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### **Al Fresco Dinner**



SALEM - For 17 years the Al Fresco Dinner has been our premier fundraiser and a wonderful community get-together in Salem.

This year the Al Fresco Dinner is July 27th from 5-9 featuring Hot Club of Saratoga and Bill Richter as chef. There will be an art exhibition of George Van Hook's work as well as a silent auction in the barn! And so many other aspects to this night as we celebrate the 150th Anniversary of the Historic Salem Courthouse!

Good news for all our friends and neighbors that remember the great meal last year: Bill Richter will be producing another dinner comprised of locally-sourced foods.

### FROM THE ROOFTOPS John Sloan and the Art of a New Urban Space

#### June 15 - September 15 THE HYDE COLLECTION ART MUSEUM & HISTORIC HOUSE www.hydecollection.org

Detail: John Sloan (American 1871-1951) Sunday, Women Drying Their Hair, 1912, ail on carvas, 26 1/8 x 32 1/8 inches. Addison Gallery of American Art, Phillips Academy, Andover, Massachusetts, museum purchase, 193867. Organized by the Palmer Museum of Art of the Pennsylvania State University. University Park PA, 50 ponsored by Steven and Stephanie Wasser, Brown and Fitzgerald, P.C., David C. Howson, and Robert and Francine Nemer.

More events!

Special activities on Family Fridays July 19 - August 9 Community Day & Plein Air Festival August 11 Museum open all week long July 15 - August 26

### Hubbard Hall End of Year Dance Performances

HOOSICK FALLS– Join Hubbard Hall's dancers for their End of Year Dance Performances on Saturday, June 15, 2019. Part one will be at 4:30 and part two at 7 p.m. in the Hoosick Falls Central School Auditorium. General Admission is \$10, students \$5, youths ages 6-10 \$2 and ages 5 & under are FREE. See everything the dancers have learned over the course of a year! This is the final dance recital of the season for all dance classes at Hubbard Hall!



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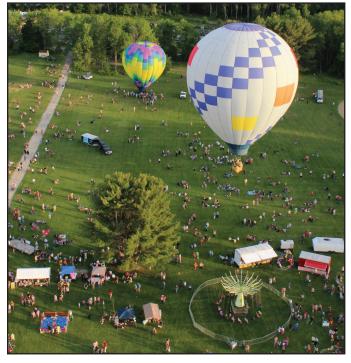
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### **Driver Safety Course**

SALEM – Tuesday, June 4th from 8:30-2:30 pm AARP Smart Driver Safety Class with Buffie Kelly. AARP members \$20.00 non-members \$25 Bring license, AARP card, ball point pen and bag lunch. Limited to 18 participants. reserve at 518-854-7053. Registrants will realize a savings on the car insurance upon completion of class!



## 19th Annual Balloon Festival Set to Launch



CAMBRIDGE – The Cambridge Balloon Committee is gearing up for its 19th Annual Cambridge Valley Balloon Festival, set for Friday, June 7 through Sunday, June 9, 2019, in and around the beautiful historic village of Cambridge, NY.

The Cambridge Valley Chamber of Commerce Balloon Committee is putting together the schedule of activities, which will include launches of hot air balloons (Friday & Saturday evening and Saturday & Sunday morning). Launches will be at the Cambridge Central School on Route 22, with Evening launches typically occur around 7 p.m.;

#### morning launches at 5:30 a.m. SUPPORT FOR THE FESTIVAL

Sponsors are crucial to the success of the balloon festival and they are what make it possible for the event to occur free of charge. Sponsors truly make it happen! Please consider even a small sponsorship to be a part of the success!

Opportunities range from sponsorship of an entire balloon (\$1000-you get two free rides along with free tickets to pilot events) to event sponsorships (\$500-\$200). You can share a balloon sponsorship with a friend or fellow business person, with each



of you getting a ride and free tickets to the pilot events. It's great advertising for your business and sharing a sponsorship helps out the festival too.

Gold and silver sponsorships are available for \$100 and \$50, respectively. Visit the website for sponsorship information or call 518-677-0887.

Donations toward the fireworks are always needed and welcome. To help keep this fantastic display a part of our annual event, send donations in any denomination to CVCC- Fireworks, PO Box 405, Cambridge, NY 12816. Individuals or businesses making gifts of \$300 or more will be acknowledged in press releases and at the event as fireworks sponsors.

Festival themed merchandise is available for sale beginning in late May. These items support the festival and help make it possible.

> ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For information on Cam-

bridge, or the balloon festival, call 518-677-0887, or visit the website, www.cambridgenychamber.com.

#### COMMUNITY SPONSORED EVENTS

Local organizations augment the festival with activities to entertain crowds between the launches and to showcase the Cambridge community. In the Village, activities such as craft fairs, farmers' markets, museum tours, concerts, car show and other events occur. Information will be posted on the Chamber website at www. cambridgenychamber.com as it is finalized and details become available.

Organizations wanting to be included on the official schedule of events must send information IN WRITING to PO Box 405, Cambridge, NY 12816 or via e-mail to cambridgechamber@ gmail.com. The deadline to be included is May 15, 2019.



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### Men O War Balladeers at the Courthouse



SALEM – The Historic Salem Courthouse is thrilled to welcome back the Men of War Balladeers on Saturday, June 1st 7 pm. Admission is \$15 general, \$10 students, or pay what you can. Call to reserve tickets at 518-854-7053 or buy at the door.

Formed in 2016, the Cambridge, NY-based band showcases the voices of its members: solo or in rich harmony, unaccompanied or with skillful acoustic guitar or Irish bouzouki. Performing timeless songs of joy, heartbreak, success, or sorrow, the young men in the band will bring emotions to the brim as they recount in song age-old tales of Arctic fishing voyages, Soldiers gone to war, or Irish outlaw rapparees.

The Band will be giving several summer concerts though New York's Capital Region and into Southern Vermont. More information about the band can be found at its Website (https:// themenowarballadeers.wordpress.com/); on Facebook The Men o' War Balladeers; or by calling director Kristoffer Ross at 518-764-5045. The Courthouse is located at 58 E. Broadway in Salem.

