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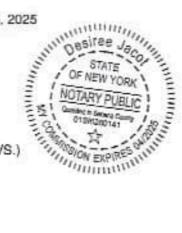
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## CALENDAR

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seasonal accents. Participants should bring pruning shears and other decorative elements they want to incorporate; all other materials provided. Cost: \$40 to be paid at door. Spots are limited and preregistration required at https://bit.ly/mgfallworkshop23 or 315-536-5123. More information: Cheryl Flynn at cj348@cornell.edu.

Felted Modern Art, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Dove Block Project, 465 Exchange St., Geneva. For those 8 and older. Lisa DeFrancesco will instruct. Materials provided. Class limited to 15 students. Registration required at www. thedoveblockproject.org/ workshop-registration.

Ornament Decoration: Paint & Sip for Adults, 5-7 p.m., Dove Block Project, 4654 Exchange St., Geneva. Materials provided. Class limited to 20 students. Registration required at www.thedoveblockproject.org/workshop-registration.

### **CLASS**

New York State Snowmobile Safety Course, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Casey Park, 6551 Knickerbocker Road, Ontario. Open to youth and adults. Required for anyone 10-18 years old to operate a snowmobile on public trails. Bring a pen and lunch. Youth must have a parent or guardian's signature to attend. Regregister-ed.com/ ister: programs/new\_york/251new-york-snowmobilesafety-course.

### LECTURE

Fall Lecture Series, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Genesee Country Village & Museum, 1410 Flint Hill Road, Mumford. These four presentations are planned, in order: "Redeeming the Irredeemable: The Diabolical Striped Garment" by Brandon Brooks, curator of the John L. Wehle Gallery; "A Survey of Dress: A Careful and Complete Look at Extant 18th-Century Woodland Clothing" by Michael Galban, historic site manager of Ganondagan State Historic Site and curator of the Seneca Art & Culture Center; "A Story in the Threads: The Clothing of Enslaved Women in the Antebellum South" by Cheyney Knight, manager of Living History at New York Historical Society and owner of Not Your Momma's History; and "1840s: Fabric Rush" by keynote speaker Susan Greene. author, collector, lecturer, weaver, and historian. More information: https:// www.gcv.org/event/falllecture-series-openingour-closets-18th-19th-century-fashions/.

contacting Carol at 585-233-7973 or wloopresb@ yahoo.com. Pie choices: apple, pumpkin, strawberry rhubarb. Cost: \$15 each. Pies to be picked up during bazaar hours. New York cheddar cheese will be sold by the pound in two varieties. Luncheon to be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. featuring chicken casserole, homemade chili, and sandwiches. Vendors still being accepted at \$20 per space. Contact Al Woodward at 315-539-8723 or awoodwa1@rochester.rr.com about vendor space. Plenty of parking behind church.

### ENVIRONMENT

**Electronics Recycling,** 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Finger Lakes Gaming & Racetrack, Route 96, Farmington. Co-sponsored by Brockport-based Sunking. Free drive-thru event. Registration required at sunking.com/events. Find a list what's accepted at sunking.com/acceptable-materials.

### **NOVEMBER** 5

### MUSIC

**DeWayne Perry & Friends,** 11 a.m., The Stonecat, 5315 Route 414, Hector.

**Arnie Palladini,** 1 p.m., Ventosa Vineyards, 3440 Route 96A, Fayette.

**TOiVO,** 3 p.m., Trumansburg Conservatory of Fine Arts, 5 McLallen St., Trumansburg.

**Chris & Korie,** 3:30 p.m., Birdhouse Brewing, 8716 Main St., Honeoye.

Adam Guinn, 4 p.m., Toast Winery, 4499 Route 14, Rock Stream.

**History of Rock-n-Roll,** 6:30 p.m., Ohmann Theatre, 65 William St., Lyons. Performed by local musician Todd Hobin. Part of the Heritage Music Series in celebration of Wayne County's Bicentennial.

### FESTIVAL

**Fall Beer Fest,** noon to 5 p.m., Grist Iron Brewing Co., 4880 Route 414, Burdett. Presented by the Seneca Lake Order of Brewers. Tastings from more than 20 breweries. Food options include sausage, peppers, and onions, chicken wings, fries, and smoked ribs. Live music by the Junior Rich Project.

