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Fishkill board follows court order; approves water, sewer extensions for Continental Commons project

By Kristine Coulter

The Fishkill Town Board approved the resolutions to extend Blodgett Water and Blodgett Sewer districts. Judge Christi Acker, a New York State Supreme Court judge, ordered the Board to approve the water and sewer extensions in her September order. The decision was in favor of the proposed Continental Commons project, which would be off Route 9 across from The Home Depot. According to a representative for Domenic Broccoli, the project sponsor and owner of the land for the proposed project, the Fishkill Town Planning Board approved the project in 2019.

"The courts have upheld the rule of law, and have recognized the very property rights that the patriots fought for. Zoning and development should not be about politics and demagoguery, but upon the facts, the law, and juris prudence itself," said Broccoli in a press release. "Continental Commons is an exciting opportunity to weave together history, preservation, tourism and commerce."

Residents offered comments regarding the public comment period of the meeting. One comment offered was that "once the land is allowed to be built on, it will be gone forever."

Another commenter offered the Board should see "how best the land can be used."

In a press release, Continental Commons mentioned it was stated by



A rendering of the proposed Continental Commons project, which would be in the Town of Fishkill.

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Frank Castella Jr., Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce CEO & President, in a letter to the Town Board, "The important history of Dutchess County and Fishkill will be shared with guests and students as part of an inclusive

visitor center and tribute museum."

According to Continental Commons information, "The 18th-century colonial-themed village designed by MAG Design, a local architectural firm, consists

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Impressive line-up set for 2022 Sheep & Wool Festival

By Jim Donick

The annual New York State Sheep & Wool Festival arrives at the Dutchess County Fairgrounds this weekend, Oct 15-16. The ever-popular event has grown from its beginnings around 1980 as mostly a livestock (sheep) sale that attracted local shepherds to what is now one of the largest fairs of its kind.

There is still a great focus on the livestock, sheep, goats, alpacas and llamas, but now it focuses as much on the products and crafts associated with the wool these animals produce. It has become one of the largest annual gatherings of fiber-arts enthusiasts in the U.S.

This year, attendees can visit and shop with vendors, attend Sheep & Goat Shows, shop the Fleece Sale, visit the Breed & Camelid Barns with goats, llamas, and alpacas, view several fiber competitions, and enjoy a variety of author talks. There will also be plenty of food for all.

Festival Manager Nena Johnson expects this year's event to be a milestone. "We've had smaller events the last couple of years due to COVID-19, but this year we feel like it's a special year and that we are coming back to full capacity. I'm excited to welcome everybody back."

Jody Hyman, of New Milford, CT has been attending the Sheep and Wool Festival for nearly 40 years, having first gone in 1982 or '83. "I never miss it," she says. "I remember when it first started. It was contained in only one barn. Now it takes up nearly the entire Fairgrounds."

Crowds are often large and the sheer numbers of vendors and exhibitors keep growing. "On the other hand," said Hyman, "my favorite year was one year when there was so much rain that the only folks who came were the diehards. It was so easy to see all of the exhibitors and to get into any of the vendors areas."

One of Hyman's favorite aspects of the festival is people watching. "It's so neat," she said, "to see everybody dressed up to show the knits and finished materials they have made over the last year. You get a lot of ideas."

Johnson said visitors can expect more than 300 vendors, plus large

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Marist community mourns tragic death

By Rich Thomaselli

After more than a week, the initial shock has turned to grief in multiple communities.

At Marist College.
In the greater Hudson Valley.
On Long Island.

In a span of days, senseless violence came to the area in the form of gunfire. There was a shooting at Newburgh Free Academy in Orange County, another at Antonella's Italian Restaurant in Fishkill, and on Sunday morning, October 2, at the Courtyard Marriott Hotel in the Town of Poughkeepsie, where 53-year-old Paul Kutz of Long Island was tragically shot and killed in a random act.

Kutz, a Long Island resident, was the married father of three sons – one of whom graduated from Marist in May of this year and another who is a current student at the Town of Poughkeepsie school. That's where Kutz and his wife were visiting to celebrate the annual Family Weekend at the campus. They were getting ready to depart back to Long Island on

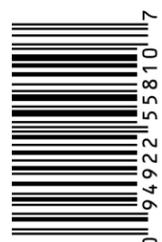


Pictured are Nathalie and Paul Kutz of Long Island. Paul died in a random shooting at the Courtyard Marriott hotel in Poughkeepsie on Oct. 2.

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Firefighter's Memorial held Oct. 2 at DC Emergency Center

The Dutchess County Volunteer Firemen's Association along with the Dutchess County Chief's Association held their annual Firefighter's Memorial at the Dutchess County Emergency Center in Poughkeepsie on Sunday Oct. 2.

This is the time of year they remember all those Firefighters and auxiliary who have answered their final alarm.

In attendance were members of the Dutchess County Volunteer Firefighters Association, Dutchess County Chief Council, Emergency Response officials, elected officials and approximately 70 Firefighters who were there to remember those who have passed away.

This year 68 names were read off with the bell tolling for each ring. Finally, a



Right, Dutchess County Firefighters attended the annual Firefighter's Memorial event on Oct. 2. Left, DCVFA 2nd Vice President John O'Brien and Dutchess County Fire Coordinator David Alfonso laid the wreath at the ceremonies.

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wreath was laid at headstone by DCVFA Vice President John O'Brien and David Alfonso Fire Coordinator Dutchess County Department of

Emergency Response. Members of J.H. Ketcham Hose Company and Roosevelt Fire Department brought their

ladder trucks to hoist a flag and the Salt Point Fire Company brought their engine.

Water, sewer votes taken by Fishkill board

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of restaurants, shops, inn, living museum and visitor center. A ground-breaking new concept, it both honors the historic nature of the Fishkill Supply Depot and provides visitors a renewed perspective on the meaning of the American Revolution, itself. The development serves as a dynamic, interactive learning experience and compliments other attractions in the area." It was noted by a representative for Continental Commons "the development team is now exploring, augmented reality tours that would use your smart-phone to show how the area looked during the Revolutionary War."

"It would be great if the Town and County embraced this concept for all historic sites," said Broccoli.

"There was good opposition to the project at the Town Board meeting, where citizens voiced their desire to appeal the court decision, but the board decided to rule in the developer's favor, based on

the town attorney's recommendation," remarked Albra late last week.

Albra recused himself from the votes. Broccoli is appealing a lawsuit that he brought against Albra. The court decided in favor of Albra in that case.

Council member John Forman read the resolutions, which reads that a court order states it is in the public interest to grant the extensions.

Council member Louise Daniele abstained from the votes. Council members Forman, Carmine Istvan and Brian Wrye voted for the resolutions.

"I agree with Judge Acker's decision to grant water and sewer rights to Continental Commons, and appealing the decision will just delay the inevitable and cost the taxpayers more unnecessary money," stated Istvan last week. "Now, it's up to the developer to get Board of Health approval to move forward with the project."

Acker's order also emphasizes the proposed project needs Dutchess County Department of Health approval.

Wrye said last week, "We thought we just had to do it. To appeal would be a waste of money." Wrye also stated, "We had to go forward with it. We're here to serve the people. We also have to work with the facts. End of subject. We had to move on." Wrye said the only ones who would have benefited would have been the attorneys, and it would have ended up in the same place.

"We had to make a decision; we're not picking sides. We have a fiduciary responsibility," said Wrye, who also noted it was the step the board's counsel advised.

Forman said last week, "The Supreme Court of the State of New York issued a decision." He said, "The judge made a decision that directed the Town Board to [follow] the decision to move it forward." He reiterated that it is also stated in the decision that the proposed project still needs to receive Board of Health approval.

Daniele explained about why she abstained, "I do not believe that the court decision was correct. I believe that

the Town should have taken the time to review the merits of an appeal. There is only a short time to file a notice of appeal and the Town Board should not have rushed into judgement on this. It was not disputed that there was deficient water and sewer infrastructure within the proposed district extension areas. A Town should not be forced into accepting deficient water and sewer infrastructure into its water and sewer districts."

In December of 2020, State Supreme Court Judge Maria Rosa denied a local group's petition challenging the Continental Commons's State Environmental Quality Review by the Town of Fishkill Planning Board. The judge's ruling upholds the Planning Board's environmental review and special-use permit, and site plan approvals for the Continental Commons project.

According to a representative for the project, the official groundbreaking ceremony will be held in spring 2023 and will be open to the public.

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Biden visits IBM in Poughkeepsie

President Joe Biden arrived on Air Force One at Stewart Air National Guard Base in Newburgh, Orange County, on October 6. Biden then traveled to Dutchess County to visit IBM's site in Poughkeepsie.

Arvind Krishna, Chairman and CEO of IBM, announced IBM's plans to invest \$20 billion across the Hudson Valley region over the next 10 years. Krishna said the innovations showcased will benefit from the CHIPS and Science Act.

"The United States has to lead the world in producing these advanced chips. This law is going to make sure that it will," said President Biden.

On IBM's website, Krishna wrote, "Earlier today (Oct.6), I had the honor of welcoming U.S. President Joe Biden and other distinguished guests at our site in Poughkeepsie, New York.

"This was an exciting day for IBM and a unique opportunity to highlight our commitment to advancing critical innovations - from zSystems, to semiconductor design and manufacturing, to quantum computing and more."

The CEO noted, "The IBM innovations we showcased for the president today in Poughkeepsie are vital to the future of the world's business, industry, and society, and they will greatly benefit from the CHIPS and Science Act. This law will help ensure a reliable and secure supply of next-generation chips, and help advance the science and business of quantum computing."

The president noted, "Where is it written that we can't lead manufacturing in the world? I don't know where that's

written. And that's one of the things the CHIPS Act is going to change. A law that's going to build the future and a proud, proud legacy not only for IBM, but for the country - a legacy of innovation and manufacturing that exists in this region of New York."

"In many ways, our Poughkeepsie site symbolizes everything that makes IBM such a great and storied company. For decades, the site has ushered in innovations that have a major impact on the world. It produced data processing systems that made the U.S. social security system possible, made the Apollo Program that put a man on the moon a success, and powered businesses in every industry," the CEO said.

Krishna stated, "To this day, Poughkeepsie produces the latest generation of mainframes - IBM's zSystems - which underpin the global economy. But the site is not just innovating for today. It is home to IBM's first Quantum Computation Center - where a large number of quantum computers run in the cloud. Our vision is for the site to be a global hub of our quantum computing development, just as it is today for mainframes.

"Poughkeepsie is also part of a broader ecosystem of innovation centers in New York's Hudson Valley region - with other sites in Yorktown Heights and Albany - helping to push the boundaries of semiconductor design and manufacturing," said Krishna.

The CEO remarked, "To support this important work, I was proud to announce today a plan to invest \$20 billion across



President Joe Biden walks down the stairs of Air Force One at Stewart Air National Guard Base in Newburgh, Orange County, on October 6. Biden then traveled to the IBM facility in Poughkeepsie.

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the Hudson Valley region over the next 10 years. The goal of the investments, which will be strengthened by close collaboration with New York State, is to unlock new discoveries and opportunities in semiconductors, hybrid cloud, AI, and quantum computing.

Biden said, "And it's here now where

the Hudson Valley could become the epicenter of the future of quantum computing, the most advanced and fastest computing ever, ever seen in the world."

Krishna stated, "Hosting the president of the United States is a true honor. This was a day that all IBMers can be proud of."

Sheep and Wool Festival set at D.C. Fairgrounds



Andrea Tibbetts of Clover Brooke Farm in Hyde Park leads the parade of alpacas and llamas at the Dutchess County Fairgrounds. This year's NYS Sheep & Wool Festival promises to be one of the largest ever - back to full capacity after smaller events during the COVID-19 pandemic.

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numbers of shepherds with their animals. "People love to walk through the sheep barn or the camelid barn to see the animals up close and personal," she said. "Shepherds spend the entire weekend there with their animals to answer questions about them, about their particular breeds, and about their wool fibers. People are welcome to touch the animals and feel the wool themselves. This makes them much more knowledgeable when they then go out to some of the vendors to buy different types of wools."

Among the most popular events are the "breed talks," where visitors can learn specifics about various breeds and their differences.

There are also talks on how to get started as a shepherd. "This year we are taking a seminar that began online the year we stayed virtual," said Johnson, "and doing it live. This is a seminar to encourage people of color, who are interested in becoming shepherds and encouraging a diversity in our community."

The workshops, demos and breed talks will also be held online. Some offerings require advance registration.

Tickets for the event can be acquired online or at the gate. Pre-sale online tickets are \$12 + convenience fee. Tickets at the gates are \$15. Advance tickets can be purchased on the Internet at dutchessfair.com/the-fairgrounds/all-events/new-york-state-sheep-wool-festival/

Johnson said with the size of crowds

expected, folks buying tickets online should download them or take a screen shot to show at the gate, so they don't have to wait for the Internet there to bring the ticket up on the screen.

Further information and detailed scheduling data and other directions can be found on the festival's website at sheepandwool.com.

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Shiroishi makes sure the people 'know they have a voice'

To the Editor:

I am writing to express my wholehearted endorsement of Julie Shiroishi for New York State Senate, District 39. I have been fortunate enough to know Julie for a long time, and it has been a privilege to watch her transition from local activism to her fantastic work as Assemblymember Jacobson's chief of staff. I was beyond excited when I learned that she had finally decided to run for office herself.

Julie is one of the most dedicated, hardworking people I have ever known, and I have often said that we could solve many of the world's problems if we could just bottle her

energy. Whether it's helping a local family in need, fundraising for a small struggling Main Street business, or advocating for important government policies on all levels, Julie is there making it happen. She doesn't just get the job done; she perfects it.

A great leader is one who truly listens to the people they are leading. Julie has always tirelessly gotten out into communities to speak with people and make sure they know that they have a voice. This past year she has spent countless hours travelling all over our new senate district to make sure she is as well versed as possible in all of the issues facing the people she will represent.

Julie Shiroishi's unique blend of intelligence, sincerity, values, integrity, and work ethic make her the ideal choice for our state senate. I hope you'll join me as I excitedly cast my vote for Julie on November 8th - or before that at early voting!

Jodi McCrede

Former Councilmember, City of Beacon

Supports Shiroishi in NYS Senate 39th District race

To the Editor:

I've known Julie Shiroishi for twenty years or more and we were colleagues for five of those years. I've seen how she interacts with staff and with others. She's smart as a whip, listens well and knows how to bring people with differing opinions to consensus.

I was appalled at the recent Supreme Court overturning of Roe v. Wade. A woman's right to privacy was established law and this ruling deprives women of the basic right to determine what should happen to their bodies. I know that Julie feels the same and I know she will do everything in her power to preserve that right in New York. I support her in her run for state senator in the new 39th district.

Victoria Klose

Lagrangeville

DCC, DUE reach new five-year agreement; contains 12% salary increase over life of contract

Dutchess Community College (DCC) and Dutchess United Educators (DUE), the union which represents the College's full- and part-time faculty as well as non-teaching staff, have reached a five-year agreement. The contract provides annual step increases in pay and service for DUE members, as well as a 12% salary increase over the life of the contract.