### A Discussion Group for Farm Women

VOORHEESVILLE - "Telling Your Story," a meeting for farm women, will be held on Tuesday, June 4, 2019 at Cornell Cooperative Extension, 24 Martin Rd, Voorheesville, NY 12186. The Capital Area Agriculture and Horticulture Program and Cornell Cooperative Extension Albany County will host the meeting, which runs from 6:00 to 8:30 pm and is intended for farm women who wish to learn the key skill of telling their farm business story as a way of engaging customers and the public.

Inspired by Annie's Project, a working group of farm women selected this topic as a key skill they wanted to learn. We invite other farm women to join us as we continue our women's discussion group, which meets to provide support, programming and networking opportunities.

Making a personal connection is a crucial element for businesses to use when competing in the rough and tumble world. Steve Hadcock, CCE educator for New Farmers and Market Development, will work with the discussion group participants to develop messages for their use on social media and in their marketing campaigns.

As messages about food, local agriculture and other concerns continue to be diluted by misinformation, farm business owners must step up their game to produce materials and stories that engage and educate customers and the general public. Finding key points to convey the message you want everyone to understand is part of that process.

The meeting is free and reservations are not required. However, a call/text or email ahead to Sandy would be helpful in planning for handouts and space. Call 518-380-1498 or 1-800-548-0881 or email sab22@cornell.edu.







### Glory Days: An Era of Industry - June 7 – September17

GRANVILLE - The Slate Valley Museum presents an exhibit of historic and contemporary work which illustrate the vital role of rivers in the formation of prosperous settlements. Throughout history, from 3200 B.C., on the shores of the Tigris and Euphrates to the reign of the pharaohs along the Nile, rivers have flowed through civilization and fueled their economy and culture. Rivers spark industry, serve as a means of transportation and link communities to each other.

We look at the Battenkill, the Mettowee and the Indian Rivers as being the moving force which powered a variety of mills in the early days and still generates electricity until the present day. In 1800's there were as many as 100 mills of varying types along the Battenkill, all the way from Dorset, Vermont to Clarks Mills, New York where the river flows into the mighty Hudson

Glory Days portrays the history of industry from the mid-19th century until present day through early photographs, drawings, artwork and objects from the material culture. On view will be a painted tea tray from the American Tea Tray Company established in 1849 which produced decorated tin trays, the first in the country.

Many of the mills sawed lumber but then went on to make textiles. The Rexleigh Marble Mill near Salem, New York cut marble which was transported there by rail car from Vermont. Eventually the same

mill produced machetes and sickles many which were exported to Russia up until WWI. In the early 1970s, the buildings were used to produce ceramics before fire destroyed almost everything.

Today, earlier mills are mostly in ruin along the Battenkill and in Middle Granville, New York. Two examples still standing are the original flax and cotton mill in Eagleville, New York, an outstanding example of post and beam construction. Another example is the textile mill in Battenville, New York which Susan B. Anthony's father managed until the crash of 1837. In Center Falls, New York Hollingsworth & Vose still manufactures filter paper...

The story of how mills along rivers led to the establishment of industry and jobs helps explain the original demographics of the area. Irish, Welch, Italian and Polish immigrants settled in Greenwich, Salem, New York and Middle Granville to work in the textile mills and quarries there. Glory Days portrays what was once the Great American Dream: a place to work, prosper and raise a family.

The exhibition Glory Days: An Era of Industry is curated by Salem historian, Judy

Flagg, Sally Brillon, research assistant, Washington County Historical Society and Elizabeth Cockey, artist and author of Untold Stories of the Battenkill.

For further information please contact Abigail Free, director@ slatevalleymuseum.org





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### **Oakwood's Chapel Tours**



TROY – Get an early start to your Troy Night Out with a stop at the "castle on the hill" the Gardner Earl Chapel. The Friends of Oakwood will offer tours at 2pm and 3pm on the last Friday of the month, May 31, June 28 and July 26.

Just \$10.pp, children under 12 free. No registration required. Pay cash on arrival. Rain or shine. Groups of 8 or more please call Heidi 518-221-7941. Sorry, no dogs. GPS: 186 Oakwood Avenue (route 40 just off Hoosick Street)

Come see this ornate Victorian chapel before you head downtown for the rest of Troy's festivities. The National Historic Landmark is a popular site for weddings and special events as well as funerals. We may even take a peek into one of the old cremation retorts!

Please note that the traditional August Tuesday Chapel Tours will not be available this year. Any changes or updates will be posted on our Facebook page: Oakwood Cemetery Troy NY, and on our website: www. oakwoodcemetery.org.

### **Stardusters in Concert**

HOOSICK FALLS - The Stardusters of Hoosick Falls, an eighteen piece swing band will present an annual concert in the Wood Park on Wednesday evening June 26, at 7:30 P.M

This group has been in operation since 1976 performing dance jobs, conerts including their annual Christmas Concert.

The band consists of five saxes, four trumpets, four trombones, Piano, traps and Bass.

The concert is free. Please bring a chair or blanket and enjoy the music and even dance in the grass!

# **Antique Truck Show**



GREENWICH – The Uncle Sam Chapter of the ATCA Antique Truck is coming once again to the Washington County Fairgrounds. This year's truck show will be held July 21, 2019 rain or shine. The show will be held 8 am to 3 pm and entry is only \$2. Vendors are welcome. For more information contact Al Macauley at 518-677-8264 or Clarence Ritchie at 518-642-9437.





### **The Adirondack Wine & Food Festival!**



LAKE GEORGE – The 5th Annual Adirondack Wine & Food Festival returns to Lake George this June 29-30, 2019 and you won't want to miss it! The Festival will showcase some of the best wineries, breweries, distilleries, artisan food vendors, crafts and food trucks the region has to offer!