### Auburn Road, Seneca Falls.

JUMPSTART

Arnie Palladini, 5:30 p.m., Ventosa Vineyards, 3440 Route 96A, Fayette.

Mike Gonzalez (open mic and jam), 6 p.m., Twisted Rail Brewing, 499 Exchange St., Geneva.

### FOOD

**Election Day Bake Sale,** 9 a.m. sold out, Presbyterian Church in Geneva, 24 Park Place, Geneva. Sponsored by the Presbyterian Women. Small and large pies, cookies, brownies, muffins, breads. Proceeds benefit the local mission of child advocacy in Geneva.

### LECTURE

Music for the Dead and Resurrected, 5 p.m., Wells College, Aurora. Part of Wells' Visiting Writers Series. Valzhyna Mort will read from her poetry collection. Valzhyna, who is originally from Minsk, Belarus, currently teaches at Cornell University, writes in English and Belarusian, and translates between English, Belarusian, Russian, Ukrainian, and Polish. She has been recognized nationally and internationally with fellowships from Guggenheim Foundation, the American Academy in Rome, the Lannan Foundation, and the Amy Clampitt Foundation

### **NOVEMBER** 8

### MUSIC

**Bruce McLellan,** 5 p.m., The Naples Hotel and The Social Restaurant and Taproom, 111 S. Main St., Naples.

**Nate Michaels,** 6 p.m., Ventosa Vineyards, 3440 Route 96A, Fayette.

Sammy Viamonte, 6:30 p.m., Crafty Ales & Lagers, 2 Exchange St., Phelps.

### **NOVEMBER** 9

#### **VETERANS**

Veterans Day Ceremony, 9 a.m., St. Michael Church, 312 Liberty St., Penn Yan. Hosted by St. Michael School. Open to the public and all veterans. Flag ceremony, songs, prayers, color guard, rifle salute, "Taps," comments, introduction of veterans, and a meet-and-greet. zanine, \$35 orchestra. Tickets: https://fhpac. thundertix.com/.

### LIBRARIES

Shake It Off at GPL, 5:30 p.m., Geneva Public Library, 244 Main St., Geneva. Celebrate all things Taylor Swift with food, music, and a costume contest. For more information and to register, visit genevapubliclibrary.net.

### **UPCOMING**

### **NOVEMBER 10**

**Kinetic Dance Collective.** 7:30 p.m., Smith Opera House, 82 Seneca St., Geneva. Formerly known as the Koshare Dance Collective, this is an all-inclusive, student-run dance club at Hobart and William Smith. Another performance is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Nov. 11. Tickets: \$10 adults, free for students. More information: https:// thesmith.org/event-calendar/kinetic-dance-collective/.

Canandaigua Christkindl Market, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., 295 N. Main St., Canandaigua. Presented by The Granger Homestead. Juried artisans; food, wine, beer and German specialties; photo ops with Santa and the Christkindl Angel; bake sale/back porch; free elf school and lantern parade for children; free shuttle to downtown merchants. Market continues Nov. 11 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Nov. 12 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: \$6 single day, \$10 multiday. Children younger than 12 get in free. More information: 585-394-1472 or www.grangerhomestead. org.

The Granger Homestead 2023 Festival of Trees, through Dec. 2, 295 N. Main St., Canandaigua. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Sunday to Wednesday, 1-7 p.m. Thursday and Friday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays. Closed Nov. 16 and 23. Silent auction of trees, wreaths, jewelry, season decorations - all donated by local people, families, groups, organizations, and businesses. Admission: \$6 adults, \$5 senior citizens, \$1 students 6 and older. More information: 585-394-1472 or www.grangerhomestead.org.

### Wood Library's popular purse party is back Nov. 18

CANANDAIGUA — Pursapalooza, Wood Library's popular purse party, returns Nov. 18 at the 134 North Main St. facility.

Grab some friends and find amazing deals on an assortment of new and gently used purses and jewelry. The showroom will feature a collection of designer bags, along with hundreds of attractive purses and totes — many with tags still attached. Hunt for a favorite brand or discover a new one. There is something for every occasion and budget - vintage purses, evening clutches, great quality leather bags of all sizes, cute wallets, and fun totes.

Pursapalooza associates will help you find the perfect piece of jewelry. There is a ton of variety from timeless classics to fun and quirky statement pieces.

