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## Central Hudson: Customers to see higher winter energy costs

Central Hudson is advising customers of increases in supply prices for both electricity and natural gas as the region navigates a colder than average winter and as global energy factors come into play, prompting an increase in the demand and price for energy. Supply prices are market-based and not marked-up by Central Hudson.

Contributing to higher commodity prices for electricity and natural gas include:

- Increased domestic demand due to colder weather this year as compared to last year.
- Constrained domestic pipeline capacity which curtails gas supplies.
- Lower electric production by renewable generators in the winter, which shifts power production to generators using natural gas.
- Regionally, an increased reliance on natural gas for power generation following the closure of Indian Point.
- Increased global demand for natural gas, as the United States is now a primary exporter of liquefied natural gas to Europe due to shortages there.
- Increase domestic demand for electricity and natural gas as the economy recovers from closures prompted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

"Locally, this January featured sustained temperatures that were 11 percent colder than average and 16 percent colder than January 2021. This contributed to driving gas usage up more than 13 percent and electric usage up nearly 6 percent over January 2021," said Anthony Campagiorni, Senior Vice President of Customer Services and Gas Operations at Central Hudson. "The increased usage, coupled with international and domestic factors, has caused the market price of natural gas and electricity to rise here in our region and around the world. Natural gas has become a global commodity that not only heats our homes but is also heavily relied upon to produce electricity on demand and whenever needed."

### Energy bills

Projected Central Hudson bill impacts for natural gas will be an average increase of about 19%; about 46% for electric bills; and about 29% for combination electric and natural gas bills. These bill increases are temporary and may vary for individual customers depending on energy usage and their billing cycle. For example, customers receiving bills now may see the effect of these increases spread out over their current bill and next month's bill.

The increased bills are a result of higher energy prices, which vary and are determined by national and global markets. The February supply charge for natural gas rose 33 percent as compared to January, while electric supply charges have more than doubled. Utility bills reflect the prevailing market prices for natural gas and electric supply and are passed through, without markup, to pay power plant operators and natural gas providers. As such, customers pay the same price for natural gas and electricity supply that Central Hudson does. Higher prices for energy supply may also impact bills for customers who receive electricity and natural gas from third-party suppliers. Click here to view current and historic electric and natural gas supply charges, together with 12-month rolling averages.

Electric and natural gas bills are divided into two main components: Delivery and Supply. Delivery charges are set by state regulators and pay for the energy infrastructure and utility operations,

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## Take 'the plunge' for Special Olympics NY in Fishkill Saturday



The annual Polar Plunge will take place at Sharpe Reservation in Fishkill on Saturday, February 19. Pictured are participants from a previous year's event.

-Archive photo

By Kristine Coulter

Freezin' for a Reason at Camp Mariah at The Fresh Air Fund Sharpe Reservation, 486 Van Wyck Lake Rd., in Fishkill is set for Saturday, Feb. 19. The annual Polar Plunge calls on those willing to jump in freezing water to help raise funds for the athletes of Special Olympics New York.

"It will be similar to last year's plunge. We are still adhering to some COVID

regulations. We feel safety and health are at the utmost importance," said Teresa Gilli, Special Olympics NY. Upon arrival everyone will have their temperature checked.

"We are staggering plunge times by team to keep things safer," noted Gilli. "We will not be using buildings, everything is done outside.

As for what people should know about participating, Gilli replied, "To have fun!

Most are aware of what to expect and we are truly appreciative to all of them for their continued support and dedication to our athletes."

The goal for 2022's event is to raise \$200,000.

"Special Olympics New York would not be able to serve individuals with intellectual disabilities without the participants.

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## Podcast recalls life as a 17-year-old

By Kristine Coulter

Beacon resident Laura Leigh Abby will have the first original podcast from the United States on the French-American podcast network Paradiso Media. Seventeen: Conversations With My Teenage Self. The podcast debuted earlier this month on all podcast platforms.

"Paradiso produced 'Mes 14 Ans' about a French journalist who went back to her journals from the year she was 14. That podcast, which was a success in France, inspired Paradiso to create something in the same vein. Once I joined the team, we created the 'Seventeen: Conversations With My Teenage Self' using my journals from my last year of high school," explained Abby.

Abby previously appeared on "Newlyweds: The First Year," on Bravo with her wife Sam. Abby's Amazon Kindle Single "The Rush" in 2016 was a memoir about falling in love with her sorority sister in college.



Laura Leigh Abby, left, with Leia Immanuel, the young voice actor who plays young Laura in "Seventeen," at The Beacon AV Lab in Beacon.

-Courtesy photo

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# Polar Plunge Saturday in Fishkill

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Their support means everything to them,” remarked Gilli.

Teams will start arriving at 8 a.m. Each team will arrive every 30 minutes until all the teams and individuals have shown up and completed “Freezin for a Reason,” she stated.

For anyone who would like to participant day of, just go to Sharpe Reservation. Go to <http://events.nyso.org/2022fishkill> for more information.

Dutchess BOCES has surpassed its goal for this year. Erin Scott, with BOCES, said,

“Normally we raise about \$6,000 and so far, this year we are very close to \$12,000 which is very exciting! We have been the top school for several years and for the 1st year ever we have students from our Career and Tech high school jumping,” Scott said. Scott explained, “I started jumping as a team of me in 2012 and in 2014 was able to convince some co-workers to join me. This year our team is over 30 strong from all over the agency. I have been involved in Special Olympics since 1995 and jump in memory of my athlete Stephen Sturgis.”

“We understand that despite people are still taking precautions due to COVID, so we are trying to keep everyone safe and comfortable during these new times. We know some people prefer not to participate in person, so we, again, have included a virtual option this year,” said Gilli.



Participants participate in a previous Polar Plunge at Sharpe Reservation.

-Courtesy photo by Cedar Hill Photography

Anyone can also register. She said to register, “raise money for our caring Athletes, then safely pour a bucket of water over your head, get in a kiddie pool, take a freezing shower and remember tape the fun in landscape mode (sideways).” Then send the video to Gilli at [tgilli@nyso.org](mailto:tgilli@nyso.org) after the event.

To register virtually or in person, or to learn more, go to: <http://events.nyso.org/2022Fishkill>. One may also go to [Polarplungeny.org](http://Polarplungeny.org) and click on Fishkill.

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while supply charges are for the electricity and natural gas itself provided by independent generators and suppliers. Click here for information and videos on understanding utility bills.

Central Hudson employs hedging measures to help stabilize natural gas and electric supply costs against fluctuating market prices. These measures include contracting for a portion of energy at fixed prices and purchasing gas at pre-season prices and placing it into storage. For this billing period, these hedging measures are saving customers millions of dollars by reducing the impact of market prices for electricity by approximately 28% and natural gas by 30%. Click here to watch a recent video on how severe weather can impact utility bills.

**Energy Efficiency and Billing Programs**

Customers can help manage energy costs in various ways, such as implementing energy efficiency measures and exploring their billing options.

Low-cost and no-cost efficiency measures homeowners can take to help manage energy costs include:

- Insulating ducts and hot water pipes

where they run through uninsulated areas, such as crawl spaces, and repairing leaks in the duct system;

- Adding insulation, particularly in the attic;
- Turning down thermostats (each degree saves up to three percent on energy use);
- Keeping radiators and heating ducts clear of furniture to allow heat to circulate freely; and/or
- Sealing air leaks with weather stripping and caulk, which can save up to 10 percent on the use of heating fuels.

Central Hudson offers energy efficiency incentives for homes and businesses, including rebates of up to \$1,000 on new, high-efficiency natural gas home heating systems, up to \$1,600 on electric heat pump systems, \$250 on indirect natural gas water heaters and up to \$1,000 on high efficiency heat pump water heaters. A complete description of Central Hudson’s rebates and programs is available at [www.CentralHudson.com](http://www.CentralHudson.com) and clicking on “Save.”

Discounted energy efficiency products with instant savings for Central Hudson customers are available at local participating retailers. Available items include LED bulbs, smart thermostats, advanced power

strips, water-saving products and more. For a list of participating retailers visit [www.CentralHudson.com](http://www.CentralHudson.com), click on the “Save” link at the top of the page, then click on “Residential Incentives.”

To avoid seasonal variations in energy bills, Central Hudson customers may enroll in the Budget Billing program. Budget Billing divides a household’s average annual energy bill into 11 even monthly payments, with the 12th month’s payment adjusted up or down to reflect actual usage and market prices. This program makes energy bills more predictable and can help in managing household budgets.

Payment assistance options are also available to qualifying customers like the Bill Discount program for income-qualified customers. The federally funded Home Energy Assistant Program (HEAP) grants are now available and the new Regular Arrears Supplement program that provides up to \$10,000 in utility arrears assistance to eligible households who are unable to pay their unpaid electric and/or gas utility arrears.

Central Hudson’s Clean Energy Marketplace allows customers to save up to 10 percent on their utility bill while also investing

in local clean energy projects. Residents and businesses may subscribe by visiting <http://CleanEnergyMarket.cenhud.com> to purchase a portion of the electricity produced by the project of their choice.

Other programs include Deferred Payment Agreements that help customers catch up by paying a past-due account balance in monthly installments, the Extra Security Plan which offers an extended billing due-date for qualified customers on a fixed income and the Good Neighbor Fund which provides last resort grants for families who have exhausted all other means of assistance. Learn more about Central Hudson’s assistance programs by visiting [www.cenhud.com/account-resources/assistance-programs/](http://www.cenhud.com/account-resources/assistance-programs/).

Customers can contact Central Hudson in a variety of ways, including logging on to <http://www.cenhud.com/customer-service/contact-us/> and selecting their preferred form of communication, or by clicking on the green “Chat” tab on the right hand side of the page.

Visit [www.CentralHudson.com](http://www.CentralHudson.com) for more information on winter safety, efficiency incentives, energy saving tips and billing options.

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BY GEORGE M. COHAN

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COVID-19 update

New York enters new phase with multi-pronged plan

By Kate Goldsmith

Gov. Kathy Hochul lifted the mask-or-vax mandate in many public settings last week, enabling businesses and county/local governments to enforce as needed. Hochul based the decision on the steady decline of COVID-19 cases and decreasing hospitalizations.

In Dutchess County, nearly all data points are moving in the right direction (see statistics at the end of this article). A significant amount of COVID-related deaths are still occurring, though: Over the last few weeks, 16-17 individuals have succumbed to the disease.