With admission, you'll receive a commemorative wine glass to be used throughout the event to sample craft beverages! As a designated NY Farmer's Market, the Festival offers the perfect opportunity to try before you buy. Whether it's your newfound favorite bottle of chardonnay, cheddar cheese, or chocolate fudge... each vendor will have their products available for you to purchase and take home with you; made even easier if you utilize our popular Purchase Drop-Off / Pick-Up service!

The Chef William Creations Culinary Tent, sponsored by Marcella's Appliance, will feature cooking demonstrations performed by Finger Lakes Celebrity Chef William Cornelius and special guests all weekend long. The Chef will be utilizing his proprietary sauces, local foods and craft beverages in his recipes, as well as providing wine pairing suggestions.

Also under the Culinary Tent all weekend, local bartenders will demonstrate unique Wine Cocktail recipes opposite the culinary demos, mixing new concoctions from wines and liquors available for purchase at the festival!

Additionally, Marcella's Appliance will be adjacent to the culinary tent, smoking meats on Big Green Egg Grills both days of the festival, ending with a "fest taste test" of these delicious meats... is your mouth watering yet?!

This year, Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Southern Adirondacks is the Official Festival Beneficiary. Their volunteers will be on hand making sure the festival runs smooth-

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Wed 4-8, Thur 4-8, Fri 4-8,

Sat 11-8, Sun 10-5

ly, including roaming the space with ample bottles of water to keep everyone hydrated.

Children and families are welcome to attend the Festival (kids ages 15 and under are free) and a Kids' Activity Tent (sponsored by The Fun Spot) will be available on-site.

For more information visit www. adkwinefest.com.

### Music from Salem "Music of the Movies" Listening Club

CAMBRIDGE – On Saturday June 22nd, 2019 1pm at Hubbard Hall (25 E. Main Street, Cambridge, NY) Music from Salem will host the 2019 Listening Club Music of the Movies, presented by Board Director David deVries.

This Music of the Movies Listening Club presentation will offer an insightful view of the history of music in films. We'll look at what a music score seeks to add to the movie and learn about some specific techniques used to accomplish these goals.

Along the way we will hear numerous samples of movie music; some famous, some less so- all of them special!



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1 Main Street, Greenwich, NY

Wed 4-8, Thur 5-8, Fri 4-8, Sat 11-8, Sun 12-5



### **Contra/Square Dance Event**



GREENWICH – The Greenwich Free Library reprises its "Music is Living History" performances with a free contra/square dance program on Saturday, June 1, 6:30-9:30 p.m.. at St. Joseph's Parish Hall, 31 Hill St., Greenwich.

"The Library All Stars" band, featuring John Guay, Vonnie Estes, George Wilson, Bonnie Epstein and caller Fern Bradley, will lead a family dance for all ages from 6:30-7:30, followed by a short contra lesson 7:30-7:45, then contra dancing 7:45-9:30. The theme of the evening is "dance like your ancestors are watching."

Beverages and snacks will be available for purchase. Donations will be welcomed to support the Library and its special programming.

This project is made possible with funds from the Decentralization Program, a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of Andrew Cuomo and the New York State Legislature and administered by Lower Adirondack Regional Arts Council

The Greenwich Free Library is located at 148 Main St., Greenwich, NY. For further information, call the Greenwich Free Library at 518.692.7157.

### Clam Steam

VICTORY - Fish Creek Rod and Gun Club annual clam steam will be on Saturday, August 10, 2019 from 12 noon to 9 pm. Tickets are on sale now, ask a club member or call 518-695-3917.



### **Hudson Crossing Triathlon**



Join us for the 10th Annual Hudson Crossing Triathlon at beautiful, historic Hudson Crossing Park in Saratoga County. Fast course, fantastic scenery.

The Triathlon will be held June 9 at 8 a.m. with a 500 yd swim, 12 mile bike and 5k run

Details: Fantastic venue in the Champlain canalway system. Clean, still water. Beautiful bike course through Northumberland farm country. Run through Schuylerville and Hudson Crossing Park trails. This race will be chip timed. Awards three-deep

in 5-year age-groups (15-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, etc.... 70+) for men and women. Awards for top 3 teams

History: In 1777, British General John Burgoyne led several thousand British and German soldiers across the river where Hudson Crossing Park is now situated to engage American forces on his quest south to conquer Albany. To cross the river, soldiers lashed together a number of flat-bottomed wooden crafts to form a floating "Bridge of Boats," and then marched across. The resulting Battles of Saratoga are considered to be sparks that precipitated a turning point in the war and to eventual victory for the Americans.

Join us as we celebrate the history of this region, and the mission of Hudson Crossing Park.

A portion of all proceeds benefit Hudson Crossing Park, a 501(c)(3).

Hudson Crossing Park is located at Champlain Canal Lock 5 Island just outside of the village of Schuylerville. For more information call 518-350 7275.

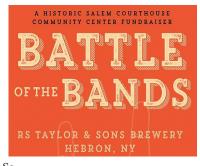
### **Battle of the Bands**

HEBRON - Introducing the Salem Community Courthouse's first Battle of the Bands Competition. The fundraiser will be held at RS Taylor Sons and Brewery in Hebron on June 22nd.

The Salem Courthouse was built in 1869, so this year it is celebrating its

150th year of existence. The Salem Courthouse Community Center is dedicated to providing a venue for artistic endeavors, for craft making, and for unique educational experiences that help our young people to meet their full potential. The courthouse looks at the present as a steppingstone to the future and give individuals a chance to enjoy and to serve the community. The courthouse celebrates the past by restoring the historic building. There are plans in the works for several restoration projects that will add to the list of projects completed in the past sixteen years.

One of our main restoration pri-



orities is the Courthouse Ceiling, parts of which have fallen due to water damage. All of the revenue from the Battle of the Bands Ticket Sales will go towards repairing the Courthouse ceiling.

This fundraiser will have food, beer, and great music. The goal is to have about 12 bands perform, and go through three rounds, with a panel of judges deciding who the \$1,000 prize should be awarded to.