The agreement has been ratified by the DUE membership and approved by the College's Board of Trustees as well as the Dutchess County Legislature.

"I am delighted that we have reached an agreement with our DUE faculty and staff and are able to provide them with this well-deserved compensation package," said DCC President Peter Grant Jordan. "I'm also grateful for the patience of our colleagues and share my deepest appreciation for the diligent, collaborative efforts of our negotiating teams."

The teams included, from the College's administration, attorney Stuart Waxman, lead negotiator; Maria Boada, former dean of academic affairs; Marc Bowman, associate vice president of human resources and chief diversity officer; and Donna Rocap, associate vice president of administration/finance. DUE was repre-

sented by Dr. Leah Akins, professor of engineering, who served as lead negotiator; Dr. Laura Murphy, professor of history, and chair of the DUE negotiating team; Dr. Linda Gaines, academic coach; Danielle Williams-Bell, director of scheduling; and Wesley J. Lee, part-time professor of government. Ron Dunn served as DUE's attorney, while Executive Assistant Leigh Williams served as recording secretary.

"This is a major accomplishment for our members and ultimately, it benefits our students as well," said Dr. Werner Steger, DUE's chair. "Having this process behind us assures that our faculty and staff can focus fully on the education and career goals of our students. I thank the board of trustees and county legislature for working to ratify this agreement expeditiously."

"DCC is fortunate to have many wonderful resources," added DCC Board Chair Michael Francis Dupree. "While having an advanced, well-equipped campus is important to serving the educational needs of our community, buildings don't teach students - teachers do. I'm very pleased to know that our faculty and staff are compensated fairly for the critical, life-changing work they provide."

Annual Dutchess Outreach Coat Drive set throughout October

From now through October 31, new or gently used coats can be donated to any Guardian Self Storage location, Red Cap Cleaners, Rhinebeck Bank and Raymour and Flanigan (Showroom or Outlet). Boys coats and adult XL or larger are in demand. From October 2022 - March 2023, Dutchess Outreach will distribute all donated coats.

The sponsors include: Guardian Self Storage, iHeart Radio, Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce and Pleasant Valley Library.

For additional information, contact: Mary Dynes, Coat Drive Volunteer Manager at 845-758-9063 or mary-

dynes@hriyc.org or Nyhisha T. Gibbs, Manager of Volunteers at 845-454-3792 or nyhisha@dutchessoutreach.org.

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A senseless tragedy hits home

Writer's son was best friends with family of shooting victim

By Rich Thomaselli

A Perspective

Less than 24 hours.

That's how short it took for the shooting at the Courtyard Marriott Hotel in the Town of Poughkeepsie on Sunday morning, October 2, to go from a sad local story to a tragic event that hit home.

My family's home.

My oldest son Joe and I were driving on Monday morning when he said he wanted to stop at a convenience store and just run inside and get something to drink. When he emerged from the store, I noticed immediately that he looked shaken – almost disoriented – and pale. I opened the car door, stood outside as he got closer, and saw tears start to form.

"Joe, what's wrong? What's wrong?!"

Normally loud and outgoing, with a booming voice that would have been great on radio, the oldest of my two boys kept staring at his phone.

"I just got a group text," he said softly.

Joe is in a group of 15 close-knit friends, men and women, who met practically in the first week of their freshman year at Marist College in 2016, did everything together – eight of the guys became roommates the next three years after living and meeting at the freshman dorm Champagnat Hall – and continue to

remain close after graduating in May of this year.

"Joseph," I said again, using his full first name as parents often do when they want to get their children's attention. "What is wrong?"

He looked up slowly from his phone. "Dad, Matt's father is dead," he said softly. "Matt Kutz just lost his father."

Earlier that morning I had seen the news posts and social media chatter online about a shooting at the Courtyard Marriott Hotel in Poughkeepsie, but saw no names nor further information, and did not know the extent of the violence that had taken place. But I knew it was Family Weekend at Marist (and Vassar College, for that matter) and I knew that my son's close friend had a younger brother currently attending Marist.

My heart sunk.

I connected the dots almost immediately. I said a silent prayer, hoping that I was wrong.

Unfortunately, I wasn't.

We didn't move from the parking lot of the convenience store. Joe got back in the car, sat still for a couple of minutes, and the jumbled, unfinished sentences started pouring out as he tried to comprehend what had just happened to his friend and tried to process it in his own mind. My

son will be 22 later this month and also now writes for a living, but he was at a loss for words.

"Should I try to call him and ..."

"His mom, I wonder if Mrs. Kutz is OK, I wonder if ..."

"I mean, I just talked to Matt on Saturday night and now ..."

Paul Kutz, 53, had indeed been shot and killed, a random victim of the plague of gun violence in this country. He leaves behind Matt and two other sons, and his wife Nathalie.

The couple of times I met him at the dorm or on campus, he was a true gentleman. And he was a prince to my son and the other friends in the group who would make the trek down to Long Island to visit their friend.

As a journalist, I have been asked many times to cover someone's death. I will always dread making that phone call to spouses or children or siblings to talk about their loved one's death, but in almost every instance people always seemed to be thankful – and find it cathartic – to talk about their loss. I thought I would ask Joe some questions, first about Matt and see if he wanted to open up a little.

"Matt was one of the first people I met at Marist. We bumped into each other at one of the Welcome Week events during freshman year. Matt was always the smartest one in our group. Madly intelli-

gent. And I definitely remember meeting his folks the first Parent's Weekend and thinking the same about his father," Joe said of his friend and the family. "Mr. and Mrs. Kutz are just so cool. So chill."

Acquaintances turned into friends, friends turned into close friends, close friends turned into roommates, roommates turned into brothers. As such, my son grew to love the extended Kutz family, even vividly recalling a time during their senior year when Paul and Nathalie Kutz made the trip from Long Island to Poughkeepsie to bring Matt's dog up for a visit.

"Big dog. Big, big dog," Joe said, now smiling big. "Mr. Kutz got a kick out of that dog."

He paused.

"Mr. Kutz never thought twice about doing things for his kids or for us when we were down there, always going out to get food, or grilling it up himself," Joe said. "He was extremely nice. I got the chance to talk to him and he was always just a really nice man."

I was hoping our conversation would be helpful to Joe, but I knew the inevitable questions would come. They would have to be rhetorical questions, though, but even if my son was asking me earnestly, I knew I wouldn't have an answer.

"If I'm having trouble understanding this, how is Matt going to process this all?" Joe said. "How are the Kutz's going to go on? How do you make sense of this?"

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Sunday morning.

In a statement, Marist College administration said, "Our deepest condolences go out to the family, and we are offering the full support of the Marist community to them. We remain in contact with local authorities and will keep you informed with any updates."

Town of Poughkeepsie Police Chief Joseph Cavaliere said he believes the killing was completely random and, despite the previous criminal record of two suspects that were apprehended at the hotel, Kutz did not know either man nor had any interaction with them.

"He went up for parents' weekend. That's how it happened, he went to the lobby to get coffee, to check out. Wrong place, wrong time," Ken Farrell, Kutz's next-door neighbor in East Northport, Long Island, told the New York Post.

Despite the belief of many who consider Poughkeepsie to be "upstate," the New York City media – including the Post, the New York Times, and the New York television broadcast affiliates of ABC, CBS and NBC – have all covered the story.

Two men were arrested – Roy Johnson, 35, and Devin Taylor, 26. The last known address of both men was in the area, Hyde Park for Johnson and Poughkeepsie for Taylor. According to a felony complaint charged filed in the Town of Poughkeepsie Court, Johnson was charged with second-degree felony murder and second-degree

felony criminal possession of a weapon. Taylor was charged with felony second-degree criminal possession of a weapon.

On Friday, District Attorney William V. Grady announced that a Dutchess County Grand Jury voted to indict Roy Johnson and Devin Taylor.

A written certification has been filed with the Town of Poughkeepsie Court. Pursuant to the Grand Jury's action, an indictment will now be prepared and filed with the Dutchess County Court during the week of October 10. An arraignment date will be scheduled by the court thereafter.

The Town of Poughkeepsie Police Department has attempted to dispel misinformation and conjecture in the days following the shooting. In a statement on Wednesday, the Police said they had no new information indicating that there was an argument between Johnson and Kutz in the lobby of the hotel, as some suggested.

"At this point of the investigation, the shooting appears to have been unprovoked," the police said.

As for the two suspects, the police said in their statement that "There have been inquiries as to why the term 'homeless' was used regarding the suspects. To clarify the term 'homeless,' the term is used by law enforcement for instances in which the fixed permanent home address of defendants cannot be established. As far as we can establish, they are mostly transient and there is not a fixed address for either defendant."

Renegades support staff gains two Best in League honors

Two members of the Hudson Valley Renegades 2022 support staff have been recognized as being the best at their positions in the South Atlantic League. Athletic Trainer Jonathan Becker was honored by the Professional Baseball Athletic Trainers Society (PBATS) as the 2022 South Atlantic League Athletic Trainer of the Year. Strength Coach Danny Smith was named the 2022 South Atlantic League Strength & Conditioning Coach of the Year by the Professional Baseball Strength & Conditioning Coaches Society (PBSCCS).

"For Jon and Dan to be recognized as the top AT and Strength Coach in the South Atlantic league - it is justification for the hard work they put in on a daily basis," said Renegades Manager Tyson Blaser. "They were and are a big reason for our success as a team and for the individual players' development. On top of being very good at their profession, they are tremendous human beings and it was an absolute pleasure to work with them throughout the year. They both have very bright futures ahead of them."

Becker was in his first season with the

Renegades in 2022, and his sixth in the Yankees organization. He spent 2021 as the Athletic Trainer for the FCL Yankees, and was with Short-Season A Staten Island from 2017-2020. Prior to his tenure with the Yankees, Becker served as an athletic trainer for HSHS St. Joseph's Hospital and Nashville Community High School, both in Illinois. He graduated from McKendree University in 2013 with a B.S. in Athletic Training and interned in the Puget Sound Collegiate League in 2014.

He is among 15 athletic trainers recognized by PBATS as the best in their leagues (plus one coordinator). Becker joins the rest of that select group as finalists for the prestigious Minor League Athletic Trainer of the Year award, which will be voted on by the full membership of PBATS at the 2022 Baseball Winter Meetings in San Diego, California.

Smith completed his second season as the Renegades strength coach in 2022, and his sixth overall with the Yankees organization. He was also named the South Atlantic League Strength & Conditioning Coach of the Year by the PBSCCS in 2021 with the Renegades.

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Full slate of events set as new 4-H year begins

Wappinger hosts annual Carni'fall' four-day event

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The annual four-day Carni'fall' event was held in the Town of Wappinger Oct. 7-10 at Brexel-Schlathaus Park. Above, a bonfire was held the first night of the event. Top right, a chair was left empty to honor former Wappinger Recreation Director Ralph Holt, who died in September at the age of 93.



Attendees could visit a variety of rides, games and food vendors.

Fall Farm Day will be held on November 6 at Clover Brooke Farm in Hyde Park. Those who are interested may sign up for one of two sessions scheduled.

-Courtesy image

Just a few days into the new 4-H year and already it's all systems go!

Here are just a few events on the horizon. In October, over 200 Record Books, which capture what kids learn, think and feel, from the previous year are evaluated by community volunteers.

The annual Halloween Pumpkin Patch competition brings kids together to enjoy carving animals and spooky faces, which are then displayed and awarded prizes. Leaders get together with 4-H staff to plan for the coming year.

November brings the ever-popular Fall Food Festival and is the first opportunity

for youth to practice public speaking in a fun way.

We are excited to welcome youth with special needs to a Fall Farm Day courtesy of Clover Brooke Farm. Celebrations are held across programs to thank volunteers and recognize the youth. In December the focus for many clubs is giving back to their communities through a variety of youth-led service projects such as collecting for Toys for Tots. Check out the 4-H website ccedutchess.org/youth-4h/4-h-club-program or email Program Leader Jane Rodd jr825@cornell.edu if you would like to be involved in any way.

Office for Aging seeks volunteers for meal delivery program

The Office for the Aging (OFA) Home Delivered Meals (HDM) program is looking for volunteers who can help in our central kitchen in Poughkeepsie from roughly 9-11 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays, and/or Thursdays. Volunteers would be helping OFA prepare and package about 500 meals a day for delivery to homebound older adults

throughout the county. OFA will work with one's availability - if one is free just one of the days, two days, or all three...that's fine. Short- or long-term volunteers are both welcome.

For more information, contact Jamie in the OFA Nutrition division, at 845-486-2597 or jdennis@dutchessny.gov.



A Hughsonville Fire Department truck is driven down the parade route during the annual parade, which was held on October 8.

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DC 4-H'ers claim awards at Big E Beef Show

4-H'ers Riley Mahaffey, Angelina Otero and Ben Prentice traveled to the Big E in September to compete in the 4-H Beef Show against youth from the Northeastern States. Under the guidance of Amanda Skuza, Leader of the 4-H Here Comes the Beef Club (a volunteer who donates her time and resources to mentor these youth), they had a very rewarding and educational four days and returned with plenty of honors.

As a team, they competed in Livestock Judging, Skillathon and the Breed Show, placing in fourth against numerous larger teams. Individual awards went to Angelina – third place Intermediate Showmanship and second place Senior heifer calf; Ben – second place Senior showmanship and first place medium weight steer; and Riley Mahaffey who won her Intermediate showmanship class and, after winning her heifer class, went on to win the overall heifer championship.

The Here Comes the Beef 4-H Club provides an incredible opportunity for youth in our county to participate in agriculture supported by volunteers who provide not only beef industry expertise, but also guidance in developing a whole range of life skills, such as communication, marketing and the importance of giving back to the community. The new 4-H year started on October 1 and already Here Comes the Beef has three new members. At least 15 4-H youth will be raising steers to sell in a 2023 Livestock Sale. Through 4-H they can qualify to sell at the Dutchess County Fair and/or the Big E.



Riley Mahaffey won her Intermediate showmanship class and, after winning her heifer class, went on to win the overall heifer championship at the Big E show. Courtesy photo

Pumpkins, pumpkin pies and more during annual Pumpkin Festival

By Kristine Coulter

The Pumpkin Festival, which is the last of the three annual Beacon Sloop Club (BSC) community festivals, is set from noon to 5 p.m. on October 16 at Pete & Toshi Seeger Riverfront Park in Beacon.

“The Beacon Pumpkin Festival features Hudson Valley pumpkins of all sizes and shapes, fresh homemade baked pumpkin pie, hot pumpkin soup, hot and cold apple cider and much more available for purchase,” said Alan Thomas, member of the BSC.

Thomas noted, “There will be free children’s activities, many food and craft vendors, hula hooping, free sails on the Sloop Woody Guthrie and much more. Environmental non-profits will feature displays of local Hudson River history and the environment including information about their organization.”