Hochul outlined the state’s plan going forward, the so-called Winter Toolkit that focuses on five core areas: protecting the most vulnerable New Yorkers, increasing vaccinations and boosters, strengthening the state’s health care system, empowering local leaders, and supporting individuals facing the long-term effects of COVID-19.

“As we begin a new phase in our response to this pandemic, my top priority is making sure we keep New York safe, open and moving forward,” Hochul said. “I want to thank the health care workers, business owners and everyday New Yorkers who acted responsibly during the Omicron surge by masking up and getting vaccinated. But make no mistake: while we’re moving in the right direction, this pandemic isn’t over, and our new Winter Toolkit shows us the path forward.”

As a critical tool to fight the spread of COVID-19, mask requirements will remain in place in certain high-density settings. All health care settings regulated by the Department of Health and other related state agencies will continue to require masks. Masks will also be required in nursing homes, adult care facilities, correctional facilities, detention centers, homeless shelters, and domestic violence shelters, public transit and transportation hubs, as well as trains, planes and airports in accordance with federal regulations.

Hochul also announced plans to assess the mask requirement in schools in early March, to ensure students can continue learning in-person and in the classroom. The assessment will be based on public health data, including key metrics like cases per 100,000 residents, hospital admission rates, vaccination rates, global trends and pediatric hospitalizations.

Plans are under way to distribute two tests for every K-12 student ahead of mid-winter break, and continue distribution

the following week when students return to school. In the meantime, Hochul has directed the Department of Health to work on preliminary guidance, with input from educators and parents, to keep students and teachers safe.

Increase Access to vaccines, boosters and testing

- New York State’s mass vaccination and testing sites will remain open to ensure all eligible New Yorkers can access first, second, and third doses for themselves and their children.
- The State’s #VaxForKids pop-up programming continues to expand with 193 sites established to date. This effort brings the vaccine directly to parents, guardians and their children at local schools, community centers and destinations like farmers markets to make getting vaccinated convenient and accessible for families.
- New York State is actively preparing for the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine to come online for children under 5 years old.
- The State’s education efforts to reach New Yorkers with good, science-based information about the vaccine is ongoing including through traditional advertising, digital and multimedia campaigns, and direct messaging efforts through SMS text messaging, robo-calling and Excelsior Pass push notifications.
- All 61 state-operated and state-partnered testing sites will remain open to provide New Yorkers with access to COVID-19 testing.
- Testing also remains widely available at more than 1,800 sites statewide in every region.

**Quick facts – Dutchess County**  
(as of Feb. 13)

Active cases: 391 (down from 563 on Feb. 6)

Community transmission: 15.32 per 100,000 (down from 35.75 on Feb. 6)

Hospitalizations due to COVID-19: 18 (down from 50 on Feb. 6)

Hospitalizations of individuals with COVID-19: 32 (down from 39 on Feb. 6)

Total deaths: 637 (up from 620 on Feb. 6)

% population 18+ with at least one dose of vaccine: 84.7

% of total county population with at least one dose of vaccine: 76.12

% of total county population that has completed their vaccine series: 68.11

(No data on boosters is currently available)

‘Seventeen’ podcast

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Abby replied, when asked what one will hear if they tune in the podcast, “Seventeen really explores the true experience of being a teen and doesn’t shy away from challenging topics. Listeners will be transported back to high school parties, they’ll hear conversations with friends and former love-interests, and they’ll join me as I revisit some traumatizing events from my past. There’s a satisfying mix of fun, cringe-worthy and tender moments. I also bring in a lot of pop-culture from the time, including the movies we were watching and what kind of characters were portrayed in early 2000 teen entertainment.”

The podcast is produced in the Beacon

HV Lab, which is the old Beacon High School on Route 52, which is now a multimedia recording studio.

“Not only was it an added bonus to record this podcast about high school inside a high school, but I was thrilled to tap into the amazing Beacon creative community and work with local talent Jonny Taylor,” remarked Abby.

Abby said Paradiso is an independent French podcast studio that has offices in New York and Los Angeles.

“We produce original podcasts in the fiction, documentary and kids’ genres. Seventeen is one of our originals we’re producing and financing with the U.S. team. We also produce series with some of the leading platforms such as Spotify and Audible as well as a handful of branded clients,” Abby said.



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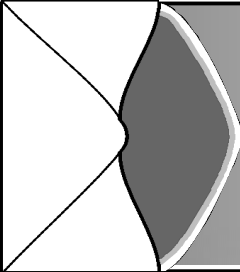
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# Viewpoints



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## Molinaro requests that Gov. Hochul reconsider effort to appoint new sheriff

To the Editor:

I am sending a letter to Governor Hochul on behalf of the people of Dutchess County, requesting that she reconsider her effort to appoint a new County Sheriff.

After the passing of Sheriff ‘Butch’ Anderson, Undersheriff Kirk Imperati has stepped into the role and done admirably. He is well-liked and respected throughout the law enforcement community, as well as the community at-large. Replacing him is not only unnecessary, a disruption in leadership could be detrimental to public safety.

As evidence of the local support for Kirk Imperati, the letter is accompanied by nearly 4,000 signatures asking for him to remain in the position - an outpouring of support that was collected in just a few days.

There is no requirement for Governor Hochul to appoint a new Sheriff, and an election will be held for the position this November. Taking action now is unnecessary, unwarranted and unwanted.

Marc Molinaro  
County Executive  
Dutchess County

## Supports Good Cause Eviction legislation

To the Editor:

I am a homeowner in Beacon and I support Good Cause Eviction Legislation. In light of the end of the NYS Eviction moratorium, I am concerned about people in our community who are now facing housing insecurity. I am also alarmed at the number of stories I have heard about folks who have experienced exorbitant, unjust rent increases.

Predatory practices are driving people who have lived in Beacon for years out of our city. Our economic and racial diversity, the stability of neighborhoods and cohesiveness of our community are threatened by current practices.

The purpose of Good Cause Eviction Legislation is to give tenants additional consideration they can use in their defense in court. Eviction proceedings always go through the courts and ultimately a judge gives a ruling.

Landlords who occupy their properties with less than four units would be exempt. Considerable expenses due to capital improvements necessitating a rent increase will also be considered a just cause. Tenants who refuse to pay their rent, or are a nuisance impacting the safety or comfort of other tenants can still be evicted so the law seems fair to both tenants and landlords.

Housing Security is a basic right that too many are denied. It is time that all of us ask for our city to take steps to maintain the stability of our community and the protection of those of our community most at risk.

Tina Bernstein  
City of Beacon

## Alzheimer’s treatment needs full coverage from Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

To the Editor:

Thanks to our bipartisan champions in Congress, we’ve made great progress advancing research on Alzheimer’s and dementia, providing hope to families in the midst of a terrible diagnosis and disease progression. And now the FDA has approved the first Alzheimer’s treatment to address the underlying biology of the disease. It’s lifted that hope higher, and there are other treatments close behind in the research pipeline showing even greater promise.

But with the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Service’s (CMS) proposed decision limiting coverage to those in clinical trials, access is severely restricted to only those few who live near research institutions or can afford to pay the \$28,200 annual cost out-of-pocket. CMS has never before limited Medicare coverage like this for any other FDA-approved medication. This is unacceptable.

People with Alzheimer’s and their doctors should be able to decide if an FDA-approved treatment is right for them and those eligible should have it covered by Medicare. All those living with Alzheimer’s deserve better.

My grandmother and all of us around her lived through the emotional pains of Alzheimer’s as do more than 6 million people who are affected. I appeal to CMS to think of the benefit to millions of reconsidering their decision

Richa Jagga  
Wappingers Falls

## First responders rescue woman from creek



City of Beacon Fire Department, City of Beacon Medic 1 and BVAC were dispatched for a female fallen possibly into the Fishkill Creek on Feb. 6. Firefighters responded and found a female approximately 50’ down an icy embankment, stuck on the shoreline of the creek. An extension ladder was secured and lowered down so a career firefighter could initiate patient contact, according to a Facebook post on the fire department’s Facebook page. A rope system was set up and used to lower a stokes basket down to the patient. The patient was placed into the stokes and hauled back up the embankment.

-Courtesy photo

# Spring Celebration of Light Saturday

By Kristine Coulter

A Spring Celebration of Light 2022 will take place on the evening of Feb. 19 in Beacon. Organizers describe it as “celebrating the coming spring, Lunar New Year, light, hope, warmth, renewal and kids.”

“One of the organizers is originally from Taiwan and a Spring Celebration of Lights has always been part of her life. Upon moving to Beacon she wanted to bring this beautiful tradition to her new home, help introduce Asian American community and their cultures to Hudson Valley residents, create opportunity to meet and get to know your neighbors. Another organizer has always been interested in community organizing and using light to bring people together,” explained Sergei Krasikov, an event volunteer.

The schedule is as follows:

**5:30 p. m.- GATHER** - Polhill Park - Main Street and South Avenue

-Bring lanterns, illuminate our light, line up and kick off the walk!

**6 p.m. - PARADE** - Sidewalks of Main Street, gather at Polhill Park

-Walk the length of Main Street with light and music and cheer

**6:30 p.m. - CELEBRATE** - The Yard -

4 Hanna Lane

-Display one’s lanterns. Drink tea and eat tasty morsels around the fire. Dress warm but be ready to dance to the music.

“People can expect to meet neighbors who came from various regions of the world and learn about spring celebrations in their cultures. They can expect to see some crafty DIY lanterns. They can expect dance, music, warmth and a lot of smiles,” according to organizers.

According to organizers, thousands of lanterns are released in the sky during Pingxi Sky Lantern Festival; fires and candles lit in honor of fertility goddess Brigid in Ireland; bonfires in Switzerland and Germany for Walpurgis Night; lighting candles for Passover; a five-day fire fiesta in Valencia, Spain to name a few of the celebration of light.

Organizers would like to see different groups and organizations make their own lanterns and join them. All are welcome to participate - minority organizations, LGBTQ groups, unions, martial arts schools, and more.

For more information, visit <https://www.beaconspring.org/> or <https://www.facebook.com/events/355616402790790>.

