night at the Museum' will be held at Frederic Remington Art Museum Saturday, June 7, from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Step back in time and immerse

yourself in the glamour, mystery, and excitement of the Roaring Twenties. Dress in your twenties best and enjoy an evening of games and activities inspired by the 1920's, specialty cocktails, and passed hors d'oeuvresCrack the secret code hidden in the museum to enter the exclusive "speakeasy" lounge. Test your luck in our Stock Market Crash Game Sip on Prohibition-style cocktails at our cash bar. Enjoy passed hors d'oeuvres while mingling with fellow flappers and fellas. Dive into vintage games and themed activities all night long.Dress to impress in your 1920s best--think fringe, feathers, fedoras, and fun. Cost is \$30 per person. For tickets: <https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/flappersandfellas> .

Sterling Silver Earrings
WADDINGTON -- "Sterling Silver Earrings Class" - 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; The Gallery, 14 Main St.; cost: \$70; beginner-friendly class to learn essential metalworking techniques; measure, cut, and add texture to sterling silver wire before shaping it into earrings' choose your own accent bead to create a dangle; bring lunch and a drink' must pre-register at www.lakestlawrencearts.com; email lake-saintlawrencearts@gmail.com or call 315-705-1241 or 315-705-5198.

SUNDAY, JUNE 8
Madrid Canoe Regatta
MADRID -- St. Lawrence Valley Paddlers for the annual Madrid Canoe Regatta at Madrid Municipal Park on the Grasse River. This weekend event features races and a family-friendly spaghetti dinner. Awards ceremonies follow each race session. Whether you're racing or spectating, the regatta offers fun for all ages. For more details and registration information, visit <https://www.slvpad-dlers.org/madrid-canoe-regatta>.

Sons of AMVETS
HEUVELTON -- Sons of AMVETS #1997 Mtg; 1:30 p.m.; AMVETS Post 1997, 107 State Street Heuvelton.

TUESDAY, JUNE 10
CPR / First Aid
MASSENA -- CPR / First Aid Class will be held Tuesday, June 10, from 1-3 p.m. at Nicandri Nature Center, 19 Robinson Bay Rd, Massena. For more information, call the nature center at 315-705-5022. .

Music and Movement
OGDENSBURG - 11 am at 312 Washington Street. A preschool movement and socialization class. Jump your jiggles out and wiggle your waggles away with music, instruments and sensory play. Ages 18 months - 4 years.

Senior Citizens Club
LOUISVILLE -- The Seaway Valley Senior Citizens Club will meet on Tuesday, June 10 at the Louisville Arena at noon. The theme for this meeting is Old School. Members are asked to bring their place settings, a dish to share, a beverage

if needed and donations for the food pantry. Call Anna at 315-323-0813 for more information.

WED., JUNE 11
AMVETS Post 1997
HEUVELTON -- AMVETS Post 1997 Mtg; 6:30 p.m.; AMVETS Post 1997, 107 State Street Heuvelton.

Scams speaker
OGDENSBURG -- Come into the Ogdensburg Public Library on June 11 at 6 p.m. to learn about how to identify and avoid scams and fraud with Deputy Kyle Field

of the St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Department leading the talk.

Money workshop
OGDENSBURG -- The Program Committee of the Ogdensburg Public Library will host the third session of the "Let's Talk About Money" series. Deputy Kyle Field of the St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Department will discuss scams, what they are, how to identify them, how to avoid them. Some scams currently happening will be highlighted. The event will take place on Wednesday, June 11 at 6 p.m.

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CALENDAR . . .

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in the auditorium of the Ogdensburg Public Library, 312 Washington St. All are invited and encouraged to attend.

S.T.E.A.M. Lab Days
OGDENSBURG- begins at 11:30 a.m.; Ogdensburg Public Library, 312 Washington St.; jumping June (Kinetic Energy) ages 7 to 14; complete five experiments to earn your degree in Kinetic Energy; all day event.

THURS., JUNE 12

Bluebird concert

NORWOOD -- Norwood Village Green Concert Series, 7 p.m.; Bluebird; Norwood Village Green Concert Series enjoys major support from the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the NYS Legislature and the Office of Governor Kathy Hochul, The National Endowment for the Arts, The Mid Atlantic Foundation for the Arts, Iber Musicas, the Sweetgrass Foundation, the Badenhausen Legacy Fund, the Town of Potsdam, the Village of Norwood, and many local donors and businesses; concerts are free but a Pass the Bucket donation is requested; for further information, visit nvgs.org

Booze, Badboys book
OGDENSBURG - Ogdensburg author and historian James E. Reagen will be talking about his book “Booze, Badboys & Bootleggers,” describing some of the controversial events across the North Country during the 2nd year of Prohibition on Thursday, June 12 at 7 p.m. at the Ogdensburg History Museum down the hall from the DMV office at 206 Ford Street.

Free rabies clinic
TRI-TOWN -- Thursday, June 12, 6-8 p.m., Tri-Town Arena (315-740-0133); for registration assistance or questions, contact the hosting town or the St. Lawrence County Public Health Department at 315-229-3433.

Storytime
OGDENSBURG - 11 am at 312 Washington Street. Stories, activities and crafts for young children. Socialize, gain early literacy skills and learn to love books during this preschool program. Ages 2-5.

FRIDAY, JUNE 13

Sister Cinnamon

OGDENSBURG -- A Night in The Park, featuring live music by Sister Cinnamon, will be held Friday, June 13, from 6-9 p.m. in the grassy area between the Dobisky Center and the U.S.S. Ogdensburg playground. The free event is hosted by the City of Ogdensburg Reservation Department. Food will be available for purchase. For more information call 315-393-1980 or email hwert@ogdensburg.org.

SAT., JUNE 14

Barn quilts

WADDINGTON -- “3 Farmhouse Wall hangings” 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; at The Waddington-Hepburn Library, 30 Main St.; cost: \$65; Theresa Gabor teaches this trio of 12” x 12” mini barn quilts on 1/2” plywood; choose own colors; all materials provided; bring lunch and a drink; wear clothing for a mess; must pre-register at www.lakestlawrencearts.com; email lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com or call 315-705-1241 or 315-

705-5198.

Author festival
BRASHER FALLS -- Badenhausen Friends of the Library plan to host a local author festival June 14 from noon to 3 p.m. in Crapser Hall, 899 State Hwy 11C in Brasher Falls. The public is invited to join for an afternoon of local authors discussing books, selling and signing books. The Friends of the Library will have raffle baskets and door prizes. Authors can RSVP by emailing lmurphy@ncsls.org. Authors will have a table to setup however they wish with books to sell, posters, etc.

BBQ fundraiser
LOUISVILLE -- Louisville Hometown Days chicken barbecue fundraiser will be Saturday, June 14 at 11 a.m. at 44 Arena Drive. The \$15 meal includes a half pound of chicken, salt potatoes, beans and roll. Pre-orders available at 315-764-7473. All pre-orders picked up by 1 p.m.

Chicken BBQ
LOUISVILLE -- A chicken BBQ will be held as a fundraiser for Hometown Days. The meal will be served Saturday, June 14, from 11 a.m. until sold out at 44 Arena Dr. The meal costs \$15 for a half chicken, salt potatoes, beans and a roll. Pre-orders can be placed at 315764-7473 and must be picked up by 1 p.m.

Chicken BBQ
WADDINGTON -- The Waddington UMC will host its annual chicken barbecue on Saturday, June 14, starting at 11 a.m. Menu: 1/2 chicken, baked beans, macaroni salad, roll, & brownies. Dinner \$15. Takeout or eat in. Info: Joyce Finen, secretary, 315-388-5568.

Wildlife monitoring
MASSENA -- Remote wildlife monitoring with drones will be held Saturday, June 14, from 10:00 -11:00 a.m. at Nicandri Nature Center, 19 Robinson Bay Rd, Massena. For more information call the nature center at 315-705-.

FD turns 100
RENSELAER FALLS -- Rensselaer Falls Fire & Rescue is celebrating 100 years of service with a special two-day event on June 14 and 15. The celebration kicks off Saturday with a parade from 11 a.m. to noon, followed by live bands and food trucks at Pioneer Park from noon to 7 p.m. On Sunday, June 15, enjoy a Chicken BBQ at the fire department starting at noon.

Hive inspection
WINTHROP -- The Local Living Venture will host a honey bee hive inspection field day in Winthrop on June 14 from 1-4 p.m. For location, more info or to register contact LocalLivingVenture@gmail.com or 315-347-4223.

Macrame’ Plant Hanger
WADDINGTON -- “Macrame’ Plant Hanger”- 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at The Gallery at Lake Saint Lawrence Arts, 14 Main St.; cost: \$40; Yvonne Corbett teaches five essential knots to craft a plant hanger; materials provided, including a planter pot; participants receive print-out of knots used here for their own future projects; must pre-register at www.lakestlawrencearts.com; email lakesaintlawrencearts@gmail.com or call 315-705-1241 or 315-705-5198.