On two solar-powered music stages (one just for the kids), much music is on tap at Beacon Pumpkin Festival, according to BSC member Joyce Hanson. Slated performers for the day include Betty and the Baby Boomers, The B2’s, Rick and Donna Nestler, David & Jacob Bernz, The Judith Tulloch Band, Spirit of Thunderheart, Beacon High School Chorus Singers, Beacon Songsmiths, Cosby Gibson and Tom Staudle, Bindlestick Bill, Pat Jones & Laurie Siegel, The Nevery Brothers, and Lydia Adams Davis.

Thomas said the BSC will present its



Pumpkin pie will be on the menu during the Beacon Sloop Club’s annual Pumpkin Festival on October 16.

-Courtesy photo by Alan Thomas

“traditional offerings,” there is “always some thing new to see in the river ecology tent and the vendor offerings.”

The BSC holds its Strawberry Festival in June. The annual Corn Festival is held in August each year. All festivals take place by the Hudson River.

“Everyone raves about the pumpkin pie

and fresh whipped cream and enjoys the chance to celebrate the bounty of the Hudson Valley down by the river,” Thomas stated.

What do BSC members hope attendees take away from the event? “We hope that everyone will come away with an appreciation of the beautiful Hudson River and its environment and want to

do their part to protect and preserve it,” said Thomas.

The Pumpkin Festival, said Thomas “has been a tradition, put on by our all-volunteer organization, as a community event for nearly 50 years.” He added: “We look forward to another 50 years, with [the community’s] help and support.”

Peckham Materials receives Gold Award from NSSGA

Recently, Peckham Materials’ Pleasant Valley Quarry received the Community Relations Excellence Gold Award from the National Stone, Sand, and Gravel Association (NSSGA).

Peckham was one of only eight Gold Award recipients in the country. This award recognizes facilities that have demonstrated achievement in efforts relating to special events, charitable contributions, volunteer projects, advocacy efforts, relationship building, quarry education, and media relations.

Many of the community activities hosted by Peckham Materials included blood drives, food drives, annual open houses, sponsorships, and donations to rebuild the local library after a devastating fire.

Peckham’s long-time employees and local Pleasant Valley residents Donna Siggelkow, Kevin McCarthy and Cliff Weigelt traveled to Washington, DC to

accept the award at the association’s annual Legislative and Policy Forum which took place Sept. 20-23. Siggelkow, McCarthy and Weigelt also participated in a small poster session after the award ceremony where they met with other association members to share Peckham’s work in Pleasant Valley and learn about the work of other award recipients.

This award recognizes the hard work and dedication of so many Peckham employees that contributed their time and effort in 2021 working within the company to not only support the Pleasant Valley community, but also educating and enhancing the perception of the facility and industry. While the Pleasant Valley Quarry team is honored to have been selected to receive this award, this award is also representative of Peckham Industries’ foundational dedication and commitment to serving local communities.



From left, Cliff Weigelt, Donna Siggelkow and Kevin McCarthy of Peckham Materials’ Pleasant Valley Quarry accept the Excellence Gold Award from the National Stone, Sand, and Gravel Association.

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DISPATCHES FROM THE VFW

by Tom Zurhellen

Inaugural 'Anthony's Walk' a success

The first-ever Anthony's Walk event took place on Saturday, Oct. 1, on the Marist College campus. Magically the wet weather from Hurricane Ian subsided just as the walk began, and I couldn't help but think to myself that Anthony was looking down on us and smiling as we embarked on a 22-minute campus walk in his honor. By all accounts, the first Anthony's Walk was a resounding success!

Anthony Gray was a Marine Corps veteran who was tragically murdered in October 2020 near Liberty Station, the veterans shelter in Poughkeepsie where he lived. He was only 55 years old and was just starting a new job, with a better life ahead. When he died, the local veteran community came together to cover all his final expenses, as he did not have any family in the area.

Unfortunately, Anthony's story is not rare among our veteran population, with 22 veteran suicides each day and 40,000 homeless veterans every night in America. So we wanted to create a community event to honor Anthony as well as raise awareness for all those veterans who might be facing a wide array of challenges, often right in our own communities.

Our walk leaders for this inaugural Anthony's Walk included Congressman Pat Ryan, who is a West Point graduate and a combat veteran. When it was his turn to speak at the start of the walk, Congressman Ryan shared the sobering story of one of his own soldiers from his unit that served in Iraq who committed suicide after returning home. The soldier had just gotten married.

As Congressman Ryan told his story, the room fell silent and I could hear some folks shedding tears as well.

It took a lot of courage for Pat Ryan to tell us his story, and I want to thank him for sharing the memory with us. It was a poignant reminder that we probably all know a veteran who is struggling; it's our duty to protect the heroes who took an oath to protect us.

When we lined up for the walk itself, I smiled because I saw a patch of blue sky above and I knew that Anthony was looking down on us and giving us a thumbs up for our efforts. In all we had approximately 200 folks take part in the first Anthony's Walk, which was a truly amazing turnout considering the weather forecast for that morning.

Our walk leaders, which included Congressman Ryan as well as Christa Hines, Executive Director of Hudson River Housing, and Dr. Kevin Weinman, President of Marist College, led the way in a loop around campus. I chose to bring up the rear, and I'm so glad I did, because I got to walk with a few older vets, some of whom were having visible trouble walking and keeping up with the large group ahead. It struck me that these vets could be doing a million things on this chilly morning rather than walk with strangers, but here they were, doing their best even though I could tell it was physically painful for them to keep going.

That's our veterans for you. Even when they can't walk, they walk. They show up for one another. They show up for the fallen, like Anthony. And it reminds me there is no more noble work in this world than to try



The inaugural Anthony's Walk at Marist was led by (l-r) Dr. Kevin Weinman, Marist President; Christa Hines, Executive Director of Hudson River Housing; and Congressman Pat Ryan.

-Courtesy photo

and make sure these heroes get the support they deserve.

Thanks again to Congressman Pat Ryan for sharing his story with us at Anthony's Walk. And thank you, for listening! We hope you will join us for the second Anthony's Walk next October, because we hope to do an even better job next year. After all, our veterans deserve nothing less. 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.

Dutchess County Democratic Committee elects Michael Dupree as new Chair

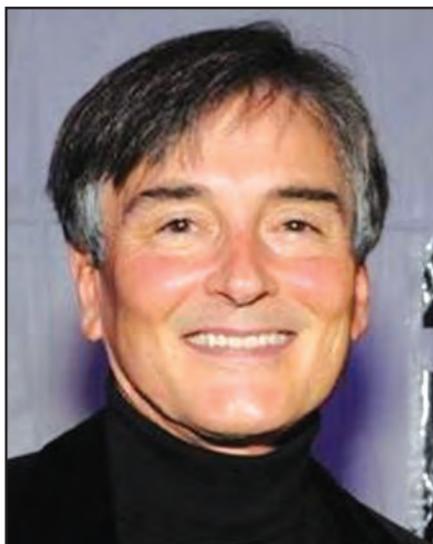
At the recent Dutchess County Democratic Committee's reorganization meeting, Michael Dupree was elected as Chair. Running unopposed, Dupree has served as Vice-Chair of the Committee for nine years.

Dupree said, "I am grateful to the Committee's support and their confidence in my ability to lead us to victory this November. I also thank Julie Shiroishi and Elisa Sumner, our two immediate past chairpersons, for building such a strong organization and instilling our members with energy and spirit."

Dupree is a resident of Hyde Park, where he has lived for the past 29 years. Dupree is an active member of the Dutchess County community. In addition to his past positions on many philanthropic boards, Dupree also serves as Chair of the Hyde Park Planning Board and as Chair of the Board of Trustees of Dutchess Community College.

At the meeting, Dutchess County Board of Elections Democratic Commissioner Hannah Black was re-selected for another two-year term.

Black said, "I am honored to have the committee's support and confidence in me to serve as their Democratic Elections



Michael Dupree

Commissioner for another two-year term. I will continue to work hard to fight voter suppression and follow Election Law."

The Committee's other new officers include Sarah Brannen, Vice-Chair; Vincent Pedi, Treasurer; and Gillian Smith, Secretary.

Rhinebeck Bank announces promotion

Rhinebeck Bank has promoted Cathy Kantrowitz to Vice President, Residential Operations Manager at its corporate headquarters at 2 Jefferson Plaza, Poughkeepsie.

Prior to her promotion, Kantrowitz served as Assistant Vice President, Underwriting Manager in the Bank's Residential Lending department. In her new role, she will provide oversight for mortgage underwriting and processing functions. She joined Rhinebeck Bank in March 2021 with over 30 years of mortgage lending and operations leadership experience.

She noted the Bank's positive culture and its importance to her from an employ-

ee's perspective. "The culture at Rhinebeck Bank promotes open communication, opportunities for growth and flexibility," said Kantrowitz.

"Cathy's wealth of mortgage industry experience and natural leadership skills have been valuable assets to our Residential Lending team," noted Jamie J. Bloom, Chief Operating Officer at Rhinebeck Bank.

Kantrowitz has been professionally active during her mortgage industry career, including service as the 2021-2022 President of the New York Mortgage Bankers Association and President of the National Association of Professional Mortgage Women in 2017-2018.

Mental Hygiene Board to meet October 17

The Dutchess County Mental Hygiene Board hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, October 17 at noon at the Community Mental Health Center, 230 North Road, Poughkeepsie. One may participate via Microsoft Teams Meeting or by phone by dialing 1-516-268-4602 and enter Conference ID number 261 140 008#.

Local EXIT Realty welcomes new team members

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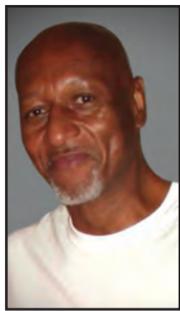
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Obituaries

Willie L. Powell Jr.



POUGHKEEPSIE, FORMERLY OF BEACON - Willie L. "Will" Powell Jr., a current resident of the City of Poughkeepsie and formerly of Beacon, NY, entered into rest on September 21, 2022 at Vassar Brothers Hospital. Will was surrounded by numerous family and friends, leading up to his passing. Will was born on September 17, 1957 in Beacon, NY, the son of the late Willie and Almeda Powell. Will was raised in Beacon and attended the Beacon City School District. Best known as "Uncle Will" to many, Will treated everyone as family and his love had no boundaries. Will was most known for his infectious smile, contagious laugh, generous spirit, love for life, and faith in God. To know Will was to love him, and love was one thing he never lacked throughout his life. Will gave his love so freely to all who knew him, whether he knew you for a brief moment or a lifetime, and in return—was loved by so many. No matter where you

saw him or the duration of time spent, Will always had a moment to share a story about his life that would stay with you far beyond the encounter. Will had a natural love for reading and learning, which resulted in passing on his love for reading to many children in the family. Will also had a love for gardening, his morning coffee, and anything sweet! Even during Will's recent battle with cancer, he always made it a priority to make others laugh and feel special. This was so important to him, even up until the very end of his life. Will is survived by his daughters Sarah Hollingsworth, RaeAnne Powell, and Sophia Powell; his grandchildren Alana, Alyssah, and Alijah Hollingsworth, Camilla Davis, and Raelynn and Brooklynn Goodson; his sisters Darcel Powell-Holman (William) and Dawn Powell-Manso (Carlos); his brothers Raymond Powell, Bradford Powell (Linda) and Wesley Powell; his nieces Maikka Powell-Birney (Michael) and Shaniessa Strange and nephews Isaac (Renee) Powell and Joel Roman. Will is also survived by many beloved nieces and nephews. In addition, his "bonus" brothers Alvin Bell Jr., Michael Bell Sr., George Kilgore, and James Powell Jr. The family would like to send their most sincere thanks to the staff of Vassar Brothers Hospital, Hudson Valley Hospice, and Armes Acres, for their kindness and the outstanding care they provided to Will and the family, during his illness. Calling hours were Friday, October 7, 2022 at Riverview Funeral Home by Halvey, 2 Beekman Street in Beacon. A funeral service was offered on Saturday, October 8, 2022 at Ebenezer Baptist Church, 15 Smith Street in Poughkeepsie. Will's cremated remains will be interred at a later date. To send a personal condolence please visit www.riverviewbyhalvey.com. Funeral arrangements are under the care of Patrick J. Halvey of Riverview Funeral Home by Halvey, LLC.

Conrad Michael Burke



FISHKILL - Conrad Michael Burke, 26, of Fishkill, NY, passed away at New York Presbyterian Hospital on Wednesday, October 5, 2022 surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Yonkers on January 26, 1996. Soon after, his family relocated to Dutchess County, where Conrad attended local schools including Fishkill Baptist Nursery School, Brinckerhoff Elementary, Van Wyck Junior High School, and John Jay Senior High School (Class of 2014). He then attended Nichols College in Dudley, MA and later graduated from Manhattanville College in Harrison, NY. He worked as a teacher for Wappingers Central School District, where he also coached J.V. Lacrosse. Conrad had such a tremendous passion for the sport and was planning on playing in a South American professional league. He was an avid outdoorsman who loved to hike and golf. He enjoyed travel,

especially taking family trips to Block Island. Conrad will be forever remembered as a shining star of pure love for others. To all his friends, players and family members: Your success was his success. Your happiness was his happiness. His giving nature and beautiful smile set the standard for all to follow. Survivors include his parents, Michael & Vivian Burke; his sister, Nicole Strang & her husband Nick; his nieces, Alessandra and Penelope; his partner, Olivia Mann; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, as well as other loving relatives & friends. Conrad was predeceased by his grandparents. Visitation was held on Saturday, October 8 at the Fishkill Baptist Church, 107 Route 82, Fishkill, NY. A memorial service was held. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations to benefit sarcoma research may be made to Sarcoma Strong, 1367 Washington Ave., Suite 200, Albany, NY 12206 (www.sarcomastrong.org). Arrangements are under the direction of McHoul Funeral Home of Fishkill, Inc., 1089 Main Street, Fishkill, NY. For online tributes, you can visit Conrad's Book of Memories at www.mchoulfuneralhome.com.