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Modest physical activity offers many benefits

With the weather turning a bit milder in recent days, I took the opportunity to slip on my walking shoes and head outside for some exercise in the fresh air. I quickly found myself out of breath! It's been a while for me, and I'm sure my excuses sound a lot like your excuses when it comes to getting regular exercise: It's too cold out. It's too icy. It's too ... much. I hear you!

We can be forgiven for staying indoors in wintertime, especially these days with COVID still a concern. But I think it will soon be time for us to finally emerge from our cocoons, get up from our easy chairs, and head out for some modest physical activity. You don't have to walk across the country to make a positive impact on your health, of course! No, the experts tell us small, gradual changes are often best. I agree with that, and I think slowly adding modest activity to our routines can add up to truly life-changing effects in the future.

Everyone knows the life-saving work of MHA Dutchess Veterans programs, which houses the life-saving Joseph P. Dwyer Vet 2 Vet program in Dutchess County, in supporting the mental health of our local veteran community. They realize mental health and physical health are closely related, and that's probably why they host social activities for local veterans like bowling and indoor golf, for example. Simply getting out of the house and getting our legs moving can provide such wonderful benefits – not the least of which are, a change in our moods and a

smile on our faces! The hardest part for many of us is taking that first step out the door. But once we take that step, we quickly already realize this is a good idea, and that keeps us going.

As I just mentioned, MHA Dutchess is hosting their annual indoor golf tourney in Poughkeepsie on March 26th. This might be the perfect opportunity to dust off your old clubs and join local veterans in some fun, modest physical activity! You can find out more by calling Maggie at MHA Dutchess Veterans programs at (845) 473-2500, ext. 3083, or email [events@mhadutchess.org](mailto:events@mhadutchess.org). I hope you check out this worthwhile event!

And I think many other veteran service organizations here in the Hudson Valley are realizing the benefits to overall health from modest exercise and social activity. A quick glance at social media these days will show all sorts of outdoor activities for veterans to get some fresh air and spend some quality time with other veterans, including equine therapy, kayaking, walking, and painting, just to name a few!

Or if you are like me, you might better enjoy the simple solitude of just walking in a quiet spot. Now that the ice and snow are starting to melt away, I know I should do more of it! Of course, we should always consult our medical professionals before engaging in any exercise program. If you see me chugging along on a pathway or sidewalk near you, please stop and say hey!

Thanks to MHA Dutchess Veterans



Tommy Zurhellen is accompanied by Dutchess County Executive Marc Molinaro, left, Assemblyman Jonathan Jacobson, right, and others crossing the Walkway in August 2019 on the final day of the VetZero Walk Across America.

-Courtesy photo

Programs for their amazing work and for always hosting fun, social activities to support our veterans! And thank you, for listening. See you next time!

A Navy veteran, Tom Zurhellen has been Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) in Poughkeepsie for the past three

years. In the summer of 2019, he walked across America from Portland, Oregon, to Poughkeepsie to raise awareness on veteran suicide and veteran homelessness in our country. He continues to work with local veterans in need through the VetZero Project, in partnership with Hudson River Housing.

Full wedding giveaway tops Renegades' promotional schedule

By Rich Thomaselli

The Hudson Valley Renegades, about to enter their second year as a long-season Class A minor league baseball franchise of the New York Yankees, have announced their 2022 promotional schedule at nearby Dutchess Stadium in Fishkill.

The Renegades, also in their first year under new ownership with Diamond Baseball Holdings after 27 seasons of being owned by The Goldklang Group, will have the usual array of promotions, entertainers and fireworks among their scheduled 66 home games.

But the big draw this year will come on August 13. That's when the team will give away a full wedding at a game to a fan for the first time in team history. Planning the details of the ceremony and party will be handled completely by the Renegades for the couple and up to 100 guests. Couples wishing to participate in this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity may email Zach Neubauer at [zachn@hvrenegades.com](mailto:zachn@hvrenegades.com) with why they should be selected.

"Between rescheduling, booked venues, and financial pressures, the pandem-

ic has created challenging times for many engaged couples," Steve Gliner, President and General Manager of the Renegades, said in a statement. "We wanted to help out and throw a memorable wedding celebration here at The Dutch for a deserving couple courtesy of the Renegades."

In addition to Free Wedding Night, the Renegades' home schedule features the most jam-packed promotional schedule in team history, with a unique theme at every home game. The Renegades have 10 giveaways, five special appearances and four interactive fan competition games planned for the season.

"With Opening Day right around the corner, we are very excited to once again deliver a first-class fan experience to the Hudson Valley," said Gliner. "Every game we have something that fans of all ages can enjoy and leave with lasting memories."

For the full promotional schedule, head to the team website at [hvrenegades.com](http://hvrenegades.com)

The Renegades open their schedule on April 8 with a nine-game road trip starting in Greenville, S.C. The home opener is April 19.

Marist lowers COVID-19 alert level on campus

By Rich Thomaselli

In a sign we might be inching back toward some sense of normalcy, Marist College announced last week it is lowering its COVID-19 campus alert level from orange to yellow.

The change took effect on February 10. The Town of Poughkeepsie college had been operating on something similar to a traffic light system – red being the worst, followed by orange, yellow and finally green meaning all things are normal.

"This improvement is a direct result of our work together: students, faculty, and staff committing to our three pillars of public health: masking, vaccination including boosters, and symptomatic testing," Marist vice-presidents Geoff Brackett, Thom Wermuth and Deb DiCaprio wrote in an email to students and parents. "We are extremely grateful to each of you who have complied with the guidance and appreciate

your efforts."

The yellow means just what you think it does – slow down and proceed with caution. Wearing masks on campus and to classes is still in effect, but dropping the alert means events on campus can proceed again.

- External visitors are permitted in residence halls with a completed Marist Guest Attestation.
- Events Comprised of ONLY Marist Community Members has increased to 70 percent capacity.
- Food and drink may be served at events; however, masks must be worn when not actively eating or drinking.
- Events Comprised of external and Marist Community Members are also increased to 70 percent capacity.

"Our goal is to continue managing our public health to reduce COVID-19 risk and allow the dashboard to get to green," the VPs wrote.

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# Blood drive at Poughkeepsie Galleria February 23

Dutchess County will host a blood drive on Feb. 23 from 1 to 7 p.m. at the Poughkeepsie Galleria J.C. Penney store, (lower level outdoor entrance) 2001 South Road, in Poughkeepsie. The blood drive is in partnership with New York Blood Center.

One may sign up at [nybc.org](http://nybc.org) or call 1-800-933-2566.

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SUMMARY REFUNDING BOND RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF FISHKILL, DUTCHESS COUNTY, STATE OF NEW YORK, ADOPTED FEBRUARY 2, 2022, AUTHORIZING THE REFUNDING OF ALL OR A PORTION OF CERTAIN OUTSTANDING SERIAL BONDS OF SAID TOWN, STATING THE PLAN OF REFUNDING, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$2,400,000 REFUNDING SERIAL BONDS OF THE TOWN, AND MAKING CERTAIN OTHER DETERMINATIONS ALL RELATIVE THERETO.

WHEREAS, the Town of Fishkill, located in Dutchess County, State of New York (the "Town") previously issued \$2,785,000 principal amount of Public Improvement Serial Bonds, 2014 (the "Refunded Bonds") pursuant to a certificate of determination of the Town Supervisor of the Town (sometimes referred to herein as the "Chief Fiscal Officer"), dated July 14, 2014, which Refunded Bonds are dated July 14, 2014 and matured or mature in annual installments on July 15 in each of the years 2015 to 2034, inclusive, as follows:

Year	Principal Amount	Year	Principal Amount
2015	\$120,000	2025	\$140,000
2016	120,000	2026	145,000
2017	130,000	2027	145,000
2018	130,000	2028	145,000
2019	130,000	2029	145,000
2020	135,000	2030	145,000
2021	135,000	2031	150,000
2022	140,000	2032	150,000
2023	140,000	2033	150,000
2024	140,000	2034	150,000

WHEREAS, the Refunded Bonds were authorized pursuant to a serial bond resolution duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town on June 13, 2007 for the objects or purpose described therein and attached hereto as Exhibit A and delegated to the Chief Fiscal Officer the power to prescribe the terms, form and contents of and to sell and deliver such serial bonds of the Town; and

WHEREAS, \$1,885,000 aggregate principal amount of the Refunded Bonds currently remain outstanding and unredeemed as of the date hereof; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby determined to be in the public interest of the Town to refund all or a portion of the said outstanding Refunded Bonds by the issuance of the refunding bonds authorized by the refunding bond resolution summarized herein pursuant to Section 90.10 of the Local Finance Law; and

WHEREAS, such refunding will only be undertaken if it results in present value savings in debt service as required by Section 90.10 of the Local Finance Law;

NOW THEREFORE, THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF FISHKILL, COUNTY OF FISHKILL, STATE OF NEW YORK, HEREBY RESOLVES (by the favorable vote of two-thirds of all the members of said Town Board), AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. For the purpose of refunding the outstanding principal balance of the Refunded Bonds as more fully set forth in the Refunding Financial Plan (hereinafter defined), including providing moneys which, together with the interest earned from the investment of certain of the proceeds of the refunding bonds authorized by the refunding bond resolution summarized herein shall be sufficient to pay: (i) the principal amount of the Refunded Bonds; (ii) the aggregate amount of the unmatured interest payable on the Refunded Bonds to and including the date on which any of the Refunded Bonds which are callable are to be redeemed prior to their respective maturities in accordance with the Refunding Financial Plan (as hereinafter defined) and attached to the refunding bond resolution summarized herein as Exhibit B and made a part thereof; (iii) the costs and expenses incidental to the issuance of the refunding bonds hereinafter authorized, including without limitation, the development of the Refunding Financial Plan, costs and expenses of executing and performing the terms and conditions of the Escrow Contract (as hereinafter defined), and any securities supply contract, the premium with respect to any bond insurance policy or policies acquired with respect to the Refunding Bonds (as defined below), discount or compensation of underwriters, fees of bond counsel and financial advisors, rating agency fees, printing and serv-

ice agency fees and expenses, and fees and charges of the Escrow Holder (as hereafter described); and (iv) the redemption premium, if any, to be paid on any of the Refunded Bonds which are to be called prior to their respective maturities; there are hereby authorized to be issued in one or more series not exceeding \$2,400,000 aggregate principal amount of refunding serial bonds of the Town pursuant to the provisions of Section 90.10 of the Local Finance Law (the "Refunding Bonds"), it being anticipated that the amount of Refunding Bonds actually to be issued will be approximately \$1,910,000 as provided in Section 3 hereof. The Refunding Bonds shall be dated such as shall hereafter be determined by the Town Supervisor pursuant to Section 3 hereof, shall be of the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiples thereof (except for any odd denominations, if necessary) not exceeding the principal amount of each respective maturity and shall mature annually and shall bear interest semi-annually thereafter on such dates as shall be determined by the Town Supervisor pursuant to Section 3 hereof, at the rate or rates of interest per annum as may be necessary to sell the same, all as shall be determined by the Town Supervisor. The proposed principal amounts and dates of maturity of such Refunding Bonds are set forth in the Refunding Financial Plan attached to the refunding bond resolution summarized herein as Exhibit B.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that pursuant to Section 90.10:

(a) the maximum amount of the Refunding Bonds authorized to be issued pursuant to the refunding bond resolution summarized herein does not exceed the limitation imposed by subdivision 1 of paragraph (b) of Section 90.10 of the Local Finance Law with respect to the Refunded Bonds;

(b) the maximum period of probable usefulness permitted by law at the time of the issuance of the Refunded Bonds for the objects or purposes for which the Refunded Bonds were issued is as shown in Exhibit A attached hereto;

(c) the last installment of the Refunding Bonds will mature not later than expiration of the maximum period of probable usefulness of the objects or purposes for which the Refunded Bonds were issued, or in the alternative, the weighted average remaining period of probable usefulness of the objects or purposes (or classes of objects or purposes) financed with the Refunded Bonds, in accordance with the provisions of Section 90.10(c)(1) of the Local Finance Law;

(d) the estimated present value of the total debt service savings anticipated as a result of the issuance of the Refunding Bonds, computed in accordance with subparagraph (a) of subdivision 2 of paragraph b of Section 90.10 of the Local Finance Law, is as shown in the Refunding Financial Plan described in Section 3 hereof and attached to the refunding bond resolution summarized herein as Exhibit B, subject to changes in market interest rates;

Section 3. The financial plan for the refunding authorized by the refunding bond resolution summarized herein (the "Refunding Financial Plan"), showing the sources and amounts of all moneys required to accomplish such refunding, the estimated present value of the total debt service savings and the basis for the computation of the aforesaid estimated present value of total debt service savings, are set forth in Exhibit B attached hereto and made a part hereof. The Refunding Financial Plan has been prepared based upon the assumption that the Refunding Bonds will be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,910,000 and will mature, be of such terms, and bear such interest as set forth in the Refunding Financial Plan. The Town Board of the Town recognizes that the principal amount of the Refunding Bonds, the series, maturities, terms, interest rate or rates borne by the Refunding Bonds, the provisions for redemption thereof prior to maturity and whether or not all of the Refunding Bonds will be insured, and the resulting present value savings are likely to vary from such assumptions and that the Refunding Financial Plan will likely vary from that attached to the refunding bond resolution summarized herein as Exhibit B. The Town Supervisor is hereby authorized and directed to determine the principal amount of the Refunding Bonds to be issued, the series and designation or designations thereof, the time or times of the sale

thereof, the maturities and terms thereof, the provisions relating to the redemption of the Refunding Bonds prior to maturity, if any, including the date and the amount of such redemption or redemptions, whether or not the Refunding Bonds will be insured in whole or in part or uninsured, the amount of the annual installments of the Refunding Bonds to be paid pursuant to the Local Finance Law, whether the Refunding Bonds shall be sold at a discount in the matter authorized by Section 57.00 of the Local Finance Law, and the rate or rates of interest to be borne thereby, and to prepare, or cause to be provided, a final Refunding Financial Plan, all in accordance herewith, and all powers in connection therewith may be exercised by the Town Supervisor; provided, that the terms of the Refunding Bonds to be issued, including the rate or rates of interest borne thereby, shall comply with the requirements of Section 90.10 of the Local Finance Law. The Town Supervisor shall file a copy of a certificate determining the details of the Refunding Bonds and the final Refunding Financial Plan with the Town Clerk within ten (10) days after the delivery of the Refunding Bonds, as herein provided.

Section 4. The faith and credit of the Town are hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Refunding Bonds as the same respectively become due and payable. An annual appropriation shall be made in each year sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Refunding Bonds becoming due and payable in such year. To the extent that the same are not paid from other sources, there shall be annually levied on all the taxable real property in the Town a tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Refunding Bonds as the same become due and payable, subject to applicable statutory limitations imposed by Chapter 97 of the New York Laws of 2011 of the State.

Section 5. Each of the Refunding Bonds authorized by the refunding bond resolution summarized herein shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and the Refunding Bonds shall be general obligations of the Town, payable as to both principal and interest by a general tax upon all the taxable real property within the Town, subject to applicable statutory limitations imposed by Chapter 97 of the New York Laws of 2011 of the State.

Section 6. A complete copy of the refunding bond resolution summarized herein is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk, 807 Route 53, Fishkill, New York 12524 and on the Town's website <https://www.fishkill-ny.gov/> for a period of twenty days from the date of this publication.

EXHIBIT A

DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FINANCED WITH THE PROCEEDS OF THE REFUNDED BONDS

\$2,785,000 Public Improvement Serial Bonds, 2014

Object or Purpose

Acquisition of Recreation Facility

Period of Probable Usefulness

25 years

TOWN OF FISHKILL

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, NEW YORK

ESTOPPEL NOTICE

The refunding bond resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, was adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Fishkill (the "Town"), located in the County of Dutchess, State of New York, on February 2, 2021. The validity of the obligations authorized by such refunding bond resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose, or class of object or purpose, for which the Town is not authorized to expend money, or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of the publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of publication of this notice, or if such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution of the State of New York.

Date: February 9, 2022

/s/ Becki Tompkins  
BECKI TOMPKINS  
Town Clerk  
Town of Fishkill, New York



# New mobile command post proposal sent to County Legislature for approval

To ensure Dutchess County continues to effectively and efficiently respond to emergency events, County Executive Marc Molinaro has forwarded a resolution to the County Legislature for the purchase of three vehicles critical the Department of Emergency Response’s (DER) mission of preparing and responding to emergencies in the community, including a new state-of-the-art Mobile Communication Command Post vehicle.

Molinaro said, “Dutchess County remains committed to supporting the dedicated staff at our Department of Emergency Response, as well as Dutchess County’s first responders, all of whom work daily to keep our residents as safe as possible. Investing in these vehicles allows the County to better respond to emergencies with a larger, fully outfitted command center; continue to provide valuable fire investigation services to local fire departments; and realize long-term cost savings, compared to costly leases. I thank the members of the Legislature for their shared pledge to keep Dutchess County and its residents safe, and I look forward to legislators’ consideration and approval of this important investment.”

The new Mobile Communication Command Post will be a 45-foot vehicle

equipped with state-of-the-art apparatuses to more effectively serve the community and will replace the current, 30-foot-long command post vehicle that has been deployed throughout the County for large-scale community events, including large events such as marathons, mass distribution of COVID-19 test kits and numerous local Community Day events, in addition to countless emergencies throughout its 17 years of service. The Mobile Communication Command Post serves as a shared resource for all emergency services in Dutchess County, including local municipal officials, law enforcement and emergency responders. Any agency can request DER to operate the Command Post at an emergency scene or pre-planned event as a central hub for incident command. The equipment in the current vehicle, however, has become outdated and no longer sufficiently meets various communication needs, due to limited internet, radio and network capability. Additionally, the size of the current vehicle is very restrictive, creating inefficiency for incident leaders.

Featuring a bus chassis, the new Command Post will have double the amount of usable workspace of the current vehicle, with “slide outs” to increase

space as needed, allowing both command and communications teams to operate simultaneously. The vehicle will be equipped with IP based radio and computer equipment that is easy to replace as technology changes. It will feature both satellite and advance bonded cellular networking and there will be connectivity to County and 9-1-1 computer networks allowing access to the 9-1-1 phone system and Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) software. Local emergency service agencies will be able to connect to their technology and networks as well. The vehicle is being purchased through New York State bid for \$1.5 million, and is available for quick delivery from the manufacturer, despite recent supply chain issues.

DER will also purchase a new Fire Investigation Division (FID) vehicle, replacing its outdated, 25-year-old predecessor. The FID assists local fire chiefs at the scene of

incidents to determine the cause and origin of fires or explosions. The members of the FID are highly trained volunteers who are on-call 24 hours a day and, in 2021, the team investigated 54 incidents. The new vehicle will house equipment and tools necessary for investigations and will feature a separate interview

room to assist investigation on-scene and will be purchased for \$500,000.

The vehicle purchases are part of the County’s goal to have resources where they are needed. The County has also recently ordered a Mobile Community Health Clinic vehicle—which will be centered on serving outlying communities in northern and eastern Dutchess County, but available to every community. This mobile unit will expand the County’s health services and allow recovery coaches to offer more residents full-service physical and behavioral wellness services, including infectious disease services and testing; immunizations, such as COVID-19 vaccinations; and intake screenings, referrals and links to community partners. This customized vehicle has an extended delivery timeline due to ongoing supply chain issues.

The \$2.1 million emergency response vehicles purchase will be funded through an appropriation from the County’s General Fund balance. The Dutchess County Legislature’s Public Safety Committee reviewed the resolution its Legislative Committee meeting on Thursday, Feb 10 and the full Legislature was to vote on the purchase approval at its Board meeting on Monday, Feb. 14.

## Pianist Charles Richard-Hamelin to perform in Beacon Feb. 20

Howland Chamber Music Circle (HCMC) continues its 2021-2022 season with a live performance by pianist Charles Richard-Hamelin on Sunday, Feb. 20 at 4 p.m. at the Howland Cultural Center, 477 Main St., in Beacon. To attend the concert, tickets are available for purchase at <https://howlandmusic.org/Tickets.html>. Tickets went on sale Jan. 20.

In order to ensure the safety of its patrons, HCMC is following all CDC and local COVID guidelines. Concerts will be held at half capacity to enable social distancing, and a proof of vaccination is required prior to entry. (The wearing of masks will be determined by the prevailing CDC and local government mandates and guidelines.) As guidelines may change, HCMC thanks its patrons for their flexibility and cooperation.