To purchase a ticket, or to register your band for what is hoped to become a must-see, annual event visit salemcourthouse.org/ battle-of-the-bands.

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### **Washington County Band Summer Performances**



The schedule for our 2019 summer season is confirmed! Concert dates and locations are: • Friday, July 12, 7 PM, Greenwich NY, Mowry Park Gazebo (July 19 possible rain date) • Thursday, July 18, 7 PM, Cam-

bridge, NY, Cambridge Library • Friday, July 26, 7 PM, Whitehall, NY, Veterans' Park Gazebo • Thursday, August 1, 7 PM, Shushan, NY, Georgi Museum (ice cream sundaes for everybody courtesy of Salem Rotary Club) (August 8 possible rain date)

• Saturday, August 10, 12:30 PM, Rupert, VT, Rupert Old Home

Days, Rupert Fire Dept. grounds • Thursday, August 22, 7 PM, Granville, NY, Bandstand, Veterans Park

• Saturday, August 24, 6:30 PM - Pawlet, VT, Pawlet Public Librarv

· Plus one additional concert in Manchester, VT, date to be determined

All our concerts are free and feature a variety of music with something for everybody! Enjoy a leisurely summer evening with us in these beautiful settings in and around Washington County, New York. Bring a lawn chair and your family and friends.



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### **Merck Forest Events**

RUPERT, VT – Springtime has arrived up on Rupert Mountain! As our forested and farm-based landscapes awaken and burst into verdant life, MFFC offers our visitors and members a variety of outdoor workshops, trainings and special events.

If you are looking for summer adventures for your grand/children, heads up! MFFC is offering two weeklong hands-on, experiential summer camps - Forest and Ecology based - for kids this July and August! And don't forget to book a rustic cabin for an outdoor family adventure.

Call the Visitor Center at 802-394-7836 for reservations and more information on all of these events. Support our ongoing effort to open up the joy and wonder of our property to new audiences by joining Merck Forest and Farmland Center today. www.merckforest.org/get-involved/

#### May 25 from 2pm - 4pm Explore: Changes in the Vermont Landscape

Enjoy a guided hike with a MFFC staff member, who will provide information regarding ecology, history, farming and forestry to hikers. \$5 per person.

May 25 & 26 from 8am - 4pm

Northeast Woodland Training: Game of Logging Chainsaw Safety Training (Levels 1 & 2) is sold out! Merck Forest looks forward to offering this safety course again in 2019.

June 1 from 2pm - 4pm Workshop: Woodshed Raising Participants will help improve our property's infrastructure by helping to erect a new woodshed. Free

#### JUST FOR KIDS AT MERCK FOREST July 22-26 from 9am - 3pm *Forest Day Camp*

Children have the opportunity to explore the forests and woods of Merck Forest through hands-on activities. Gets kids outside exploring in the natural world. \$250 per camper

#### August 5-9 from 9am - 3pm Eco Day Camp

Children have the opportunity to explore the various ecosystems of Merck Forest through hands-on activities. Gets kids outside exploring in the natural world. \$250 per camper

#### July 11, 18, 25; Aug. 1,8,15 from 2pm - 4pm

#### Thursday Farm Chores for Children

Participants learn what is involved in taking care of farm animals, nuturing plants and tending to our berry bushes. \$5 per person

### Breakfast

VICTORY - Come join The Fish Creek Rod and Gun Club for breakfast on Sunday, June 9, 2019, 8 to 9 am. Menu: Eggs cooked to order, Bacon, Sausage, Toast (White or Wheat), Pancakes (Regular, Blueberry, Buckwheat, Apple Cinnamon), French Toast, Home Fries, Orange Juice, Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate. Cost: \$8 Adult, \$4 Child. EVERYONE will be welcome to join us. 518-695-3917.

### Get Out and Go Granville

GRANVILLE – Come out for the "Get Out and Go Granville" on Sunday, June 23 from 10am to 3pm at the Granville EMS parking lot. Come see how easy it is to be active. Give biking a try, check you helmet fit, walk the trail, check out local listings and more! You can also learn about biking and pedestrian safety skills with safety talks at 12 pm and 2 pm. There will also be free use of rental bikes and 10 minute tune ups from Johnson & Son Bikeworks. There will also be a chance to get Child ID's and see K9 Demonstration (11am) from Washington County Sheriff's. Try smoothie tastings from Cornell Cooperative Extension of Washington County. Come and see all the events and demonstrations this family fun event has to offer. This is a Free event open to all ages and abilities.







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### **Adirondack Wool & Arts Festival**

GREENWICH – The Southern Adirondack Fiber Festival is now the Adirondack Wool and Arts Festival. It will be held 10AM on September 28-29, 2019 at the Washington County Fairgrounds in Greenwich.

Established in 2008 and part of the Washington County Fair located in Greenwich, this festival is a celebration of how agriculture plays an important role in arts. Through the production of natural animal fibers (wool and fleece) yarns are produced and made into beautiful arts and fashions. Specialty soaps, healing arts, craft beverages, photography, pottery, jewelry, and more... All items have a start in agriculture or a connection to agriculture. The wool & arts festival offers the public education on the products produced in fiber arts, raw fleece, roving, spinning supplies, needle felting, dyes, yarns, and items needed to knit, crochet, and weave.

Artisans and vendors will include pottery, body care products, healing arts, jewelry, culinary arts, craft beverage producers, leather, paper crafts, photography, printmaking, sculpture, wood arts, and more.

Are you interested in participating in this year's festival? For more information: email: adkwoolandartsfestival@gmail.com or call 518-692-2464.

For more info visit www.adkwoolandarts.com.

### Landscapes for Landsake

CAMBRIDGE – ASA's Landscapes for Landsake is an annual art exhibition that celebrates both the agricultural heritage and stunning landscapes of the Upper Hudson Valley. Now in its 18th year, the show is the region's largest art buying event of the season. It draws thousands of visitors from all over the country, from professionals (gallery owners and museum curators) to art lovers of all ages. This year's show will take place October 11-14, 2019.