Charles G. Theiss



FISHKILL - Charles Gustave "Chuck" Theiss, 94, passed away at his home in Fishkill on Friday, October 7, 2022. Chuck was born on August 22, 1928 in New York City, the first son of Emil and Anna Theiss. In 1942, the family moved to Wappingers Falls in their summer home on Osborne Hill Road. Chuck and his brother Robert grew up in the Fishkill/Wappingers Falls area where they attended Wappingers Central Schools. During World War II, because of the gas rationing, the family had to move to Beacon so that Emil and Anna could be closer to their jobs. Emil worked in the Newburgh Shipyard and Anna worked for the National Biscuit Co. in Beacon. The boys Chuck and Bob attended Beacon schools for two years, and then the family moved back to Wappingers Falls. Chuck graduated from Wappingers Central Schools in 1946. Chuck worked for several years as a part-time plumber's helper for A.C. Smith Company of

Beacon, where he learned the trade. In his youth, he made a lot of friends and played a lot of ball. He was an honors student and outstanding athlete in football, baseball, and basketball. He played these sports at both the high school and semi-pro levels. In 1949, he graduated from New York State Institute of Applied Arts & Sciences, where he earned a degree in building construction. He entered the construction field and under the firm of Emil Theiss and Sons he built many homes and buildings in the Southern Dutchess area. In 1964, Chuck went to work for I.B.M. (East Fishkill) in the Facilities, Operations & Maintenance Department. After 23 years, he left I.B.M. and in 1987 went to work for the Town of Fishkill as the interim Building & Zoning Inspector and Town Assessor. He finally retired in 2000, after 23 years as the Assessor and an eight-year term as a Councilman on the Town Board. An avid sportsman, Chuck played semi-pro football for the Beacon Bears, and also played baseball, basketball, and softball for the Fishkill Athlete Club and several area teams. Chuck was a member of the Dutchess County Baseball Hall of Fame and Thomas Macrini Sports Hall of Fame, charter member of the Beacon Bears Alumni, and Past President of the Dutchess County Old Timers' Baseball Association. His love for the outdoors included many hunting and fishing adventures. He was a member of the East Hook Sportsmen Association and owned a hunting & fishing camp on the Chazy River in Champlain, NY. He and his family spent many days at the camp, enjoying the peace & quiet of the north country. Chuck was very active in the community and held many volunteer positions such as the Assessment Review Board (Chairman), Fishkill Rural Cemetery Board of Trustees, Rombout Firemen's Benevolent Association (President) and Rombout Fire District (Commissioner). His love for volunteer fire service started in 1951 as a firefighter for Protection Engine Company of Fishkill. He served more than 50 years for the Rombout Fire Company, with nearly 75 years of service in total. He was a Life Member of Protection Engine Company, Associate Life Member of Slater Chemical Company (Glenham), and a Charter Life Member of Rombout Fire Company. Service to the community was a big part of his life. Chuck met his loving wife Dorothea Delahay in Glenham and they were married in 1949 at St. Joachim Church in Beacon. Dottie and Chuck shared 61 years of marriage together, raising their family, and enjoying their grandchildren & great-grandchildren. Dottie passed away in 2010. Chuck spent his final years playing the role of Grandpa and babysitter. Survivors include his daughter, Susan Ann Arnold; his son, Charles Emil Theiss; his granddaughters, Jennifer, Tracey, and Deanna; his great-grandchildren, Victoria, Gary, Khloe, Paige, Alexander, and Cole; as well as several nephews, nieces, and their families. In addition to his wife and parents, Chuck was also predeceased by his brother, Robert "Bob" Theiss, in 2015 and his sister-in-law, Ruth Theiss, in 2019. A Mass of Christian Burial was offered on Tuesday, October 11 at St. Mary, Mother of the Church, 106 Jackson Street, Fishkill, followed by interment at Fishkill Rural Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Rombout Fire Company, PO Box 401, Fishkill, NY 12524 or the Dutchess County Baseball Hall of Fame, 51 Cramer Road, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. For online tributes, you can visit Chuck's Book of Memories at www.mchoulfuneralhome.com.

Opioid settlement dollars to expand County's substance use and mental health support services

Dutchess County Executive Marc Molinaro is directing \$1.95 million received as the first installment of the Opioid Manufacturers Settlement to launch several new opioid use and mental health treatment, recovery and prevention efforts including:

- **Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD)** – an evidence-based program of street outreach designed to reach individuals with unmet behavioral health needs who have not connected with traditional health and human services and often wind up in a criminal justice system cycle through a variety of violations such as drug use, public intoxication, or nuisance calls. Case managers "without walls" will work connect with individuals "where they are" to build rapport and trust to help them begin to get the services they need, such as emergency shelter, housing, treatment, employment, etc.

- **Empowerment Center** – a walk-in, accessible center where individuals at any stage of their recovery journey can go for support from Recovery Coaches and others with lived experience.

- **St. Joseph's Addiction Treatment & Recovery Center** – residential treatment services provided over an extended period of six to nine months, to help address the critical need of long-term treatment services.

Molinaro said, "Dutchess County remains a leader in the state and nation with our inventive services and programs to assist those in the grip of substance use and behavioral health issues. We will continue to innovate to serve those in Dutchess County in the throes of addiction and mental health struggles, using these funds – paid by three opioid manufacturers whose products caused immense harm to so many – to help those struggling to find their path toward recovery. We thank our community partners and the members of the Dutchess County Legislature for their support, helping Dutchess County continue its life-saving work."

Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD)

Dutchess County Department of Behavioral & Community Health is launching the LEAD initiative, an evidence-based program designed to reach people with complex, unmet behavioral health needs who have not sought help and in turn are at risk for law violations and repeated ticketing or arrest for low-level offenses. Many of these individuals are homeless and have been, for a variety of reasons, have been reluctant to utilize traditional health and human services such as emergency shelter housing, addiction treatment, temporary benefit assistance or other services.

The LEAD program works in conjunction with law enforcement. Law enforcement officers participate in additional mental health and harm reduction training and have the discretion at point of contact to divert individuals to the LEAD program, rather than arrest or ticket them. A case manager will be assigned to the individual, who will connect with the person where they are and work with them to develop an individual intervention plan, which could include assistance with identification, transitional and permanent housing, treatment, education, job training and placement, or childcare. Case managers will assist them in overcoming obstacles that may have prevented them from getting help previously – whether it was lack of access, financial constraints or behavioral health issues. Case managers will be assigned to a limited number of cases to be able to maintain continued contact and care follow-up - helping each person to access support and resources as they are ready.

There is \$343,000 in opioid settlement funds that will be utilized for initial staffing and law enforcement training for the LEAD program. DBCH will partner with People USA, a peer-run, mental-health nonprofit, who will provide staffing for the LEAD program. Additionally, a newly approved Alternative Incarceration Worker position in DCBH will oversee the project.

Other organizations initially involved in LEAD include:

- Dutchess County Public Defender's Office;
- Dutchess County District Attorney's Office;
- Dutchess County Probation;
- City of Poughkeepsie Police Department;
- Mental Health America of Dutchess County; as well as other
- Community provider agencies including Sun River Health and Hudson Valley Community Services; and grassroots organizations including Hope not Handcuffs.

Empowerment Center

Dutchess County DBCH has established an Empowerment Center to provide support

for those battling opioid use and other substance use disorders. The Empowerment Center is a walk-in resource staffed by recovery coaches - individuals with lived experiences who offer a uniquely empathic and knowledgeable approach to helping their peers. The Empowerment Center is designed to provide support in a flexible way, without barriers such as paperwork or insurance requirements. It is a drop-in where individuals at any stage of their recovery can stop by for support and conversation with others who are also on their recovery journey. They provide individualized support, recovery and wellness planning, connection to local resources, harm reduction supplies and community building for those dealing with substance use disorder. The Empowerment Center is currently operating at DBCH's 230 North Road campus and recovery coaches are available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Empowerment Center will soon relocate to a permanent location on Main Street in the City of Poughkeepsie near the train station, with opioid settlement funds being utilized to establish the new, easily accessible site. The new site will offer extended hours as well as weekend availability, including support group meetings and educational forums. People can go to the Empowerment Center as often as they need to for support, even if it is every day. \$107,000 in opioid settlement funds will be used for initial rent and start-up costs for the new location.

Treatment & Recovery Center Housing

Dutchess County will utilize \$1.5 million to create a multi-bed in-patient long term treatment center for individuals with substance use disorder and co-occurring mental health challenges in partnership with St. Joseph's Addiction Treatment & Recovery Center. Long-term treatment, approximately six to nine months, is not readily available in the region and this new facility will address this critical need.

Recovery houses, like St. Joseph's Addiction Treatment & Recovery Center, are safe, healthy, family-like, substance-free living environments that support individuals in recovery from addiction. Recovery housing reinforces a substance-free lifestyle with peer support and direct connections services that promote long-term recovery.

St. Joseph's currently operates five other locations in upstate New York. The new residential Treatment and Recovery Center will be located in the City of Poughkeepsie at the former Catharine Street Community Center property and is expected to open in late 2023.

Jean-Marie Niebuhr, Deputy DBCH Commissioner and Director of Community Services, said, "These three new programs will support so many in Dutchess County and are the latest examples of Dutchess County's commitment to the most vulnerable individuals in our community. Make no mistake: These initiatives will save lives and will make a lasting positive impact in Dutchess County for years to come."

The \$1.95 million is the first installment of opioid settlement dollars that Dutchess County anticipates receiving following settlement with the "Big Three" opioid manufacturers - McKesson, Cardinal Health and AmerisourceBergen – for those companies role in helping to fuel the national opioid epidemic. Dutchess County may receive as much as \$11.5 million in the coming years as part of the settlement.

The Dutchess County Legislature voted unanimously to amend the county budget to utilize the \$1.95 million to fund the LEAD program, Empowerment Center and St. Joseph's Treatment and Recovery Center at their August board meeting last week.

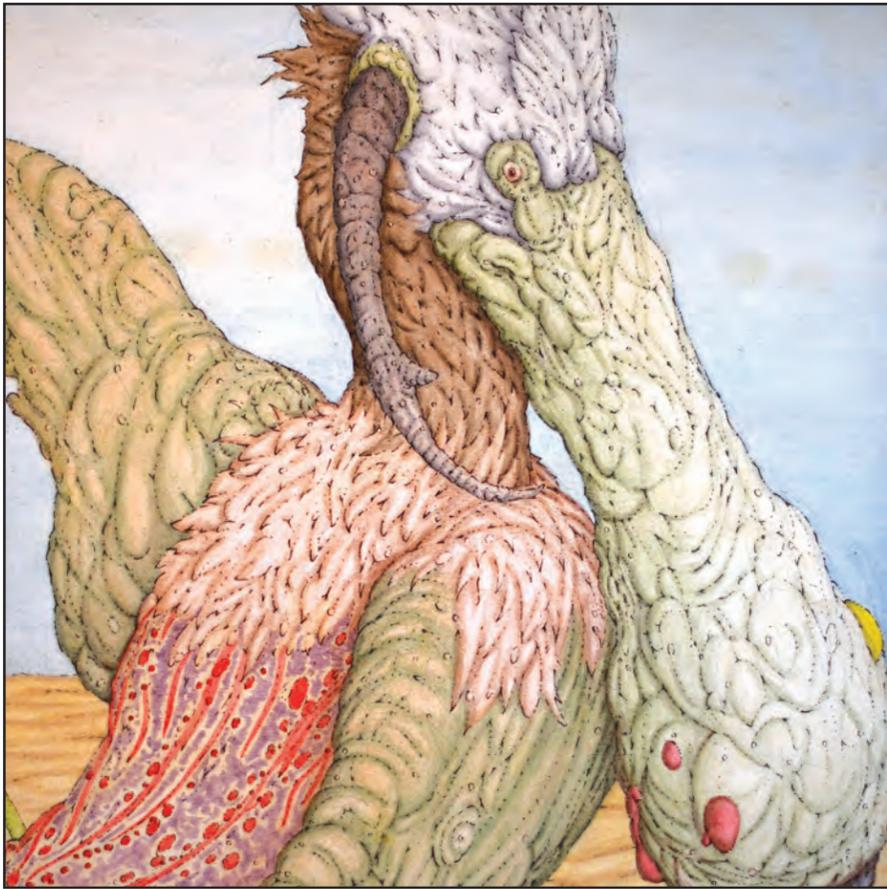
These new initiatives are part of the Dutchess County's ongoing efforts to provide a continuum of care with varied resources to help those dealing with substance use issues and/or mental health disorders.

Dutchess County has been a pioneer in mental health access, investing in critical resources including the 988 HELPLINE 24/7 mental health crisis line, the Stabilization Center as well as programs such as the Partial Hospital and Intensive Treatment Alternatives Program (ITAP), among others. Dutchess County has also recently partnered with Westchester Medical Center Health Network for the creation of a Behavioral Health Center of Excellence at MidHudson Regional Hospital, with an investment of \$3 million to add new inpatient behavioral health beds to the hospital.

More information on mental health services in Dutchess County is available at: dutchessny.gov/Departments/DBCH/Mental-Health-Services.

Creative Living

Sean McCarthy Art Exhibit at Grinnell Library



Sean McCarthy (B. 1976, San Antonio, TX) is a painter whose subjects are comic-grotesque animal hybrids. He has exhibited at venues such as Marlborough, Fredericks & Freiser, and Essex Flowers in New York; One in the Other and Cubitt Gallery in London; and Ada Gallery in Richmond, among others.

He received a BFA in Studio Art from the University of Texas at Austin and an MFA in Painting and Printmaking from Yale University. He is currently Associate Professor of Art at Lehman College of the City University of New York and lives and works in Wappingers Falls.

Sean McCarthy's work will be on display throughout October.

For more information, contact the library at 845-297-3428. Grinnell Library is located at 2642 East Main Street, Wappingers Falls.

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East Fishkill library to host memoir workshop

Visit East Fishkill Community Library on Wednesday, October 12 at 6 p.m. for a beginning memoir workshop called Finding Your Voice and Telling Your Story presented by Alan Bergman.

Personal historian and professional biographer Alan Bergman firmly believes that we all have an interesting life story to share, whether we realize it or not. Bergman, a local resident, is the author of 12 privately-published biographies.

Not only does memoir writing create a historical accounting of our life and times, it can also serve as a catalyst for stimulating our mind muscle and improving cognitive brain functions. It can be tremendously cathartic to recall our past and

commit it to writing.

Participants are encouraged to bring a photograph or an object which has an interesting story attached to it. There will be exercises to help recall events from our past or segments of our life, write about them as narrative, and then share these memories with other class members. These exercises will serve as an introduction to memoir writing.

No writing experience is required. All participants should bring a pad or a notebook

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Learn how to attend college without going broke at East Fishkill library

Join local resident Richard Nathan on Saturday, October 15 at 10:30 a.m. for How to Go to College Without Going Broke.

Richard Nathan, strictly a consumer advocate, will present how your child can go through college without having huge debt. To be discussed is FAFSA, different types of grants, loans, scholarship

sources, work study programs, federal vs. private loans, refinance of loans, 529 plans, and Navient lawsuit. Also, helpful websites and books that can help you navigate through this process.

Register online through our calendar at <http://www.EFLibrary.org> or call the library at 845-221-9943.

Fishkill Recreation

By Lauren McMenamin

FALL FESTIVAL: Our Fall Festival will be held Saturday, October 15 at Geering Park from noon – 3 p.m. This event is open to grades K-6. Come celebrate fall with our hayride, pumpkin patch, bouncy castle, vendors and more! Kids are encouraged to wear their Halloween Costume! Hot dogs and beverages will be available to purchase. Admission to this event: donation to the Fishkill Food Pantry.

Weekend Workout w/ Sandy: Come join Sandy with a Weekend Workout at the Fishkill Rec Center. Get your workout in early.... classes will be held Saturday mornings at 8:30 a.m. \$10/class includes a 1,200 calorie meal plan and daily workout schedule. Contact Sandy for more information and to register: jack829@optonline.net or 845-765-1661

Art Classes: Miss Nicole will be joining The Artist's Corner this fall to lead a 6-week drawing based series. In this series, students will explore watercolor, lines, symmetry, and abstract creations. They will leave with a minimum of three details pieces and the time and supplies to continue creating. The program is open to boys and girls ages 9+. The class will be held Mondays at 4:30 p.m. starting October 3. For more information and to register, visit www.TheArtistsCornerNY.weebly.com.

