



The News of MENANDS ACTIVITIES

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VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

The next Village Board Meeting will be held on **Monday, July 16, 2018 at 6:00 P.M.** All meetings are held at 250 Broadway in Menands and are open to the public and are handicap accessible.

2018 SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

TUESDAY'S 6:00pm – 8:30pm

GANSER-SMITH MEMORIAL PARK (MENANDS PARK)
(RAIN OR SHINE)

July 10th New York Players
July 17th Lustre Kings
July 24th Moonshine Junkies
July 31st Hair of the Dog
August 7th Bluz House Rockers

Food available for purchase by Menands Fire Co.

2018 ANNUAL VILLAGE PICNIC

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15TH

BEGINNING AT 5:00 PM

Music: 5 – 8:30 Oldies Show and Hotshot Hillbilly's
Children's Show: 6:00 – 7:00 Incredible Larry
Movie: 8:30 To be determined

Food available for purchase and provided by Village organizations. Lawn chairs recommended for all events.

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REMINDER

Village Policy states if you hire a contractor to perform work for you, it is the contractor's responsibility to remove any debris created (leaves, brush, construction materials, concrete or black top).

DUMPSTER RESERVATIONS BEGAN APRIL 2ND

Beginning **April 2nd** – There will be a \$75.00 charge for the dumpster. To make a reservation for the dumpster, you need to come to the Village Office (8a.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.

PARK RENTAL

Park Rental began **March 1, 2018 at 8:00 A.M.** \$100. Deposit and new this year, you must have a certificate of insurance from your homeowners or Renter's insurance. The park permit will not be issued until both deposit and certificate of insurance are received.

MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC.

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Company #1 Inc. will be held on **Tuesday, August 7, 2018 at 8:00 P.M.** at the firehouse. All members are encouraged to attend.

MOHAWK HUDSON HUMANE SOCIETY

Animal Learning Lab Summer Camp for Kids Ages 7-12

The Mohawk Hudson Humane Society will offer its Animal Learning Lab (ALL) Summer Camp Program for kids ages 7-12 during July and August. Animal Learning Lab (ALL) is a weeklong, interactive camp where kids will learn about

companion animals, wildlife, service animals and others. Program will feature hands-on and interactive activities and guest speakers in the Society's new state-of-the-art Animal Care Center, located at 3 Oakland Avenue in Menands.

MENANDS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Story Time - Menands Library story time is at 1 p.m. on Saturdays. Be there when the library closes to enjoy a story! We read, sing, and play for about 30 minutes. Ages 2-4, but all are welcome.

On every Wednesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. is Tech Advice Night at the library with our resident digital native, Ted. Can't figure out how to set up your new phone? Want to know what's using up your data plan? Don't know how to get pictures onto your computer? Appointments not necessary, but recommended, call the library to make one.

The library has many events coming up this summer. To view a list, visit us at www.menandslibrary.org!

The Menands Public Library is located at 4 N. Lyons Avenue, Menands, New York. For more info. call 518-463-4035.

MENANDS SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next meeting of the Menands School Board of Education will be held on **Monday July 9, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.**

THIS IS NOT A SUBSIDIZED TRIP

You do not have to be a senior. It is not funded by the Village or Town.

December 4-5, 2018, there will be a trip to Lancaster, PA. Highlights of the trip: Round trip transportation, Hotel Accommodations for one night at the Country Inn of Lancaster, Baggage handling, All Taxes and Gratuities EXCEPT for the bus driver's gratuity, Visit to the outlets (Tangers or Rockvale), Show tickets for JESUS at the Sight and Sound Theater, Meals: 1 Breakfast, 1 Lunch & 1 Dinner. Double occupancy, \$299pp, Single occupancy, \$359pp, Triple occupancy, \$289pp, Quad occupancy, \$279pp. For more information contact Diane Leonard 518-465-3771.

MENANDS SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

If you are a resident of the Menands Union Free School District and have a child who will be 5 years old on or before December 1, 2018, please call Menands School at (518)-465-4561 to register for the upcoming year.

FIELD GOODS UPDATE

Field Goods will continue through the summer months with a summer delivery, but pick-up time by 2:00 p.m..

THE 9TH ANNUAL A*TOWN RUMBLE

Menands Farmers Market – **July 7.** The A*Town Rumble is the largest annual scooter and motorbike rally in Upstate New York and typically attracts riding enthusiasts from all over New York, New England and the Mid-Atlantic. The A*Town Rumble is a JDRF fundraiser with proceeds going to fund a cure for Type One Diabetes. Over 80% of the attendees ride 150CC and up Scooters and motorcycles. However, we also have attendees that ride mopeds and 50cc scooters.

Even if you don't ride, we invite you to come down, check out the bikes, listen to a DJ spin real vinyl records and take a chance on winning some great door prizes! **Riders will meet at the market from 9 – 11A.M., then ride out.**

If you have any questions or would like to be an event sponsor, please contact Chuck Price ~ Chuck@ChuckPrice.org (518) 396-5550

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LITTLE'S LAKE UPCOMING EVENTS

July 11 Lunch at the Park "Arts and Crafts Day".
Bring your creativity and your sandwich or walk the trails.
Hours: 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

July 19 Lecture: "On learning birding"
Speaker: Gary Goodness Hudson Mohawk Bird Club
7:00 p.m.