The 3-day event is held every Columbus Day weekend in the magnificent 19th-century post and beam barn at Maple Ridge, a historic estate just west of Cambridge, NY. Last year's exhibit features the work of 47 artists, chosen by a jury from 60 applicants. Many of the featured artists, including Harry Orlyk, Leslie Parke, Virginia MacNeice, Leslie Peck and George Van Hook, are internationally recognized painters. There is also a strong representation of works in other media, including sculpture, ceramics, photography, and furniture.

Besides its prominence on the social calendar, Landscapes for Landsake is the largest fundraiser for ASA, with participating artists donating 50% of the purchase price of their works to ASA.

Location: Maple Ridge Gallery, 172 State Route 372, Cambridge, NY. For more information, visit www.agstewardship. org





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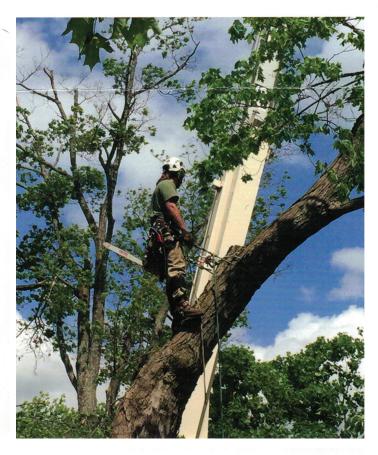
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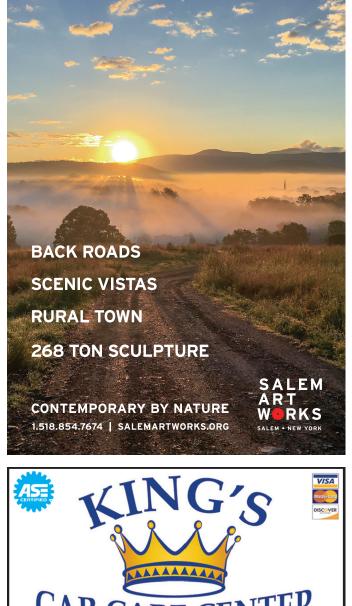
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### Schuylerville Garden Club Flower Show

SCHUYLERVILLE - The Schuylerville Garden Club will present its annual National Garden Club Standard Flower Show entitled "Games People Play" on Saturday, July 13 from 1:00-5:00 pm and Sunday, July 14 from Noon-4:00 pm in the Saratoga Town Hall, 12 Spring St. (corner of Spring & Broad) in Schuylerville, NY.

There will be Floral Design, Horticulture and Photograph divisions. The show will also include plant, glove and bake sales, prizes from a benefit table, youth and special exhibits. Admission and refreshments are free! The public is invited to participate and attend. On Sunday at 2:30 pm, Steve Sarano of Sorano's Greenhouses will give a presentation on the care and propagation of African Violets. For more information, go to www.schuylervillegardenclub.org.

### **Free Rowing Clinics**

Start your summer with a NEW sport! Learn to row on the Mohawk River. There are opportunities for youth and adults. Register today at bhrow.com/learn-to-row.

**FREE Rowing Clinic** – Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> - Open to kids going into 6th grade or older and all adults. 90-minute sessions each, starting at 9AM, 10AM, and 11AM. Intro includes instruction on land then on the water in our 8-person rowing shells mixed with experienced rowers.

Adult Learn to Row - Open to anyone 18 and older. 6/18-7/3 Tues/ Thurs 6:15-8 PM (the July 4 class will be held on July 3), 6 sessions for \$125 per person – bring a friend for a discount!

Youth Learn to Row - Open to 6th-12th Grade. Three 2-week sessions, starting 7/1, 7/22, & 8/12, Mon-Fri, 10 AM-12:30 PM, \$160 per person



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### **Georgi Events**

July 30, 2019 8:00 PM (Rain Date July 31) – The Mettawee River Theater Company

Watch the Mettawee River Theater Company as they bring their unique blend of Music, Masks, Puppetry and Performance to the Community Park. Family Friendly. Free and open to the public. Donations welcomed and appreciated.

August 1, 2019 – The Washington County Band and Salem Rotary Ice Cream Social

This event is an annual favorite at the Georgi. The Washington County Band will play a mix of show tunes, and performance band classics in the Community Park. The Salem Rotary Club will be serving up Stewarts Ice Cream. Be sure to bring a chair, the kids, and the bug spray! Family Friendly. Free! Open to the Public! Donations welcomed and appreciated.

For additional information, contact Wendy Bordwell (518) 854-3773 or info@thegeorgi.com. Find us on FaceBook, or check out our website at www.thegeorgi.com.

The Georgi is located at 28 Adams Lane in Shushan.

#### **Poetry Reading** SARATOGA SPRINGS – On Wednesday,

SARATOGA SPŘINGS – On Wednesday, June 5, Caffè Lena will present poetry by Richard Levine. An open reading will follow. Doors open for sign-ups at 7pm and the readings will start at 7:30. The host for the event will be Carol Graser and the cost is \$5 general, free for students. Caffè Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, 583-0022, www. caffelena.org

A retired New York City teacher, activist, and poet Richard Levine is the author of the poetry collections Selected Poems (Future Cycle Press 2019) and Contiguous States (Finishing Line Press, 2018), as well five chapbooks: The Cadence of Mercy, A Tide of a Hundred Mountains, That Country's Soul, A Language Full of Wars and Songs, and Snapshots from a Battle. Some of his activism appears on YouTube.

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MONTPELIER, Vt. – Do you love local food and farms? Want to get to know your farmer better -and to get a behind-the-scenes look into Vermont's vibrant working agricultural landscape? Mark your calendar for Vermont Open Farm Week: August 9-15, 2019 taking place at farms across Vermont! We're planning for another exciting event, and will post a full list of participating farms in July 2019. While you're waiting, take a look back at last year's Open Farm Week!

During Vermont Open Farm Week, you can meet the farmers, plants, and animals that bring your favorite high-quality Vermont products to your plate.

