



The News of MENANDS ACTIVITIES

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VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

The next Village Board Meeting will be held on **Monday, October 15, 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.

WELCOME AND CONGRATULATIONS

Chief Frank Lacosse and the Village of Menands would like to welcome our newest police officer, Kevin Schwebke, and congratulations to Michael D'Ambro for being promoted to Sergeant.

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 Handerman, Village Clerk at 518-434-2922 and he will assist you

IMPORTANT NOTICE

If you have a contractor for lawn care and leaves, they are responsible for taking away the debris.

LEAF MACHINE

Now and until weather permitting, the DPW will pick up leaves that are raked on the edge of the road/street (**DPW cannot pickup leaves that are not on the street**). Mulched leaves and grass should be bagged. Branches, limbs, etc should be cut in 3 ft. lengths. We do **not** accept any dirt in the biodegradable bags. **Please remember that it takes DPW approximately two weeks** to go thru the Village depending on the amount of leaves at the side of the road. **When placing your leaves out front, do not block or place your leaves in the Storm Drain.**

YOUTH HALLOWEEN PARTY

When: Sunday, October 28th, 2018

Where: Ganser- Smith Park 1:00-3:00

Please meet us at the Firehouse at **12:30** to start the parade. There will be activities, food & refreshments. Feel free to wear your Halloween costume! If you have any questions please contact Brianna Coughlin at 469-7726. Hope to see you there in your spooky wear!

MENANDS SKI CLUB

Now enrolling the 2018-2019 Menands Ski Club. This is a 7 week ski program which takes place at Jiminy Peak on **Wednesday nights starting January 9th 2019**. Yankee trail bussing is available for those who chose to ride the bus. The **bus leaves Menands School around 3:30 on Wednesdays and returns around 8:30**. This program is open to all Village Residents. Lessons are available as well. Pricing ranges from \$173- \$205. Rental packages available as well. Please reach out to Karyn Long Steurer for additional questions and to register 518-496-2411 or klong@cbpp.com

MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC.

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co. #1, Inc. will be **Tuesday, November 6 at 8:00 p.m.** at the Firehouse. All members are encouraged to attend.

OPEN HOUSE

On Saturday, **October 13, 2018 from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** at Schuyler Flatts, the Menands Fire Co. #1, Inc. will hold an open house. There will be fire trucks, demonstrations, entertainment for the kids, refreshments and family fun for all. Hope to see everyone there!

MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC. AUXILIARY

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co. #1, Inc. Auxiliary will be at **6:30 P.M. on November 14, 2018** at the Village Hall located at 250 Broadway, Menands.

VENDOR/CRAFT FAIR

The Menands Fire Co. #1, Inc. Auxiliary is holding a Craft Fair on **December 8, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at the Menands School Gym on Wards Lane in Menands. If you would like to reserve a table to sell items please email menandsauxiliary@gmail.com for more details. Chinese Auction and Raffles. Come bring your family and friends. Something for everyone.

ZITI DINNER

The Menands St. Patrick's Club will be having a Ziti Dinner, **Friday, October 19, 2018 from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.** at the Menands Village Hall. Ziti with homemade sauce, meatballs, salad, bread and dessert. Cost: Adults \$10, Seniors \$8 and children under 12 \$5. Take out is also available for \$8.

MENANDS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Open House- The Menands library will be holding an open house on **Saturday, October 13th from 11 am - 12:30 pm.** There will be treats, refreshments, and books and DVDs to give away! The Library Board of Trustees will be there to answer your questions about the library and its long-range plan.

Menands Scary Story contest on Halloween! On the scariest night of the year, **Wednesday October 31st, at 6:00pm,** we will be holding a scary story telling session at the Menands public library for kids 11-16 years old. Come spin your spookiest yarns and let's see who can scare us the most. Come in costume! If you want to tell a story, please call the library to register in advance at 518-242-0432

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. To view a list, visit us at www.menandslibrary.org!

