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Town Residents Petition to Remove Donnelly From Town Board



**Updated
Photo:
Stephen J.
Donnelly**

Stephen Donnelly, a councilman from Vestal, has been charged with 4 counts of harassment and disorderly conduct following a physical altercation with another individual. Following Newspaper Publishers initial reporting, residents of Vestal started a petition to have Donnelly removed from public office. The organizers of the petition wrote: "Stephen J. Donnelly should be creating an example as a safe and positive role model and an upstanding representative of our community, but instead has shown his true colors of verbal and physical abuse towards both men and women. This man is a criminal, an abuser and we cannot trust his decision making for our families and businesses. We deserve better Vestal, NY! We petition that Stephen J. Donnelly be removed from his seat as councilman from the town of Vestal and all boards he is part of effective immediately."

The petition can be found at www.change.org/p/removal-of-stephen-donnelly-from-his-councilman-seat-for-the-town-of-vestal-ny?source_location=search

The petition has a goal of 50 signatures. Currently, 30 people have signed their names.

The incident occurred last week at George F Johnson Elementary in the Town of Union, immediately after the 4th and 5th-grade concert. The altercation involved Lance Scott, who resides in Kirkwood and happens to be Donnelly's ex-wife's fiancé. Scott, too, is being charged with disorderly conduct. Additionally, it's worth noting that Donnelly's child attends George F Johnson Elementary.

Colesville Domestic Abuser Murders Daughter



A Nineveh man, who violated an in force Stay away order of protection, is charged with murder after a domestic abuse violence call was responded to by the BC Sheriff's Department. He is accused of killing his infant daughter with a crossbow in the Town of Colesville. After a history of domestic abuse, he finally left his infant dead and his wife

injured in the Town of Colesville on Monday. On June 26, 2023 at approximately 5:14am, Broome County Sheriff's Deputies and Emergency Medical Services responded to a report that an adult female and a female infant had been shot with a crossbow in a residence located on State Route 41 near Cass Road in the Town of Colesville. Sickening is the only description for such a cowardly act upon a mother and daughter by a husband and father.

The initial investigation showed that Patrick D. Proefriedt, age 26 of Nineveh, NY was in an argument with his wife, who was holding their daughter, and then fired a crossbow at her while she was holding the 3-week-old infant. The broadhead crossbow bolt hit the child in the upper torso area near the lungs and heart, exiting near the armpit before striking his wife in the chest. Proefriedt allegedly pulled the arrow out and the coward then attempted to stop his wife, who attempted to reach life saving help, from calling 911. This weak "man" then fled the scene in a red 2016 Dodge Ram pickup truck before responding deputies arrived.

Deputies attempted lifesaving measures on the infant before bringing the infant out to paramedics then secured the area after seeking medical help for the infant, Deputies then located the weapon. The wife, female domestic abuse victim, was transported to Wilson Hospital to be treated for her injuries. The infant, Eleanor M. Carey, was pronounced dead at the scene at the hand of her father.

The Broome County Sheriff's Office, with assistance from the New York State Police and Chenango County Sheriff's Office, formed a perimeter around the immediate area, utilizing multiple patrol units as well as aerial drones to locate the domestic abuser, Proefriedt, who was found cowering and hiding in the woods less than a mile from the residence. He was unable to drive effectively enough to escape and his vehicle became stuck in the mud whereupon the alleged killer was arrested.

The Patrick D. Proefriedt was taken into custody and charged with:

- Murder in the 2 nd Degree, a Class A Felony
- Attempted Murder in the 2 nd Degree, a Class A Felony
- Criminal Contempt in the 1 st Degree, a Class E Felony

for Violating an Order of Protection.

Proefriedt had a history of domestic abuse incidents with the victim, who was his wife, and an active Stay Away Order of Protection in place. Proefriedt remains in custody of the Broome County Sheriff's Office at the jail, while he awaits arraignment. The investigation is currently ongoing. "This is one of the most heartbreaking and senseless crimes committed in this community in recent memory," said Sheriff Fred Akshar. "Our thoughts are with the family of this innocent 3- week-old girl. I commend the quick and decisive action of our Law Enforcement division in responding to this tragedy and ensuring Mr. Proefriedt did not escape justice."