For more information on this performance and on the entire 2021-2022 HCMC season, please visit [howlandmusic.org](https://howlandmusic.org).

Silver medalist and laureate of the Krystian Zimmerman Prize at the 2015 International Chopin Piano Competition in Warsaw, Canadian pianist Charles Richard-Hamelin is one of the most important musicians of his generation. In 2014, he won the second prize at the Montreal International Musical Competition and the third prize at the Seoul International Music Competition in South Korea. Charles is the recipient of the Order of Arts and Letters of Quebec.

Richard-Hamelin has appeared in world-renowned music festivals, such as La Roque d’Anthéron in France, the Prague Spring Festival, the “Chopin and his Europe” Festival in Warsaw and the Lanaudière Festival in Canada. As a soloist, he has performed with all the leading symphony orchestras of Canada (Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa, Métropolitain, Québec, Edmonton, Calgary, les Violons du Roy...) as well as with the Warsaw Philharmonic, Sinfonia Varsovia, the Korean Symphony Orchestra, and OFUNAM (Mexico).

Charles Richard-Hamelin is a graduate from McGill University, the Yale School of Music, and the Conservatoire de Musique de Montréal.

Richard-Hamelin has recorded eight albums to date, four featuring solo piano repertoire. He has been recording a complete set of Beethoven’s 10 sonatas for violin and piano with Andrew Wan, the first and second installments of which have been released.

Richard-Hamelin will play repertoire composed by three 19th-century musicians who all lived in Paris — Frederic Chopin, Cesar Franck, and Ernest Chausson (a student of Franck’s) — and a prolific 20th-century American, William Grant Still, who was known as “the Dean of Afro-American composers.” Richard-Hamelin will play Still’s suite for piano that evokes the voyage of “the human soul after death,” according to Still’s daughter.

## Beacon Police Blotter

The following is from the City of Beacon Police Department.

Jan. 14: Traffic Stop- Route 9D- Odell Watford Jr., 28, of Newburgh, was charged with aggravated unlicensed operation third-degree and miscellaneous V & T.

Jan. 15: Assault-North Avenue-Kelly J. Smith, 23, of Poughkeepsie, was charged with assault third-degree.

Jan. 15: Assault- North Avenue- Victoria R. Rivera, 20, of Beacon, was charged with assault third-degree

Jan. 15: Harassment- Forrestal Heights- Caller reported incident by an unknown confrontational individual. Caller requested incident to be documented at this time. Report filed.

Jan. 15: Harassment- Beekman Street- Caller reported an incident in which she believes her lock was tampered with by someone. Investigation conducted. Report filed.

Jan. 15: Auto Accident- Wolcott Avenue- Caller reported damage to her property as a result of a hit-and-run accident.

Jan 17: Unattended Death-Beacon-Officers responded to call for an Unattended Death. Report taken. Investigation was conducted.

Jan. 18: Fraud-Municipal Plaza- Caller reported fraudulent activity within his bank accounts. Report taken. Investigation was conducted.

Jan. 20: Criminal Mischief-Forrestal Heights- Caller reported damage to his front door. Report taken. Investigation was conducted.

Jan. 20: Fraud- School Street-Caller reported funds missing from his account. Report taken. Investigation was conducted.

Jan. 21: Warrant-Municipal Plaza- Jason D.

Fincher, 29, of Wappingers Falls, was processed on an open bench warrant.

Jan. 24: Fraud-Tompkins Terrace-Caller reported an unknown individual fraudulently opening accounts in his name.

Jan. 25: Traffic Stop- Verplanck Avenue- Benjamin Galloway, 30, of Beacon, was charged with aggravated unlicensed operation second-degree and miscellaneous V & T.

Jan. 25: Civil Matter-Water Street- Caller reported an ongoing dispute with a homeowner and contractor over a job he was hired to complete. Report taken.

Jan. 27: Larceny- Fishkill Avenue-Caller reported a sign was stolen from his business. Report taken. Investigation was conducted. Property was recovered

01/28 Auto Accident- Fishkill Avenue- Randy Zigay, 53, of Beacon was charged with aggravated unlicensed operation third-degree and miscellaneous V & T.

Jan. 28: Civil Matter -DeWindt Street- Caller reported a dispute she is having with her landlord. Incident documented at this time.

Jan. 29: Larceny-Main Street- Caller reported that a person known to her had taken items from her apartment. Requested incident to be documented.

Jan. 30: Larceny from Vehicle- Orchard Place-Caller reported an unknown individual had rummaged through both of her vehicles. Report was taken.

Jan 31: Stolen Vehicle- Main Street-Caller reported a stolen vehicle. Report was taken. Investigation conducted. Vehicle was located.

Number of Calls: 136  
Accidents: 14  
Domestics: 7

## Dance at Elks Lodge set for Feb. 19

Get On Down at the Elks Lounge Dance Night on Saturday, Feb. 19 at 7 p.m., 900 Wolcott Avenue (Rt. 9D), in Beacon. Dance to a vibrant mix of musical styles and song requests are welcome. These dances are informal and even if one comes alone, one can always find a

friendly partner on the dance floor. Admission is \$10, \$5 for Elks members, includes a variety of complimentary snacks, and a full cash bar is available. Proof of COVID vaccination required.

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# Longobardi's celebrates 40 years of bringing Italian dishes to local area

By Kristine Coulter

This year marks the 40th anniversary of Longobardi's Restaurant Pizza & Catering in Wappingers Falls. Longobardi is the village where Claudio Giliberti, owner of Longobardi's, lived in Italy. He moved to the United States in 1970. He was 16 years old. Claudio said he enjoys "that I'm able to provide the people with the food they like and make a living."

Claudio and his wife, Joanne Giliberti, moved to Wappingers Falls from Yonkers, Westchester County in 1980. At that time Claudio and his business partner, who was his brother-in-law, Arturo Nigrelli, (who still works and assists at the restaurant), began Longobardi, which has existed in a few different locations before its current one at 1574 South Road (Route 9).

"In 40 years, you meet so many people. You become friends with them. You meet all different people," Claudio remarked.

Claudio is now looking to sell the business. He is going to retire, he said.

Asked what some of the most popular dishes on the menu are, Claudio responded the chicken parmigiana, Nona pasta. There is also the Chicken Longobardi, which is artichoke heart, sun-dried tomatoes and hot peppers or one could choose the Shrimp Longobardi over pasta. Still cannot decide? There is the mushroom and pepperoni pizza or choose one of the other toppings. There are a variety of desserts, coffee and drinks available as well.

What would he order off the menu? "I would order lasagna with meat sauce if I was here as a customer," responded Claudio. Or he added, a dish that was made with veal.

"When you realize it's 40 years, half of

my employees weren't even probably born yet," Claudio remarked.

The past two years, and during other economic uncertainties, have not made it always an easy thing to run a restaurant.

When the pandemic first hit, Claudio said they offered take-out. While they were open for business, they "donated a lot of food," to such places as a local hospital and a Poughkeepsie church.

"There were a lot of people who could not cook – not that they could not afford it (the food)," remembered Claudio, who said that made him realize how many people depend on restaurants.

For four decades Longobardi's has supported the community, one way has been with sponsoring a girls softball team, said Claudio.

"For any small business, to reach 40 years is quite impressive, especially in the restaurant industry. But thanks to my friend Claudio Giliberti and his staff, his restaurant has become a landmark for fine Italian cuisine, meeting friends and family, and making memories that will last a lifetime. Congratulations on four decades," said Dutchess County Legislator Joseph Cavaccini.

Asked about the feedback he receives from the guests at the restaurants, he said, "Once in a while, you get a Friday or Saturday, and the place is full. That means people want to come in. It's a sign people want to come and are happy. Ninety-eight percent of the time you get 'Oh my God, everything was good,' you get that kind of response."

On the restaurant's website, [www.longobardisrestaurant.com](http://www.longobardisrestaurant.com), Claudio and Joanne's adult children wrote: "We want to congratulate our father, but also thank him. The example that Claudio has set for



Restaurateur Claudio Giliberti celebrates 40 years of his family's restaurant Longobardi's Restaurant Pizza & Catering in Wappingers Falls. -Photo by Kristine Coulter

us as a dad, as a businessman, and as a person has made the two of us who we are today. Neither of us will succeed him, but we think it's safe to say that when he's ready to hang up the apron and stop screaming "Menus!," no one would be able to fill those shoes anyway. Additionally, we want to thank Arturo Nigrelli, who partnered with Claudio for so many years and worked just as hard to provide that example for his own family in making the name Longobardi's synonymous with Italian food."

Claudio said, "I appreciate that my wife stuck with me over the years."

Joanne said, "It is a good life" and added, "but you have to work at it."

Joanne said she and their children "We are very proud of him."

"I want to say, 'thank you.' Thank you for the patronage. If it wasn't for the customers—have to thank them for coming back. And the employees." He also thanked his former business partner.

As for thinking about retirement now, Claudio said, "It is going to be great. Things I could do that I couldn't do before ... spend more time with my wife, kids, grandchildren, and enjoy life while I'm still healthy."

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# Rombout Middle School names honor roll students for 2nd quarter

The Rombout Middle School administration released its 2nd quarter honor roll students. The following students earned honor roll position:

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**8th Grade:** Nadeen Ahmed, Alianna Alijaj, Farhana Antora, Patrick Apmann, Mira Bagriyanik, Alexander Browning, Parker Capawana, Skylar Clair, Christian Clay, Peter Cohen, Tye Elias, Marisah George, Zenia Haris, Dylan Hetrick, Alina Joseph, Oren Kelleher, Gabrielle Khalil, Aidan Kinsley, Savana Kush, Brayden Manning, Alma Mart, Oscar McKible, Nolan O’Malley, Liliana Rybak, Juan Tutasi Jr., Addison Zittel.