Massena ‘No Kings’ rally
MASSENA -- A “No Kings” rally at the

corner of Main and East Orvis Streets from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Organized by North Country Neighbors for Civic Engagement, the event is part of a national protest against rising authoritarianism and political corruption tied to former President Donald Trump and his allies. “No thrones, no crowns, no kings,” say organizers. Participants are encouraged to bring signs. The rally is free and open to the public.

OBITUARIES

Arthur John Quackenbush III, 77
Canton

CANTON -- Arthur John Quackenbush, III, beloved father, husband, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend, passed away on June 1, 2025, in the comfort of his home, with his dog, Ginger, by his side.

Born on April 1, 1948, to Arthur John Quackenbush Jr., and Kathleen (O’Donnell) Quackenbush, Art was the oldest of seven children and everyone’s favorite April Fool.

He spent his childhood in the small town of Bellvale, New York, surrounded by Quackenbush family members, many of whom shared his red hair.

Standing 6 foot 4 by high school, he excelled at shenanigans and sports, but particularly at basketball and baseball. He was a two-year varsity starter in basketball, winning several state section championships and earning a spot on the All Orange County League team for the 1965-1966 season, during which he averaged 17 points per game.

He attended SUNY Cortland, where he played basketball, and Orange County Community College before being drafted to serve in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War.

From 1970-1971, he served as a communications specialist, service for which he received the National Defense Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, Overseas Service Bar, Expert M16 Ribbon, two Army Commendation Medals, and Vietnam Service Medal.

After completing his service, Art returned to school at SUNY Brockport, graduating in 1972.

He moved to Ogdensburg, NY, to work for U.S. Customs on the Canadian border.

It was in Ogdensburg, at Oscar’s Bar, that he met the love of his life, Cynthia Jayne (Brennan) Quackenbush, after someone bet Cindy \$10 that she couldn’t find a date within the hour for a party that night.

Art was her date that evening, Cindy won \$10, and, although he spilled a plate of sloppy joes on his oxford shirt and khakis, the two were never apart again.

They married on June 28, 1975, settled in Ogdensburg, and were soon the proud parents of four children, who were at the center of their world: Jay Arthur, Kathleen Mae (Spiegel), John Henry, and Margaret Marion.

Art went on to teach and coach basketball and baseball at Morris-town Public Schools, leading his teams to three league titles, four Section 10 championships, and two appearances in the New York State Regional Finals. He was named Coach of the Year three times.

He earned a master’s degree in educational administration from St.

S.T.E.A.M. Lab Day
OGDENSBURG -- A S.T.E.A.M. Day with kinetic energy experiments for ages 7 and up will be offered Saturday, June 14, at Ogdensburg Public Library. Complete fun five lab experiments around the library to earn your official degree in kinetic energy. .

Spaghetti dinner
NORTH LAWRENCE -- Maple Grove Ceme-



Arthur Quackenbush III

Lawrence University and moved to Canton in 1987 to work in various administrative and athletic roles at

Canton Central Schools, where he remained for the duration of his career.

For most of those years, until his retirement in 2008, he was principal of J.M. McKenny Middle School. He was also a tireless and dedicated referee, coach, umpire, and sideline official at countless sporting events for Canton teams, around St. Lawrence County, and across the region, including coaching his children’s teams.

He was happiest with a whistle around his neck, surrounded by kids.

Art was a devoted and selfless member of the North Country community for 40 years.

A constant presence and gentle giant at school, he was known for wearing a tie that flapped in the breeze and a high-visibility neon baseball cap while directing bus traffic at dismissal; for rounding up winter coats, clothes, food, quarters for snacks, and other necessities for students in need; and for roaming the cafeteria at lunch to exact a “principal tax” on students (and his own kids) with lunchbox treats.

He once allowed his students to suspend him completely from a wall using only pieces of duct tape to encourage them to read.

Art was known for his use of singular adages known as “Art-isms,” including, “Be careful what you wish for!” and, “So it goes...”

A quietly competitive golfer, he played every possible minute at courses across the North Country and beyond and was a fixture at Oliver D. Appleton Golf Course at St. Lawrence University.

In recent years, he befriended a kindergarten class at St. Catherine’s (formerly St. Mary’s) School and stopped for daily visits at the classroom window during walks with his golden retriever, Ginger.

He was a wonderful, fun-loving, dependable, generous, and easy-going friend to his fellow educators, referees, neighbors, golfers, and former students.

After retirement, Art and Cindy enjoyed many trips to visit friends and family across the country, traveling to cities, national parks, deserts, and beaches up and down the East Coast.

Several years ago, they made an

unforgettable trip with friends to England, Scotland, and Ireland.

Countless times, Art and Cindy drove many hours to Boston and across New York to visit children and grandchildren for births, parties, hockey games, and holidays, and hosted them in Canton for visits filled with ice skating, trips to Morgan’s, horse-drawn carriage rides, rounds of golf, apple picking, sledding, movies, dog walks, trips to local farms, and porch parties.

He was a master smuggler and treat smuggler and loved being a “Papa.” His children and grandchildren brought him happiness and pride.

Art leaves behind his children, their spouses, and his grandchildren: Jay Quackenbush and Sarah Curtin, grandchildren, Evelyn and Thomas; Katie and Matt Spiegel, grandchildren, Billy and Mary; John Henry and Lauren Quackenbush, granddaughter, Mae; Meggie Quackenbush and Rick Ducott, and granddaughter, Molly Ducott. His surviving siblings and extended family include, Catherine Stevens, Elizabeth Fisher, James and Ginny Quackenbush, Christine and Anthony Saccone, Rose Mary Quackenbush and Kirk Horton, Michael and Susan Quackenbush; his sisters- and brothers-in law, Brian and Karen Brennan, Suzie and Bill Ryan, Michael and Jackie Brennan, Tony and Kathy Brennan, Kim and Jim Costello, Duffy and Vicki Brennan; his niece and nephew, Kristy and Steve Cumoletti; and many other nieces and nephews and the children of close family friends for whom he served as a chosen uncle, including Ed Narenkivicius and Megan Hughes. He also leaves behind the remarkable Canton community that loved and embraced Art and Cindy, especially during recent challenging times.

Art was predeceased by his beloved wife, “his Cindy,” in February 2025. He was also predeceased by his infant son, Brian Michael; parents, Arthur and Kathleen Quackenbush; parents-in-law, Henry and Marion Brennan; brother-in-law, Wayne Stevens; sister- and brother-in-law, Linda and Walt Aubertine; and sister- and brother-in-law Craig and Rosie Brennan.

Calling hours and a memorial service will be held from 10am-2pm on Sunday, June 8, at O’Leary Funeral Home in Canton.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider waiting to make a contribution to a scholarship fund in Art’s name that will be established and shared in the coming weeks.

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OBITUARIES

Richard “Dick” John Blais, 84

Massena

MASSENA - Richard “Dick” John Blais, 84, passed away peacefully on May 24, 2025, in Syracuse, NY, surrounded by the love and comfort of his family.

Born on August 11, 1940, in Ogdensburg, NY, Dick was the son of the late John Blais and Lorraine Blais (Sickman).

He graduated from Massena Central High School, where he excelled in athletics and was later inducted into the Massena Central Hall of Fame for wrestling, a reflection of the dedication and values he carried throughout his life and passed on to his family.

Dick worked for the New York Power Authority for 30 plus years as a lineman, a career marked by dedication, resilience, and integrity.

He also gave over 25 years of service to the Massena Volunteer Fire Department, where he proudly served as Fire Chief from 1995 to 1996.

Dick married his first wife, Verna Blais (Richardson), with whom he shared 23 years of marriage and raised six sons.

After Verna’s passing, he found lasting companionship and love with Mary Blais (Tyo).

Dick and Mary were married for 37 years, building a life together filled with laughter, shared adventures, and strong family bonds.

He is survived by his loving wife, Mary; his sister, Carol Glicer; his sons Gregory (Nancy) Blais, Christopher (Cynthia) Blais, Jeffrey (Kimberly) Blais, Timothy (Laurie) Blais, Paul (Alisha) Blais; daughter-in-law Erin Blais; stepchildren

Debbie (John) Snell and Jeffrey Silmser; 18 grandchildren; and 5 great-grandchildren.



Richard Blais

He was predeceased by his son, Scott Blais; his parents, John and Lorraine Blais; and siblings Gerald Blais, Marlene Dunn, Lillian McGarth, Robert Blais, and Peter Blais.

Dick spent most of his life in Massena, NY, before moving to North Carolina for 10 years.

He returned to the Central New York region earlier this year.

A man of simple joys, Dick cherished time with his large family, traveling, playing solitaire, and cheering for his favorite teams-the Montreal Canadiens and the New York Giants.

Per Dick’s wishes, funeral arrangements will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to the Massena Volunteer Fire Department, honoring his years of service and dedication to the community he loved.