Domestic abusers will continue to abuse in any way they are able, and as long as they are able to prosecute their goals, with no regard for those that they hurt. This event in Colesville shows just how the weak will try to overcome their situation with force. Domestic abuse is the most dangerous call Law Enforcement responds to in their line of work. This individual shows just how dangerous a weak man can be when they are asked to step up in the world and put their family first. He, accused, shot his own daughter and wife with a Crossbow, Justice should find such a weak individual.

Looking for help from Domestic Abuse?

Broome County Sources:

Crime Victims Assistance Center 24/7 line: 607-722-4256

Text: 607-725-8196

Facebook: Facebook.com/BinghamtonCVACRISE 24/7 line: 607-754-4340

New York Sources:

New York State Domestic Violence & Sexual Violence 24 hr. Hotline: English 1-800-942-6906, Spanish 1-800-942-6908

New York Sheriff's Victim Hotline: 1-888-846-3469 www.vinlink.com

SAFE Housing / Advocacy / Support: Broome County - RISE www.rise-ny.org

HOTLINE: 607.754.4340 | 1.877.754.4340

Counseling:

Crime Victims Assistance Center 24 hr crisis-line 607.722.4256 or text 725-8196

www.cvac.us

For other information on domestic violence go to: www.opdv.ny.gov

For other information on sexual assault go to: www.nys-casa.org

**Vestal Varsity
Field Hockey
Ring Ceremony
Photos
Continued on
Pages 4 and 5!**

**New Vestal
Mural,
Designed and
Painted by IB
Art Students,
on Page 8!**



Calendar

Monday June 26th
TBWS 5PM

Wednesday June 28th
TBM 5PM

- Saturday July 8th**
1. Railtrail Wine & Food Tasting Bicentennial Event
 2. Vestal Class of 1973 50th Reunion

Monday July 10th
TBWS 5PM

Tuesday July 11th
Planning Board 6PM

Wednesday July 12th
TBM 5PM

- Thursday July 13th**
1. Zoning Board of Appeals 6PM
 2. "A Musical Journey through Vestal History" Arnold Park Pavilion #3 - 6:30 p.m

Saturday, July 15th
Vestal Antique Car Show
Bicentennial Event

Monday June 19th
NO SCHOOL
for Juneteenth

Monday, July 24th
TBWS 5PM

Wednesday, July 26th
TBM 5PM



VESTAL FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONSES

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by Walt Schlundt, Public Information Officer

06/20 13:05 West Drive	Beam detector fire alarm
06/21 11:56 Keenan Drive	Dining room smoke detector activation
06/21 12:37 Tracy Creek Road	Commercial fire alarm
06/21 17:31 Tracy Creek Road	Commercial fire alarm
06/21 18:05 Front Street	Wires arcing/transformer fire
06/22 01:01 Keenan Drive	Fire alarm
06/22 12:23 Vestal Road	General fire alarm
06/23 08:24 Vestal Parkway E.	Possible fryer fire
06/24 07:18 Gates Road	Assist police
06/24 09:35 Vestal Parkway E.	General fire alarm
06/24 23:31 Rhonda Drive	Possible gas leak in residence
06/25 01:54 Vestal Parkway E.	Commercial fire alarm
06/25 08:22 Vestal Parkway W.	Receiving duct smoke detector
06/25 18:56 West Hill Road	Carbon monoxide alarm
06/25 22:01 Tracy Creek Road	Fire or Carbon monoxide alarm
06/26 14:12 Vestal Road	Elevator rescue



VESTAL POLICE REPORT

Amanda Balderas, 34, Endicott, arrested for Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd Degree and Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 4th Degree for possessing heroin during a traffic stop.

Joshua Vanderburg, 39, Vestal, arrested for Assault 3rd Degree and Unlawful Imprisonment 2nd Degree for pinning the victim down on the bed during a domestic incident and punching her in the face several times.

Donald Doster, 29, homeless, was arrested for Petit Larceny for shoplifting from Wal-Mart.

Madison Pennell, 27, Binghamton, was arrested for Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 7th Degree for possessing Meth during an investigation.

Thomas Woodard, 45, Vestal, was arrested for Harassment 2nd Degree for striking the victim in the face with an open hand during a domestic incident, causing injury.