Purchase raffle tickets for a brand-new designer purse paired with gift certificates. Raffles will be drawn Nov. 18 and winners contacted by phone.

Champagne tickets,

which are limited, cost \$30 for the 4-5:30 p.m. window. General admission tickets for the 5:30-7 p.m. window are \$15.

Raffle tickets cost \$5.

The sponsors: Presenting Sponsor — The Friends of Wood Library; Louis Vuitton Designer Capstone Construction Services LLC, Lakeside Cosmetic Center, Quail Summit; Prada Buyer Empire Access, Ferris Hills at West Lake; Chanel Influencer — Gullo Dental, The Medicine Shop: Raffle Donors — Adorn Jewelry and Accessories, Auto Wash Car Wash, CDGA Coffee, Crown Jewelry, Family Hair, Deb and Pete Gregory, KIX on Main, Lindsey's Nail, The Medicine Shop, Michelle's Salon, Pat Rini Rohrer Gallery, Thai by Night; charcuterie courtesy of Nolan's on Canandaigua Lake; champagne courtesy of Century Liquor & Wines; wine courtesy of Diane and Keith Olivet; photos by Peter Blackwood Photography.

All proceeds benefit Wood Library.



### **HISTORY**

**Elizabeth Cady Stanton Birthday Celebration**, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Simply Homemade, 2194 Yellow Tavern Road, Fayette. Luncheon hosted by the Seneca Falls Historical Society. Jeff Ludwig from the Seward House in Auburn will be the guest speaker. Cost: \$30. Tickets: 315-568-8412.

### SALES

**Rummage Sale,** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Waterloo Methodist Church, 21 E. Williams St., Waterloo.

Peddlers' Village Bazaar, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 2 Chapel St., Seneca Falls. Attic treasures sale and homemade pies for \$12 outdoors, on State Street side, weather permitting. Hand-crafted knits, quilted items, Christmas decorations, and more inside. Lunch of homemade pulled pork sandwich, macaroni and cheese, and coleslaw for \$10. Takeout only. Indoor seating provided.

**Harvest Bazaar and Luncheon,** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 42 E. Main St., Waterloo. A pie sale is being held in conjunction with the bazaar. Preorder pies by

### YOUTH

Fall REVIVE Youth Rally, 3-7 p.m., LeTourneau Christian Center, 4950 County Road 11, Gorham. Flag football. Board games. Hot dogs and s'mores. A time of worship. Cost \$10. More information: jroman@letcc.org or 585-554-3400.

### **MEET-AND-GREET**

Liberty Rocks, 5-8 p.m., Outlet 111, 111 Liberty St., Penn Yan. Hosted by the Yates County Libertarian Party. All candidates for elected office in Yates County have been invited to participate in a social hour from 5-6 p.m. Food and drinks sold throughout event. Alternative rock show featuring Undefeated and Slave Two Servant will follow social hour in Outlet 111's connected event space. Admission to music is \$10. More information: YCLP Vice Chair Phil Rahr at PhillipRahr@gmail.com or visit PhilRahr.com/LibertyRocks.

### **NOVEMBER** 6

### MUSIC

Arnie Palladini, 5:30 p.m., Ventosa Vineyards, 3440 Route 96A, Fayette.

Matt Herrmann (and open mic), 7 p.m., The Naples Hotel and The Social Restaurant and Taproom, 111 S. Main St., Naples.

### **NOVEMBER** 7

### MUSIC

**Cellura & Ott**, 5:30 p.m., Clam Man's Party House, 67

### Veterans Day Ceremony,

2:45 p.m., Keuka College's Norton Chapel, 411 Lake Ave., Keuka Park. Open to the public and all veterans. Guest speakers and recognition of all veterans in attendance. Penn Yan American Legion Color Guard will participate. Light refreshments served on chapel lawn. or inside chapel in case of inclement weather. More information: college Chaplain and Director of Inclusion & Belonging Eric Detar at edetar@keuka. edu or call 315-279-5378.

### MUSIC

**Jimi Marley,** 5 p.m., Watershed Brewing, 3543 E. Lake Road, Fayette.

**Steve West,** 6 p.m., COHO Pizza & Wine Bar, 811 S. Main St., Canandaigua.

Stardusters All-Star Band, 6 p.m., Fingerlakes Mall Event Center, 1579 Clark St. Road, Aurelius.