First Aid & CPR Course: Come get certified at the Fishkill Rec Center! Mobile Life will be offering their American Heart Association Heartsaver CPR/AED and First Aid course on October 22 from 12:30 - 5:30 p.m. Spots are limited. Register now at www.fishkillrecreation.com.

Visit www.fishkillrecreation.com for more information.

Times Square Singers to perform at Poughkeepsie Elks

Times Square Singers will perform in Poughkeepsie. This is a musical group that performs 1950s and early 60s music on October 15 at 7 p.m.

Tickets are \$20 per person. Call the Lodge to reserve a seat 845-454-6600 after 2 p.m. The Poughkeepsie Lodge is at 29 Overrocker Road, Poughkeepsie.

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Spirit of the season

Maybe there's a little witch in all of us...

October is the most magical month to me, perfect in every way and not least because it ends with Halloween, my favorite holiday. Perhaps my deep and abiding love for this month is the reason I try to keep my inner witch close all through the year, but I think it may go deeper than that. I think maybe there's a little witch in all of us. And that's not a bad thing.

Let's put aside, for a moment, the idea of "Good Witch" and "Bad Witch." Take away the black pointy hat (just for a moment, though, 'cuz it's too cool to leave out completely), the warts, green skin and any thoughts of evil intent. Keep the cauldron, spells and potions since they can be reinterpreted, which I'll get to a bit later. Keep the respect of nature and the ability to heal or harm. What I'm trying to say is that, while the moniker of 'witch' stirs the imagination and calls to mind certain iconic images, it's more than that. At least I think so.

Now, I'm not proclaiming to be a witch, but I do have a point to make and it seems the perfect time of year to share it if you're willing to listen. What, after all, were the first presumed witches but women who could heal, grew and understood the properties of herbs, had a way with animals and the natural world and largely kept to themselves? At a time when men and the church held sway over

governance this must have been seen in equal measure as a threat and a source of fear.

I'm not going into the history of witches or witchcraft. There are many theories and stories out there, and you can believe what you like. I just think there's something in the perceived power these women had that made them both hated and feared and that, if left to their own devices, most would likely have been (and probably were) beneficial and benevolent members of society. Were the idea of spells and the devil of their own, conscious design? Who can say, but I don't think so. For my part, I want to believe they were simply and naturally in tune to the world around them, driven by their senses and the seasons to develop certain talents; women who chose to do good on their own terms and were persecuted for it because they didn't fit with the norms of the day.

That said, I know there is something to the idea of being witchy. Have you ever been truly happy, your positive best self, and noticed that those around you are affected by it or that good things happened to you? Or maybe you've gone through a depression, feeling you're in an impossibly deep hole you just can't get out of, and the world sort of stops? There's a power in our minds and hearts, our moods, attitudes and intentions, even more so than in our words sometimes. It's



Vicki and sister Robin were positively witchy at the 2021 Steampunk World's Fair in the Catskills (Durham, NY).

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when we're true to ourselves that we attract good. Can't that kind of power be considered magic?

Now think back to your earliest memories. Maybe it's a certain smell, your mother's soothing touch, or a beloved pet. It could be something as seemingly random as a color, a voice or a laugh, the feel of soft fabric or a favorite toy. These are powerful things that stay with us for a reason. They teach, stir the heart, evoke strong emotion and tie us to a simpler time. To keep those things close is to hold sacred the things that form who we will become. Whether we embrace them or learn from them is a sign that, no matter how trivial, they mattered. There's a certain magic in that, too.

Think of a cauldron as just a cooking pot, of potion as soup when you or a loved one are sick, of spells as soothing words spoken at just the right time. If you can and it calls to mind someone you know, then chances are you've been fortunate enough to experience the best kind of witchery: the kind that comes from the heart as well as the kitchen.

And if you've been on the giving end of that special type of power then, just maybe, there's a little witch in you.

If you're looking for a good movie for the Halloween season, one that, as it just so happens, illustrates what I've been trying to say, then I can't recommend "Practical Magic" highly enough. Based on the book by Alice Hoffman (which you should definitely read because each is uniquely special), it's the story of generations of magical Owens sisters as they face challenges, mostly brought about by love, and try to escape their cursed fates. Should they try to fit in, melting into the ordinary or embrace their magic? To me it's the epitome of what it is to be a witch in its darkness and its light, the spells it casts, the poignant moments and the funny ones (Chocolate cake for breakfast!

Midnight margaritas!). Above all, it's a story of love in all its forms and the strong bond between sisters, something I know a lot about, because my sister is my best witchy friend and we, like Gilly and Sally, will forever be there for each other, no matter what.

I love all things spooky and witches are no exception. I've delighted in the stereotypes and donned the costumes, even writing about it around this time pretty much every year. Halloween and witches go hand in hand, after all. But in my heart I believe that, while certainly each of us can be both good and wicked from time to time, to be a witch at heart all year is to strike the balance between the two and share your unique gifts with the world. It's the way we touch the lives around us, with a kind word, a gentle touch or a meal prepared with love, that are truly powerful and bring no small amount of magic to the world.

So now I must go. There is a Halloween menu to plan, a house to haunt and a beautiful season to make the most of. And, yes, I will be dressed in my witchiest finery, which certainly does include a pointy black hat, ready to celebrate ancient traditions along with new ones, embracing my inner witch as I do because there's a little witch in all of us. Break out the blender and the tequila, get your broom and join me in letting the magic in.

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by mark adams



One more checked off

Mark takes an autumn trek to Stissing Mountain, one of the Hudson Valley's notable hikes.

It almost cost me \$7,500. Hiking up the ridiculously steep trail to the Stissing Mountain fire tower last Monday morning (Oct. 3), I encountered Brian Sikora moving some rocks around. It turned out that he was constructing an alternate path around a perennially wet area. Brian is a volunteer with FOSL, the "Friends of Stissing Landmarks," who maintain the trails and reconstructed the stairs on the tower.

We got to chatting – Brian told me that as many as 42 cars were jammed into the tiny parking lot on Lake Road (Pine Plains) at the height of Covid, and the trail remains popular. Just a few days ago, he was chatting for about 10 minutes with a lone hiker who ended up sending FOSL a \$7,500 donation.

"Whoops, gotta go," I said, and hurried on my way.

I was there for the fall foliage. Over the years (and there are many), I've visited Vassar College, Vanderbilt Historic Site, Storm King and Break Neck Ridge, some of my go-to sites for gorgeous leaf peeping. My favorite, maybe just because I caught it at peak season on a luminous autumn afternoon, is Huckleberry Point, in "one of the Catskill's quietest corners," according to my hiking bible, "Fifty Hikes in the Hudson Valley," by Barbara McMartin and Peter Kick.

For a new adventure in leaf peeping, I decided to check out hike number 15, "Stissing Mountain and Thompson Pond." According to my notes, Sue, daughter Becky and I completed this hike on Jan. 26, 1992, but I wrote "just the pond part," probably because the mountain was snowed in. So now I had a

chance to complete the journey.

Stissing Mountain is not the highest peak in Dutchess County. At 1,403 feet, it is 119 feet shorter than Mount Beacon, but is definitely the highest mountain in Pine Plains. The 45-minute climb from the parking lot on Lake Road takes you up 950 feet, with an additional 106 steps to the top of the fire tower. Oaks and birches dominate the landscape, with the occasional fiery red maples, creating a stunning tapestry that stretches across the Wassaic Valley.

Our Hudson Valley summer was hot and dry. I've heard this leads to earlier fall color, but maybe less vibrancy. Cold nights, like we had last week, could give us redder reds (sugar maples) and bolder yellows (paper birch).

Deciduous trees drop their leaves to keep the winter snows from crashing them to the ground, which is what happened on Oct. 3, 1987 during the "snowleaf" blizzard.

Authors McMartin and Kick write that "the fire tower steps have been removed" at the top of Stissing Mountain, but since their 1989 review, FOSL had put them back up. Climb up for a magnificent vista.

FOSL is accepting donations to keep the trail and the steps in top condition, at PO Box 37, Pine Plains, NY 12567, or check out stissingfiretower.org.

• G.E. Masten Feed Store, the iconic farm supply company at the corner of Route 44 and West Road in Pleasant Valley, will close on October 15, after 40 years in business. Owners Pam and Matt Cady sent a message to their customers thanking them for their loyalty over the years.

Matt told me that eight of his loyal



Native Asters that are on the Trail

-Courtesy photo

equine customers folded this year, mainly due to the cost of feed. When farms disappear, it affects more than just the farmers and consumers of local products. All the businesses that depend on farmers – like G. E. Masten – suffer as well. We need to keep local agriculture thriving for the ben-

efit of us all.

Mark Adams is an agricultural advisor to the Dutchess County Executive, Congressman Sean Patrick Maloney, Dutchess County B.O.C.E.S. and Cornell University.

'Pathway Through Wappingers History' at Mesier Homestead on October 16

As part of New York State's Path Through History, the Wappingers Historical Society will be offering a special, interactive costumed event at the Mesier Homestead and Museum, located in the Village of Wappingers Falls, on October 16.

Visitors will be able to meet the men and women who contributed to the history and growth of the village of Wappingers Falls. While visiting the rooms of the Mesier Homestead, discover the Revolutionary War patriotism of Nicholas Brower, the influence of the Mesier family, and the contributions of the Clapp family. Learn about Irving Grinnell, founder of the Grinnell Library, hear stories from Rush Hotel owner George Rush, and discover what life was like in 1933 from village resident Edith Cornell.

Groups will be guided through the house by volunteers from the historical society. The program takes place from 1 - 3:30 p.m., with the program offered every ½ hour. The last group to enter the house will be at 3:30 p.m. There is no charge for admission, however, donations will be gratefully accepted.

The Mesier Homestead and Museum is at 2 Spring Street, Wappingers Falls. For more information, please call 845-632-1281 or email at tours@wappingershistorical.org.

The mission of the Wappingers Historical Society is to preserve and promote the history of the Town of Wappinger, Village of Wappingers Falls and neighboring communities. Volunteers and new members are always welcome. For more information, please visit <http://wappingershistorical.org/>.

Art club to meet at East Fishkill library

The monthly EFCL Art Club is back at the East Fishkill Community Library (EFCL). The EFCL Art Club will meet on October 12 and October 26 at 1:30 p.m. This group meets two Wednesdays a month. Bring one's own supplies and work on a still life provided or work one's own project.

This program is for adults ages 18 and up. No registration is required, drop-in and open to artists of all levels of experience and mediums. Call the library at 845-221-9943 for more information.

Free ThinkDIFFERENTLY Movie Day set Oct. 15

On October 15th at 11 a.m. the showing of the latest ThinkDIFFERENTLY Free Movie Day, will be held. It is a sensory-sensitive screening of "Inside Out" at the Bardavon 1869 Opera House in Poughkeepsie. The sound down and the lights up to accommodate those with sensory issues.

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Town of Poughkeepsie Recreation

By Janet McHugh
Recreation Director

Mark your calendars for this year's Halloween Trunk or Treat Event taking place on Saturday, October 29th. Two ways to enjoy the festivities; you can register to decorate your vehicle and give out treats to the children (prizes for best decorated vehicle) or you can simply bring the children and enjoy the music, petting zoo, goodies, and more. To register as a decorated vehicle for the event, please contact the Recreation Office at 485-3628 or email us at Rec@townofpoughkeepsie.ny.gov. The best way to keep up with all that's happening is to check our website at www.PoughkeepsieTownRec.com and follow us on Facebook.

Did you know that we have three Little Free Libraries in our parks? They are located at Crown Heights Park, Greenvale Park, Crestwood Park, and coming soon a fourth will be located at Red Oaks Mills Park. The concept is to "Take a Book and Donate a Book" for free. In order to help this project along, the Recreation Dept. will be collecting

used and new children's books (children of all ages, including teens). If you have some children's books you'd like to donate, you can drop them off in our Recreation office at 1 Overocker Rd. (Level 1), Poughkeepsie, Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Special thanks to our library stewards; Tove, Jackie, Steve, & Ashley, and Natalie for all they do to keep the project up and running for us!

CLUB CLASSIC SENIOR CENTER NEWS
By Ruta Ronis

Summer and Autumn have exchanged their seasonal reign and temperatures are slowly dropping, but the activity level at our Club Classic Senior Center continues on "high." This is your club and we want everyone 55+ to feel comfortable and happy here. We welcome any suggestions you may have for additional activities or events.

Our Game Closet in the Billiard Room is filled to the brim with dozens and dozens of various games, including Blank

Slate, Jargon, Dominoes, Scrabble, Canasta, and Pokeno. Of course, you'll also find the "Senior Center Classics" of Mah Jongg, Quiddler, Poker, Rummikub, and Pinochle. No need to ask, just open up the cabinet and pick a game to play at one of our many tables. We also have Ping-Pong (table tennis), as well as a good selection of jig saw puzzles to challenge your thinking and patience.

You're welcome to join us at our Friday morning "Crafty Coffee Clutch". Enjoy the company of other crafters in this informal setting. Bring in your current project or come by to see what others are working on. If you enjoy painting or want to try it for the first time, then our Thursday morning Watercolor Painting Group may be what you'd enjoy.

Here's a look at what's on the calendar so far:

Please sign up in advance either in person or by calling us at 845-462-0265 during our regular hours Mon - Fri between 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Oct. 6 (Th) noon - Lunch and Learn: "Wonders Behind Your Library Card" - Learn about all the amenities your library card offers beyond books, DVDs, and CDs. Stop and Shop is providing a complimentary light lunch for participants after the presentation.

Oct. 10 (M) - CLOSED for the holiday
Oct. 11 and 25 (Tue) 11 - 12:30 - New Brain Game Challenges.

Oct. 11 - Trip to Villa Roma. Center

will be open regular hours.

Oct. 18 (Tue) - Rover, the Poughkeepsie Library District's Mobile Library, returns to our parking lot. Remember your library card. You'll also be able to sign up for a card if you don't already have one.

Oct 19 (W) - Tacos! For this month's in-house lunch special we're going South of the border.

Oct. 28 (F) - Halloween Party - Get your costume and toe tapping dancing shoes ready for a spook-tacular time! The "Ghostly Band" wasn't available, but you'll be able to enjoy live music, activities, and some treats. Sorry, no eye-of-newt on the menu, but how about a meatball hero?