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# Obituaries

## Joseph John Cservak Jr.

WAPPINGERS FALLS – Joseph John Cservak Jr. passed away peacefully in his home in Wappingers Falls, NY, on February 3, 2022, surrounded by his children and grandchildren. He was 80 years old. Joseph was born on January 17, 1942, to Joseph J. Cservak Sr. and Cecilia Di Martino in Poughkeepsie, NY. On December 3, 1966, he married Barbara Dizillo. From their marriage, children Joseph J. Cservak III (Wendy) and Michael A. Cservak (Tammy) were born. Although their marriage did not continue their friendship remained. On May 23, 1980, Joseph married Nancy R. Doyle. From their marriage, children Brian J. Cservak, Jason P. Cservak and Jolene R. Cservak-Bollen (Eric) were born. While this marriage also dissolved, Joseph remained friends with Nancy as well as her significant other Brad Gaddy. Joseph attended St. Mary's School in Wappingers Falls, NY and served his country as a Marine. He was a Teamster for Local 445 for many years, working at Montfort Brothers in Fishkill, NY. Later in his career he proudly drove 18 wheelers for his son Michael's company, Cservak Construction and Landscaping Inc., until his retirement. Joseph was a man of many skills including carpentry, gardening, masonry, and mechanics. He was an avid NASCAR fan, cheering for drivers Dale Earnhardt and later Danica Patrick. He also loved riding his Harley Davidson on quiet Sundays and maintaining his 1964 Chevy Impala convertible. Joseph loved his children very much and loved to 'talk shop,' sports and politics with his sons & anyone else who would listen. Joseph's daughter, Jolene, and her husband Eric lovingly dedicated their time and care for him for the last 15 years of his life as he suffered with Parkinson's disease. Mostly, Joseph was known as a man's man, a friend who was always willing to help or offer advice to anyone in need. He truly made an impact on so many. He was most proud of his five children and grandchildren Joseph J. Cservak IV, Isabella Marquez, Brian Cservak Jr., Kelsey Bollen, and Karly Cservak. Joseph will also be deeply missed by his four siblings: Richard Cservak, Ronald Cservak, John Cservak, and Marie White, their spouses and loved ones; his numerous nieces and nephews; his daughter-in-law, Kim Cservak; and the rest of his large extended family. His absence will be felt year-round, but especially during the family's regular large gatherings at the home he built, where he made everyone he knew feel welcome. Joseph was predeceased by his father, Joseph; mother, Cecilia; and sister, Veronica. Calling hours were held at Delehanty Funeral Home, 64 East Main St., Wappingers Falls on Thursday, February 10. A Funeral Mass was held at St. Mary's Church, Wappingers Falls on Friday, February 11, followed by burial at Wappingers Rural Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in Joseph's name to: The Parkinson's Disease Support Group of the Mid-Hudson Valley, Inc., P.O. Box 304, Lagrangeville, NY 12450. Delehanty Funeral Home is honored to assist the family with funeral arrangements. [www.delehantyfuneral.com](http://www.delehantyfuneral.com).

## Ellen Delocis

EAST FISHKILL – Ellen Margurite Rathbun Delocis died peacefully in her sleep Monday, January 31, 2022. She was 90 years old. An avid cook, gardener, and volunteer until late in life, Ellen was born December 15, 1931 in Cooperstown, New York. Raised on a dairy farm with her brother Richard Rathbun and late sister Jane Herring, Ellen was a lifetime Yankees fan and a subscriber to the Metropolitan Opera. A proud graduate of Albany Medical School's College of Nursing, at that time affiliated with Union University, she never forgot that the rules of the time barred her from using the Schenectady campus' library after dark, spurring a lifelong interest in female equality and empowerment (the love of reading was already there). She became a school nurse teacher and was introduced to Robert Delocis by her roommate at the State University at Plattsburgh. In 1967 they married, in a small ceremony in Yorktown Heights and she paused her career in 1968. Bob died in 2003. Ellen is survived by her two children, Anna (Delocis) Scott and Peter Delocis, who, along with Anna's husband Blake Scott and children Josey and Haydin, love and miss Ellen, as do her younger brother

Richard, her many nieces and nephews, and her devoted friends and neighbors. Ellen returned to work in 1982 as the school nurse of Gayhead Elementary school in Hopewell Junction, NY until she retired in 1996, but remained in touch with her former co-workers, often going to lunches. She volunteered at the Nifty Thrifty shop in Beacon and the Hopewell Hose firehouse in Hopewell Junction, as well as working as an election monitor. In lieu of flowers, those who knew and loved her are encouraged to pitch in or help to a cause that is meaningful to them. Suggestions include Sloan Kettering Memorial Cancer Center [giving.mskcc.org](http://giving.mskcc.org), The Sierra Club Foundation [act.sierraclub.org](http://act.sierraclub.org), SUNY Plattsburgh Foundation Scholarships [giving@plattsburgh.edu](mailto:giving@plattsburgh.edu), and Planned Parenthood of the Hudson Valley [wear-plannedparenthood.org](http://wear-plannedparenthood.org). A memorial service is planned for the spring.

## Vincent J. Macrillo

FISHKILL – Vincent J. Macrillo, a resident of Fishkill, NY, passed away on February 4, 2022. He was 90. Vincent was born on May 30, 1931 in West Newton, MA, the son of Joseph and Angelina (Ratta) Macrillo. Vincent graduated in 1948 from Newton High School, Newton, MA. Vincent enlisted in the United States Navy and served from 1951 to 1955. He was both proud of and grateful for that service. He was proud of his service aboard the Dixie-class destroyer tender, USS Yosemite (AD19), at that time the flagship of the COMDESLANT (Commander, Destroyer Force, Atlantic). There he achieved the rank of Interior Communication Electrician Second Class. He was grateful for the longstanding friendship he formed with one of his shipmates who introduced him to his future wife. Vincent married Eleanor Cecilia Barry on November 12, 1955, at the Church of the Assumption, Peekskill, New York. Shortly after, Vincent and Eleanor moved to Dutchess County, NY. There, Vincent began in 1956 his career with IBM, and together, he and Eleanor started their immediate family that would eventually grow to five children: Christopher, Philip, Loretta, Mark and Thomas. Their marriage would last 66 years. The activities that meant the most to Vincent were those involving family such as: the weekend preparation of tomato sauce and meatballs to be frozen for use during the week, the annual family cookout with friends and relatives from New York and Massachusetts (Coincidentally, there was often a Yankee/Red Sox game scheduled for the same weekend that would bring out friendly and entertaining family debates.), the Christmas Eve decorating of a Charlie Brown look-alike Christmas tree and Christmas Eve dinner with the children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. After 35 years, Vincent retired from IBM in 1991 as an Advisory Engineer in Poughkeepsie, NY. Among other things, Vincent was skilled as an electrician, carpenter and plumber and took pride in a job well done. After retirement, he enjoyed working as a contractor, but what he really enjoyed more than anything else were the people he was working with and for. His family and friends were what he enjoyed. It was when working with family and friends that Vincent felt the most satisfied and fulfilled. Vincent was a member of St. Mary Mother of the Church Parish in Fishkill, NY. He was also a member of the Knights of Columbus, St. Mary Council 4065, where he could often be found working with the catering crew on weekends. In addition to his wife Eleanor, Vincent is survived by his children: V. Christopher Macrillo, Philip (Rebecca) Macrillo, Loretta (Terence) Walsh, Mark Macrillo and Thomas Macrillo; his grandchildren: Megan (Nicholas) Spaccarelli, Caitlin (John) Turchioe, Marcus, Samantha, Karlina, Carter and Alan Macrillo, and Conor Walsh; and great-grandchildren: Mackenzie, Madison, Cora, Vincent and Lincoln; as well as many cousins, nieces and nephews. Vincent is predeceased by his parents, his daughter-in-law Ann Macrillo, and his sisters Mary DiGironimo, Catherine Vosnak, Rose Gallelo and Josephine Russo. Calling hours were held at the McHoul Funeral Home of Fishkill Inc., 1089 Main Street, on Sunday, February 13, 2022. A Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Mary Mother of the Church, 106 Jackson St., Fishkill, NY. A memorial for Vincent is planned for the spring of 2022. In lieu of

flowers memorial contributions can be made to Hudson Valley Hospice or to the Alzheimer's Association. Vincent lived a life centered on family, friendships, traditions and his faith in God.

## Audrey Rundle

EAST FISHKILL – Audrey A. Rundle, 91, passed away on February 7, 2022 with her family by her side. Audrey was born in Peekskill, NY on June 17, 1930 to the late Philip J. Delaney and Caroline Rothweiler Delaney. On October 12, 1952, Audrey married Richard A. "Buddy" Rundle, Sr. in Peekskill at the Assumption Church. Richard predeceased her in 2014. Audrey was an LPN working first at the old Peekskill Hospital and then the Peekskill Community Hospital in the maternity ward for over 47 years. Audrey and Buddy always loved to host backyard barbecues at their home on Dyckman Street. They also loved to have all of their family to all holiday events at their home. Family was number one. Audrey was an avid New York Yankees fan. She didn't miss a game and loved talking about the games and the team. Audrey is survived by her three sons, Richard A. Jr. (Kathy), and their children, Richard A. III (Heather), and Jessica Melendez; Robert M. Sr. (Donna), and their children, Samantha Kroener (Casey) and Robert M. Jr.; and Kenneth P. (Lisa), and their children, Amanda and Kenneth. She is also survived by her grandsons, Douglas Eyles (Kristy), and Christopher Eyles (Allie); and six great-grandchildren, Finnley and Delaney Rundle, Jennessa and Brandon Melendez, and Julie and Lucas Eyles. Audrey was predeceased by her daughter, Kathleen Eyles, in 2012. The Mass of Christian Burial was offered at St. Columba Church, 835 Route 82, Hopewell Junction followed by interment in Assumption Cemetery in Peekskill.