Kim Draheim (Neil Young tribute show), 7 p.m., Moondog's Lounge, 24 State St., Auburn.

Veterans Day Concert, 7:30 p.m., Newark High School auditorium, 625 Peirson Ave., Newark. Presented by the NHS Music Department, the high school bands and choirs will perform music in honor of veterans. A reception for veterans and guests will be held in the band room after the show. More information: NHS instrumental music teacher Robert Humphrey at Robert.Humphrey@newarkcsd.org or Kate Flock, NHS vocal music teacher at Kate.Flock@ newarkcsd.org.

Wayne Baker Brooks, 7:30 p.m., Fort Hill Performing Arts Center, 20 Fort Hill Ave., Canandaigua. Admission: \$45 mez-

### **Public Notice**

NYSEG has filed tariff revisions October 27, 2023 with the New York State Public Service Commission (PSC) for new electricity and natural gas delivery rates to become effective November 1, 2023. These tariff revisions cover the first annual delivery rate increase under the terms of a three-year rate plan approved by the PSC in October 2023 and they include a \$137.3 million increase in electricity revenue and a \$11.7 million increase in natural gas revenue. These tariff revisions also recover revenue shortfalls for each Company for the period May 1, 2023 to November 1, 2023.

A residential electricity customer with an average use of 600 kilowatt-hours/ month can expect an average monthly bill increase of \$9.94. A residential natural gas heating customer using 100 therms/month can expect an average monthly bill increase of \$4.96.

Customers may see some charges prorated on your November or December bill to take into account energy delivered before and after the new electricity and natural gas delivery rates went into effect.

### **RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS**

Regular Residential Customers: The electricity delivery charge will increase 1.320 cents per kilowatt-hour. The per-therm natural gas delivery charge for the 4-to-50-therms block will increase 2.298 cents per therm and 3.754 cents for the block rate over 50 therms. The electric customer charge will increase by \$2.00, and the natural gas customer charge will increase by \$2.00.

Day/Night and Time-of-Use Customers: The electricity delivery charge will increase 1.230 cents per kilowatt-hour for Service Class 8 and 0.962 cents per kilowatt-hour for Service Class 12. The Service Class 8 customer charge will increase by \$2.40, and the Service Class 12 customer charge will increase by \$2.85.

Additional information about changes in residential electricity and natural gas delivery charges is available at nyseg.com (click on the Account tab and select "Electric Pricing" or

"Natural Gas Pricing" in the "Understand Your Bill" column).

#### NONRESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS

Information about changes in nonresidential electricity customer charges, electricity demand and energy charges (where applicable), natural gas minimum charges and natural gas therm charges is available at nyseg.com.

Changes are also in effect for standby, street lighting and economic development rates. Please check page 2 of your bill for bill messages and nyseg.com for detailed information.

Regarding energy supply: If you purchase energy supply from NYSEG, your price will continue to be based on market prices; if you purchase your energy supply from a supplier other than NYSEG (also known as an energy services company or ESCO), your energy supply price depends on your agreement with your ESCO.

### **Wayne County Elections**

## Wayne County election results delayed

**By LOUISE HOFFMAN** BROACH

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LYONS — Wayne County **Republican Elections Commis**sioner John Zornow says it's better to get it right, even if you get it late.

That's why as of Wednesday morning, there were no results, official or unofficial, available for races in that county. Information that had been put on the county's website Tuesday night was promptly taken down when Zornow's deputy, Cindy Robinson, said things didn't look right.

"She noticed something was wrong right away," Zornow said at about 8 a.m. Wednesday from the Board of Elections. "The numbers, which are supposed to come up to 100%, weren't coming up to 100%."

Elections ran into trouble with card counts following Tuesday night's election process. They resumed counts Wednesday morning, but they were not completed by press time.

He said the preliminary results, which were posted Tuesday night, could not be counted on to be accurate, so they were removed.

Zornow did comment on some of the races, including a close contest in the town of Ontario, where Democratic candidate Jim Switzer was leading over Republican Benjamin Aman and incumbent Supervisor Frank Robusto, who was running on an independent line.