He will be remembered with deep love and gratitude as a devoted husband, father, grandfather, friend, and community servant whose legacy will live on in all who knew him.

Guestbook at www.FalardeauFH.com.

Brett Patrick Bradley (Tehahkaro:rens) Wolf Clan, 59

Fort Covington

FORT COVINGTON - The family of Brett Patrick Bradley (Tehahkaro:rens) Wolf Clan, age 59, sadly announce that he passed into the Sky World on Friday, May 30, 2025, surrounded by his loving family.

Brett was born February 6, 1966, the son of the late Philip (Pat) Bradley and Dulcie White Bradley.

He grew up in Akwesasne, NY, playing lacrosse, hockey, and swimming in the St Lawrence River.

Brett attended the St. Regis Mohawk School and was a 1985 graduate of Salmon River Central School, where he excelled in lacrosse. His love of the game took him to Hudson Valley Community College and Rochester Institute of Technology. He was a top scorer for the Akwesasne Jr B Team and the Valleyfield Dynamite.

The highlight of his career in lacrosse was playing for the Iroquois Nationals, taking part in the World Games in Australia.

While traveling with the Iroquois Nationals, he applied and was accepted as an extra in the movie The Last of the Mohicans. Those six weeks spent in Asheville, NC were great memories and fun times to share with friends.

Brett was a retired Iron Worker from Local 440, Utica. He was proud of the bridges, buildings, and wind towers he helped to erect.

Brett loved to tell stories of his times working away and the people he met in NYC, NJ, MA, TN, OH, MI, and DE.

Most of all, Brett enjoyed spending time with his family, working on his hobby farm, cooking, and gardening. He was a diehard Buffalo Bills fan and NY Rangers fan.

Brett is survived by his high school sweetheart and wife of 34 years, Meg McElwain-Bradley; his

children Errolynn (Noah) Bero and Beaux Bradley, all of Bombay, and grandchildren Winter and Wade.



Brett Bradley

His sisters, Adeline (John) Herne; Bonnie Bradley, and Bethe Bradley Lazore (Ernie Thompson); along with a brother, Barry (Jennifer) Bradley, goddaughter Branka Bradley, and many nieces, great nieces, nephews and great nephews, all of Akwesasne.

The family takes great comfort knowing Brett is reunited with his mother, father, and brothers, Jr. Pat and Brandy.

There surely is a wild party taking place with his best friend, Danny Jo Adams and his college roommates Phil and Woj.

Brett always wanted to be a pilot, flying high in the clouds, watching over us all.

Donations may be made in Brett’s name to the Hope Lodge, Burlington, VT, where Brett and family spent many days and nights surrounded by their love and support.

The family wishes to extend heartfelt thanks and gratitude to Dr. Jessica Cintolo-Gonzales and Dr. Hibba Rehmen, Michele Bosley, along with the oncology clinic nurses and Miller 5 Nurses at UVM.

A celebration of his life will begin at 3:00 PM on Friday, June 6, 2025, at the American Legion Post 1479, Hogsburg.

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

David P. DeCilles, 68

Massena

companies before going to work at Reynolds Metals where he was an equipment operator until his



David DeCilles

retirement after over 20 years of service.

He studied The Course in Miracles and enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He enjoyed watching sports and followed the Yankees, Giants, and Rangers faithfully.

David is survived by his children, Ryan and Rebecca DeCilles, both of Massena; his granddaughter, Lily R. Green; his sisters, Mary Myers and

Kathy Skelly (Andrew); his brothers, Peter DeCilles (Debbie), Brian DeCilles (Tammy), Tom DeCilles (Jean), and Kevin DeCilles (Grace), and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Along with his parents, he was predeceased by a brother, Anthony DeCilles.

A memorial service and celebration of his life will be held Sunday, June 8th beginning at 1:00 PM at Chase’s Riverside Dining at the River Course at Louisville Landing.

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

Frank T. Kearing, 97

formerly of Parishville

Longmeadow and James of Westfield.

He also leaves his grandchildren,



Frank Kearing

Anne Marie (Chris) Belinda, Madelaine (Cody) Kielyka, David (Hannah) Kearing, Allison Kearing, Stephanie Kearing, Jacob Kearing, Adam Kearing and great grandsons, Theodore and Caleb Belinda.

An avid reader, he loved nothing more than to share his knowledge and opinions with them and with his wife, with whom he enjoyed many years of travel.

Frank, with his family, was a resident of Saint Lawrence County, NY for 56 years until 2024 when he and

Beverly moved to the Massachusetts area to be near their children.

His legacy tire store in Potsdam is still managed by his family today.

Frank was a Korean War Era veteran of the Air Force Reserve, a past member of the Knights of Columbus, a small business instructor at the State University of NY at Canton, an unwavering Yankees fan and very proud of his Ukrainian heritage.

His maternal grandfather was instrumental in the establishment of the first Ukrainian Catholic Church in Syracuse, NY.

His funeral mass will be celebrated on Thursday, July 3rd at 10:00 am at St. Mary’s Catholic Church in Longmeadow.

There will be a Memorial Mass in Colton, New York at St. Patrick’s Church on Friday, August 29th at 11:00 am, followed by his interment at St. Patrick’s Cemetery.

Anna B. Delorimiere, 82

Akwesasne

in 2008. She was a member of the Akwesasne Death Benefits Group. Anna enjoyed bowling, lacrosse and



Anna Delorimiere

played both hockey and softball. As well she was a member of the Akwesasne Soaring Eagles ladies volleyball team. She also liked tending to her garden, sewing and radio bingo.

She is survived by her husband Robert, two sons, Thomas Roy Delorimiere (Allison) of Lewiston, NY; and Robert Delorimiere, Jr. of Hollywood, FL; two grandchildren, Julia and Thomas, Jr.;

her siblings, Ruth Hill and Fran Hill, both of Brantford, ON; June Jenkins of Hamilton, ON; Georgie Lickers, Audrey Williams, and Clyde Hill, all of Ohsweken; and many nieces and nephews.

Anna was predeceased by her parents, Roy and Beulah, and her brothers, Lloyd and Ralph Hill, and sisters, Patricia Commandant and Dorothy Skye.

Arrangements are under the care and guidance of the Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena, where friends may call on Wednesday from 4-7 PM with funeral services on Thursday at 2PM, burial will follow at Kateri Cemetery.

Friends and family are encouraged to share memories and condolences online at www.donaldsonfh.com.

RECENT DEATHS

JOHN AGATI, 103, Massena, Feb. 4. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

RETHA ABRANTES, 98, Gouverneur, May 20. Arrangements with Frary Funeral Home, Gouverneur.

FRANK KEARING, 97, formerly of Parishville, May 23.

DOUGLAS THORBAHN, 82, Canton, May 24. Arrangements with O’Leary Funeral Service, Canton.

RICHARD BLAIS, 84, Massena, May 24. Arrangements with Falardeau Funeral Home.

LAWRENCE SEEGER, 82, Langdon Corners, May 26. Arrangements with Lawrence

Funeral Home, Canton.

PATRICIA HALL, May 26. Canton. Arrangements with O’Leary Funeral Service, Canton.

CATHERINE ASHLEY, 73, Wilson Hill, May 28. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

DAVID DECILLES, 68, Massena, May 29. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

LAUREN GLIDDEN, 82, Massena, May 29. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

BARBARA COLBERT, 78, Norwood, May 30. Arrangements

with Buck Funeral Home, Norwood.

ROBERT SMITH, 87, Massena, May 30. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

BRETT BRADLEY, 59, Fort Covington, May 30. Arrangements with Donaldson Funeral Home, Massena.

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Raiders claim Section X Class A championship

Massena Central School varsity boys baseball beat Malone 7-0 for the Section X Class A title to move on to the state playoffs.

Season opener at Mohawk International Raceway with Frenchie’s Memorial Cup

HOGANSBURG – The 2025 racing season roared to life at Mohawk International Raceway as clear skies finally prevailed and fans were treated to a thrilling evening of dirt track action for the annual Frenchie’s Memorial Cup.

With a full card of racing across multiple divisions, drivers wasted no time shaking off the offseason rust and setting the tone for what promises to be an exciting year.

The Limited Sportsman division kicked off the night’s racing action. Clintonville’s Keith Pelkey and Chazy’s Kobe Hernandez each claimed heat wins, setting up a front-row duel in the feature event.

The two traded the lead through the early laps until a caution for Justin Lazore, who went off-track in turn two, bunched the field. On the restart, it was Hernandez who surged ahead and held strong to earn his first career feature win, with Pelkey settling for second and Bryan Tarbell rounding out the top three.

Heat race victories in the Mini-Stock division went to Brett Manor of Ellenburg Center and defending champion CJ Lavair from Gabriels. In the feature, Manor and Lavair led the field to green, but the spotlight quickly turned to Emily Massy, who closed in on Lavair’s rear bumper throughout the race.