What's the greatest part about Open Farm Week? Every farm is unique! Milk a cow and harvest a carrot at one farm, sit on a tractor and take in the smell of freshly cut hay at another. Find upto-date lists of participating farms and search by location or product at DigInVT.com, your portal to Vermont's agriculture and culinary experiences.

With so much happening all around the state, it might seem overwhelming to plan out a fun week. To make it easier on you, we've created a list of events happening on each day of Open Farm Week!

Are you a farmer participating in Open Farm Week? Check back soon for info (www.diginvt. com) or email us diginvt@vermontfresh.net.

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### **July 4th Art & Plow Parade and Festival**



SALEM - The annual Salem Fourth of July Parade and Art & Plow Fest embraces an "art & agriculture" theme to reflect the area's rich agricultural roots and arts culture. The parade kicks off on Main Street at 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 4, with local farmers parading their prized cows, oxen, sheep and goats along with farm equipment, classic cars and antique trucks. Area arts professionals, organizations, individuals and businesses will showcase their creative talents in floats and performances.

The Art & Plow Fest will feature pre-parade pop-up art galleries around town. A post-parade festival on the green at the Salem train depot starts at 6 p.m. with live music, food vendors and - new this year art and craft vendors, too. The festivities will culminate in a community bonfire on SAW Hill at Salem Art Works.

For more information and a full schedule of events, visit www.salemnychamber.com.

### Ham and Strawberry Shortcake Dinner

PITTSTOWN - Ham and Strawberry Shortcake Dinner at the Pittstown United Methodist Church Hall (located just of NY Route 7) on Saturday, June 8 from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Eat in or Take out. Menu: ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetables, applesauce, rolls, strawberry shortcake. Price: adults - \$12.00, children 5-12 \$5.00, children under 5 free. Reservations suggested - call 518-663-5607.



### Little Theater on the Farm Summer Events

#### The Trophy Husbands

June 1st, Saturday 7pm, Little Theater on the Farm, 27 Plum Road, Fort Edward, presents The Trophy Husbands. The band features John and Orion Kribs, Arlin Greene and Doug Moody. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7.

#### The Stony Creek Band

June 5th, Wednesday 7 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents the Stony Creek Band. Recommended donation \$10 and \$7 for seniors & students. Check out the Stony Creek Band here: www.stonycreekband.com. Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7

#### Across the Pond

June 8th Saturday 7pm Little Theater on the Farm presents Across the pond. Across The Pond pays tribute to the music of the Beatles, staying focused on the style and music of the Beatles and not the impersonation of the Beatles themselves. Check out Across the Pond here: www.facebook.com/AcrossThePondNY. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7.

#### Luke Garrett: Opening by Danny Garcia, Katie Dwyer, Dave Larson, and Amy Geiling

June 12th, Wednesday 7 pm Little Theater on the Farm Presents Luke Garrett, opening by Danny Garcia and Katie Dwyer and Dave Larson & Amy Geiling. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7 Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available.

#### A Roy Orbison Retrospective

June 15th, Saturday 7 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents A Roy Orbison Retrospective by Dr. Bruce (Bruce W. Bumstead, DVM aka MangyMilkbone). Check Dr. Bumstead out here: https://store. cdbaby.com/Artist/BruceBumstead Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7 Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available.

#### **Bluegrass Jam**

June 19th, Wednesday, 7 pm A Bluegrass Jam will be held at Little Theater on the Farm. Musicians are welcome and the public invited. Jeff Anderson, coordinator. Refreshments and 50/50 baked goods raffle available. Admission is free, donations appreciated.

#### Smokey Greene and the Greene Bros.

June 23rd, Sunday, 2 pm,The legendary Smokey Greene and the Greene brothers will be performing at Little Theater on the Farm. Smokey Greene and the Greene Brothers, Arlin and Scott will be performing. Recommended donation \$10 and \$7 for seniors & students. Refreshments and 50/50, Baked goods raffle available.

#### The Bluebillies Hank Williams Tribute

June 26th, Wednesday 7 pm, The Bluebillies' Present A Hank Williams Tribute w/ Special Guest Bill Healy Followed by Themed Open Mic at Little Theater on the Farm. Pre-registration is required, email the Bluebillies at thebluebillies@gmail.com, or message Mel Guarino on Facebook at www.facebook.com/mel.guarino. Sign-up is on a first come, first serve basis. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7.

#### John and Orion Kribs

June 29th, Saturday at 7 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents John and Orion Kribs. John Kribs is an extraordinary guitarist, singer and songwriter. Orion Kribs, son of John Kribs, is one of the best mandolin players in the United States. Orion is an outstanding musician and singer. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available. Recommended donation \$10 and \$7 for seniors & students.

#### Hee Haw Style Variety Show

July 10th, Wednesday, 2 pm, The Annual Hee Haw Style Variety Show will be held at Little Theater on the Farm. Featuring many past favorites. Performing will be Judy Carson, The Bluejays, and more. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7 Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available includes baked goods followed by baked goods swap.

#### Mettawee River Theater Company Presents "The Ringdove"

Thursday, July 11th, 8 pm Little Theater on the Farm and The Mettawee River Theater Company present "The Ringdove". The Ringdove is drawn from The Panchatantra, a collection of allegorical tales whose origins reach back over 2,000 years, to ancient India. Please be sure to bring your lawn chairs. Donations are appreciated. The proceeds from this show goes to benefit Mettawee River Theater Company.

#### Hee Haw Style Variety Show

July 13th, Saturday 7 pm, The Annual Hee Haw Style Variety Show will be held at Little Theater on the Farm. Featuring many past favorites. List TBA. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7 Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available includes baked goods followed by baked goods swap.

#### Bluegrass Jam

July 17th, Wednesday, 7 pm A Bluegrass Jam will be held at Little Theater on the Farm. Musicians are welcome and the public is invited. Jeff Anderson, coordinator. Refreshments and 50/50 baked goods raffle available. Admission is free, donations appreciated.