In Rose, Zornow said Democrat Kenan Baldridge, who was trying to reclaim the supervisor seat he lost to Republican Apparently, the Board of Richard Lasher, was trailing there will be new supervisors



Zornow

verse. Converse stepped up when Lasher opted instead to run for councilman this time around. And in Galen, where Republican Lester Carr Jr. was being challenged by Democrat Tom Caprilla, it appears that

Carr was ahead, Zornow said. He said the same looked to be true for Summer Johnson in Marion. She is a Republican. Her opponent, Mike Cramer, was running on the Marion Strong line.

In Wolcott, where Republican incumbent Supervisor Lynn Chatfield had a challenge from Democrat Dan Smith, it looks like Chatfield prevailed. On Wednesday, Chatfield said he'd won in a comment on his Facebook page, but offered no other details.

No matter the numbers,

Pisciotti; Huron, David Fantuzzo; Palmyra, Gary Rose; and Savannah, Frank Paddock. All are Republicans and all ran unopposed.

Republican Butler Supervisor Tommy Mettler, Macedon Supervisor Kim Leonard, Sodus Supervisor Scott Johnson and Williamson Supervisor Tony Verno were reelected unopposed. All are Republicans.

There were no supervisor races in the towns of Lyons or Walworth.

John Grow was unopposed in his bid for a Wayne County Court Judge seat in Tuesday's vote. He is a Republican.

Democratic Elections Commissioner Gerry Clingerman said he went to all 37 polling places in Wayne County on Tuesday to introduce himself (this is his first election cycle) and logged 254 miles on his vehicle. When he returned to the

Republican Scott Con- in the towns of Arcadia, Dawn Board of Elections and the vote count started, the problems became apparent.

> Sometime after midnight, personnel from the state Board of Elections, sent the staff at the Board of Elections home.

> "They said to start fresh in the morning," Clingerman said. "I don't really want to comment on any of the races right now, because we just don't know."

> Zornow, who is 80 and was himself an Arcadia town supervisor at one point, said this is going to be his last year as election commissioner, and it's not because of the current problem.

"I've retired lots of times before," he said, noting a career at Kodak and his experiences as historian for his town, which he still does. "I need two knee replacements."

## **Canandaigua / Ontario County Elections**

## Dems sweep Canandaigua **City Council races**

### Chrisman wins county clerk position **By DAVID L. SHAW** dshaw@fltimes.com

### CANANDAIGUA

Democrats retained their 8-1 majority on City Council in Tuesday's election by sweeping all four ward seats on the ballot.

Winning four-year terms on the nine-member Council were Michael Mills in Ward 1, Guy Turchetti in Ward 2. Donna Cator in Ward 3 and incumbent Erich Dittmar in Ward 4.

Mills defeated Republican Lindsay Loiacono, 366-202. Turchetti defeated Sean Buck, 204-157.



Na-Democrat Karl Kania. Sauter received 1,499 344 votes. Casey received and 1,402 votes and Kania received 1,260 votes.

### **Ontario County**

On the county level, Republican Jean Chrisman was elected Ontario County Clerk over Demof Canadice. Chrisman received 11,058 votes. Yockel received 8,922 votes. Chrisman is the Canandaigua town clerk. Elected part-time county coroners were incumbent Republicans James DeVaney with 9,755 votes and Thomas Cheney with 10,300 They defeated votes. In the town of Canan- Democrats Nancy Augustine, who received 8,421 votes, and Laurie Casey were re-elected, de- Swarthout, who tallied

## **Incumbents Pfeiffer,** Lotz reelected to Waterloo Town Board

Waterloo/Seneca County Elections

### **By DAVID L. SHAW**

dshaw@fltimes.com WATERLOO — It was

a contested race for two seats on the Town Board, but not very competitive. Republican incumbent board members Mike Pfeiffer and Bob Lotz easily defeated a challenge from Democrat Ted Young, a former town supervisor and village mayor.

Pfeiffer tallied 795 votes on the GOP and Conservative lines. Lotz tallied 762 votes on the received 402 votes on the Democratic line.

Waterloo All otherraces were uncontested. Winning election without opposition were county supervisors Bob Shipley and Michael Enslow, town clerk Rosemarie Marsh, Town Justice Conrad Struzik and tax collector Walter Mumford.