Behind them, Todd Fleury powered through the pack, making a daring three-wide pass to move into podium position. In the end, CJ Lavair picked up where he left off in 2024, grabbing the feature win ahead of Massy and Fleury.

A stacked 24-car field turned out for the DIRTcar 358 Modifieds and the running of the Frenchie’s Memorial Cup twin 20s. Heat races went to Corey Wheeler (Cornwall), Jordan McCreddie (Watertown), and Jarrett Herbison (Brockville).

In the night’s first 20-lap feature, Wheeler led early until Herbison made his move to the front. Once out front, the young driver never looked back, earning his first career 358 Modified feature win—an emotional moment that came nearly 25 years to the day of his father Chris Herbison’s first victory at MIR (then Frogtown).

The second 20-lap feature was postponed due to rain and will now be run on Friday, June 6.

A strong field of 25 cars took the track in the DIRTcar Sportsman division. Heat wins went to defending champion Tristan Ladoucer (Alexandria), Brennan Moore (Elgin), and hometown driver Kristian Smoke (Hogansburg).

The feature began with Joshua Jock and Cory Castell on the front row, both showing early speed. How-

ever, caution flags midway through the race allowed veterans like Shane Pecore and Nick Heywood to close in. With just seven laps remaining, Pecore made his move, storming to the front and securing the opening night victory. Heywood, who started deep in the field, charged to second, followed by Moore in third.

The night wrapped up with the DIRTcar Pro-Stock feature, following heat wins by Burton Ward (Massena), Eric Jean-Louis (Casselton), and Roch Aubin (Cornwall).

Jean-Louis and Ward brought the field to green, and from the outset, the race was a wheel-to-wheel battle. As the laps wore on, Marc Lalonde and Zack Daniels worked their way into the mix, both eventually overtaking Ward. But no one had anything for Jean-Louis, who held off the charge and captured his first career Pro-Stock feature win, with Lalonde second and Daniels third.

On Friday, June 6, the track hosts Johnston Building Materials and Smith Lumber Night, featuring a full card of racing, the rescheduled second 358 Modified 20-lap feature, and a special appearance by the Eastern Ontario Vintage Stock Car Club. Racing begins at 6:30 p.m.

For more info, follow Mohawk International Raceway on social media or visit mohawkraceway.com.

Summer youth sports camps signups underway

OGDENSBURG — The Ogdensburg Recreation Department has announced its 2025 lineup of summer youth sports camps, which are open to children of all ages and cost \$30 per camp.

Camps will run throughout July and August, covering a variety of sports, including track and field, baseball, cheerleading, tumbling, wrestling, and more.

Here are few more camps to be held:

Basketball

The Basketball Camp, run by OFA Girls Basketball Coach Shannon LaFave, will take place from July 11 to July 25. The camp is open to boys and girls in grades K-6, with grades K-2 meeting from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. and grades 3-6 meeting from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The camp will cover skills development, passing, dribbling, shooting, and intramural games. The camp will be held at the outdoor courts in Morissette Park, and the registration deadline is July 1.

Soccer

Matthew Hollett will run the Soccer Camp from July 14 to July 18 for children in grades K-6. The camp, held at Father Martin Field, will offer small group instruction to enhance soccer skills. The camp for grades K-2 will meet from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., while grades 3-6 will meet from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Registration for this camp also closes on June 30.

Tumbling

Tumbling Camp, conducted by Jackie Pinkerton, will take place from July 21 to July 25 for children ages 4-12. Children ages 4-6 will meet from 1 p.m. to 2:15 p.m., and ages 7-12 will meet from 2:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. The camp will cover balance beam, springboard, and floor exercises at Lockwood Arena. The registration deadline is July 7.

Wrestling

The Wrestling Camp, directed by Coach Ricky Ledwith, will be held from July 7 to July 10 at Lockwood Civic Center. The camp is open to ages 5-18 and will run from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. No experience or equipment is required. Sign-ups will begin at 5:30 p.m. on July 7, with all profits benefiting the OFA Wrestling Program.

Football

A Peeewe Football Camp will be held from August 4 to August 8 at

Father Martin Field. The camp is for children ages 4-11, with kids ages 4-7 meeting from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m., and ages 8-11 meeting from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m. The camp costs \$20 and requires no equipment, although cleats are optional.

Pickleball

The Pickleball Camp, led by Amy Lemke, will run from July 7 to July 11 for children ages 6-12. The camp, which will focus on the basics of pickleball, will be held at the Greenbelt Pickleball Courts from 9 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Paddles are required (available for loan through the city), and registration is due by June 30.

Hockey

A Hockey Camp will be held from August 11 to August 15 for children ages 7-12. The camp, held at Lockwood Arena, will cover ball hockey, office training, and skill games. Coaches Harrison Wert, Tegan Frederick, and Nate Irvine will lead the camp from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Participants are required to bring a hockey stick and gloves. Registration closes on August 4.

Softball

Softball Camp, offered by the Ogdensburg Recreation Department, will be held from August 4 to August 8 for boys and girls in grades 1-6. Grades 1-4 will meet from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., and grades 5-6 will meet from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The camp will focus on hitting, fielding, and pitching at Montroy Park. The registration deadline is July 11.

Lacrosse

The Lacrosse Camp, directed by Drew Castello (SUNY Potsdam) and Dylon Irvine (SUNY Plattsburgh), will be held from July 7 to July 11 for boys and girls ages 6-12. The camp, held at Father Martin Field from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., will cover passing, catching, defense, and goal tending. Registration closes on June 30.

Volleyball

The Volleyball Camp, run by Elizabeth Testani, will take place from August 4 to August 8 for boys and girls in grades 3-6. The camp, which will teach the fundamentals of passing, serving, and setting, will be held at the Caroline Street Courts from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. The registration deadline is July 18.



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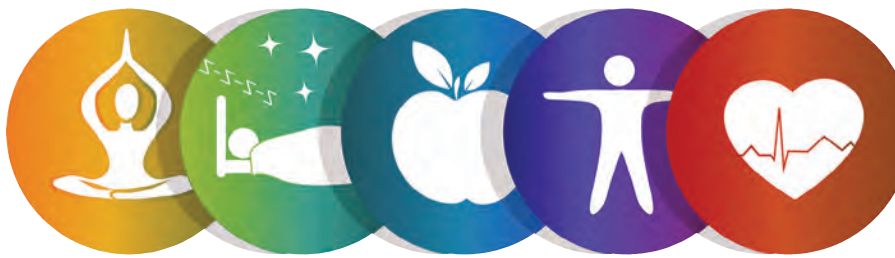
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Man credits learning to parachute jump for saving his life

CANTON – The arrival of spring means we’re all spending more time outside and in some instances that involves climbing on ladders, using dangerous tools or even possibly using dangerous tools while climbing on ladders.

It was while trimming a tree when Craig Ballard, of Madrid took a fall that could have cost him his life. He said a limb from the tree he was cutting fell and inadvertently kicked the ladder out from under him.

“I went down while holding the chainsaw,” he said. “I was fortunate enough that I had my wits about me and enough to do what I needed to do to still be here.”

He attributes knowing what to do in that situation to something he learned while sport parachute jumping.

“I was able to position my body

and fall in a way that helped minimize the damage,” he said. “I really think that helped save my life.”

Even though he was able to ditch the chainsaw, Mr. Ballard did not escape uninjured. He broke both of his legs, as well as his left arm. The accident led to a lengthy hospital stay prior to another long stay at United Helpers Rehabilitation and Senior Care, where he was admitted into the rehabilitation unit.

“They certainly know what they’re doing,” he said referring to the therapy staff at United Helpers in Canton. “They were able to take a pretty big problem and make it a little more manageable.”

Mr. Ballard, who spent almost 45 years as a member of the Madrid Volunteer Rescue Squad, and another 13 years as a volunteer firefighter in Madrid, said he is not used to being the one on the

receiving end of assistance.

“I’m thankful for everyone who helped me out along the way. The first responders who came to the scene, the nurses and the doctors at the hospital, and the nurses and therapy staff here who have helped me get as close to where I would like to be as they could,” he said.

Mr. Ballard’s stay at United Helpers was 100 days, the most his insurance would cover. “While I do wish, I could have stayed a bit longer, I am certainly in a better spot now than I was when I got here.”

When Mr. Ballard arrived in Canton, he wasn’t going anywhere unless it was in his wheelchair. By the time he was discharged this past winter, Mr. Ballard was using a walker.

To learn more, visit www.unitedhelpers.org or call (315) 386-4541.

Warning signs for cataracts

Cataracts are a common and treatable vision problem. Access to cataract treatment is limited in various countries.

In fact, a 2021 study published in the journal Lancet Global Health found that 94 million people ages 50 and over have vision impairment or blindness that could be corrected through access to cataract surgery.

Surgery might not even be considered if people are not first aware of the symptoms of cataracts, which can manifest in various ways.