## Cpl. Marcello L. Scrudato

FORT BRAGG, NC / FISHKILL, NY – Cpl. Marcello L. Scrudato, 24, a resident of Fishkill, NY since 2007, died in a motor vehicle accident on January 29, 2022 in Sanford, NC while stationed at Fort Bragg Army Base in NC. He previously lived in Ossining, NY. Marcello was born in Mount Kisco, NY on June 1, 1997. He attended Fishkill Elementary School and Van Wyck Junior High School and was a 2015 graduate of John Jay High School in East Fishkill, NY. He attended the University of Albany where he studied Physics and Engineering before enlisting in the US Army in 2017. After enlisting in the US Army, he attended basic combat training at Fort Jackson, SC in February 2017, and was assigned to Fort Bragg after attending the U.S. Army Airborne School. As a human resource specialist, Marcello deployed once to Jordan. He spent his career assigned to the 3rd Special Forces Group and 528th Special Operations Sustainment Brigade. His awards and decorations include the

Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal (fifth award), Army Good Conduct Medal, Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal (Campaign Star), Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Certificate of Appreciation (fourth award), and the parachutist badge. Marcello assisted in the training of parachutists of our Allied Forces. Marcello is survived by his parents, Carmelo and Maria Auxiliadora Scrudato of Fishkill, NY; his twin sister, Maria Cristina Scrudato of Fishkill, NY; his extended family including grandparents, several aunts, uncles, and cousins; and many friends, especially his longtime buddies, Alex, Santiago, Ryan, Shiva, Anton, Marcello, and Matt. Marcello's hobbies included basketball, golf, weight-training, hiking and other outdoor activities. In high school Marcello was a proud member of the swimming and crew team. Marcello also enjoyed spending time at home with his family and his friends. A Mass was offered with military honors at St. Mary, Mother of the Church, 106 Jackson Street, Fishkill on Friday, February 11. Donations may be made in Marcello's memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Arrangements are under the direction of the McHoul Funeral Home of Fishkill, Inc. Please visit Marcello's Book of Memories at [www.mchoulfuneralhome.com](http://www.mchoulfuneralhome.com).

## Lawrence T. 'Lonnie' Wilkins

GLENHAM – Lawrence T. Wilkins, a longtime resident of Glenham, NY, passed away at his home on February 9, 2022; he was 80 years old. Affectionately known by his family & friends as 'Lonnie'. He was born on February 5, 1942 in the Bronx, NY, son of the late Walter & Madeline (Ernst) Wilkins. Lonnie was an extremely active Life-Member of the Slater Chemical Fire Company of Glenham, NY. He served as past-Lieutenant and served as Captain of the Fire Police. Lonnie was a passionate about his firematic service and helping his community. He worked for over 30-years as a postal carrier for the U.S. Post Office in Yonkers, NY, until retiring. He later worked as a salesperson at N & S Supply in Fishkill, NY. Lonnie is survived by his wife, Barbara C. (Massena) Wilkins; and his 3 sisters and 1 brother: Peggy Wasserlein, Cecelia Caragine, Nancy Wilkins and Tommy Wilkins. He is also survived by several nieces, nephews and his firehouse friends & brothers. His Family & Friends gathered on Sunday, February 13 at the LIBBY FUNERAL HOME, 55 Teller Avenue, Beacon. A Mass of Christian Burial was offered Monday, February 14 at St. Mary Mother of the Church, 106 Jackson Street, Fishkill, followed by a private cremation. To offer a message of condolence or share a fond memory, please visit: [www.LibbyFuneralHome.com](http://www.LibbyFuneralHome.com).

# Cpl. Scrudato honored



Members of the Hughsonville Fire Department, above, and East Fishkill Fire District paid their respects to United States Army Corporal Marcello Scrudato as his funeral procession passed through the fire districts. Cpl. Scrudato was 24 and a resident of Fishkill. He died in a motor vehicle accident on January 29, 2022 in Sanford, NC while stationed at Fort Bragg Army Base in NC. Scrudato was a 2015 graduate of John Jay High School in East Fishkill.

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**SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF DUTCHESS SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS AND NOTICE**

Index No. 2021-50761  
Date Filed: 1/4/2022  
BankUnited N.A., Plaintiff,  
-against-  
Constance Talbert; Jerome L. Frazier, if he be living or dead, his spouse, heirs, devisees, distributees and successors in interest, all of whom and whose names and places of residence are unknown to Plaintiff; WF HIL 2017-2 Grantor Trust; GL Mortgage; Sharon Burt; New York State Department of Taxation and Finance; Dutchess County Commissioner of the Department of Social Services; Dutchess County Department of Community & Family Services, State of New York, and "JOHN DOE", said name being fictitious, it being the intention of Plaintiff to designate any and all occupants of premises being foreclosed herein, and any parties, corporations or entities, if any, having or claiming an interest or lien upon the mortgaged premises, Defendants.  
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 126 Curry Road, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590  
TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:  
YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to

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serve a copy of your answer, or a notice of appearance on the attorneys for the Plaintiff within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. The United States of America, if designated as a defendant in this action, may appear within sixty (60) days of service hereof. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: The foregoing Summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an Order of the Hon. Hal B. Greenwald, a Justice of the Supreme Court, Dutchess County, entered Jan. 4, 2022 and filed with the complaint and other papers in the Dutchess County Clerk's Office. NOTICE OF NATURE OF ACTION AND RELIEF SOUGHT THE OBJECT of the above captioned action is to foreclose a Mortgage to secure \$260,200.00 and interest, recorded in the Dutchess County Clerk's Office on September 30, 2016, in Document Number 01-2016-6205 covering premises known as 126 Curry Road, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 a/k/a Section 6157, Block 2, Lot 506649. Further, to secure the cancellation and discharge of a certain mortgage recorded in

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the Dutchess County Clerk's Office. The relief sought in the within action is a final judgment directing the sale of the premises described above to satisfy the debt secured by the Mortgage described above. Plaintiff designates Dutchess County as the place of trial. Venue is based upon the County in which the mortgaged premises is situated.  
**NOTICE YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME**  
IF YOU DO NOT RESPOND TO THIS SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE MORTGAGE COMPANY WHO FILED THIS FORECLOSURE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT, A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED AND YOU CAN LOSE YOUR HOME. SPEAK TO AN ATTORNEY OR GO TO THE COURT WHERE YOUR CASE IS PENDING FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON HOW TO ANSWER THE SUMMONS AND PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY. SENDING A PAYMENT TO YOUR MORTGAGE COMPANY WILL NOT STOP THIS FORECLOSURE ACTION. YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE

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ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT.  
Dated: September 8, 2021  
Frank M. Cassara, Esq., Senior Associate Attorney  
LOGS LEGAL GROUP LLP F/K/A SHAPIRO, DICARO & BARAK, LLC  
Attorneys for Plaintiff  
175 Mile Crossing Boulevard  
Rochester, New York 14624  
(585) 247-9000  
Fax: (585) 247-7380  
Our File No. 20-087491  
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING BOARD TOWN OF WAPPINGER DUTCHESS COUNTY, NEW YORK**  
Project Name: Myers Corners Road Self-Storage (Amended Site Plan)  
Location: 169 Myers Corners Road  
Application: Nos.: 21-3452 (Site Plan) and 21-4097 (Special Use Permit)  
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, the Town of Wappinger Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing on the 7th day of March, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall, 20 Middlebush Road, Wappinger Falls, NY pursuant to Article IX, Section 240-87 of the Town Law, on the application of 21-3452 (Site Plan) and 21-4097 (Special Use Permit) Myers Corners Road Self-Storage - Amended Site Plan: To discuss an Amended Site Plan application and Special Use Permit. The applicant is proposing to convert to a modern self-storage facility within the existing building on 30.81 acres in a COP Zoning District. The property is located at 169 Myers Corners Road and is identified as Tax Grid No.: 6258-03-278358 in the Town of Wappinger.  
PLEASE TAKE FUR-

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HER NOTICE, that the Planning Board has not made a determination of significance pursuant to State Environmental Quality Review Act and hereby reserves its right to make such determination after the conclusion of the public hearing. All interested persons will be heard by the Planning Board of the Town of Wappinger at the public hearing as stated above.  
Signed: Bruce Flower, Chairman  
Town of Wappinger Planning Board  
Date: January 27, 2022

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS TOWN OF WAPPINGER DUTCHESS COUNTY**  
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, the Town of Wappinger Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the 22nd day of February, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall of Wappinger, 20 Middlebush Road, Wappinger Falls, NY pursuant to Section 240-37 of the Zoning Law of the Town of Wappinger to consider the following area variance: PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, the Zoning Board of Appeals has not made a determination of significance pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act and hereby reserves its right to make such determination after the conclusion of the public hearing.  
Appeal No: 22-7745 (Area Variance)  
George Schmitt: Seeking an area variance Section 240-37 of District Regulations in an R-20 Zoning District.  
-Where 40 feet is required to the rear yard property line, the applicant can provide 30.8 feet for the installation of an in-ground pool, thus requesting a variance of 9.2 feet.  
-Where 20 feet is required to the side yard property line, the applicant can provide

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15.1 feet for the installation of an in-ground pool, thus requesting a variance of 4.9 feet. The property is located at 27 Hilltop Drive and is identified as Tax Grid No.: 6258-04-930064 in the Town of Wappinger. All interested persons will be heard by the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Wappinger at the public hearing as stated above.  
Signed: Peter Galotti, Chairman  
Zoning Board of Appeals  
Town of Wappinger  
February 9, 2022

**REQUEST FOR BIDS NOTICE**  
The Purchasing Agent, County of Dutchess, Poughkeepsie, New York, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids for: Bid #RFB-DCP-11-22  
**OEM Automotive Replacement Parts**  
Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the 10th day of March 2022 at the Dutchess County Division of Central Services, 378 Violet Avenue, Suite 2, Poughkeepsie, New York 12601. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained by visiting our web site <http://www.dutchessny.gov>, selecting "Government", then selecting "Bidding and RFP Opportunities". For additional information, call (845) 486-3613.

