



Menands Senior Scoop

Menands Senior Citizen Club

Since 1973

250 Broadway

Thursdays, 9am-3pm

SEPTEMBER 2024



Diane Leonard, President; Debbie Teitsch, Vice President; Sheila Hyatt, Secretary; Dawn Primett, Treasurer.

We gather weekly, Thursday, 9:30 AM, weather permitting.

When North Colonie Schools are delayed or closed due to inclement weather, Senior gathering is closed.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Michael Abate, 10/1
Joe Bagnardi, 10/16
Denise Cesare, 10/22
Ed Cox, 10/17
Michele Delehanty, 10/31
Janet DiFabio, 10/22
Linda DiPace, 10/2
Susan Gladysz, 10/24
Jim Gray, 10/19
James Grenier, 10/30
Meg Grenier, 10/10
Beth Harbour, 10/9
Melodee Jones, 10/27
Denny Lindquist, 10/24
Joan McBain, 10/9
Beatrice Meichtry, 10/1
Donna Nystoriak, 10/27
Priscilla Ottati, 10/29
Judith Pinto, 10/10
Mary Lou Pohl, 10/4
Dan Primett, 10/21
Debra Primett, 10/16
Frank Ricupero, 10/17
O'Rhea Smith, 10/5
Deborah Teitsch, 10/26
Connie Van Buren, 10/27
Emma Wilson, 10/19

GREETING CARDS SENT

Sympathy:

Rose Primett and Donna Vadney for their brother.
If you know of anyone, who would appreciate a card, please let us know.

OCTOBER DATES TO REMEMBER:

October 3, Rosh Hashanah
October 9, Lake George Cruise with Elvis

October 14, Columbus Day

October 31, Halloween Party

HALLOWEEN PARTY!

10/31/24, Thursday, we will enjoy Stewart's Make Your Own Sundays. Wearing a Costume is Fun, but Optional. Comedian Judi Clements, will entertain with stories to deal with the challenges of aging, living in the 21st Century dealing with technology, adult children and more.

Halloween Party is free.

All are welcome!!

NONAGENARIAN LUNCHEON

11/21/2024, our annual fried chicken luncheon to "Celebrate Life." This year we are trying Colonel Sanders, KFC "finger lickin' lunch consisting of Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Cole Slaw, Chicken Breast and a Biscuit.

Nonagenarians (people over 90 years of age) eat free, all others cost is \$10.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY WITH SANTA!!

Santa Claus is Coming to Town!!

12/5/2024, Thursday, 12:00 noon to 3:00pm.

Joseph E. Zaloga Post #1520

4 Everett Road Ext., Albany, NY.

Menu Choice:

Prime Rib or Stuffed Sole

Includes Baked, Potato, Vegetable, Rolls and Butter, Dessert, Coffee, Tea and Soda.

There will be a Cash Bar.

Ample Parking, Hall is Handicapped Accessible

Paul Slusar will Entertain

\$10 Grab Bag is optional; bring one to get one!

50/50, Lottery Tree and Chinese Auction

Reservation deadline 11/29/23 FIRM!!!

ONE DAY TRIPS FOR 2025

3/11/2025, AN IRISH AFTERNOON,

3/15/2025, RIDE THE TROLLEY, in the Albany St. Patrick's Day Parade. Join us as we wave to our friends from our warm, dry trolley. The ride is \$10.

After the parade, we can return to the Village Hall to celebrate with the 2025 Parade Grand Marshalls, Kyle McCauley Belokopitsky and Diane Leonard. There is be a Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner with Homemade Irish Soda Bread and plenty of Irish Entertainment. Cost of Dinner is TBD.

4/8/2025, "SWING!" Hunterdon Hills Playhouse, Hampton NJ. This Musical celebrates the music of the Swing era of jazz (1930s-1946), including well-known tunes by artists like Duke Ellington, William "Count Basie, Benny Goodman and others. SWING! Combines high energy dancing, singing and acrobatics. The show recreates the swing style of jazz, which used large bands and developed various forms of swing dancing like Lindy hop, Jitterbug, and the Whip. Should be a great show! There is a bakery on the premises and a boutique for the shoppers!! Cost is \$90/\$100.

TWO OR MORE DAY TRIPS

12/10-12/12/2024, Holiday Sights and Sounds of Lancaster, PA., Featuring "DANIEL," AND "JOY TO THE WORLD" at American Music Theatre & Gettysburg Battlefield Tour!

3 days-2 nights

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

2 Nights lodging

2 Breakfasts

2 Dinners including a Smorgasbord Dinner

"DANIEL," at Sight and Sound Theatre

"JOY TO THE WORLD," at the American Music

Theatre, Gettysburg Museum & Visitor Center,

including the Cyclorama Painting & "A New Birth

of Freedom" Film, Historic Gettysburg Battlefields. Souvenir Gift, Luggage Handling

COST: \$615 DBL \$765 SINGLE, \$595 TRIPLE.

Full payment is due.

4/27/2025-5/4/2025, A TASTE OF IRELAND,

7 days-6 nights

\$3,595 pp double

\$4,240 pp single

This short-and-sweet Ireland tour is the perfect introduction to the Emerald Isla.

Taste of Ireland hits all of the "greatest hits"

"highlights—from Blarney Castle to the Cliffs of Moher

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

Round-trip airfare from Albany to Dublin

6 Nights lodging, 6 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch

3 Dinners, including Merry Ploughboy Pub w/traditional Irish music & Medieval Castle Banquet w/hasp music
Welcome drink with group
Free day of touring in Dublin, Guided Panoramic Tour of Dublin with Dublin Castle
Photo stop at Rock of Cashel
Visit to Killarney
Ring of Kerry Scenic Drive
Skellig Experience
Sheepdog Demonstration
Ferry across the River Shannon Estuary
Cliffs of Moher
Panoramic Tour of Galway with free time
Portage for 1 suitcase per person
Souvenir gift
All taxed and meal gratuities
Sightseeing by luxury coach
\$250 deposit required with sign up.
Balance due February 1, 2025.
Cancellation insurance is available & highly recommended.
THERE IS STILL ROOM!!!

MENANDS COMMUNITY EVENTS

FARMER'S MARKET – EVERY

SATURDAY, 9 AM – 1:00 PM,

381 BROADWAY. Free Parking.

Covered Pavilion; food, flowers and music.

MENANDS ST. PATRICK'S CLUB IS

hosting a **Paint Night**, Thursday, 10/17/24, 6:30 – 8:30 at the Village Hall. Cost is \$35.

Includes instruction, painting supplies, completed painting to take home, hot cocoa bar and cider donuts. RSVP to

menandsstpats@gmail.com. The class is

limited to 40 people. Payment can be dropped off or mailed to Menands St.

Patrick's Club, 280 Broadway, Menands, NY 12204.

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