- Blurry vision: The American Academy of Ophthalmology notes that blurriness may be associated with an assortment of vision problems, including cataracts. Blurry vision makes it difficult to see clearly or sharply, and cataracts are characterized by cloudiness that affects the natural lens of the eye. The blurriness associated with cataracts is the result of a breakdown of proteins in the lens of the affected eye.
- Seeing double: Double vision

also is symptomatic of various vision issues, including cataracts. The AAO notes that when a person is seeing double, he or she may be seeing two, often overlapping, images of a single object.

- Sensitivity to light: The AAO notes a need to shield eyes from light to prevent eye pain could indicate a sensitivity to light that is characteristic of cataracts. This sensitivity may be especially noticeable when confronted by headlights at night.
- Difficulty seeing at night: The AAO reports that this symptom is often characterized by difficulty seeing in dark conditions that can make it harder to adjust to seeing when going from a well-lit space into darkness. That adjustment also may take longer in people experiencing cataracts. Some people may not be able to see at all in dimly lit conditions.
- Seeing faded colors: Bright colors that appear faded or yellow is another symptom of cataracts.



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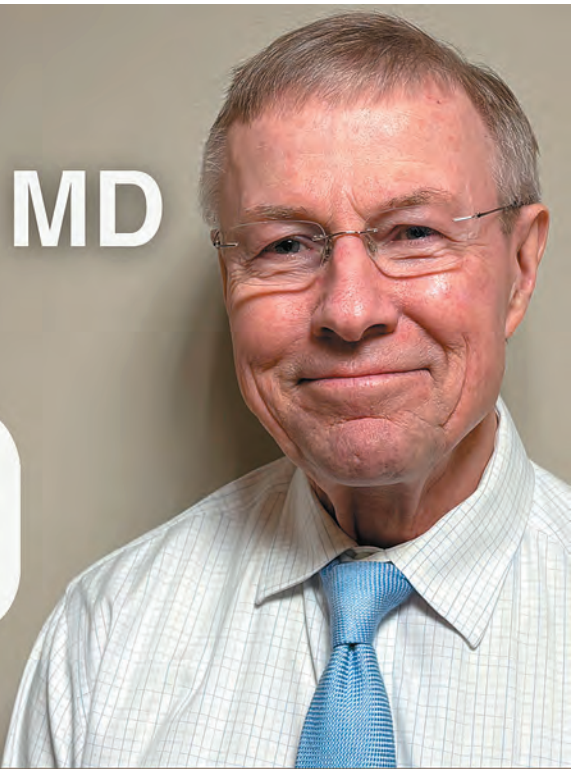


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How to make your mental health matter

Mental health is now discussed more openly than it once was. Mental illness or issues that affected mental health used to be stigmatized, and many people suffered in silence and might not have gotten the help they needed.

The National Institute of Mental Health reports more than one in five adults in the United States lives with a mental illness. Mental illnesses include many different conditions that may vary in degree of severity, from very mild to severe.

The NIMH notes self-care plays a significant role in maintaining mental health and supporting recovery. People can safeguard their mental health in many ways.

- Spend time in nature. Nature can have a calming effect on people. Going for a walk can help tame stress and break patterns of negative thinking. In Japan, the concept of forest bathing is said to improve mental health. Forest bathing involves spending time in a forest or another green area experiencing the different sounds, sights and smells that nature offers.
- Set boundaries. B2B Reviews says 12 percent of U.S. workers were fully remote in August 2023. Estimates suggest that number may have increased to around 14 percent by 2025. Working from home can make it more challenging to set firm divisions on time spent working and for home life.

Establishing boundaries means not being available 24/7 for calls or emails and not feeling guilty about taking time away from work.

- Get regular exercise. Just 30 minutes of exercise each day can get feel-good endorphins flowing through the body to boost mood and bodily health.
- Get more sleep. Adults generally need between seven and nine hours of sleep for optimal health and reaching deep sleep phases, says the Mental Health Foundation. Creating consistent sleep routines can help improve sleep.
- Try relaxing activities. Relaxing activities can include reading, listening to music, meditation, or low-stress crafts and hobbies..
- Socialize with others. Socialization provides opportunities to see others and talk about anything you want to get off your chest. People feeling stress or anxiety might think they are alone. But having conversations with others can illustrate that these are common problems and there are solutions. Sometimes just talking about an issue can help you overcome it.
- Use your vacation time. Too many people are not using enough of their deserved and accrued time off. A survey from the financial services company Sorbet found that 62 percent of Americans don't use all of their paid time off. Failure to take time off is a recipe for burnout.

Meeting your dairy needs

Drinking milk is a common way to meet daily dairy needs for a healthy diet. Milk provides 13 essential nutrients, including vitamin D and calcium, which help build strong bones and reduce the risk of osteoporosis. It also contains vitamins A and B, potassium, and protein, which support overall health, including strong teeth and a healthy immune system.

According to the USDA, dairy intake recommendations vary based on age, gender, and other factors.

Generally, children need 1 to 2.5 cups of dairy per day, while adults benefit from about 3 cups. One cup equals 8 ounces. Health experts recommend choosing nonfat or low-fat options to reduce saturated fat, which can raise cholesterol and increase heart disease risk.

If drinking milk isn't appealing, it can be added to smoothies or recipes. Cheese and yogurt also count—8 ounces of yogurt or 1.5 ounces of hard cheese equals one cup of milk. Lactose-free options are available.

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Browsing flowers at Heuvelton

Sophia Amell browses flowers at Flackville Gardens & Gifts located at 5843 County Route 10, Heuvelton.



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Undersheriff speaks with seniors

Undersheriff Shawn McCargar recently spoke to the members of the Seaway Valley Senior Citizens Club at their May Spring themed meeting about scams. Pictured with McCargar is Club President Anna Campbell.

Massena Musician competes in ‘America’s Next Top Hitmaker’

MASSENA — Local singer-songwriter Shawn Stoddard is seeking votes as a contestant in America’s Next Top Hitmaker, a competition spotlighting emerging musical talent across the country.

Fans can vote once per day at tophitmaker.org/2025/shawn-stoddard to help Stoddard advance in the contest.

The winner will receive a \$50,000 cash prize, a feature in Rolling Stone magazine, and the opportunity to perform live at the Global Citizen Festival. The first

elimination round is scheduled for Thursday, June 5 at 7 p.m.

Stoddard, founder of BackWater Entertainment, is known for his engaging acoustic performances, original songs, and community events such as BackWater Block Parties and Open Mic Nights. His reputation as “The North Country’s Biggest Little Band” continues to grow with every performance.

Supporters are encouraged to vote daily to help bring this North Country talent to the national spotlight.

‘Sally Speakeasy: 1920’s Game Night’ to be held

OGDENSBURG — ‘Sally’s Speakeasy: 1920’s Game Night at the Museum’ will be held at Frederic Remington Art Museum Saturday, June 7, from 6:00-9:00 p.m.

Step back in time and immerse yourself in the glamour, mystery, and excitement of the Roaring Twenties.

Dress in your twenties best and enjoy an evening of games and activities inspired by the 1920’s, specialty cocktails, and passed hors d’oeuvres.

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Reagen speaking June 12 on Booze, Badboys & Bootleggers

OGDENSBURG - The arrest and indictment of a New York State trooper and the regional director of U.S. Customs, Henry Holland of Ogdensburg, in the shooting death of a Watertown smuggler was applauded by bootleggers and condemned by supporters of Prohibition across the North Country in 1921.

The controversial shooting and other incidents will be the topic of a talk on Thursday, June 12 at 7 p.m. at the Ogdensburg History Museum down the hall from the DMV office at 206 Ford Street.

Ogdensburg author and historian James E. Reagen will be talking about his book “Booze, Badboys & Bootleggers,” describing some of

the controversial events across the North Country during the 2nd year of Prohibition.

His talk will feature: How Massena residents voted to defund the police; how Malone’s attorneys asked New York State to pull the State Police Troop B out of the North Country; how an Ogdensburg cabbie was shot three times and was forced to fight for his life on a lonely side road in Lisbon and how the Brenno gang beat up the Ogdensburg police

Madrid Canoe Regatta slated

MADRID – The St. Lawrence Valley Paddlers invite you to the Madrid Canoe Regatta on Saturday, June 7, and Sunday, June 8, at Madrid Municipal Park, located along the scenic Grasse River.

This two-day event features a variety of races for all levels, including recreational, amateur, and professional (pro) categories.

On Saturday, racing begins at 11 a.m. with the Madrid Mile C-1 Pro Sprint Race, followed at 11:30 a.m. by the C-1 Pro Race and the Amateur Marathon. At 11:45 a.m., the Recreation Race will take place, with an awards ceremony following the morning races. A spaghetti dinner will be served at 2:45 p.m.

On Sunday, events start at 10 a.m. with the C-2 Pro Race and the Amateur Marathon. The Recreation Race begins at 10:30 a.m., followed by another awards ceremony.