#### An Afternoon of Irish Music

July 21st, Sunday 2 pm - 6 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents An Afternoon of Irish Music Featuring the bands Craic Agus Ceol, The McKrells, and the Hubbard Hall Irish Step Dancers. Every performance is filled with toe-tapping tunes and laughter. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7. Refreshments, 50/50 raffle available. Baked goods auction.

#### The Bluebillie's Johnny Cash Tribute

July 24th Wednesday, 7 pm The Bluebillies' Present A Tribute to Johnny Cash with Special Guest Marty Wendell followed by Themed Open Mic at Little Theater on the Farm. Pre-registration is required, email the Bluebillies at thebluebillies@ gmail.com, or message Mel Guarino on Facebook at www.facebook.com/mel.guarino Sign-up is on a first come, first serve basis. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7.

#### Just us Gals

July 27th, Saturday 7 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents Just Us Gals with Kim Skoll, Judy Carson and more. Lineup TBA. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+) \$7. Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available.

#### Cedar Ridge

July 31st, Wednesday 7 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents Cedar Ridge, playing traditional bluegrass and old country music. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+) \$7. Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available.

#### Marty Wendell and His Tour Band

August 3rd, Saturday 7 pm, Little Theater on the Farm presents Rockabilly Hall of Fame Member and Sun Records recording Artist Marty Wendell and his Tour Band. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+) \$7. Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available.

#### 11th Annual Country & Bluegrass Jamboree

August 7th Wednesday 12 noon to 10pm~ Little Theater on the Farm proudly presents our 11th Annual Country and Bluegrass Jamboree, featuring 5 bands; Smokey Greene and Sons, High Peaks Bluegrass Band, Whiskey River Band, Cedar Ridge, and The Bluebillies. Each band will play two sets throughout the day and evening. Line dance demonstrations by Kathleen Kelley followed by six free line dancing lessons, schedule to be announced. Recommended donation \$15, seniors and students \$12.

#### **Ride for Veterans**

Saturday, August 10th 10 am - 4 pm Little Theater on the Farm is hosting Ride for Veterans, a fundraiser through the Salvation Army to benefit their Veteran's House. We will have craft and food vendors, a classic car show and live music performed by Elvis Tribute artist Kevin Harder, Bob Marcotte, and more. Vehicle registration is \$10 and starts at 9 am. Awards and trophies will be given. There will be a 50/50 and basket raffle.

#### Just Us Guys

August 11th, Sunday 2 pm Little Theater on the Farm presents Just Us Guys, A choice selection of our region's rich musical talent. Performers to be announced. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+) \$7. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available.

#### Huge Summer Barn Sale

August 15th, 16th, and 17th, Huge Summer Barn Sale, NEW HOURS! Thurs. 4 pm to 8 pm Fri. and Sat. 8am to 4pm, at Little Theater on the Farm. 8am to 4pm. (Bag sale after 2pm Fri. and all-day Saturday.) The 100' barn is full. Donations accepted. No tires or TVs please. All proceeds go to benefit the non-profit theater. For details or to schedule a donation for pick up, call us at 518-747-3421

#### **Bluegrass Jam**

A Bluegrass Jam will be held August 21st, Wednesday, 7 pm A Bluegrass Jam will be held at Little Theater on the Farm. Musicians are welcome and the public is invited. Jeff Anderson, coordinator. Refreshments and 50/50 baked goods raffle available. Admission is free, donations appreciated.

#### Old Friends Band

August 24th Saturday 7 pm Little Theater on the Farm Presents The Old Friends Band. This country western, bluegrass band has been featured in Little Theater on the Farm's 50's and 60's show for the past 3 seasons. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7. Refreshments and 50/50, baked goods raffle available.

#### The Bluebillie's Carter Family Tribute

August 28th, Wednesday 7pm The Bluebillies' Present A Carter Family Tribute with Special Guest Deena Chappell Followed by a Themed Open Mic at Little Theater on the Farm. Pre-registration is required, email the Bluebillies at thebluebillies@ gmail.com, or message Mel Guarino on Facebook at www.facebook.com/mel.guarino Sign-up is on a first come, first serve basis. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+), \$7.

#### Elvis Tribute Artist Matthew Boyce

August 31st, Saturday 7 pm Little Theater on the Farm presents Elvis Tribute Artist Matthew Boyce. Matthew Boyce is a nineteen-year old Elvis Tribute Artist who has performed at countless events since the age of 7. Refreshments and 50/50 raffle available. Recommended donation, adults \$10, students and seniors (60+) \$7.

For details about any of these events or the Little Theater on the Farm visit their website: www. littletheater27.org or call 747-3421.

### Rensselaer County's Second Annual Farm Day Out!

STEPHENTOWN – Join Cornell Cooperative Extension of Rensselaer County and The Eckhardt Family at Kinderhook Creek Farm from 12-3pm on Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup> for Rensselaer County's Second Annual Farm Day Out! Kinderhook Creek Farm is an 1150+ acre field crop and vegetable farm that has been owned and operated by the Eckhardt's since 1959.

Once parked, a hay wagon ride will take you through some of the fields at Kinderhook Creek Farm. Through interactive demonstrations you will learn about the different crops (such as hay, grain, sweet corn, and the many vegetables) grown on this farm. You will also see how their farm products get to market and eventually to your family's table.

Also, be sure to visit exhibits set up by local organizations & businesses, experience the equipment used on the farm by the farmers and see the 4-H Club sponsored petting zoo. Food, corn on the cob, ice cold watermelon and other farm fresh foods will be available to purchase for your enjoyment.

Admission and parking for this event is free and open to the public.

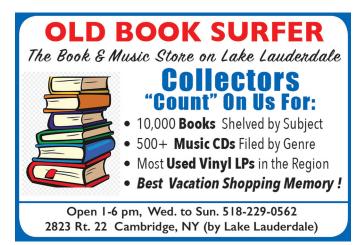
We look forward to seeing you Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup>!!!