Tina Henkiel, 61, Vestal, arrested for Driving While Intoxicated, Driving While Intoxicated-More than .08 BAC, Aggravated Driving While Intoxicated- More than .18 BAC and Moved from Lane Unsafely after a motor vehicle accident.

Katelyn Giberson, 34, Johnson City, arrested for Grand Larceny 4th Degree for stealing merchandise from Wal-Mart valued over \$1000.

Kimberly Kruse, 30, Binghamton, arrested for Grand Larceny 4th Degree for stealing merchandise from Wal-Mart valued over \$1000.

Next Chapter-Vestal Students

By Paula Babey

Vestal Prom went very well with all the students dressed up in their beautiful gowns and tuxedos dancing the night away. Many photos were taken so that students and families can look back at a future time and reminisce. Most of the students attended an after-Prom party which had many games and activities. Food and beverages were provided for students, and staff helping out. This is a very nice yearly event which is put on with fundraising and help from the local community.

Graduation was the next event for the students finishing up at the high school which was held Saturday, June 24th at 11:00 and was an exciting achievement for Students, recognizing their hard work through all their school years. Many students will go on to College and to Trade schools whilst others will go out into the workforce, we wish all students the best of luck for their future endeavors.

Vestal Class of 1973 50th Reunion

July 8th at the Choconut Inn, Friendsville, PA
7PM to 11PM
The Band "Highway Fruit Market" will be playing.

Questions please contact Mary Murphy Harrison through the Vestal Class of 1973 Facebook page.



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Vestal Board Of Education Meeting

By Paula Babey

The Vestal Central School District, Vestal, New York, Board of Education held their regular meeting on Tuesday, June 20th commencing at 6:00pm. After the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, the Members went into Executive session. Upon their return the Minutes of the last meeting where approved.

Student Government Representatives, Samson Wong and Ian Chung gave a quick update noting students were looking forward to the end of the school year. Samson stated, "Thank you all for your help and support of Student Government, our clubs, and our school. I deeply appreciate all the work everyone puts in, allowing everything to run smoothly. It's been an honor working with the Board these past 2 years and we'll miss you all!"

Upcoming Dmv Closures For Independence Day

Binghamton, NY. All Broome County Department of Motor Vehicles Offices will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, 2023 for Independence Day. All County DMV's will resume normal business hours on Wednesday, July 5, 2023. As a reminder, all DMV offices stop processing transactions 15 minutes before the posted closing time, but staff are available to answer questions and hand out forms until the office is closed.



vestab Summer concert series
VESTAL COMMUNITY BAND

JULY 6TH - ARNOLD PARK
Andrews Rd, Vestal

JULY 13TH - ARNOLD PARK
Town of Vestal Birthday Concert

JULY 20TH - VESTAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
328 Main St, Vestal

JULY 27TH - ARNOLD PARK

AUGUST 3RD - STAGE AT LITTLE ITALY
George W. Johnson Park, Oak Hill Ave., Endicott

AUGUST 10TH - ARNOLD PARK

AUGUST 17TH - ARNOLD PARK

AUGUST 24TH - ARNOLD PARK

All Concerts Start at 6:30pm
Bringing a lawn chair/blanket is recommended.



Summer Reading 2023 @ VPL

Ages 0-5

Storytimes at Arnold Park
Thursdays at 10:30 AM
July 6 - August 10

Sensory Activities - Mondays
July 3 - August 7

In library Storytime - Fridays
July 7 - August 4

Ages 6-11

Reader's Theater
• Three 2 week sessions on Wednesdays July 5 - August 9

Stuffed Animal Sleep Over
• Friday to Saturday July 7 & 8

STEAM Projects - Tuesdays
July 11 - August 8

- Circuit Bugs
- Solar S'mores
- Sun Prints
- DIY Bird Feeder

All Ages

Artisan Market
• Saturday, July 1

Kopernik Observatory
• Portable Planetarium (TBD)

Waterman Conservation Center
• Nature Event (TBD)

Family Camp-In
Local Foraging and Guided Hikes

Ages 12-18

Fridays - July 7 - August 11

- Ink Dip Prints
- Throwback Camp Crafts
- Reverse Tie-dye
- Wood Slice Painting

Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Challenge encourages reading for all ages and provides community engagement through events and programs. Join VPL as we Forge New Paths this summer!