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LEGAL NOTICE
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Please *visit thebcgroup.com/bidding* for the project information and select the project and complete the Bid Set Request Form to order a printed or digital copy or both, of the bidding documents. Printed copies of the documents for each prospective bidder may be obtained from the office of BCA Architects & Engineers upon payment of \$100.00 for printed sets. A payment of \$100.00 will be required for each printed additional set requested (if available). Bidders wishing documents mailed to them shall include, in addition to the document deposit, a non-refundable check of \$15.00 per set for handling and postage or a UPS/FedEx account number.

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

No Contractor will be allowed to visit the site without an appointment made through the Owner. Should a Contractor wish to access the site, they may contact Mr. Brian Mitchell, Director of Support Services by telephone at (315) 569-9008 or email at bmitchell@ogdensburgk12.org.

Bids shall be prepared as set forth in the Information to Bidders, enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing on its face the name, address and phone number of the bidder and the title of the project.

Each bidder agrees to waive any claim it has or may have against the Owner, the Architect/Engineer, and the respective employees, arising out of or in connection with the administration, evaluation or recommendation of any bid.

The Owner further reserves its right to disqualify bidders for any material failure to comply with the Information for Bidders and General Conditions.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities or defects in such bid either before or after opening.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the "INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS". Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and to the minimum wage rates to be paid under the Contract. No bidder may withdraw his bid within 45 business days after the date of the opening of bids.

ATTENTION OUT-OF-STATE BIDDERS

Please pay particular attention to the Form of Proposal and its related forms in the project manual. Out-of-State Bidders are required to complete the “Statement Concerning Authority to do Business in the State of New York for non-New York State Companies” located in the Form of Proposal package. There are three sections that must be completed. You must also have the Non-Collusion Certificate completed and signed and if you are a corporation, you must have the Resolution completed and signed.

No bid will be considered when opened unless accompanied by a certified copy of your Authority to do Business in New York State. This is not to be confused with a sales tax certificate. The Authority can be obtained by contacting:
New York State Department of State
Division of Corporations
162 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12231
(518) 473-2492

If the Certificate does not accompany the bid, the bid is not valid.

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

**BRASHER
NOTICE OF MEETING
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the Brasher Planning Board will hold a regular meeting at the Municipal Building in Brasher Falls, NY on Wednesday June 18, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. This meeting is open to the public and all are welcome to attend. DATED: June 3, 2025, Julia Rose, Chairperson
Brasher Town Planning Board

Notice is hereby given that the annual inspection for the 2025 calendar year of the main school building and bus garage of Parishville-Hopkinton Central School District for fire hazards which might endanger the lives of students, teachers, employees therein, has been completed and the report thereof is available at the Office of the Superintendent, 12 County Route 47, Parishville, New York from 7:45 A.M. until 2:30 P.M. daily for inspection by all interested persons.

Dated: May 30, 2025
Steven G. Coffin
Superintendent of Schools

Notice is hereby given to all potential creditors who may have an interest in the Estate of Richard H Phillips. All creditors must represent their interests to the SRMT Court by June 13, 2025. Any Creditors shall contact the SRMT Court at 518-358-6300.

**ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
LEGAL NOTICE**
NOTICE OF BOND RESOLUTION
The resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, was adopted on June 2, 2025. The validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Hermon-DeKalb Central School District is not authorized to expend money or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the constitution.
Donna J. Anson, District Clerk
SUMMARY OF BOND RESOLUTION
A Bond Resolution adopted by the Board of Education of the Hermon-DeKalb Central School District on June 2, 2025 authorizes the issuance of bonds and other obligations to purchase and finance two (2) student transportation vehicles, including furnishings, equipment, machinery and apparatus as may be required for the purposes for which the vehicles are to be used and to expend therefor an amount, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to financing thereof, not to exceed the estimated maximum cost of \$340,000. The plan of financing includes the issuance of serial bonds in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$340,000 and the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the District to pay the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall become due and payable, subject to applicable amounts of state assistance available or to any revenues available for such purpose from any other source. The bonds may be issued such that annual installments of principal and interest are substantially level, as provided by law. Under the Local Finance Law, the student transport vehicles have a period of probable usefulness of five (5) years. Such resolution shall be kept available for public inspection in the District Offices during regular business hours for twenty days following this publication.

**POTSDAM
LEGAL NOTICE**
The Village of Potsdam Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Thursday, June 12, 2025, at 7:00 pm at the Civic Center Board Room, 2 Park Street, Potsdam, NY 13676. The public hearing is to hear public comment on a Special Use Application that was submitted to the Planning Board regarding 8 Circle Drive where special use is being sought for a home occupation in an R-1 zoning district. Written comments may be submitted prior to the hearing to the attention of the Village of Potsdam Code Enforcement Officer, PO Box 5168, Potsdam, NY 13676, via email to ghompson@vi.potsdam.ny.us or at the hearing and will be read into the official record. A copy of the submitted special use application can be reviewed at the Village of Potsdam Code Enforcement Office, Civic Center, 2 Park Street, Potsdam, NY.

**OGDENSBURG
LEGAL NOTICE**
LEGAL NOTICE OF ESTOPPEL
The bond ordinance, a summary of which is published herewith, has been adopted on May 27, 2025, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such ordinance may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the City of Ogdensburg, St. Lawrence County, New York, is not authorized to expend money, or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

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

Dated: Ogdensburg, New York
May 27, 2025.

Cathy Jock
City Clerk

BOND ORDINANCE DATED MAY 27, 2025.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING SEWER IMPROVEMENTS ON EAST DAVID STREET, IN AND FOR THE CITY OF OGDENSBURG, ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY, NEW YORK, AT A MAXIMUM ESTIMATED COST OF \$2,604,000, AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$2,604,000 SERIAL BONDS OF SAID CITY, TO PAY THE COST THEREOF.

Class of objects or purposes: Sewer improvements on East David Street

Period of probable usefulness: Forty years

Maximum Estimated Cost: \$2,604,000

Amount of obligations to be issued: \$2,604,000 bonds to be reduced by any grants-in-aid received

SEQRA Status: Type I Action, Negative Declaration.

SEQRA compliance materials on file in office of the City Clerk where they may be inspected during regular office hours

This bond ordinance supersedes that of August 7, 2023 for said class of objects or purposes.

**ST. LAWRENCE
COUNTY
NOTICE OF
FORMATION OF A
LIMITED LIABILITY
COMPANY**
Notice of Formation of 30-18 George Street, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 04/28/2025. Office location: Saint Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: the Company, P.O. Box 3205, Syracuse, NY 13220. Purpose: any lawful activities.

**ST. LAWRENCE
COUNTY
NOTICE OF
FORMATION OF A
LIMITED LIABILITY
COMPANY**
Notice of Formation of Russell Turnpike Land Office LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/29/2025. 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: Laurie Morse, PO Box 321, Glencoe, IL 60022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

**ST. LAWRENCE
COUNTY
NOTICE OF
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GOLDEN GLOW TAVERN LLC. Filed with SSNY on 05/05/2025. Office: St. Lawrence County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 1095 COUNTY RT 23, EDWARDS, NY 13635. Purpose: Any Lawful

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PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC
HEARING**

July 18, 2025
2:00 PM
Ogdensburg Housing
Authority
1101 Jay Street
Ogdensburg NY 13669

The purpose of the hearing is to obtain input from City residents in reference to the Capital Fund Program Five-Year Action Plan to be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The Plan covers Capital Projects planned for 2025-2029. A copy of the Five-Year Action Plan will be available for review from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Monday through Friday at the address above. Residents can also submit written comments prior to the public hearing. Any questions can be directed to Carol Basford, Executive Director by calling 315-393-3710 x7.



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3. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: How many months have 31 days?

4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the first president to appear on television?

5. MATH: What is the Roman numeral MMXXV in Arabic numbers?

6. MOVIES: What is the name of the spaceship in the movie “Alien”?

7. LITERATURE: “Nicholas Nickleby” is a novel written by which author?

8. AD SLOGANS: Which airline uses the slogan “Fly the Friendly Skies”?

9. ACRONYMS: What phrase does the real estate acronym DTI stand for?

10. FOOD & DRINK: What are the seeds of a pomegranate called?

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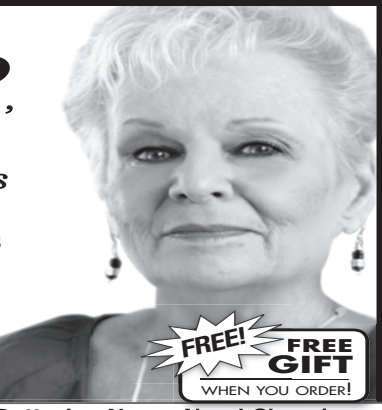
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PREFERRED:

Preferred qualifications also include experience with higher education and/or New York and SUNY budgetary processes and operational and accountability measures; a history of implementing initiatives that contribute to the sustainability of a university; experience as an administrator in a public/union environment; the ability to provide financial modeling and forecasting; demonstrated creativity, innovation, and entrepreneurship in revenue generation; and an interest in and commitment to community engagement and professional development. An MBA or a master's degree in accounting, finance, business administration, management, or a closely related area from an accredited institution of higher education is preferred. A CFR or CPA designation is also preferred.