- Our regular weekly activities:
- Mondays - Yoga at 11 a.m. and noon Bocche beginning at 1 p.m.
 - Tuesdays - Exercise Group at 10 a.m.
 - Wednesdays - Bingo at 10 a.m. Yoga at 12:30 p.m.
 - Thursdays - Water Color Painting Group at 10 a.m.
 - Fridays - Walking Club 10 a.m. Crafty Coffee Clutch at 10 a.m. Zumba Noon

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BEAVER ROAD PROPERTIES LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 8/26/22. Office in Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 641 Hortontown Rd., Hopewell Junction, NY 12533, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Kart Bargain LLC. Filed 8/13/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 159 Fishkill Ave, Beacon, NY 12508. Registered Agent: United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Ave Ste 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: General.

CPN Treehouse LLC filed w/ SSNY 8/26/22 Off. in Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agt. of LLC whom process may be served & shall mail process to c/o Accumera LLC, 911 Central Ave, #101, Albany, NY 12206. The reg. agt. is Accumera LLC at same address. Any lawful purpose.

NEWHACKENSACK LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/25/2021. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 364 Angola Rd, Cornwall, NY 12518. Purpose: any lawful act.

Premier Safety Services LLC filed with SSNY on 8/8/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to 24 Brooke Ct. Poughkeepsie NY 12603. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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Certified Painting LLC. Arts. of Org. Filed with the SSNY on 9/5/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 143 Rombout Rd. Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

8 W Arnold, LLC, Arts of Org. filed with Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) 6/21/2022. Cty: Dutchess. SSNY desig. as agent upon whom process against may be served & shall mail process to Peter Nocerino and Donald Nocerino, 982 Main St., Ste. 4, #226, Fishkill, NY 12524. General Purpose

Notice of formation of limited liability company (LLC): Genesis Tax Relief Service, LLC Articles of Organization filed With the New York State Secretary of State On August 30, 2022. Office located Dutchess County. NYSS shall mail Copy of any process to c/o the LLC 242 Main Street, Beacon, NY 12508 There is no specific date set for dissolution. Purpose to engage in any lawful activity or act. Organizer is Accutax Accounting Services, LLC 242 Main Street, Beacon, NY 12508

Notice of Formation of Wireless EDGE Nexus, LLC. Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 8/24/22. Office location: Dutchess Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 38 West Market St, Rhinebeck, NY 12572. Purpose: any lawful activities.

RABBITS FOOT PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 09/01/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 17 East Hook Cross Road, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

HOLMES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/24/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY desig-

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nated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Stenger, Diamond & Glass, LLP, 1136 Route 9, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Notice of Formation OF MILLENNIUM AUTO GROUP, LLC Art. of Org. filed with Sec. of State 09/06/2022. Off. loc. in DUTCHESS CO. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process 598 MAIN STREET, POUGHKEEPSIE, NY 12601. PURPOSE: Any lawful business.

Resolute Remote Assistants, LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/22/2021. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Condon & Forsyth LLP, Attn: Stuart E. Berelson, Esq., 7 Times Square, NY, NY 10036. Purpose: any lawful act.

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Notice of Qualification of Paw Ling LLC. The fictitious name is: Paw Ling NY LLC. Authority filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 8/26/22. Office location: Dutchess County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/22/22. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 28 Liberty St, NY, NY 10005. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St, Wilmington, DE 19801. Cert. of Formation filed with DE Secy of State, 401 Federal St. Ste 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Notice of Qualification of Henke Manufacturing LLC. Authority filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 9/1/22. Office location: Dutchess County. LLC formed in Kansas (KS) on 5/3/93. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom

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process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 28 Liberty St, NY, NY 10005. KS address of LLC: 112 SW 7th St, Ste 3C, Topeka, KS 66603. Cert. of Formation filed with KS Secy of State, 120 SW 10th Ave, Topeka, KS 66612. The name and address of the Reg. Agent is C T Corporation System, 28 Liberty St, NY, NY 10005. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Notice of formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC) Name: Accuprint Pack 'N' Ship, LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the New York Secretary of State (NYSS) Pursuant to NY LLC law section 206 On 3/16/2016. Office location Dutchess County. NYSS shall mail a copy of any Process to c/o the LLC 242 Main Street, Beacon, NY 12508. There is no specific date set for dissolution. Purpose to engage in any lawful activity or act. Name and Business address of organizer is Denise Gaither, ASO; 242 Main Street, Beacon, NY 12508

RWAJ HARBOLIC, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/18/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 5 Cathy Lane, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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37 W Market Realty LLC. Filed with SSNY on 9/8/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: Po Box 75 Red Hook NY 12571. Purpose: any lawful

Parvim Hospitality, LLC Notice of formation of Limited Liability Company, ("LLC"), Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") on March 23, 2022. Office location: Care of River Link Hotels, 300 Westage Center

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Drive, Suite 390, Fishkill, New York 12524, Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of any such process served to Care of River Link Hotels, 300 Westage Center Drive, Suite 390, Fishkill, New York 12524. Purpose: to engage in any act or activity for which a LLC may be organized under the NY LLC Law.

Notice of Formation of Dream Car Vault LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/8/22. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 1 Harbor Hill Court Beacon NY 12508. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

Silver Vixen Creations, LLC filed with SSNY on 5/10/22. Office: Dut. Cty. SSNY designated as agt for process & shall mail to: 16 Winthrop Ct. E Wapp. Falls, NY 12590 Purpose: any lawful

Popeye Pen Company LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 9/2/22 Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Popeye Pen Company 23 Appalachian W Hopewell Jct. NY 12533 Purpose: any lawful purpose.

Guided Visions Support Services, LLC filed with the Articles of Organization on 5/6/2022. Office Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 3979 Albany Post Road #2218 Hyde Park, NY 12538. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Buy and Sell NY Group LLC. Art. of Org. filed with SSNY on 09/14/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC of who Process and SSNY shall mail process to: 45 Briarcliff Ave, Poughkeepsie NY 12603. Purpose: any lawful

Soto Real Estate Solutions LLC. Art. of Org. filed with SSNY on 09/14/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC who process

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and SSNY shall mail process to: 45 Briarcliff Ave, Poughkeepsie NY 12603. Purpose: any lawful

Notice of Formation of Rieck Rentals, LLC. Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 9/8/22. Office location: Dutchess Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 8 McKeown Terrace, Hopewell Jct., NY 12533. Purpose: any lawful activities.

Notice of Formation of Strong + Mindful LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/1/22. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 2 Julia Drive, Hyde Park, NY 12538. Purpose: any lawful activity.

H O R S E S H O E ENTERPRISES LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 9/12/22. Office in Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 23 Horseshoe Path, Pawling, NY 12564, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Notice of Formation of Ponce's Renovation, LLC. Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 09/12/2022. Location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process on LLC. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to Jose R. Ponce. 16 Exeter Road, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: Any lawful activity

Notice of Qual. of STAGECOACH ROYALTIES, LLC, filed with the SSNY on 8/8/2022. Office: Dutchess County. LLC formed in DE on 5/14/2021. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 3905 Hedgcoxe Rd., #250675, Plano, TX, 75025-9998. Address required to be maintained in DE: 351 Little Falls Dr., Wilmington, DE, 19808. Cert of Formation filed with Sect'y of State of DE, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE, 19901. Purpose: any lawful act.

J O Y F U L WELLNESS LLC Articles of Org. filed

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NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 9/15/22. Office in Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to c/o Handel & Carlini, LLP, 1984 New Hackensack Rd., Poughkeepsie, NY 12603, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

13 Market LLC. Filed with SSNY on 9/14/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 147 Union Street Ste 101 Poughkeepsie NY 12601. Purpose: any lawful

Hudson Valley Line Stripping LLC. Filed with SSNY on 8/31/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 3 Van Cortland Circle Apt 3c Beacon NY 12508. Purpose: any lawful

Notice of Formation of CRM Mini Excavators LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 9/12/2022. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 24 Cobey Terrace Poughkeepsie NY 12601 Purpose: any lawful act or activity

TASTE OF FREEDOM LLC Filed with SSNY on 9/3/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 53 Meads Lane Stormville NY 12582. Purpose: any lawful

Notice of formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC). Name: 80 Cherry Property LLC, hereinafter "LLC". Registration filing date with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) was September 13, 2022. Principal office location is Dutchess County, New York. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against it or served upon it on behalf of the LLC to the registered agents, Trang Le and Mai Ho, 33 Old Field Road, Poughkeepsie, New York 12603. Purpose: any lawful purpose.

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Montellano Consulting, LLC, Arts of Org. filed with Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) 6/10/2022. Cty: Dutchess. SSNY desig. as agent upon whom process against may be served & shall mail process to Rodrigo Silva, 7A High St., Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. General Purpose

Royal Maple Properties, LLC. Filed with the SSNY on 7/8/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 384 Mansion Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: Any lawful.

RO & PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL LLC. Filed 5/6/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: c/o Bridget Rose Alaimo, 33 Hills Ter, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: General.

THE GUARDIAN ESTATES LLC. Filed 6/6/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: Christina E Sterling, 37 Alpine Dr, Apt D, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Purpose: General.

Violet Avenue Enterprises LLC. Filed 8/22/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: c/o Patrick D Studley, 168 E Meadowbrook Ln, Staatsburg, NY 12580. Purpose: General.

Mulberry Farm Kennel, LLC. Filed 8/31/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 349 Rossway Rd., Pleasant Valley, NY 12569. Registered Agent: Fred Timm, Cpa, 2 Austin Ct, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: General.

Resolute Ventures LLC. Filed 8/26/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 9 Ballymeade Rd, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533. Purpose: General.

Aunt Kimmys Flooring LLC. Filed 8/18/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: Kimberly Heins, 26 Cardinal Dr, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose:

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General. Notice of formation of Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). The name is Craig Lane Development LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of the State of New York ("Secretary") on 09/09/2022. Office of the LLC: Dutchess County. Secretary has been designated as agent for service of process upon the LLC. Secretary shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 94 Craig Lane, Dover Plains, NY 12522. The purpose of the business of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity.

W A R F I E L D MANAGEMENT LLC. Filed with SSNY on 9/19/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 260 Madison Avenue, 8th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful

Titan Management & Maintenance L.L.C. Filed with SSNY on 8/27/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 147 Union Street Ste 101 Poughkeepsie NY 12601. Purpose: any lawful

JLP Tax & Bookkeeping Services LLC filed with SSNY on 09/21/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process and shall mail to: PO Box 183, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC) Name: Locally, LLC Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 08/08/2022 Office location: County of Dutchess Purpose: Any and all lawful activities Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC 51 Alpert Drive Wappingers Falls, NY 12590

Notice of Formation of DDOCKEND, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/12/22. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

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against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 15 Camby Road, Verbank, NY 12585. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Notice of Formation of Revved Up Marketers, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/31/12. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Ave, Ste 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228, the registered agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.

L U M I N A R Y A D V A N C E D AESTHETICS, LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/6/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, P.O. Box 266, Beacon, NY, 12508. Purpose: any lawful act.

Brian Joyner Consulting, LLC Arts of Org were filed with SSNY on 8/23/2022. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 169 South Ave, Beacon NY 12508. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

JT Higgins Investigations LLC. Arts of Org filed with the SSNY on 9/15/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 19 Rolling Green Lane, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

155 Union Holding LLC. Filed with SSNY on 9/15/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 147 Union Street Ste 101 Poughkeepsie NY 12601. Purpose: any lawful

Notice of Qualification of CREED 2.0, LLC. Authority filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 9/9/22. Office location: Dutchess County. The street address of the LLC's

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principal business location is One Pucci Park, New Britain, CT. LLC formed in Connecticut (CT) on 8/27/21. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 28 Liberty St, NY, NY 10005. CT address of LLC: One Pucci Park, POB550, New Britain, CT 06050. Cert. of Organization filed with CT Secy of State, 165 Capitol Ave, Hartford, CT 06101. The name and address of the Reg. Agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served is CT Corporation System, 28 Liberty St, NY, NY 10005. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Emerald Finds LLC. Filed with SSNY on 9/22/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 8 Chelsea Ridge Dr. Apt F, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Purpose: any lawful

O&G Taqueria LLC Filed with SSNY on 9/23/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Treybich Law, P.C., 272 Mill Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: Any lawful.

Notice of Formation of The Fitz House LLC. Arts. of Org. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/08/22. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 71 Stissing Mountain Dr, Pine Plains, NY 12567. Purpose: any lawful activity.

JRs CONTRACTING 845 LLC. Art. of Org. Filed with SSNY on 9/16/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 51 Main St. APT 1 Wappingers falls, NY 12590. Purpose: any lawful

DAVIS FAMILY INVESTORS LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/7/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 76 Stream Ln.,

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Pleasant Valley, NY, 12569. Purpose: any lawful act.

Nutty Scientists Hudson Valley LLC. Filed with SSNY on 09/20/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail copy to :44 Violet Pl Rhinebeck NY 12572. Purpose: Any lawful.

Notice of Formation of MLP vending LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on July 25th 2022. Office location: DUTCHESS County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. Copies mailed to 770 old route 22, Amenia NY, 12501. General purposes.

CAST ALBION, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 9/16/22. Office in Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 1485 East Noxon Rd., Lagrangeville, NY 12540, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Notice of Form. of 28 PEREGRINE DRIVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 11/18/2021. Office location: Dutchess. SSNY desig as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY mail process to 10 EAST 40TH ST, 46TH FL, NEW YORK, NY, 10016. Any lawful purpose.

Notice of formation of WILD WUYTACK WELDING LLC. Art. Of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/07/22. Office in Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 176 BENTON MOORE RD HOPEWELL JUNCTION, NY, 12533. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

ROUND TOWN, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 7/12/2022. Off. Loc.: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. As agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 660 County Rt 7, Pine Plains NY 12567. General Purposes.

HUDSON VALLEY TRUCK AND TRANSIT RENTAL, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State

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(SSNY) 9/26/22. Office in Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 41 Raymond Ave., Unit 3718, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

LDM PROPERTY EXPERTS LLC. Filed with SSNY on 09/19/2022. Office: DUTCHESS County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail copy to: 7014 13TH AVENUE, SUITE 202 BROOKLYN, NY 11228. Purpose: Any lawful.

ORTHOPEDIC MEDICINE OF POUGHKEEPSIE, PLLC, a Prof. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 09/08/2022. Office loc: Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The PLLC, 1910 South Road, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: To practice the profession of Medicine.

Notice of Formation of Start Sweeping, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 09/28/22. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Start Sweeping LLC, 8 Berry Lane, Wappingers Falls, New York 12590, Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

Notice of formation of Quizzikar, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/27/2022. Office location, County of Dutchess. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2971 Lake Jean Dr, Orlando, FL 32817. Purpose: any lawful act.

IDP Realty-90, LLC, Arts of Org. filed with Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) 9/21/2022. Cty: Dutchess. SSNY desig. as agent upon whom process against it may be served & shall mail process to 65 E. Forest Trail, Holmes, NY 12531. General Purpose

541 REALTY LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/8/2022. Office: Dutchess

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County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 2515 South Rd. Fifth Fl., Poughkeepsie, NY, 12601, USA. Purpose: any lawful act.