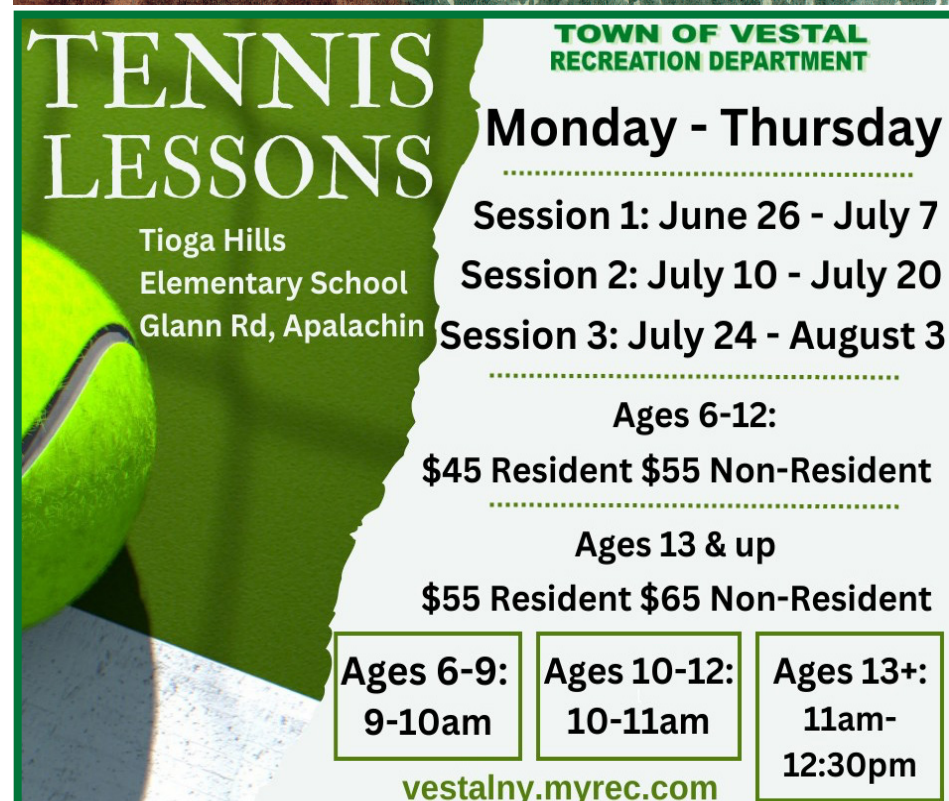
Summer Reading Challenge for all ages runs June 26 - August 11. The last day to submit reading logs and punch cards is August 21.



Broome County Summer Meal Program

FOR KIDS & TEENS 18 & UNDER MEALS MUST BE CONSUMED ON SITE.

<p>Palmer Middle School 213 Main Street, Windsor</p> <p>July 10th - August 3rd MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>	<p>ABC Childcare & Learning Center 546 Hooper Road, Endicott</p> <p>July 5th - August 25th MONDAY-FRIDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. Lunch 12:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.</p>	<p>Union-Endicott High School 1200 E. Main Street, Endicott</p> <p>July 17th - August 10th MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Windsor High School 1191, NY Route 79, Windsor</p> <p>July 10th - August 17th MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Jennie F. Snapp Middle School 101 Loder Avenue, Endicott</p> <p>July 17th - August 10th MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Deposit Elementary School 171 Second Street, Deposit</p> <p>July 10th - August 24th MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Lunch 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Whitney Point Daycare 2496 W. Main St., Whitney Point</p> <p>July 10th - August 18th MONDAY-FRIDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Southern Tier Community Center 1 Clubhouse Road, Endicott</p> <p>July 5th - August 25th MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Maine Memorial Elementary School 2693 Main Street, Maine</p> <p>July 10th - August 18th MONDAY-FRIDAY Breakfast 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Tioughnioga Riverside Academy 2887 NYS Route 11, Whitney Point</p> <p>July 10th - August 17th MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</p>	<p>St. Anthony's Learning Center 906 Jenkins Street, Endicott</p> <p>July 3rd - August 25th MONDAY-FRIDAY Breakfast 8:45 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Lunch 11:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.</p>	<p>Maine Summer Recreation Town of Maine Park, Maine</p> <p>July 10th - August 11th MONDAY-FRIDAY Breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Lunch 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Harpursville School 54 Main Street, Harpursville</p> <p>July 10th - August 3rd MONDAY-THURSDAY Breakfast 7:45 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Lunch 10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.</p>	<p>Highland Park Summer Fun 801 Hooper Road, Endwell</p> <p>July 5th - August 11th MONDAY-FRIDAY Breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.</p>	