WOMEN'S SOCCER ASSISTANT COACH / SL-1

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This is a full-time, 10-month position beginning in July 2025.

The successful candidate will demonstrate excellent organization, oral and written communication skills, and an appreciation for the philosophy of the NCAA Division III. Selected candidate will be expected to adhere to all institutional, SUNYAC and NCAA rules, policies and procedures. Candidate must have strong time management skills, the ability to recruit and retain qualified and talented student athletes and a demonstrated commitment to students' athletic and academic success. Candidate must be willing to work evenings and weekends. Capacity to be a visible and engaging leader as well as work collaboratively with others including but not limited to faculty, admissions and residence life. In addition to a \$9,000 salary, an on-campus meal plan is also included in job offer. There could be additional employment opportunities through the fitness and tutoring centers.

SALARY RANGE: \$9,000

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor's Degree
- Demonstrated effectiveness coaching and/or playing soccer.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Goalkeeping playing/coaching experience
- Collegiate playing experience
- The demonstrated ability to recruit, motivate, and assist in retaining a diverse, inclusive, and successful program.
- Experience with fundraising and alumni engagement.

DUTIES:

- Recruiting travel and Database management.
- Assist in monitoring academic progress.
- Assisting with practice planning.
- Individual training and development.
- Assisting with scouting and team video.
- Running team social media accounts.
- Other duties as assigned by the head coach.

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

Application Deadline: open until filled; application review begins immediately. For more information or to apply for the above positions, please visit:

<https://employment.canton.edu/>

Please see for all available positions.

https://www.canton.edu/hr/job_opportunities.html

MASSENA ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT seeks one (1) temporary office employee to provide clerical and administrative support. Daily tasks include answering phones, processing customer payments, managing correspondence and data entry. This is a part-time position, less than 30 hours/week & performs duties in accordance with defined procedures under direct supervision. Work is reviewed by observation and by other steps in the record keeping process. Start date no later than June 30, 2025, and assignment to run until at least August 22, 2025. Applicant must live within Massena Electric service territory. E/O/E: Subject to pre-employment medical drug and alcohol screening. Minimum Qualifications: Graduation from high school, possession of a high school equivalency diploma, or possession of an Individual Education Plan diploma. Wage: \$17.50/hour. A St. Lawrence County Civil Service Application for Employment must be submitted and may be obtained from our website massenaelectric.com/ documents. Please send with resume to: Massena Electric Department Temporary



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Assistant Director of Education

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Ogdensburg is seeking an **Assistant Director of Education**. The position provides leadership in curriculum development for Catholic Schools and planning, development and implementation of parish faith formation programs.

Applicants must be a practicing Catholic with experience as a school administrator. Applicants should have a master's degree in education or School Administration. **Salary:** \$54,894 – \$67,743. Submit letter of interest, resume and three professional references to: **Human Resources Office, Diocese of Ogdensburg, P.O. Box 369, Ogdensburg, NY 13669 or email ksnover@redony.org.** Deadline for application is **June 13, 2025**.

Ogdensburg Housing Authority CLEANER

The Ogdensburg Housing Authority is accepting applications for a **FULL-TIME, PERMANENT CLEANER POSITION**. The duties will include but are not limited to: General cleaning – mopping, dusting, sweeping, vacuuming, washing windows, bagging items to be discarded, cleaning restrooms, sweeping parking lots/sidewalks, lawn mowing and trimming, keeping garbage room neat, shoveling and snow blowing.

Must be in good physical condition, be able to operate a zero-turn mower, weed eater, floor buffer, snow blower. NYS Driver's License recommended.

Regular work hours are 7:30am-4:00pm, Monday thru Friday. The position includes benefits including NYS Retirement. The position starts at \$33,415 per year.

This is a non-competitive Civil Service position, and no test is required.

Applications are due by **3:00 PM, Wednesday, June 18, 2025**.

You may obtain an application packet from the office at **1101 Jay Street, Ogdensburg, NY** or email request to ogdhouse@centralny.twcbc.com



ST. LAWRENCE
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Principal Clerk SLU Bookstore

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a 12-Month, **Principal Clerk** 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: <https://employment.stlawu.edu/postings/3974> 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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Senior Clerk

International Admissions Operations

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a 12-Month, **Senior Clerk, International Admissions Operations** position. The salary range is \$16.72 - \$23.12/hr. To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, as well as application instructions please visit: <https://employment.stlawu.edu/postings/4136> or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Salmon River Central School District

is currently accepting applications for the following position for the 2025-2026 school year:

Lifeguard

Starting Date: September 1, 2025
Application Deadline: Until Filled

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

Submit a completed application to:
Angela Robert-Assistant Superintendent
Salmon River Central School
637 County Route 1, Fort Covington, NY 12937
518-358-6669

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Chief Clerk, Constituent Records
Advancement Operations

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a 12-Month, **Chief Clerk, Constituent Records** 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/4033> or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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General Laborer

Facilities Operations Department

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a Full-time **General Laborer**. The salary is \$15.50 - \$20.38/hr. To view the complete position description, including minimum qualifications required, as well as application instructions please visit: <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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PROFESSIONAL

INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGNER / SL-2

SALARY RANGE: \$45,800 - \$51,300

DEPARTMENT: Center for Learning Design, Innovation, and Online Instruction.
The State University of New York (SUNY) College at Canton invites qualified applicants for a full-time, Instructional Designer position in the Center for Learning Design, Innovation, and Online Instruction, beginning July 15, 2025. This position is an 11-month position.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor's degree in a relevant field – education, instructional media/technology, curriculum design, or related field.
- Knowledge of learning theories..
- Familiarity with course design.
- Demonstrated commitment to student success in online and other environments.
- Clear, concise, and friendly communication skills.
- Organizational and time management skills.
- Commitment to service excellence.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Master's degree in an appropriate field from an accredited college or university (e.g., Instructional Design, Instructional Technology, Adult Education, Multimedia Development.)
- 2-3 years of experience applying instructional design principles to course content.
- Experience with creating accessible content.
- Experience with faculty support and training development.
- Experience with Brightspace by D2L learning management system.

DUTIES:

- Faculty support in course design and development.
- Learning management system (LMS) support.
- Training faculty, staff, and students on the use and application of software to support instruction.
- Creating instructional and training materials.
- Development, delivery, and assessment of professional development opportunities.
- Keeping current on best practices that support accessible teaching

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT / NURSE PRACTITIONER

SALARY RANGE: \$98,000 - \$110,000

The State University of New York (SUNY) college at Canton invites qualified applicants for Physician Assistant or Nurse Practitioner in the Student Health Center. This is an 11-month position.

DUTIES:

The role is responsible for providing assessment, diagnosis, appropriate medical management, and patient education for acute episodic illnesses, injuries, and stable chronic diseases in a college health center. The PA/NP will engage in timely and appropriate consultation with the supervising physician and actively participate in health education and community outreach activities

of the department as needed. Eleven-month permanent position available immediately with NYS benefit package. Clinic hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00am-4:30pm. No nights or weekends.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Candidates must be a graduate of an accredited educational program for Physician Assistants or Nurse Practitioners.
- Licensed to practice as a Physician Assistant or Nurse Practitioner in New York State.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Experience working in a healthcare setting.

ONLINE LEARNING TECHNICIAN / SL-2

SALARY RANGE: \$50,000 - \$56,000

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor's degree in educational technology or related field from an accredited college or university.

However, substantial experience in the relevant field paired with an associate's degree may be accepted in lieu of the bachelor's degree.

• Experience working with learning management systems (Brightspace, Blackboard, etc.)

• Familiarity and comfort with diverse instructional technologies

• Clear, concise, and friendly communication skills

• Organizational and time management skills

• Commitment to service excellence

PROGRAMMER ANALYST / SL-2 (2 POSITIONS)

SALARY RANGE: \$50,000

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- 4-year degree in Computer Science or a related field OR 2-year degree in computer-related field with 2-years professional experience in the field.
- Actual programming experience at the level of an internship or equivalent.
- Object Oriented Programming concepts as evidenced by

experience in Java or other OOP languages.

- Knowledge/experience with SQL.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Customer service orientation.
- Ability to keep pace with modern technology.
- Proactive attitude and ability to work both independently and as part of a team.