Kotes Of Peekskill LLC. Filed with SSNY on 8/9/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 6800 Jericho Turnpike Ste 120w Syosset NY United States 11791. Purpose: any lawful

Kotes Of Pawling LLC. Filed with SSNY on 8/8/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 6800 Jericho Turnpike Ste 120w Syosset NY United States 11791. Purpose: any lawful

Kotes Of Carmel LLC. Filed with SSNY on 8/9/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 6800 Jericho Turnpike Ste 120w Syosset NY United States 11791. Purpose: any lawful

7366 South Broadway LLC. Filed 9/20/2022. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 53 Taaffe Pl #1A, Brooklyn, NY 11205. Purpose: General.

HUDSON VALLEY AIRPORTER, LLC. Filed 8/30/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: 456 Schultz Hill Rd, Rhinebeck, NY 12572. Purpose: General.

Remarkable Wood Group LLC. Filed 2/3/22. Office: Dutchess Co. SSNY desig. as agent for process & shall mail to: c/o Marc Gabriel Cutonilli, 130 Salt Point Tpke, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: General.

Notice of formation of Trombini Mulberry, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/16/2021. Office location, County of Dutchess. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 6408 Montgomery St, Rhinebeck, NY 12572. Purpose: any lawful act.

DC Medical Reserve Corps celebrates 20 years of volunteerism at recognition dinner

Marking 20 years since its inception, Dutchess County hosted a recognition dinner, attended by more than 120 Medical Reserve Corps of Dutchess County (MRC) volunteers, on Sept. 22 at the Villa Borghese in Wappingers Falls.

County Executive Marc Molinaro said, "Our Dutchess MRC volunteers have been an important part of Dutchess County's emergency response efforts for two decades, including assisting with the herculean task of our COVID-19 response. We are grateful to these dedicated men and women for their service and commitment to Dutchess County."

The Dutchess County MRC began in 2002, when former County Executive William R. Steinhaus supported a grant proposal, in partnership with Northern Metropolitan Health Care Foundation (NorMet), to establish a volunteer medical service reserve corps to strengthen the capacity to respond to emergencies and to support local public health infrastructure.

The MRC is comprised of both healthcare and non-healthcare professionals who support Dutchess County's Departments of Emergency Response and Behavioral & Community Health when responding to incidents of all kinds. Volunteers train throughout the year to be prepared to staff emergency shelters, assist with surveillance and notification efforts, conduct mass distribution of pharmaceuticals, and support countywide health and human service agencies' efforts in the community.

The Dutchess MRC had its first major deployment in 2007, supporting seven shelters following widespread flooding

and then again in 2009 following the H1N1 flu outbreak.

Most recently, Dutchess MRC has been an integral part of the County's COVID-19 pandemic response and, in April, was honored by the National Medical Reserve Corps with a 2022 Community Response Award for its outstanding COVID-19 vaccine response. In 2020 and 2021, more than 500 volunteers contributed more than 40,000 hours – compared to 4,200 hours in all of 2019. This included giving over 22,000 hours at over 150 vaccine clinics, administering over 60,000 vaccinations to County residents. The MRC's Vaccine Assistance Appointment Team (VAAT) also assisted those without access to computers or transportation to arrange appointments, transportation, and other services. Additionally, MRC volunteers spent thousands of hours assisting the County's Department of Behavioral and Community Health with contact tracing and case investigation, community outreach, delivering groceries to those in isolation, assembling thousands of items of personal protective equipment (PPE) for distribution, handing out COVID-19 Test Kits, and more as part of the COVID-19 response.

Since its inception, the Dutchess MRC has been at the forefront of numerous other initiatives and trainings, setting the bar for similar organizations throughout the state, including:

- Piloted a Volunteer Management System, now known as ServNY;
- Established a training matrix for volunteers that has become the organization's



Dutchess County Medical Reserve Corps volunteers were recognized during a recent dinner in Wappingers Falls.

-Courtesy photo

Core Competency Trainings;

- Started Preparedness Trainings for residents, seniors and more;
 - Hosted major preparedness exercises, including an Alternate Care Site exercise at Vassar College;
 - Incorporated the Dutchess County Animal Response Team (DCART) in 2019 to offer Pet First Aid/Animal CPR trainings and promote pet preparedness; and
 - Trained thousands in Stop the Bleed and Active Shooter readiness trainings
- MRC volunteers are welcoming faces and numerous events held throughout the year, such as the County's Office for the Aging Senior Picnic series or community events such as the Dutchess County Fair.

Volunteers serve as greeters, logistics support, and provide medical assistance as needed.

Dutchess MRC Coordinator Joe Ryan said, "The many volunteers of the Dutchess County Medical Reserve Corps are dedicated men and women who know what it means to 'do good.' Whether giving their time and talents at a first aid tent at a senior picnic or literally helping keep our community safe during an emergency, these individuals enhance Dutchess County's ability to be prepared for and respond to significant events."

Dutchess MRC now boasts more than 1,704 volunteers. For more information or to sign-up to volunteer, visit dutchessny.gov/mrc.

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NICKS FLIPS LIMITED LIABILITY CO, filed an Application for Authority with the SSNY on 9/6/2022, using the fictitious name Nicks Flips Limited Liability Company. Office: Dutchess County. LLC formed in NJ on 8/10/2021. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 6 Seneca Dr, Middletown, NJ 07748. Address required to be maintained in NJ: 6 Seneca Dr, Middletown, NJ 07748. Cert of Formation filed with Director of NJ Division of Revenue, 33 W State St, #5th, Trenton NJ 08608. Purpose: any lawful act.

Name: MIDDLETOWN REIMAGINED, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY (SOS) on 9/28/2022. Office Location: Dutchess County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 32 Pine Tree Drive, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

Notice of Formation of Nosanchuk Workshop LLC. Arts of Org. filed with SSNY on October 2, 2022.

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Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Nosanchuk Workshop LLC, 6854 Route 82, Stanfordville, NY 12581. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

Notice of Formation of Red Wing Pond LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on July 12 2022. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Red Wing Pond LLC, 6854 Route 82, Stanfordville, NY 12581. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

Glenham Rental Properties, LLC. Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 9/29/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Rutberg Breslow, 3344 Route 9 North, Suite 100, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

Gundelach, LLC, Arts of Org. filed with Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) 7/29/2022. City: Dutchess. SSNY

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design. as agent upon whom process against may be served & shall mail process to Karen Gundelach, 103 Dugway Dr., Pawling, NY 12564. General Purpose

Notice of Formation of Love and Care Bilingual Child Care LLC. Arts of Org. Filed with SSNY on 08/22/2022. Office location: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 40 Columbia St Poughkeepsie NY 12601. Purpose: any lawful act or activity.

NEWINGBROOK, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 09/23/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Rutberg Breslow, 3344 Route 9 North, Suite 100, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

Notice of Formation of MAT HEALTHCARE AND MDS CONSULTING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/29/22. Office location:

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Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 Givens Lane, Fishkill, NY 12524. Purpose: any lawful activity.

184 Union Holding LLC. Filed with SSNY on 10/6/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 147 Union Street Ste 101 Poughkeepsie NY 12601. Purpose: any lawful

Lf&p Management LLC. Filed with SSNY on 10/3/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 128 Old Rt 52 Stormville NY 12582. Purpose: any lawful

P Square Properties LLC. Filed with SSNY on 1/1/1900. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 209 Wurtemberg Rd Rhinebeck NY 12572. Purpose: any lawful

Solas An Lae LLC. Filed with SSNY on 8/24/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process &

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shall mail to: 54 Elizabeth Street Ste 16 Red Hook NY 12571. Purpose: any lawful

Relyea Properties LLC filed Arts. of Org. with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/3/2022. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: The LLC, 185 New Hackensack Rd., Wappingers Falls, NY, 12590. Purpose: any lawful act.

Amanda L Root, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/08/2021. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 10 Greenhill Dr., Apt 44D, Fishkill, NY 12524. Purpose: Any lawful.

Notice of Formation of KALUSH LLC. Art/Org filed 9/14/22. Ofc loc Dutchess Cty. SSNY desig. agent for svc/proc & shall mail to 560 Main St #1A, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

Notice of Formation of DSTAT HOLDINGS LLC. Arts of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 7/26/22. Office location:

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Dutchess County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 30 Red Hawk Hollow Rd, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. The name and address of the Reg. Agent is David Aisenstat, 30 Red Hawk Hollow Rd, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Notice of Qualification of Habitas on Hudson LLC. Authority filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 9/22/22. Office location: Dutchess County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/30/22. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 28 Liberty St, NY, NY 10005. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St, Wilmington, DE 19801. Cert. of Formation filed with DE Secy of State, 401 Federal St, Ste 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Notice of Formation of JESSICA FLANAGAN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PLLC. Arts of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 9/27/22. Office location: Dutchess

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County. SSNY is designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 57 Brookland Farms Rd, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Purpose: any lawful activity.

PRESTIGE CAR WASH TINT & WRAP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/04/22. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Abraham Kinan & Yusef Kinan, 482 All Angels Hill Road, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

SUBLIMATION KINGZ LLC Filed with SSNY on 12-30-2020. Office: Dutchess County. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 23 Hawthorn Ct Fishkill Ny 12524 Purpose: any lawful

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The annual return of the Hoolie Fund, Inc. for the fiscal year ended November 30, 2021 is available at its principal office located at 46 Foster Road, Hopewell Junction, NY 12533 for inspection during regular business hours by any citizen who requests it within 180 days hereof. Principal Manager of the Foundation is Patrick Gmerek.

**TOWN OF FISHKILL, NY
NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
RFP 2022-07**

October 11, 2022

Request for Proposal

The Town of Fishkill is soliciting sealed proposals to provide excavation, concrete footing / foundation, pier and slab construction for a Steel building 80ft. X 80ft. in Fishkill, NY 12524. The Town of Fishkill will not purposely eliminate any company from bidding, however, there are specifications that must be met. Taxes should not be reflected as the Town of Fishkill is tax exempt. **Effective 9:00 AM, October 11, 2022, a Request for Proposal (RFP) may be obtained either in person at Town Hall, Town Clerk's Office, downloading from the Town of Fishkill Website (RFPs) or electronically by emailing the Town of Fishkill Project Facilitators** Joe DeFrancesco and Paul Bozek at jdefrancesco@fishkill-ny.gov and pbozek@fishkill-ny.gov

The requestor / proposer must provide the legal company name, address, telephone number, representative name and email address when either picking up in person or via email. **A non-mandatory pre-bid site walk-down/visit is scheduled for November 1, 2022 at 10:00 AM at 1 Geering Way, Fishkill, NY 12524.**

Any and all questions, clarifications, or requests shall be provided in writing to the Town of Fishkill Project Facilitators Joe DeFrancesco and Paul Bozek via email at:

jdefrancesco@fishkill-ny.gov and pbozek@fishkill-ny.gov

All questions, clarifications, and requests, together with answers, if any, will be provided to all firms that have indicated an interest or intention to submit statements. How-

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ever, the names of any firms submitting any questions, clarifications, or requests will not be disclosed until after the deadline for submitting Proposals. The Town reserves the right to respond or not respond to any questions, clarifications, or requests. The data herein is provided without warranty or representation as to accuracy. Each proposer is directed and encouraged to make any and all examinations independently; to verify any and all examinations independently, and not to rely solely on the information stated herein, which is to be used only as a general guide.

Sealed proposals will be accepted until Tuesday November 8, 2022 at 2:00 P.M. at the Town of Fishkill Town Clerk's Office, 807 Route 52, Fishkill, NY 12524 and will be opened on the same day. No proposals will be accepted after the appointed time. No other distribution of proposals will be made by the Proposer. All Proposal copies must be signed in ink and in longhand by an official authorized to bind the Proposer. The Town of Fishkill reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, with or without cause. Awarding of the contract will take place at a regular monthly meeting of the Town of Fishkill.

Should your firm be interested in submitting a proposal, submit the signed and sealed proposal with the requested / required information in the RFP, marked on the outer envelope as **Town of Fishkill Highway Garage Steel Building Footing and Foundation,** and mail or deliver to:

**Becki Tompkins, Town Clerk
Town of Fishkill
807 Route 52
Fishkill, New York 12524
(845) 831-7800
x3333
FAX (845) 831-6040
btompkins@fishkill-ny.gov**

LEGAL NOTICE FOR 2023 ANNUAL BUDGET HEARING:

DUTCHESS JUNCTION FIRE DISTRICT BUDGET HEARING NOTICE. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE DUTCHESS JCT FIRE DISTRICT LOCATED AT 75 SLOCUM RD, BEACON, NY 12508, WILL HOLD A PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING ON TUESDAY OCTOBER 18, 2022 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE FIRE HOUSE. COPIES OF THE

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PROPOSED BUDGET WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION. COPIES ALSO AVAILABLE FROM THE TOWN OF FISHKILL TOWN CLERK. SECRETARY/TREASURER, KATHY KOTZIAS.

PLEASANT VALLEY FIRE DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLEASE TAKE NOTICE,

the Board of Commissioners of the Pleasant Valley Fire District will conduct its annual public hearing on Tuesday, October 18, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Pleasant Valley Fire District Headquarters, at 1619 Main Street, Pleasant Valley, New York to discuss the contents of the proposed 2023 Pleasant Valley Fire District Budget. The Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Pleasant Valley where the Budget may be inspected by any interested person during office hours or visit the Pleasant Valley Fire District Headquarters during the hours of 7:30am to 3:00pm where the same may be inspected by any interested person. All persons interested shall have an opportunity to be heard in favor of or against the proposed Budget as compiled, or for or against any item or items therein contained.

Date: September 27, 2022 By Order of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Pleasant Valley Fire District. Jennifer Broas, Secretary Pleasant Valley Fire District

NOTICE Snow Ordinance

Just as a reminder to the Town of Fishkill residents, the Snow Ordinance, which was adopted in 1982, will be enforced from November 1st, 2022 to March 31st, 2023 ("winter season"). It will be enforced during the morning hours from 1:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., prevailing times, or any other period that the Town Board deems necessary. It shall be unlawful for any person to park or allow to remain parked any vehicle on any Town road or highway during the "winter season".