TENNIS LESSONS

Tioga Hills Elementary School
Glann Rd, Apalachin

TOWN OF VESTAL RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Monday - Thursday

Session 1: June 26 - July 7
Session 2: July 10 - July 20
Session 3: July 24 - August 3

Ages 6-12:
\$45 Resident \$55 Non-Resident

Ages 13 & up
\$55 Resident \$65 Non-Resident

Ages 6-9: 9-10am	Ages 10-12: 10-11am	Ages 13+: 11am-12:30pm
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VESTAL VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY

COACH OF THE YEAR PRESENTATION AND RING CEREMONY CONTINUED

PHOTOS TAKEN BY KAITLYN HESSION



Senior Beth Egan



Senior Beth Egan whose ring is being presented by Emma Annunziata



Senior Grace Haven



Senior Grace Haven whose ring is being presented by Cami Gendron



Senior Kelsey Brady



Senior, Kelsey Brady whose ring is being presented by Maggie Malejs



Junior Aubree Wenner whose ring is being presented by Kara Malejs



Junior Morrigan Magill



Junior Reilly Storer whose ring is being presented by Kaylynn Tanton



Junior Madison Lilley whose ring is being presented by Sadie Parsons



Junior Adrienne Mayes whose ring is being presented by Elsa Hartman



Junior Lauren Mitchell whose ring is being presented by Aubrey Rogers



Junior Jaelynn Wiggins whose ring is being presented by Tessa Mathews, Rosalyn Panroast, Madison Winans, Maddie Fosco

VESTAL VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY

COACH OF THE YEAR PRESENTATION AND RING CEREMONY CONTINUED



Assistant Coach Charlei Dando, his ring being presented by his daughter Alexis Dando, class of 2021



Coach Emily Barnard and Hannah Barnard being presented with their rings by their sister Meg Barnard, class of 2021



Sophomore Meredith Ryan whose ring is being presented by Ava Lucenti



Junior Kendall Brady whose ring is being presented by Ella Sholett



Kelsey Wickman presenting the ring to Coach Tracy Sepaton



Coach Sax, her ring being presented by her sister, Vestal Alumni Class of 1992, Kelley Sax-Francis



Assistant Coach Joel Storer, his ring being presented by his daughter, Varsity Goalie Reilly Storer



Sophomore Lauren Policare whose ring is being presented by Allison Policare



7th Grader Helene Ryan whose ring is being presented by Shay Greenman, Charlotte Meier, Bailey Parsons



Sophomore Haley Carey whose ring is being presented by Adrianna Wenban



Freshman Alley Crowley whose ring is being presented by Erin Gowe



Junior Molly Schoenfeldt whose ring is being presented by Harper Smith



8th Grader Maggie Costelo whose ring is being presented by Sophia Smith



Freshman Isabel Goncalves whose ring is being presented by Brooke Granish



Freshman Evelyn Ryan whose ring is being presented by Hazel Grayson

Vestal Education Board New Members and News

By Paula Babey

The next Board of Education Meeting on July 25th will be the reorganization meeting for the Board. Welcome to the new members on the Board and will say goodbye to those that have served their term and thank them for their time and service to the Vestal Central School District. We wish all the members a wonderful Summer and that they can spend time with their families.

A quick reminder to students, families, and the community that when on vacation or outside using local facilities remember to use sunscreen, bug spray, stay hydrated and keep away from poisonous plants, such as poison Ivy, poison Oak, poison Buttercups. I was weed whacking the mass of tall Buttercups in my horses paddocks the other week, rubbed the small bits of green off my arm and that night, I came out in very itchy blisters. This lasted a couple of weeks and I used a lotion to ease soreness of the blisters which really helped a lot. If you get into anything nasty it's good to see your doctor or go the walk-in. Enjoy the many Parks, activities and events that we have around our beautiful town and state.

Future Vestal Board of Education Regular Meetings are held in the South Conference Room - Administration Building, 201 Main Street, Vestal, NY 13850. Dates for meetings are: Tuesday, July 11th at 6:00 pm, this will be a reorganization meeting. The next meeting will then be Tuesday, July 25th at 6:00pm.