August 1 Lunch at the Park. Take a vacation for lunch and walk, fish and relax
Hours: 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Open to all residents and families living in the Village of Menands.
Any questions call Earl Jones at 518-462-2596.

DEREK MURPHY FUNDRAISER

We will be holding our annual fundraiser for Derek Murphy again with a limited number of 200 tickets at \$100 each with all profits going to Derek. \$5,000 grand prize, \$2000 runner-up, and three \$1000 prizes will be awarded. In the event all tickets are not sold, prizes will reflect percentages of total proceeds. We are also happy to accept donations in any amount.

Tickets are available from Lynda Long, 518-466-1625/lalong72@gmail.com or Denise Stangle, 518-465-8841/dennyland@hotmail.com.

Drawing will be held on **October 1 from 6 – 8 p.m.** at Ganser Smith Park in Menands.

Please remember all checks should be made out to the Derek Murphy Fund and mailed to: The Derek Murphy Fund, c/o Lynda Long 72 Menands Rd., Menands, N.Y. 12204.

Be sure to get your ticket before they are all sold!
Thanks in advance for your caring and generosity.

MENANDS SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

New members are always welcome. Only requirement, you must be 55 years young to apply. Dues are still only \$5.

On **July 25, 2018**, Wednesday, "ANYTHING GOES" at the Westchester Broadway Dinner Theater, Elmsford, NY. Concerns madcap antics aboard an ocean liner bound from New York to London. Billy Crocker is a stowaway in love with heiress Hope Harcourt, who is engaged to Lord Evelyn Oaleith. The musical features such songs as "Anything Goes," "You're the Top," and "I Get a Kick Out of You." Music and Lyrics by Cole Porter. Dinner and a show, \$59/\$69.

On **August 15, 2018**, Wednesday, "THE KINGS AND QUEENS OF COUNTRY MUSIC," and a LOBSTER FEAST, at the Log Cabin Banquet House, Holyoke, MA. Featuring America's top country music, Tribute to Patsy Cline, Johnny and June Carter Cash, Kenny Rogers, Tammy Wynette, Merle Haggard, Hank Williams, Crystal Gayle and more.

Menu: Welcome Platter, Bottle of Wine, Rolls and Butter, Clam Chowder, New England Boiled Lobster, Barbecued Ribs and Chicken, Corn and Baked Potato, Strawberry Ice Cream Sundae, DeCaf and regular Coffee, Tea. Cost \$55/\$65.

MENANDS SENIOR CITIZEN CLUB (continued)

On **August 22, 2018, NOTE DATE CHANGE**, Wednesday, "MYSTIC SEAPORT," on your own to explore "The Museum of America and the Sea" a reknown maritime museum. Mystic, CT. Cruise down Mystic River on "Sabino", Steamboat. 2:30 tour.

Eat lunch on your own choose from:

Café and Bake Shop, located in the Museum Store offering pastries, coffees, teas, soups, and pre-made sandwiches.

Galley Restaurant located next to Visitors Center, offers fried fish and chicken, burgers, chowders and specialty sandwiches in a cafeteria style atmosphere.

Shouter's Tavern, located riverside in view of the Charles W. Morgan, offers outdoor dining as well as indoor rustic dining in the tavern and features chowder, salads and specialty sandwiches.

Latitude 41 Restaurant, located on the North end of our groups, Latitude 41 has formal dining with American and seafood options.

Cost of trip \$37/47, includes museum entrance, cruise on the river and bus driver tip.

On **September 9, 2018 Sunday, SEAFOOD FESTIVAL**, Hampton Beach, NH Cost \$10/\$20

On **September 18, 2018**, Tuesday, "THE BIG E," Eastern States Exposition, West Springfield, MA. Cost \$15/25

On **October 3, 2018**, Wednesday, **Lake George Dinner Theater** for "Long Weekend." The Long Weekend delivers non-stop mischievous fun and scrumptious plot twists! Max and Wynn are about to show off their beautiful new country home to their 'best friends,' Roger and Abby, but it doesn't take long to uncover the true feelings behind this long friendship. What is meant to be a relaxing holiday turns into a battle of wits as their pasts catch up with them, the gloves come off and old scores get settled in comedic fashion. A hilariously tangled web of truths, deception and surprises leaves the audience guessing – and laughing all the way to the final curtain. On the way home, if time permits, we will visit the outlets and stop for ice cream. Cost \$59/69.

On **November 13, 2018**, Tuesday, "Hildene," The Lincoln Family Home. The Vermont Country Store and lunch at The Bryant House. Cost \$40/50

On **November 28, 2018, Trip to NYC** On your own to do as you please. Those who prefer a planned venue, we will get tickets for the CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR at Radio City Music Hall. Please state your preference when signing up. Cost for bus only \$10/20

Items to be included in the next edition of the Menands Activities dated July 20, 2018 WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THE VILLAGE OFFICE AFTER 9 A.M. Monday, July 16, 2018. Please indicate item is for the Menands Activities.
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