### Seneca County

Others elected in Seneca County without opposition were Sheriff

same two lines. Young Tim Thompson, Coroner Joseph Stevens, Junius Supervisor Ernest Brownell, Varick Supervisor Bob Hayssen, Romulus Supervisor David Hayes, Ovid Supervisor Joseph Borst, Covert Supervisor Mike Reynolds and Lodi Supervisor Lucas Latini, all Republicans. Latini will succeed Democrat Kyle Barnhart who did not seek re-election and resigned in October. The only Democrat re-elected without opposition was Junius tax collector Linda Cordovani.

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request for comment, but Bowes said he is heartened by the process.

"We are seeing democracy in action, which shows us the importance of voting, especially in a small city such as ours," Bowes said. "Every vote counts, Geneva, and every vote makes a difference. There is a process the city has for this situation and it will result in a fair resolution for us. I wish the best for Kyle and his family, and that in the end we will move Geneva forward."

Here are the results with Tuesday's additional numbers added in:

Mayor: Winner Steve Valentino gained 29 additional votes Tuesday, while Jan Regan added 26, for a final tally of 1,365-1,275.

Ward 1: The winner, Democrat Chris Lavin, gained seven more votes, while opponent Antonio Gomez got two, for a final tally of 234-138.

Ward 2: The winner, Republican incumbent Bill Pealer Jr., got eight more votes, while Democrat Cassie Sneider got four, for an updated total of 371-283.

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Ward 3: The winning candidate, Republican Pat Grimaldi, got five more votes, while his Democratic opponent, Terri Brinson-Gwynn, received six, for a final tally of 340-331.

Ward 4: Peter Gillotte, a registered Democrat who ran on the Republican ticket, defeated Democrat R.J. Rapoza, 266-199 with four votes added for Gillotte and two for Rapoza.

Ward 5: Jim Petropoulos, a registered Democrat who ran with the Republicans, beat Democrat Wil Wolf, 128-124 with five votes added for each candidate.

At-large: Tuesday's tallies did not affect the outcomes last week for the two seats. With Tuesday's additional votes added in, Democrat John Brennan was the leading vote-getter with 1,304 votes. He received an additional 23 Tuesday. He was followed by Democrat Ahmad Whitfield with 1,257 votes, after he received an additional 25. Incumbent Anthony Noone, another Democrat who ran as a Republican, added 24 votes for a final total of 1,204, while incumbent Republican Frank Gaglianese III got 26 additional votes for a 1,200-vote tally.

# Fire damages Lyons home

### **By MIKE HIBBARD** mhibbard@fltimes.com

LYONS — A home on Pilgrimport Road was extensively damaged Monday night when a fire that started in an attached garage spread to the house.

Wayne County Fire Coordinator Jeremiah Shufelt said firefighters responded to 4073 Pilgrimport Road shortly after 10 p.m. Flames were coming from the garage and single-family residence when they arrived.

"Both structures suffered significant dam-age," Shufelt said. "No injuries were reported."

According to the Lyons Fire Department's Facebook page, mutual aid came from the Wallington, Rose, and North Rose departments. Due to the rural location of the home and lack of fire hydrants, those departments brought tanker trucks and Alton firefighters set up a fill site.

Also responding were Wayne County EMS, county fire coordinators, and sheriff's deputies.

Fire officials did not say how many people were displaced, but a community Facebook site said the family "lost everything."

Shufelt said his office and the sheriff's office are investigating the cause of the blaze, but "nothing seems suspicious."



Lyons Fire Department / Facebook

This was the scene when Lyons firefighters arrived Monday night at a home on Pilgrimport Road.



Lyons Fire Department / Facebook

The fire on Pilgrimport Road in Lyons destroyed a garage and damaged the adjoining house.

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## PUYLARA

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Casamassima.

But they had to wait until Tuesday for 51 absentee, affidavit and hand count ballots to be counted before they were sure.

Tuesday's count their wins confirmed and actually increased.

17-vote margin.

Tuesday's absentee and affidavit count gave Draheim another 27 votes and Casamassima another 22, making for a current count of 1,170 to 1,148, a 22-vote margin.

### Theatre444 puts up oneman show Nov. 16-19

GENEVA — After a joy." successful run of "Alice by Heart" at the Rochester Fringe Festival, Theatre444 will present a oneman play: "The Absolute Brightness of Leonard

Pelkey" by James Lecesne. Chuck DeSantis is a brash New Jersey detective eager for a case that gets him out from behind his desk. On one extraordinary day, he finds it: the disappearance of teenager Leonard Pelkey. Digging deeper and deeper into Pelkey's life, Chuck follows clues that lead him to unexpected places and show him how one boy's bravery can light the way toward truth.