We look forward to seeing you there.



Food and Drink on the Rail Trail

Saturday July 8th
6-9 pm

205 Stage Road Vestal
200 Year CELEBRATION

Live Music
Restaurants from across
Broome County

Vestal Residents Discuss New Nuisance Law

By Rosemary B. West

Local Law "D" also known as the Town of Vestal Nuisance Law was brought up for public hearing this past Wednesday. The Vestal Board notified residents and intended on voting on it this past week. Twenty-six concerned Vestal residents attended the meeting. Several Vestal residents attending asked out of the attending the last Wednesday night Town Board meeting stated, "Although, We are in favor of the adoption of a Town of Vestal Nuisance Law, we would like the Town Board to provide further clarification of what exactly the proposed Local Law D contains? Town Supervisor, John Schaffer, explained "We recognized the Town of Vestal needs something to be done in the areas of the Town of Vestal where code violations are continually being violated."

Town Supervisor John Schaffer, added, "We recognized the Town of Vestal needs something to be done in the areas of the Town of Vestal where code violations are continually being violated." Schaffer continued, "Proposed Local Law D of the Year 2023 before us this evening would allow the Town Board to act should there be continued nuisances being done by a particular individual or individuals at a Town of Vestal location. This law allows the Adoption of a Town of Vestal Nuisance Law. This law states that if the Vestal Town Board finds continuing public nuisances existing in the operation of Town of Vestal establishments along with the use of property being in violation of certain Penal Law and Municipal Code provisions, Town Board will then be permitted to act on the continued nuisance situations. Especially, if these nuisances are substantially or seriously interfering with the public health, safety, welfare, quality of life and

total community environment, commerce in the Town and property values. This law will authorize and empower the Town Board so that they are authorized to impose sanctions and penalties for such public nuisances. This may be done either in conjunction with or apart from, and without prejudice to, any and all additional powers and remedies conferred upon the Town Board by local, state and federal laws and regulations. The sanctions and penalties imposed by the Town Board would be an additional and appropriate method of law enforcement concerning repeatable area public nuisances. These sanctions and penalties are reasonable and necessary in order to protect the health and safety of our Vestal residents and visitors to the Town of Vestal." Schaffer finished stating. Following the public discussion, the Town Board voted. The adoption of Local Law D of the Year 2023 Town of Vestal Nuisance Law was passed by the Town Board unanimously.



Playground Sites Calendar of Events

Mark your calendars...

On the following dates, your park counselors will create special activities based on the theme! Ask your counselor for the details and join in on the fun! Dates are subject to change depending upon the weather.

- Monday, June 26 - All sites open**
- Tuesday, June 27 - Happy New Year**
- Friday, June 30 - Safari Day**
- Monday, July 3 - 4th of July Celebration**
- Tuesday, July 4 - Closed for Holiday**
- Friday, July 7 - Beach Day/Under the Sea**
- Tuesday, July 11 - Valentine's Day**
- Friday, July 14 - Space Day**
- Tuesday, July 18 - St. Patrick's Day**
- Friday, July 21 - Happy Birthday to All!**
- Tuesday, July 25 - Santa in July**
- Friday, July 28 - Superhero Day**
- Tuesday, Aug. 1 - Halloween**
- Wed., Aug. 2 - Summer Celebration!**
- Friday, August 4 - Back to School Day**

☺ (sites close at Noon for the season)

vestal museum

Second Saturday Series

at the coal house - vestal, ny



5/13	CAVIAR & GRITS
6/10	ROSE & THE BROS
7/8	DECEMBER WIND
8/12	MISS TESS
9/9	BOBBY HENRIE & THE GONERS
10/14	KID BESS & THE MAGIC RING

ALL SHOWS ARE FREE TO THE PUBLIC. 7-9PM

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Vestal Accepts New Road

By Rosemary B. West

The vestal Town Board voted on Wednesday evening to officially adopt a new road. Accepting a portion of Sycamore Road from Vestal Road to the Cul-de-sac. Town Supervisor, John Schaffer, explained, “Town of Vestal owns and maintains roads located within the Town, which residents and visitors to the Town use in conjunction with the roads owned and maintained by New York State and Broome County. The Town of Vestal can take ownership of new roads in accordance with New York Highway Law Article VII, Section 171. Where a property owner has constructed a new road/ Upon successful compliance with all procedures and direction of the Town of Vestal Planning Board, Highway Department, and Engineering Department; and upon approval of the Highway Superintendent, Building Inspector and Town Engineer, a recommendation has been communicated to the Town Board to accept dedication of this new road constructed on property owned by Murphy, LLC. Final action is necessary by the Town Board to accept this road dedication, assuming ownership and maintenance of this new road.