Fall Film Festival

Presents

Agatha Christie

&

Daphne Du Maurier

All Movies Start at 1 PM

October 16th - Murder, She Said - 1961

Directed by George Pollack
Agatha Christie’s Miss Marple (Margaret Rutherford)
witnesses a murder. No one Believes her. So, she will solve
the crime herself!

More on the other side.....

MENANDS PUBLIC LIBRARY (continued)

October 23rd - The Birds - 1963

Directed by Alfred Hitchcock

For reasons no one can explain or completely understand, all
the birds, big or small, are attacking humans.
With Tippi Hedren and Rod Taylor
Based on a Du Maurier short story

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

HARVEST FESTIVAL

The United Ordained Church at 281 Broadway, Menands is
excited to extend an invitation to the community to come and
join us for our fall harvest festival on **October 27 from 2:00
– 4:00 p.m.** There will be games, arts and crafts and candy
for the children to enjoy. Don’t have children or your
children are older? Stop by anyway to see who we are and
what we are about. If you are unable to make it for this event,
we welcome and encourage you to join us for our Sunday
worship service at 10:00 a.m. We look forward to seeing
you!

God Bless You and this great community!

THIS IS NOT A SUBSIDIZED TRIP

You do not have to be a senior. It is not funded by the
Village or Town.
**People going on the Nashville, Tennessee trip need to
come to the October 11 gathering for their luggage tags,
gifts and lanyards.**
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 SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

New members are always welcome. Only requirement, you
must be 55 years young to apply. Dues are still only \$5.
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. Cost for bus only \$10/20. A second bus has been
added.

ST. AGNES OPEN HOUSE

Open House Event at Historic St. Agnes Cemetery, 48
Cemetery Ave. **October 20, 10am-2pm.** In addition to
touring the beautiful grounds, meet our staff and enjoy light
refreshments. Family Service Representatives will be on hand
to answer questions about all of our cemeteries including new
sections available, special discounts, pre-planning
arrangements, and the new Catholic Monument Design
Center. Can’t attend, contact us to schedule an appointment:
(518) 463-0134, Info@rcdacemeteries.org.

**FALL 2018 PAINT CLUB CLASSES WITH
INSTRUCTOR, NOREEN POWELL**

Classes include paints (acrylic & oil), brushes, canvas, and
delicious baked goods from Schuyler Bakery, juice, coffee,
tea and wonderful, positive energy. Prices are \$25 for an 11 x
14 inch canvas or \$20 for an 8 x 10 inch canvas. All classes
are 10 AM – Noon. No experience necessary! Classes are
perfect for beginner and intermediate painters. Join us in The
Living Room Art Gallery located in St. Agnes Cemetery’s
Visitor Center, 48 Cemetery Ave., Menands, NY 12204.
Reservations are necessary as space is limited. To register call
518-350-7679 or email Kelly@adcemeteries.org
October 19-Renoir’s Vase of Flowers, Oct. 26-Autumn Trees
on a Crisp Day, Nov. 9-Snowy Owl on an Evergreen Branch,
Nov. 16-Cornucopia, Dec. 7-Snowy Evergreens at Sunset,
Dec. 14-A Pond in Winter

MENANDS SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next meeting of the Menands School Board of Education
will be held on **Tuesday, November 13, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.**

MENANDS PTA NEWS

Welcome Menands Families!! We would love to have you as
a PTA member. If you are interested, please fill out a PTA
membership form and turn it in along with your dues (\$6.00)
to the school office! The forms are located on the PTA table
at the front desk or on our website at
<https://www.menandsschoolpta.com>. If you have any
questions, please contact the Menands PTA at
menandsschoolpta@gmail.com. Please also like us on
Facebook and visit our website
<https://www.menandsschoolpta.com> for more information
about our events.

Items to be included in the next edition of the Menands
Activities dated October 26, 2018 **WILL NOT BE
ACCEPTED IN THE VILLAGE OFFICE AFTER
9 A.M. Monday, October 22, 2018. Please indicate item is
for the Menands Activities.**