The New York Times production said  $_{\mathrm{the}}$ "leaves you beaming with com to purchase tickets.

Springs thespian Patrick Fegley delivers a solo tour de force, effortlessly bringing to life all of the inhabitants of a colorful

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seaside town as they awaken to the beauty of being different. This show is led by award-winning Artistic Director Pam Rapoza, with Technical Director Garrett Coons and Light Operator Bryce Corsner rounding out the team.

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Performances are set for 8 p.m. Nov. 16-18 and 4 p.m. Nov. 19 in the newly renovated Fatzinger Hall at the Waterloo Library and Historical Society, 31 E. Williams St., Waterloo.

Go to www.theatre444.

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TENNEY The new Republican

leader faced the same political problem that led to McCarthy's ouster angry, frustrated, hardright GOP lawmakers rejected his approach, demanded budget cuts and voted against the plan. Rather than the applause and handshakes that usually follow passage of a bill, several hardline conservatives animatedly confronted the speaker as they exited the chamber.

forward a unique - critics say bizarre — two-part process that temporarily funds some federal agencies to Jan. 19 and others to Feb. 2. It's a continuing resolution, or CR, that comes without any of the deep cuts conservatives have demanded all year. It also fails to include President Joe Biden's request for nearly \$106 billion for Ukraine, Israel, border security and other supplemental funds. "We're not surrendering," Johnson assured after a closed-door meeting of House Republicans Tuesday morning, vowing he would not support another stopgap. "But you have to choose fights you can win." "By passing this CR today, we are able to pass the remaining fiscally conservative appropriations bills to provide the relief that the American people need, reaffirm Congress's power of the purse, and refocus our government to its core mission: to serve the American people and defend the Constitution." Includes reporting by Steve Buchiere of the Finowe that to the American ger Lakes Times, and the

lier Tuesday at a news conference at the Capitol.

process. For many years, forced through massive omnibus spending bills that have undermined the legislative process and have cost taxpayers billions on She noted that House Republicans have now considered 11 of 12 appropriations bills through

Johnson's proposal puts

Republicans more time to truly tackle the fiscal problems plaguing the American people."

It was the first time the new speaker had to force vital legislation through the House, and he showed a willingness to leave his right-flank Republicans behind — the same political move that cost the last House speaker, Kevin Mc-Carthy, his job just weeks ago.

For now, Johnson of Louisiana appeared on track for a better out-His approach, come. which the Senate is expected to approve by week's end, effectively pushes a final showdown over government funding to the new year.

"Making sure that government stays in operation is a matter of conscience for all of us. We people," Johnson said ear- Associated Press.

Although results won't be official until the end of the week, Puylara received 32 more votes Tuesday. Crane received an additional 18, making the vote 1,137 for Puylara and 1.102 for Crane. a 35-vote margin.

The Seneca County Board of Elections counted 50 absentee, affidavit and hand count ballots from Seneca Falls Tuesday.

Republican incumbent Dawn Dyson was reelected to the Town Board with 1,331 votes. Democratic incumbent Steve Churchill lost his reelection bid with 1,059 votes. In the town justice race, Draheim received 1,143 machine votes on Nov. 7 and Casamassima received 1,126 votes, a

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- NOV. 24: Fish or Chicken Tender Dinners, 5-7 p.m. or until sold out, Geneva American Legion Winnek Post 396, 1011 Routes 5&20, Geneva (just west of Walmart). Cost: \$15 for fish dinner, \$10 for chicken tender dinner. Cash only. There is an ATM on the premises. Menu: beer-battered or broiled haddock with choice of baked potato or fries, coleslaw, roll. Chicken tender dinner comes with same sides. Eat in or take out. More information: genevaamericanlegion396.com or 315-759-5028.

### UPCOMING

• NOV. 28: Pancake Breakfast, 8:30-10 a.m., St. Francis and St. Clare Parish Ministry Center (formerly St. Mary School), 35 Center St., Waterloo. Free. Menu: pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, coffee, orange juice, tea, hot chocolate. Donation accepted. Parish will offer free pancake breakfasts each Tuesday through Dec. 19.