The Vestal Town Board voted to officially accepting the dedication of this road constructed on property owned by Murphy, LLC, located on the North side of Vestal Road to the Cul-de- sac at the end of Sycamore Road. It was noted by board members that the “Town of Vestal will take ownership of the new road to be named Sycamore Road at no expense to the Town. This land release will be filed and recorded in the Town of Vestal Clerks office. The completed Roadway improvements for pavement and curbs, storm sewer and drainage, sanitary sewer and water line facilities, sidewalks and right of way is accepted.”



Little Tykes 8 Week Summer Art Program with Rebecca Whitman- Pay What You Can Afford

We offer a fun and diverse set of 8 Week programs for kids of all ages. We offer a PAY WHAT YOU CAN PROGRAM for children. Our normal pricing is listed below. Should you require a different payment amount for your child just contact us directly via email at info@stilettofineartsstudio.com or by text at 607-778-9393.

Our Little Tykes Program focuses on painting with the little ones. The ages are 3-5 years of age. Most classes are 1 hour and aren't are welcomed to join in and help. Please bring an art shirt for the kids. We require parents to stay with the children and provide room for one parent to sit with each child. This program runs Thursdays 11-12 pm July 13, 20, and 27 & August 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31st.

Register Here: <https://bookeo.com/stilettofineartsstudio?type=41570JE9YAX18827544C1B>

We do not turn children away unless the class is full of course. Pre registration is required. The price is for 8 weeks. We understand that some children may go on family vacations. This is typical and we can issue a credit for a future class if you scheduled the missing class in advance. The cost of the class is \$ \$280 (members pay \$245)... again should you require a different payment amount please contact us as stated above. All summer art programs will be held at our Vestal Location.. 535 Vestal Parkway West Vestal NY 13850. Please provide a bagged snack and drink for your child each week. Labeled with their name. We have found that children often get hungry during classes.

Vestal Scholars



Vestal Alumni Named to President's List SUNY Canton Spring 2023 President's List

- Emma S. Clark, a SUNY Canton Veterinary Technology major from Apalachin, NY
- Nickolas L. Morales, a SUNY Canton Cybersecurity major from Apalachin, NY
- Brandon J. Morris, a SUNY Canton Finance major from Vestal, NY
- Nicholas J. Tomaka, a SUNY Canton Game Design and Development major from Vestal, NY

Vestal Alumni Named to Dean's List

University of Alabama

- Noah Socash of Vestal

Hartwick College

- Tianna Wyskowski

Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT)

- Jack Milkovich of Vestal (13850), who is in the computer engineering program.
- Erich Thurm of Apalachin (13732), who is in the electrical engineering program.
- Quintan Gerhardstein of Vestal (13850), who is in the electrical engineering program.
- Isaac Green of Vestal (13850), who is in the exercise science program.
- Logan Messina of Apalachin (13732), who is in the industrial design program.

Other Honors Received by Vestal Alumni

Madison Schmerder of Vestal Graduates magna cum laude, as a physiology and philosophy double major from Special Jesuit Liberal Arts Honors Program at Scranton

Students Graduate from SUNY Delhi

Kimberly Heikkila of Vestal, NY graduated with a Associate in Applied Science in Veterinary Science Technology

Leighanne Ruvola of Vestal, NY graduated with a Associate in Applied Science in Veterinary Science Technology

Grace Thomas of Apalachin, NY graduated with a Associate in Applied Science in Veterinary Science Technology

Gina Wovk of Apalachin, NY graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Veterinary Technology

Lewis Race of Apalachin, NY graduated with a Bachelor of Technology in Mechatronics Technology

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VESTAL IB ART MURAL



The IB Art class!



Lily painting her design



The Welcome Mural!



Lily Cardone with the design choices