



The News of MENANDS ACTIVITIES

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VILLAGE OFFICE

The Village Office, Court and DPW will be closed on **Monday, October 14, 2019** due to the Columbus Day Holiday.

TRASH SCHEDULE

There will be no trash pickup on **Monday, October 14, 2019**. Monday's pickup will be on Tuesday, October 15. Tuesday's pickup will be on Wednesday, October 16. **THERE WILL BE NO SPECIAL PICKUP ON WEDNESDAY, October 16.** Recycling day on **Thursday remains the same.**

VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

The next Village Board Meeting will be held on **Monday, October 7, 2019 at 6:00 P.M.** All meetings are held at 250 Broadway in Menands and are open to the public and are handicap accessible.

ALERT SYSTEM

If you would like to receive alerts from the Village of Menands, please sign up on the Village Website. If you do not have access to a computer and want to receive alerts, please contact Don Handerhan, Village Clerk, at 518-434-2922 and he will assist you.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE MENANDS POLICE DEPARTMENT

As there have been reports of recent vehicle break-ins, remember to lock your car and home doors. Vehicles equipped with alarms should remain activated when unattended. Do not leave any valuables visible in the interior. Place them in the trunk or inside the residence. Items such as wallets, credit cards, pocketbooks, loose change and computers are appealing to thieves.

NOTICE FROM MENANDS DPW

Please be advised that the following items are not picked up by the DPW as part of our trash/recycling removal. It is the homeowners responsibility to dispose of these items themselves and not leave curbside.

PROHIBITED ITEMS: Televisions, Cans containing Wet Paint (air dry before disposal), Computer Monitors, Medical Waste, Propane Tanks, Contractor's materials (contractor responsible for disposal), Tires.

MENANDS FIRE CO #1, INC.

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co. #1, Inc. will be **Tuesday, October 1, 2019 at 8:00 p.m.** at the Firehouse. All members are encouraged to attend.

MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC. AUXILIARY

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co. #1 Auxiliary will be at **6:30 P.M. on Wednesday, October 9, 2019** at the Village Hall located at 250 Broadway, Menands.

DUMPSTER RESERVATIONS

There is a \$75.00 charge for the dumpster. To make a reservation for the dumpster, you need to come to the Village Office (8 a.m. – 4 p.m.), **we cannot take calls for reservations.** Payment of \$75.00 will be due at time of making your reservation – No contractor's debris will be accepted. The Village crew will leave the dumpster at the end of your driveway on a Wednesday and pick it up the following Wednesday.

HONORING THOSE WHO SERVE OUR COUNTRY

The Village of Menands is rich with pride and gratitude for the men and women who serve our country in the military. To honor both veterans and active duty members of all branches of our armed forces, we would like to join other communities in displaying banners of those who serve. For more information on participating in this program, contact Diane Foley @ 518-496-2584.

MENANDS SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB

Now enrolling MENANDS Ski and Snowboard club. Open to all ages. 7 Wednesday nights at Jiminy Peak starting January 8th. Yankee Trail Bus leaves MENANDS school at approximately 3:15 and returns around 9:30. No need to take the bus all are also welcome to drive as passes are handed out week 1. Lessons and equipment rental also available. Please call or email Karyn Long Steurer 518-496-2411 - klong@cbpp.com for enrollment and pricing!

MENANDS SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next meeting of the Menands School Board of Education will be held **Tuesday, October 15, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.**

MENANDS SCHOOL GRADUATION PHOTO

Menands School Class of 2019 graduation photos have arrived and may be picked up during the summer from 8am to 2pm (or 8am-4pm when classes resume).

JOIN THE MENANDS SCHOOL PTA

Calling all Menands School parents, family members, teachers, and community members. Come join the Menands PTA. The Menands PTA is committed to making every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children. You can help us reach our goal by becoming a member. Please pick up the member form at Menands School and return your completed form to us with your dues or skip the form and go online to become a member at <https://menandsschool.memberhub.store/>. Your dues go toward funding our local and advocacy efforts, as well as the advocacy work that our State and National PTA carries out on behalf of all children. First two adult members pay \$6.00 each, each additional member and/or student pays \$4.00 each. Please follow us at: www.facebook.com/menandsschoolpta/.

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JOIN THE MENANDS SCHOOL PTA (continued)

Please attend our first event, **Every Child Travels Safely**” from **12 p.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, October 5th** at Menands School. This is a Menands PTA event, in collaboration with NYS PTA and the Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee and will show children about safety concepts such as helmet safety, safe bicycle and scooter riding, car seat inspections! Come meet local law enforcement. Free ice-cream, refreshments, information and goodies for all who attend. This is a free event. Community members are welcomed. Please RSVP for this event at menandsschoolpta@gmail.com or if you have any questions respond via our google form response form at <https://forms.gle/18cW5D8y3AufZtv99>.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!!!!