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

Application Deadline: open until filled; application review begins immediately. For more information or to apply for the above positions, please visit:

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SOLID WASTE PROGRAM MANAGER: Responsible for overseeing and managing all activities related to the collection, sorting, disposal, and recycling of solid waste on the territory of Akwesasne. Ensure compliance with applicable solid waste regulations, optimize operational efficiencies, manage staff, work to improve busi-



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ness practices and reduce environmental impact of waste management services. This position involves strategic planning, budgeting, staff supervision, and collaboration with outside government agencies. Status: Non-exempt, Full-time, permanent Salary: \$33,488.00 - \$76,502.40 Deadline: Open Until Filled. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

CLUBHOUSE SUPERVISOR: Under the direction of the A/CDP Assistant Clinical Director, The Clubhouse Supervisor will oversee the development and implementation of the Alcoholism/Chemical Dependency Program's Ronthahiihsthà:ke Clubhouse Component of the Saint Regis Mohawk Health Services. The Clubhouse Supervisor will provide a safe and welcoming environment to youth and young adults to encourage the development of pro-social skills that promote long term health, wellness recovery, and drug and alcohol-free lifestyle. Status: Full-time, Term Salary: \$20.45-\$44.88 Deadline: June 18, 2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

JobsRUs.com formerly Penski Staffing is a service-oriented staffing/recruiting company dedicated to working closely with our clients. We are currently hiring for Machine Operators, Construction/General Laborers, and a Lab Technician, and various other positions with salaries ranging from \$15.50/hr to \$20.00/hr. We also have several other positions available at this time. For more information please apply at www.jobsrus.com or Contact our office at (315)265-8860.

Potsdam Specialty Paper, Inc. has an opening for a full-time Administrative Assistant to provide a broad range of administrative support to the Management Team and the facility. Major responsibilities include but are not limited to: Front office administrative and receptionist duties. Flexibility to provide administrative support to all departments; (filing, typing, copying, faxing, errands, ordering, scanning, maintaining first aid cabinets, etc). Heavily involved in the accounts payable transaction process where attention to detail is very important. Prepares weekly on-call schedule. Requires a high degree of professionalism. Ability to work with minimal direction. \$38,480/annual. Minimum Qualifications: Two-year degree in a business discipline or equivalent experience in an office environment. Proficiency in the use of Microsoft Office software, including Microsoft Word, Excel and Outlook. Good communication skills, including oral, written and listening skills and excellent office and personal organizational skills. Strong attention to detail is required. Self-starter! Competitive benefits package, medical, prescription, dental, vision, 401(k) & match. Generous PTO. Interested candidates please submit letter of interest and resume to: Business Leader, Potsdam Specialty Paper, Inc., 547A Sissonville Road, Potsdam, NY 13676 by June 13, 2025. An **Equal Opportunity Employer.**

NURSE SUPERVISOR: The Nurse Supervisor, under the direction of the Medical Director will collaborate with all members of the health care team to develop and maintain high quality nursing care. The Nurse Supervisor will be accountable for directing and coordinating the delivery of patient care and the general functioning of the organizational goals through cooperative efforts with staff. Status: Full-time, Exempt Salary: \$56,763.20 - \$85,342.40 Deadline: June 18, 2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

SUMMER FIELD TECHNICIAN: Under the guidance and direction of the Land Resources Technician, the Summer Field Technician will learn about and support of the functions of the Land Resource Program. The field technician will also be engaged in a research initiative to demonstrate how forest resource management is entwined with language and culture. This role will support an inter-tribal exchange of forest-based knowledge with individuals from other Haudenosaunee and Wabanaki Tribes. Status: Full Time, Seasonal



The Norwood-Norfolk Central School District

is accepting applications for the following positions for the 2025-2026 school year:

SPANISH TEACHER
INSTRUCTIONAL AIDES
10-MONTH MECHANIC
PLAYGROUND MONITOR (2 hrs/day, \$16.15/hr.)
CAFETERIA MONITOR (2 ¼ hrs/day, \$16.15/hr.)

Applications can be downloaded from the school website
www.nncsk12.org

Deadline to apply is **June 13, 2025**
(deadline may be extended until all positions are filled).
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Morristown Central School

408 Gouverneur Street
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2025-26 STEAM Teacher Vacancy

Are you passionate about inspiring the next generation of scientists, engineers, and innovators? Do you believe in the power of hands-on learning and fostering creativity in the classroom? Morristown Central School District is seeking a dynamic and dedicated STEAM Teacher to join our team and help our students explore the exciting world of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics!

Key Responsibilities:

- Teach STEAM subjects, incorporating science, math, technology, engineering, and arts to engage students in creative, critical thinking.
- Design and implement electives and projects that reflect your personal passion and expertise.
- Deliver instruction in Earth Science and its component Lab.
- Foster a learning environment that emphasizes collaboration, creativity, and exploration.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Education, Science, Math, Technology, or related field.
- Valid teaching certification or actively seeking certification in Science, Math, Technology, or a related field.
- Strong background or interest in one or more areas of STEAM education.
- Experience or willingness to integrate technology and innovation into the classroom.
- Ability to develop engaging, hands-on curriculum and projects.

To apply please visit:
www.GreenRockets.org
(under the District & Human Resources tabs)

Position will remain open until filled.



ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

Skilled Trades - Plumbing

Facilities Department

St. Lawrence University invites applications for a **Skilled Trades-Plumbing** position. 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/4153> or <https://employment.stlawu.edu/> for all positions available.

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Licensed Clinical Social Worker,
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Licensed Master Social Worker,
Salary \$74,193 - \$94,121 - Job Requirements: Possession of a license and current registration as a Licensed Master Social Worker in New York State.

Social Worker,
Salary \$66,951 - \$85,138 - Job Requirements: Possession of a limited permit to practice social work in New York State, or be eligible to enter the examination for licensure as a Licensed Master Social Worker (LMSW) in New York State. Automatic appointment to the Licensed Master Social Work title after passing a licensure exam.

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- Outpatient Licensed Clinical Social Worker (Ogdensburg, Massena)
- Outpatient Licensed Master or Clinical Social Worker or Licensed Mental Health Counselor (Massena)
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The IRA Representative provides support for IRA and HSA functions, including transaction review, document processing, branch assistance, compliance monitoring, assisting with audits, and handling related research and mailings.

Education:

- Associate’s Degree or equivalent preferred.
- Preference will be given to applicants with specialized IRA training and/or experience with emphasis in branch operations and systems.

Skills:

- Excellent organizational skills with the ability to meet deadlines with minimal supervision.
- Proficient computer skills.
- Strong interpersonal, written and verbal communication skills.
- Working knowledge of bank operating policies and procedures, thorough knowledge of features and benefits of bank consumer products and services.
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Experience:

- Minimum of three (3) years’ experience in banking, specifically in back office operations, with a minimum of one-year experience with IRA and HSA products preferred.

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(May-August) Salary: 15.67/\$16.26 Deadline: June 18, 2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

SUMMER FIELD TECHNICIAN: Under the guidance and direction of the Agriculture Program Laborer Supervisor, the summer field technician will learn about and support of the functions of the Agriculture Program. The summer field technician will also be engaged in a research initiative to demonstration how agricultural management is entwined with language and culture. This role will support an inter-tribal exchange of traditional ecological knowledge with individuals from other Haudenosaunee and Wabanaki Tribes. Status: Full Time, Seasonal (May-August) Salary: \$15.67/\$16.26 Deadline: June 18, 2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

MULTIMEDIA: The Multimedia Producer oversees the creation and production of multimedia content for the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe, across various platforms, including video, audio, and digital media. This role involves managing all aspects of content production, from conceptualization through to final delivery, ensuring high-quality and engaging content that aligns with the organization’s goals and brand. Under the direction of the Akwesasne TV (ATV) Program Manager/Executive Producer, the Multimedia Producer is responsible for developing content from within Tribal Programs that informs, and connects our audience on multiple platforms. Status: Full-time, Non-exempt Salary: 15.63-\$30.44 Deadline: June 18,2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

CONTENT PRODUCER: The Content Producer is responsible for creating, managing, and delivering engaging multimedia content for the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe. Content is tailored for short- form video platforms, including TikTok, Instagram Reels, Facebook Shorts, and YouTube Shorts. This role involves overseeing the entire content lifecycle from planning and production to distribution and performance analysis. The Content Producer will work closely with creative teams and various Tribal Programs to ensure content is optimized for various platforms, aligns with organizational goals, and effectively engages target audiences. Status: Full-time, Non-exempt Salary: \$15.63-\$30.44 Deadline: June 18,2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

TVR COUNSELOR: Under the direction of the TVR Program Manager, the Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor is responsible for conducting intakes, determining eligibility, and assisting the consumers with disabilities in their Individualized Plan for Employment (IPE) and pursuing of their individual goals. The Counselor meets with the Program Manager once a week for case conference, and attends scheduled staff meetings. The Counselor is to complete all required paperwork and computer data entry on his/her respective consumers that he/she works with. The counselor should have knowledge of Akwesasne community and working with individuals with various disabilities. Status: Full-time, Permanent Salary: \$15.63-\$28.39 Deadline: June 18, 2025. Complete announcement and application instructions are available online at: www.srmt-nsn.gov

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