If you are interested in being a volunteer, a sponsor, or have any questions please reach out to Kayela in the CCE office at 518-272-4210.

### **Cooking Class and Demonstration**

SALEM - There are still spots available for Beth Anthony's Preview of Summer Flavors Cooking Class/Demonstration in the Battenkill Kitchen, which will held Monday, June 3rd at 6pm. Bethann, a native of Greenwich and owner of popular Beth's Cafe, will be preparing a delicious meal for all to enjoy. The soup course will be gazpacho w/crispy pita chips. with a delicious summer salad. Also offered will be grilled peaches, olive tapenade & crostini w/pomegranate vinaigrette finished with an Italian lemon olive cake.

Act now as tickets are going quickly. You can reserve at 518-854-7053 or purchase tickets through https://salemcourthouse. org/programs/cooking-classes/. Classes are \$40.00/each or 2 for \$70.00. We also have a Pizza Lab cooking class on Saturday, June 8th at 6 pm. Chris George will be demonstrating how to make the ultimate pizza crust! These classes are located in the back of the Historic Salem Courthouse at 58 East Broadway Salem NY 12865.



### July 4th Celebrations at Saratoga Battlefield



STILLWATER — Independence Day on Friday, July 4, 2018 will be celebrated at Saratoga National Historical Park (the Battlefield) on Routes 4 and 32 in Stillwater, with a Citizenship Ceremony, traditional readings of the Declaration of Independence, and free lemonade toasts.

10:00am - On our nation's anniversary and upon the grounds where independence was won, 20 immigrants from all over the world will become new citizens of the United States. er Emeritus Joe Craig (pictured above) as he portrays a town crier declaring America's Independence and leads a rousing 13 celebratory toasts.

Saratoga National Historical Park, located on Routes 4 and 32 in Stillwater, offers a variety of special events throughout the season. For further information, please call 518-670-2985, visit our website at www.nps.gov/ sara check our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/saratoganhp or our Twitter feed @SaratogaN-HP

2:00pm - Join Park Rang-

### **Blood Drive June 6**

BENNINGTON, VT—May 4, 2019—Southwestern Vermont Medical Center is hosting an American Red Cross Blood drive 11:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. Thursday, June 6, 2019, in its employee cafeteria. To make an appointment to donate, visit www.redcrossblood.org, call 1-800-RED CROSS, or text bloodapp to 90999 to download the app to your smartphone. As always, walk-ins will be accommodated as well. Those who are unfamiliar with the SVMC campus may stop at the information desk in the main lobby for directions to the drive. Those who have questions about the drive may contact Susan Gallina at 802-447-5345.



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### **10<sup>th</sup> Annual Carl Lufkin Pull for a Cure**



ARGYLE – Come out Saturday, July 20, 2019 for the 10th Annual Carl Lufkin Memorial Pull for a Cure at 9:30am at 14 Lufkin Way, Argyle, NY, 12809 (In the large field behind #10 Main Street). Spectator admission \$5/adult, children under 10 free.

Proceeds go to several local cancer fighting charities and a local High School Scholarship.

There are classes for all vehicles including sport stock garden tractors, pro-outlaw (superstock) garden tractors, diesel garden tractors and all 4WD trucks. Also there is free primitive camping available! (Campers should be in place by Friday Night).

Even if you are not competing, we will still have plenty for you to do. All day there will be displayed antique farm machinery and antique tractor pulls going on. There will be great food for the whole family served up all day long! We will also have a Farmers Market/Craft Fair area and there are still lots of spaces available for booths.

Many of us know people who have fought for their lives while some of us have experienced cancer ourselves. Come enjoy a fun-filled day in Argyle and help us make a difference in the fight against cancer!

For more information on the event or if you are interested in sponsoring or selling goods at the show please contact Scott Lufkin at 518-935-0579 or mail to Scott Lufkin, 136 County Route 47, Argyle, NY, 12809.

More information is available at the "Pull For A Cure" page on Facebook.

### **Independence** Day Celebration

GREENWICH – The annual Greenwich Elks Independence Day Fireworks Celebration will take place July 6 beginning at 8 a.m. Softball League games starting at 8 am. Food & Beverages

will be available to purchase. Professional fireworks that are second to none. Bring your blanket. This event, at Greenwich Elks Lodge (130 Bulson Rd, Greenwich), is free - to the public thanks to generous donations from our local businesses. NO COOLERS PLEASE). For more information call 518-692-2061 (after 4pm).



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### 8th Annual Tuff eNuff Obstacle Course Challenge



SARATOGA SPRINGS – 8th Annual Tuff eNuff Obstacle Course Challenge to Benefit The Prevention Council will be held Saturday, June 1 from 8:30 to 11:30 am at the BOCES Campus, 15 Henning Road Saratoga Springs.

There will be a Kids Mud Run-1 Mile and a Teens/Adults Mud Run- 5K.

TUFF eNUFF is a mud-filled course with obstacles for participants to crawl under, hurdle over, wade through, and work together toward success! A fun, muddy adventure for both families and athletes. Mirrors the Prevention Council's mission of helping youth navigate life's challenges. Directly involves BOCES students in Heavy Equipment, Culinary Arts, and Criminal Justice programs in course design, refreshments and event management.

Visit https://www.adventuresignup.com/Race/NY/SaratogaSprings/TuffeNuff5KObstacleChallange to signup.



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Public gates open at 8 a.m. on Saturday, and 9 a.m. Sunday. Ear-

ly Buyers can enter the grounds with the dealers during setup (Friday) using a \$10 early buyer pass available at the gate beginning at 7 a.m. This pass exempts you from any public admission fee throughout the remaining show weekend.

There are acres of free parking at the fairgrounds, and camping

facilities for those staying overnight. There is a porter service that can deliver your purchases to the gate area during show hours. Several dealers also provide appraisals for your antiques. Leashed pets are also welcome.

Food vendors are carefully screened and they are chosen for their cleanliness, reasonable pricing and menu choices. These vendors provide a wide variety of foods featuring specialty items as well as family favorites.

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