St. Joan of Arc and the Black Catholic Apostolate are planning their Second Annual Cookout and Fundraiser. It will be held on **Saturday, September 28th from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM** in the Menands Ganser Smith Park on Menand Road. We are planning food, basket raffles, Chinese auction, games, 50-50 raffle. Fun for the whole family! Please plan on joining us. Any questions, you can contact Jean Parker at 518 527-9928.

MENANDS PUBLIC LIBRARY

THEY HAVE ARRIVED! The world famous Menands Public Library 2020 pocket calendars are in. Supplies are limited so only one (1) calendar per card holder, please. Every Thurs. at 6 p.m. will be Computer/Tech support.

FAMILY & KIDS’ STUFF

Every Monday at 2 p.m. will be Art and Crafts hour. This is for children up to age 6. Every other Saturday at 12:00 p.m. will be Family Game Day

FALL FILM FESTIVAL PRESENTS

Cher & John Travolta

All movies start at 1 P.M.

October 1st - Saturday Night Fever - 1977

Directed by John Badham

The film that made John Travolta a star.

Tony Manero (Mr. Travolta) is a young man with only one goal in life: Be the best club dancer in Brooklyn.

October 8th - Mask - 1985

Directed by Peter Bogdanovich

Florence “Dusty” Dennis’ (Cher) son Rocky (Eric Stoltz) has craniophyseal dysplasia This leaves the teenager badly disfigured and the likelihood of premature death.

October 15th - Grease - 1978

Directed by Randal Kleiser

It is 1958. Boy, Danny Zuko (Mr. Travolta) loves girl, Sandy Olsson (Olivia Newton-John). Though Girl is Australian, she spends her senior school year with Danny at Rydell High School in California.

October 22nd - Witches of Eastwick - 1977

Directed by George Miller

Jane (Susan Sarandon), Sukie (Michelle Pfeiffer) and Alexandra (Cher) have one thing in common – they are witches. The other thing they have in common is being in love with Daryl (Jack Nicholson).

The Menands Public Library is located at 4 N. Lyons Avenue, Menands, New York. For more info. call 518-463-4035 or check out website www.menandslibrary.org

still only \$5. Contact info. call Diane Leonard at 518-465-3771.

October 8, 2019, Tuesday, Lake George Dinner Theater, Lake George, NY. “Lunch With Mrs. Baskin”

Bus leaves @ 10:00 a.m. Cost of Trip, \$59/\$69. Choose from the menu when you sign up for the trip.

October 9, 2019, Wednesday (note date change)

Albany Institute of History and Art and Schuyler Mansion. Lunch at Il Faro. We leave @ 8:30 a.m. Cost is \$40. Choose from the menu when you sign up for the trip.

October 18, 2019, Friday, **Animal Adventure Park**, Harpursville, NY, Home of April the Giraffe and her new baby brother, Tajiri “**Brooks BBQ, Oneonta, NY, for an ALL YOU CAN EAT BUFFET** rolls, beverage and a make you own sundae or fresh baked cake. Cost \$37/\$47.

December 11, 2019 NYC, do as you please or enjoy “THE CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR,” with the Rockettes at Radio City Music Hall. Let us know your choice when signing up. Cost for bus only is \$15/\$25.

PAY-IT-FORWARD...TOGETHER

The Pay-it-Forward.. Together back to school closet had another successful year. We were able to help over 50 families with back to school supplies. Thank you to everyone who donated supplies to our closet. Looking forward to our next project which will be around the holidays.

DEREK MURPHY FUNDRAISER

Our 2019 Dollars for Derek Fundraiser will be held this year once again at Ganser-Smith Memorial Park on **Saturday, October 5 from 2-5 p.m.** Tickets will be available from Denise Stangle. Call (518)465-8841 or mail dennyland@hotmail.com Only 200 tickets at \$100 each will be sold with all profits going to Derek Murphy. The prizes will be as follows:

**Grand Prize \$5000, Runner-up \$2000,
Third Place \$1000, Fourth Place \$1000
Fifth Place \$1000**

If all 200 tickets are not sold, prizes will reflect the following percentage of the total proceeds: grand, 25 per cent; runner-up, 10 per cent; third, fourth and fifth, five per cent.

Items to be included in the next edition of the Menands Activities dated October 11, 2019 WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THE VILLAGE OFFICE AFTER 9 A.M. Monday, October 7, 2019. Please indicate item is for the Menands Activities.

SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB NEWS

Come in and sign up for any of our trips at our Thursday gatherings. New members are always welcome. Only requirement, you must be 55 years young to apply. Dues