Notice is hereby given that Public Hearings will be held by the Town of East Fishkill Zoning Board of Appeals, Dutchess County, on Tuesday the 22nd day of February, 2022 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as the matter may come on to be heard at the Town of East Fishkill, 330 Route 376, Hopewell Junction, the Town of East Fishkill Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct Public Hearings on the following applications.  
1. Mohammad Rahman, 81 Broadway, Hopewell Junction, is requesting a 9' side-line variance to allow an existing 12'X20' (240sf) rear deck, pursuant to the Schedule of Bulk Regulations of the Zoning Ordinance.  
2. Cindy & Ahmed Elghuer, 122 Broadway, Hopewell Junction, is requesting a 32' rear line variance to allow a proposed 20'X30' (600 sf) addition, pursuant to the Schedule of Bulk Regulations of the Zoning Ordinance.  
Norma Drummond  
Chairperson  
East Fishkill Zoning

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Board of Appeals

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION**  
Please be advised that on February 10, 2022 the Town Board Of the Town of East Fishkill adopted Local Law No 1 of 2022 Entitled,  
"A LOCAL LAW AMENDING CHAPTER 108 OF THE TOWN CODE"  
Full copies of the Local Laws are available at the Town Clerk's Office or on the website.  
BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF EAST FISHKILL  
PETER J CASSIDY, TOWN CLERK

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION**  
Please be advised that on February 10, 2022 the Town Board Of the Town of East Fishkill adopted Local Law No 2 of 2022 Entitled,  
"A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 4-2013 WITH RESPECT TO DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING; CODE ADMINISTRATION"  
Full copies of the Local Laws are available at the Town Clerk's Office or on the website.  
BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF EAST FISHKILL  
PETER J CASSIDY, TOWN CLERK

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION**  
Please be advised that on February 10, 2022 the Town Board Of the Town of East Fishkill adopted Local Law No 3 of 2022 Entitled,  
"A LOCAL LAW ESTABLISHING A MORATORIUM ON ROUTE 82 FROM PALEN ROAD TO BEEKMAN ROAD"  
Full copies of the Local Laws are available at the Town Clerk's Office or on the website.  
BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF EAST FISHKILL  
PETER J CASSIDY, TOWN CLERK

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL TOWN BOARD MEETING**  
Please take notice that the Town Board of the Town of East Fishkill will conduct a Special Town Board Meeting on Wednesday March 10, 2022 at 7:00 PM 330 Route 376, Hopewell Junction to vote on 1 Resolution.  
BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD  
PETER J. CASSIDY, TOWN CLERK  
Dated: February 14, 2022  
Town of East Fishkill, New York

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**Call of Election**  
RESOLUTION BY THE Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Wappingers Falls, New York, as follows:  
SECTION 1: That pursuant to Section 504 of the Election Law, the general Village Election of and for said Village will be held on the 15th day of March 2022, and that the polls shall be open for voting between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 9:00 P.M.  
SECTION 2: That the said Village has been divided into three (3) election districts and that a description of said districts, together with the polling place for each such district is as follows:  
ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 1: All that portion of said Village lying North and West of the Wappinger Creek; the polling place in District No. 1 is the Village Hall 2582 South Avenue in said Village.  
ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 2: Election District No. 2 is comprised of all that portion of said Village generally bounded as follows: on the South by the Village boundary line, on the North by East Main Street, on the East by South Avenue and on the West by the Wappinger Creek and the polling place is the Village Hall, 2582 South Avenue in said Village.  
ELECTION DISTRICT NO. 3: All that portion of the Village lying outside the two districts above described; the polling place is the Village Hall, 2582 South Avenue in said Village.  
SECTION NO. 4: This resolution shall take effect immediately.  
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the following are names, addresses, offices, and term candidates are nominated for.  
**A DEMOCRATIC PARTY**  
Adam Lauricella 9 South Mesier Ave 2 Yrs 3rd Ward Trustee  
**B REPUBLICAN PARTY**  
Kevin Huber 2725 West Main St. 2 Yrs. 1st. Ward Trustee  
Jennifer Niznik 3 Carmine Dr. 2 yrs. 2nd. Ward Trustee  
Adam Lauricella 9 South Mesier Ave 2 Yrs 3rd Ward Trustee  
**VILLAGE FIRST PARTY**  
Jennifer Niznik 3 Carmine Dr. 2 yrs. 2nd. Ward Trustee  
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Village of Wappingers Falls

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Each column of 9 numbers must include all digits 1 through 9 in any order.

Each 3 by 3 subsection of the 9 by 9 square must include all digits 1 through 9.

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The heavy lines indicate areas, called cages, from one to five squares in size. Fill each cage with unique digits, counting up from 1. So for example a 2-square cage contains the numbers 1 and 2; and a 5-square cage contains the numbers from 1 to 5. Adjacent (touching) squares, even ones that touch diagonally, may never contain the same number.

- ACROSS

1. Family members, for short

5. La \_\_, Bolivia

8. Arthur with a racket

12. Mine entrance

13. Nasal detection

16. Ferris wheel rider’s cry

17. Sheep shelter

18. Turner and others

19. Of an age

20. Impulse to steal

23. Common contraction

24. Houston, familiarly

25. Heavy

27. Performance

30. Middle chapter in a book with 27 chapters

32. Tennis shoe

35. Ecclesiastical title

38. Gaze

39. Money exchanger’s fee

40. Names for five Scandinavian kings

43. Actor Richard

44. Fictional Uncle

46. Least adorned

48. Watch

51. Common contraction

52. Spot

53. Place to fish

55. Little bee, backwards

57. Despicable one

59. Runs

64. Baseball’s Hershiser

66. Lamp resident

67. Weather forecast

68. Dough for pasta, before 2002

69. Gray and Moran

70. This: Sp.

71. Final

72. \_\_ up; arrange

73. Musical instrument
- DOWN

1. Bag

2. False deity

3. Nip

4. Small progressions

5. Light-colored animal

6. Syria, once

7. Of a region

8. Wonder

9. Contractions in size

10. Summer complaint

11. Sea dwellers

14. Steeds’ features

15. Thai, for one

21. Means of transportation

22. Beverages

26. \_\_ up; consumed

27. Without \_\_; unworried

28. Tricky

29. School-year divisions

31. Mr. Kilmer

33. Eliminate

34. French pension

36. Uncertainty

37. Drink like Fido

41. State whose flower is the orange blossom: abbr.

42. Most full of gritty particles

45. \_\_ Teasdale

47. Fatal day in 44 B.C.

49. Shelf

50. More handicapped

54. Skimpy garments

56. Old anesthetic

57. Baked product

58. Opera solo

60. Reasonable bedtime

61. At \_\_; military command

62. Ceremony

63. Winter sight

65. Permit

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# Lyceum Cinemas to present free films for Black History Month

With the support of the Mid-Hudson Valley Federal Credit Union, it is Lyceum Cinemas' privilege to present two motion pictures during the month that highlight important events and accomplishments of Black Americans.

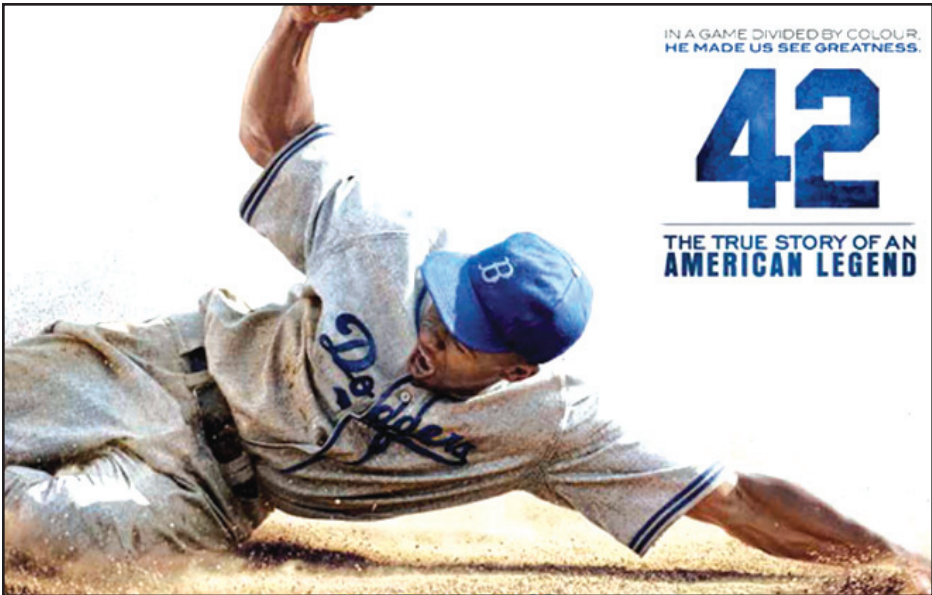
On Saturday, Feb. 19, Lyceum will feature "Red Tails," the story of the Tuskegee Airmen of World War II, a squadron of Black military pilots who shot down more than 100 German planes and repeatedly won Distinguished Unit Citations and other medals for performance in their missions over Europe.

On Saturday, Feb. 26, the featured film will be "42," the story of Major League Baseball's first Black player and super star, Jackie Robinson.

"Red Tails" will be shown at 10:30 a.m. on Feb. 19; "42" will be shown at 10:30 a.m. on Feb. 26. Doors open at 10 a.m. Admission is free and is first come, first served.

President Gerald Ford officially recognized Black History Month in 1976, calling upon the public to "seize the opportunity to honor the too-often neglected accomplishments of Black Americans in every area of endeavor throughout our history."

Lyceum Cinemas is at 7270 South Broadway in Red Hook. Call 845-758-3322 for more information.



In honor of Black History Month, Lyceum Cinemas in Red Hook will feature two free films: "Red Tails" on Feb. 19, and "42" on Feb. 26.

-Courtesy image

## Putnam Hospital president to update community during online forum Feb. 24

Putnam Hospital, part of Nuvance Health, will host its online "Community Forum" from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 24, via online livestream video.

Members of the surrounding community are invited to join the webinar to hear from hospital President Dr. Mark Hirko, who will discuss the latest hospital developments and updates on operations.

A question-and-answer period will follow the presentation. Participants are encouraged to submit questions in advance by emailing [askputnamhospital@nuvancehealth.org](mailto:askputnamhospital@nuvancehealth.org) or calling 845- 230-4773 and leaving name and phone number.

The link to join the virtual forum is: <https://nuvancehealth.zoom.us/j/95361552585?pwd=dTZKSDDrUDNqOW81T2JxM09mNVdyUT09>

The event will also stream at [facebook.com/putnamhospital](https://facebook.com/putnamhospital).

The recorded session and a copy of the digital presentation will be accessible on [www.nuvancehealth.org](http://www.nuvancehealth.org) following the event.

## Towne Crier Dance Jam Feb. 24

Get On Down at the Towne Crier Dance Jam on Thursday, Feb. 24 at 7 p.m., at 379 Main Street, Beacon. Dance to a vibrant mix of musical styles played by DJs Rhoda and Al in the rear performance room. Fine dining, snacks, desserts and full bar are available. All are welcome – singles, couples, friends, newcomers.

There is a \$10 admission. Proof of COVID vaccination required.

For more information, call 845- 765-0667 or email [rhodaja@optonline.net](mailto:rhodaja@optonline.net).

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49 Dutchess Ter.	4	2/0	1,644	\$540,000
8 Kitteridge Pl.	3	2/0	1,664	\$620,000
86 Old Glenham Rd.	3	3/1	2,300	\$650,000
1 Kent St.	4	3/0	1,842	\$675,000
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