Notice: Halloween Curfew

Just as a reminder to the Town of Fishkill residents the Halloween Curfew, which was adopted on October 16, 1997, will be enforced this coming **October 30, 31 and November 1, 2022.** It will be

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enforced during the evening hours from **8:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.**, prevailing time, or any other period that the Town Board deems necessary. It shall be unlawful for any minor (any person under the age of 18 years) to congregate, stroll, wander, play or operate a motor vehicle in, about or upon any public park, public area, street, road or highway in the town unless:

- They are accompanied by a parent or guardian.
- The minor is on an emergency.
- They are conducting business at the request of an employer, and must have a statement in writing verifying this.
- They are involved in adult supervised church, school or civic event, and again, must have a written statement verifying this.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BEEKMAN CEMETERY ASSOC., INC. WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022, 10:00 A.M. AT THE POUGHQUAG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

Please take notice pursuant to Town Law Sect. 105, the Hillside Fire District will hold a public hearing to discuss the contents of its proposed budget for 2023. The public hearing will be held at the Hillside Fire Department located at 11 Fox Hollow Road, Rhinebeck, NY at 7:00 pm on October 19th, 2022. A copy of the proposed budget is available at the offices of the Town Clerk of Rhinebeck and Hyde Park where it may be inspected by any interested person during office hours.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON BUDGET

The Glenham Fire District shall hold a public hearing for the purpose of discussing its proposed Fiscal Year 2023 budget on Monday, October 17, 2022, at 6:30 p.m., at the Fire House located at 76 Old Glenham Road in the Town of Fishkill, New York. Copies of the proposed budget are available for inspection at the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Fishkill, at the office of the secretary of the Glenham Fire District and on the Fire District website located at www.glenhamfire.com Copies of the proposed budget will also

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be available for inspection at the aforesaid public hearing. Victoria Steele Secretary Glenham Fire District

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**New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
Notice of Complete Application**

Date: 09/29/2022

Applicant: CHEMPRENE LLC
483 FISHKILL AVE
BEACON, NY 12508
Facility: CHEMPRENE INC
483 FISHKILL AVE
BEACON, NY 12508

Application ID: 3-1302-00017/00019

Permits(s) Applied for: 1 - Article 19 Air State Facility
Project is located in: BEACON in DUTCHESS COUNTY
Project Description:

The Department has prepared a draft permit and has made a tentative determination, subject to public comment or other information, to approve a new Air State Facility permit for the Chemprene LLC facility. The facility is a manufacturer of lightweight conveyor belts and rubber coated fabrics. It currently operates under an Air Title V permit, however the facility's boilers no longer have the capability to fire No. 4 fuel oil, and now currently fire with natural gas, with No. 2 fuel oil as a backup. As a result of this change, facility-wide potential emissions of sulfur dioxide fall below Air Title V thresholds. Overall, facility-wide emissions would be capped below major source thresholds in accordance with 6 NYCRR Part 201-7.1, and thus the facility is eligible to operate under an Air State Facility permit as opposed to Air Title V.

Upon the tentative issuance of an Air State Facility permit for the facility, their Air Title V permit would thus be discontinued.

Pursuant to the requirements of Sections 7(2) and 7(3) of the Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act (CLCPA), the Department has requested and received information regarding the project's consistency with the CLCPA.

Availability of Application Documents:

Filed application documents, and Department draft permits where applicable, are available for inspection during normal business hours at the address of the contact person. To ensure timely service at the time of inspection, it is recommended that an appointment be made with the contact person.

State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) Determination Project is an Unlisted Action and will not have a significant impact on the environment. A Negative Declaration is on file. A coordinated review was not performed.

SEQR Lead Agency None Designated State Historic Preservation Act (SHPA) Determination

The proposed activity is not subject to review in accordance with SHPA. The application type is exempt and/or the project involves the continuation of an existing operational activity.

DEC Commissioner Policy 29, Environmental Justice and Permitting (CP-29)

It has been determined that the proposed action is not subject to CP-29.

Availability For Public Comment

Comments on this project must be submitted in writing to the Contact Person no later than 11/04/2022 or 30 days after the publication date of this notice, whichever is later.

Contact Person
CHRISTOPHER LANG
NYSDEC
21 S Putt Corners Rd
New Paltz, NY 12561
(845) 256-3096

Murder Cafe to showcase its brand of 'pumpkin spice'



Murder Cafe will present "The Great Pumpkin Spice Murder," a Halloween-themed murder mystery dinner to die for in October.

-Courtesy photo

This month, Murder Cafe will present "The Great Pumpkin Spice Murder," a Halloween-themed murder mystery dinner to die for.

You're invited to join famed pumpkin farmer, Charles Goodman, and his wife, Annie, in celebrating their winning of the new World Record for growing the biggest pumpkin. Even Charles' former best friend and biggest competition, Sam, is in attendance. Not everyone, however, is happy for Charles. His ex-wife, Tiffany, thinks that she should share some of the spotlight. Tempers get as hot as a fresh Pumpkin Spice Latte, and someone won't be leaving this party alive.

The performance schedule:
Friday, Oct. 14, 6:30 p.m.
Castle on the Delaware
139 Stockton Avenue, Walton, NY
Purchase tickets at <https://castleonthedelaware.com/>

Thursday, Oct. 20, 7 p.m.
The Beekman Arms
6387 Mill St. (Route 9), Rhinebeck
Purchase tickets via EventBrite

Friday, Oct. 21, 6:30 p.m.
Meadowbrook Lodge
1 Meadowbrook Road, New Windsor
Purchase tickets via EventBrite

Sunday, Oct. 23, 8 p.m.
The Colony
22 Rock City Road, Woodstock
To make reservations, call (845) 679-7625

Wednesday, Oct. 26, 7 p.m.
The Venue at The Best Western
Washington Avenue, Kingston
Purchase tickets via EventBrite

Sunday, Oct. 30, 2 p.m.
Le Chambord at Curry Estate
2739 Route 52, Hopewell Junction
To make reservations, call 845-221-1941

If you have any issues with making reservations or buying tickets to "The Great Pumpkin Spice Murder," call Murder Cafe at 845-475-7973 or email murdercafe.ny@gmail.com.

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Pull Back the Curtains at County Players

To celebrate its 65th Anniversary of producing theatrical productions, and to give a glimpse of the behind-the-scenes magic, County Players is opening its doors to audience and community members for self-guided tours on Sunday, October 16 from 1 - 5 p.m. For more information, visit [County Players](https://countyplayers.org) is at <https://countyplayers.org>. Proof of vaccination required to enter the theater. Masks are optional.

Whether a current audience member, subscriber, or just interested, the board of governors invites all to go behind-the-scenes to see how its productions comes together.

County Players is at 2681 W. Main St. in Wappingers Falls.

this week's puzzle solutions

SUDOKU
This week's answer

9	8	1	5	7	4	6	3	2
5	7	3	6	2	9	4	8	1
6	4	2	8	3	1	5	7	9
2	5	4	7	6	3	1	9	8
7	6	9	2	1	8	3	4	5
3	1	8	4	9	5	7	2	6
1	2	7	9	4	6	8	5	3
8	9	6	3	5	7	2	1	4
4	3	5	1	8	2	9	6	7

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Suguru solution

1	2	3	4	3	4
3	5	1	5	2	5
4	2	4	3	4	1
1	3	5	1	2	5
2	4	2	4	3	1
1	5	3	1	5	2

Legal Notices NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING BOARD TOWN OF WAPPINGER DUTCHESS COUNTY, NY Project Name: Fun Max Adventure Park, LLC Amended Site Plan & Special Use Permit Location: 1357 Route 9 Application: Nos.: 22-3460 (Site Plan) and 22-4103 (Special Use Permit) PLEASE TAKE NOTICE , the Town of Wappinger Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing on the 17th day of October, 2022 , at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall, 20 Middlebush Road, Wappinger Falls, NY pursuant to Article IX, Section 240-87 and 240-76 of the Town Law, on the application of 22-3460 (Site Plan) and 22-4103 (Special Use Permit) Fun Max Adventure Park, LLC – Wappinger Amended Site Plan and Special Use Permit . To discuss an amended Site Plan application and Special Use Permit application. The applicant is proposing to renovate the interior of an existing vacant space for the construction of a 58,000 square foot trampoline park on 86.8 acres in a SC Zoning District. The Property is located at 1357 Route 9 and is identified as Tax Grid No.: 6157-02-707773 in the Town of Wappinger. PLEASE TAKE FURTHER 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: September 29, 2022	Legal Notices NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Proposed Budget of the Rombout Fire District of the Town of Fishkill, State of New York, will be presented to the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Rombout Fire District, for its consideration. A PUBLIC HEARING will be held at 7 PM at the Rombout Fire District Headquarters, 901 Main Street, Fishkill, New York 12524, in the Town of Fishkill, State of New York on the 17th of October, 2022. Pursuant to Town Law S 105, the Board of Fire Commissioners must hold a public hearing on the budget, make the proposed budget available to the public prior to the public hearing, and allow the public to comment on the budget at the public hearing. This public hearing must be held to allow maximum public participation in the hearing. The purpose of the public hearing is to allow any person to be heard in favor of or against the proposed budget as it is submitted, or for or against any item or items contained in the proposed budget, and hearing all persons interested in the subject concerning same. That a copy of the proposed budget is available at the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Fishkill at 807 Route 52, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. where it may be inspected by any interested person. A copy will also be available for inspection Monday October 10, 2022 between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. at the Office of the Fire District Secretary at 901 Main Street, Fishkill, where it may be inspected by any interested person. Dated September 17, 2022 Board of Fire Commissioners Rombout Fire District 901 Main Street Fishkill, New York 12524	Legal Notices The deadline for Legals is every Monday @ 12 noon for a Wednesday Publication* *When a public holiday falls on a Monday the deadline becomes Friday at noon.
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Diversions

SUDOKU

Sudoku requires no arithmetic skills.

The object of the game is to fill all the blank squares with the correct numbers.

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

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.

	3							7
	9	6			7		1	
1	2			4				3
		8			5	7		
7			2		8			5
		4	7			1		
6				3			7	9
			6			4	8	
	8						3	

Suguru

2						1
		4				
	2					
		5			5	
	3					

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. Part of the face
4. Injection
8. Smooth fabric
13. TV sitcom set during a war
14. Honey factory
15. Overly proper one
16. Lover of an Irish Rose
17. Seaport in Yemen
18. Wading bird
19. Cure-all, according to some
22. Slangy refusal
23. Rather barren plain
24. Acting parts
26. Casa women: abbr.
29. Disease-carrying insect
32. Saying
36. "As I was going to St. Ives, I ___..."
38. Iran's dollar
39. Opera solo
40. Juicy fruits
41. Misfortunes
42. Skateboarder's incline
43. Poker term
44. Waterbirds
45. Contemptuous looks
47. Stitched
49. Commonplace
51. Customary practices
56. Fashionable resort
58. Operated a guillotine
61. Strong cord
63. Baker's need
64. ___ good example; be a role model
65. Refueling ship
66. Learning
67. Journey
68. Lock of hair

DOWN

69. Mothers of lambs
70. Suffix for lion or poet
1. Lacy shirt frill
2. Out of the way
3. Puppy
4. Razor user
5. Pelt
6. Finished
7. Pavarotti or Caruso
8. Brief periods
9. S. A. nation
10. Admittance regulator
11. Creative thought
12. Eur. nation
13. Davis and namesakes
20. ___ facto
21. Greek letters
25. Mysterious
27. Prayer ending
28. Chairs and stools
30. Mineo and others
31. Otherwise
32. One of the planets
33. Algerian seaport
34. Schedule
35. Diminish gradually
37. Yuletide purchase
40. Stickum
44. Pesky insect
46. Horsemen
48. Complains peevishly
50. Frenchman's school
52. Sew lightly
53. Brain canals
54. Noggins for Rene and Renée
55. Coyote State: abbr.
56. Falkirk resident
57. Pants or scissors
59. Declare
60. Parisian pop
62. Mr. Brown

	1	2	3		4	5	6	7		8	9	10	11	12
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16					17					18				
19				20					21			22		
23							24			25				
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56	57			58			59	60						
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65						66					67			
68						69					70			

Registration now open for SCRABBLE fundraiser



Registration is now open for the upcoming SCRABBLE fundraiser for Mid-Hudson Love, INC. Pictured is from a previous fundraiser.

-Courtesy photo

Registration is now open for the 13th Annual Benefit SCRABBLE® Blitz Tournament on October 20, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., a major fundraiser for Mid-Hudson Love INC. This unique event at the Freedom Plains United Presbyterian Church in Lagrange also includes raffles, an online auction, and a SCRABBLE-themed photography contest. Registration deadline is October 16.

The annual SCRABBLE Blitz Tournament is a fast-paced, timed, team style of play with fun bonus point possibilities; players have the option of 'competitive' or 'just for fun' wordplay. Registration for the event is \$30 per person or \$60 per team and includes three rounds of play, prizes, beverages, snacks, and one free raffle ticket. Complete rules and entry forms are available online at mid-hudsonloveinc.org.

Photographers are invited to enter the 'Best Board Photo Contest' with a close-up photograph of a SCRABBLE board display-

ing words describing the work of Love INC. Photographs must be emailed by October 13 for exhibit at the tournament. One prize will be awarded. Entry fee is \$25 for each photography entry. For the auction, online bidding on artwork, jewelry, and other items will open two weeks prior and close at the tournament. The link will be available at mid-hudsonloveinc.org.

Proceeds from this fundraiser will fight poverty through the work of the local non-profit organization, Mid-Hudson Love In the Name of Christ. Love INC mobilizes volunteers to address poverty and build resilience across the local community through delivery of much-needed resources and offering life-skills classes. Freedom Plains United Presbyterian Church hosts the tournament at 1168 Route 55 in LaGrange. For more information on Love INC, or to register for the SCRABBLE Tournament or Contest, visit www.mid-hudsonloveinc.org or email scrabble@mhinc.org.

East Fishkill Recreation

By Bill Green

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Recreation Director Jessica Dickinson for all she has accomplished these past six months working in East Fishkill. Her energy, expertise and creativity has been extremely valuable to all in our department. Unfortunately, she is leaving us to direct the PATHFINDER'S camps and activities at Dutchess County's recently purchased Nootemeing Boy Scout facility. Best of luck and much success in your new position, Jessica.

Mark down Sunday, October 30 on your calendar. This will be our 21st. Annual Halloween Costume Party and Parade. This event will be co-hosted by Mill Creek Caterers where the event will take place. There will be cider, donuts, gift bags for all participants, prizes for the best costumes (3 & under, 4-7, 8 & older and adults). Musical fun will be provided by the incomparable "Uncle" Bob Martinson who'll have everyone singing and dancing in costume. This event is for East Fishkill residents only.

We are now signing up all those interested in our November 20 trip to Radio City Music Hall's Christmas Spectacular. The fee is \$140 for residents and \$160 for nonresidents for orchestra seats and round-trip Coach Tours transportation and driver's tip. Sign up now online or come to Lime Kiln.

Because we've had so many calls from residents inquiring about our Sunday, December 11 trip to Broadway to see the new Neil Diamond musical - "A Beautiful Noise" efforts will be made to get a second bus for a different date if we can't accommodate all residents interested in attending.

This trip is for East Fishkill residents only and the fee is \$150 (maximum tickets for family or friends is four) and the fee includes orchestra seats, round trip Coach Tours transportation and tip for driver.

You may sign up online or pay by check or cash at Lime Kiln starting next Monday, October 17.

Our Winter Youth Basketball League begins in November. Games are played at Gayhead Elementary, Van Wyck Junior High and John Jay High School. This League is for youngsters in grades 3-12. All teams are now filled.

Men's Winter Basketball and Adult Coed Volleyball are under way Sundays at 9am at Van Wyck JHS. Volleyball also meets on Tuesday evenings from 7-9 p.m. You may register online or at the gym when you meet. The fee is \$60 non-residents and \$40 for residents.

If you have any recreation questions or concerns go to EastFishkillRecreation.com or recreation1@eastfishkillny.gov or give us a call at 845-226-8395.



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