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### **Around the Lakes**

### **Phelps Legion hosting** free Thanksgiving dinner

PHELPS — Seeley B. Parish American Legion 457 at 1346 Route 96 in Phelps will be hosting a free Thanksgiving Dinner with all the trimmings on Nov. 23, Thanksgiving Day, from noon to 3 p.m.

The dinner is free to everyone. Sign up at the Post or call 315-759-1920 to give them an idea how many will be attending.

### Help support the Seneca Falls Backpack Program

SENECA FALLS — The Seneca Falls Historical Society is looking for help in supporting the Seneca Falls Backpack Program School-Based Food Pantry.

Throughout November and during the first week in December, the SFHS will be collecting donations of personal hygiene products such as:

Toothpaste, toothbrushes, lotion, soap, deodorant, dental floss,

chapstick, diapers and wipes, shampoo and conditioner, and feminine hygiene products.

They can be dropped off between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Seneca Falls Historical Society, 55 Cayuga St., Seneca Falls.

### 4th annual Canoga Craft Fair is Nov. 25

SENECA FALLS - The 4th Annual Canoga Fire Department Craft Fair will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Nov. 25.

Local crafters will be displaying their unique handmade items in what will be a great way to kick off the holiday season.

The United Way of Seneca County will be providing free Narcan and training, free gun locks, free

Refreshments will be available

### for purchase.

Call 315-651-6285 for more information. The Canoga Fire Dept. is at 3576 Route 89.

### **Gingerbread Decorating** Workshops in Seneca Falls, Dec. 2-3

SENECA FALLS — The Museum of Waterways and Industry, 89 Fall St., is hosting the 14th Annual Judith Pipher Memorial Gingerbread Decorating Workshops.

Make your very best gingerbread creation to be featured in the It's a Wonderful Life Festival. Festival goers will vote on their favorite houses, and you could win some neat prizes.

The fun and free workshops will take place the weekend before the festival, Saturday, Dec. 2 and Sunday, Dec. 3. Each day will have two time slots, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

You must register to reserve your gingerbread house. Do so on the museum's website, sfheritagetourism.com, or call 315-568-1510.

family Time Boxes and info about smoking cessation programs, suicide prevention awareness training and ways to keep youth and pets safe in your home from cannabis and prescription drugs.

## **Rosalynn Carter's advocacy** for mental health rooted in compassion, perseverance

### **By HOLLY RAMER**

The Associated Press

CONCORD, N.H. — The sun was shining in June 1979 as Rosalynn Carter made her way through an enthusiastic crowd in Laconia, New Hampshire.

"She shook my hand!" yelled one delighted participant.

The first lady was in the state for her husband's reelection campaign, but this was no political rally. Instead, she was at a 75-year-old sprawling institution founded for "feebleminded" children that the U.S. Justice Department had deemed "a classic example of warehousing." She was joined by Gov. Hugh Gallen, a kindred spirit who had been pushing to correct the deplorable conditions there and at the state's

### psychiatric hospital.

"Going to a place like the Laconia State School and talking not to voters but to people dealing with a very acute issue — well, it doesn't happen very often. It didn't then, and it certainly doesn't at all now," recalled Dayton Duncan, who was there as Gallen's press secretary.

"She could have just given a good speech about what the administration was hoping to do and left it at that," Duncan said. "But the fact that she would go to the Laconia State School and meet with the people who work there, the children who were warehoused there and the parents, was special."

After leaving the White House, Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter launched programs that have, among other things, monitored Reagan administration,

people with mental illness when you are governor," she told the surprised candidate.

Jimmy Carter responded by creating a state commission to improve services for those with mental illness. Then, as president, he created a national commission on mental health, which led to the passage of the Mental Health Systems Act of 1980, a major revamping of federal policy that sought to treat people with mental illness in their communities.

Rosalynn Carter was that commission's honorary co-chair and a driving force behind the legislation, traveling around the country to hear from experts and everyday citizens alike and sharing her findings with Congress. Though it was effectively repealed during the

"If she hadn't been in that room, none of us would have thought of asking a pollster to tell us how to phrase it," she said. "It was brilliant."

Journalist Bill Lichtenstein considered Rosalynn Carter "the patron saint of all who are dealing with mental health or behavioral issues."

Lichtenstein, who runs a media production company in Boston, was an investigative reporter for ABC News when he fell ill with manic depression in 1986. He went on to produce award-winning programs on recovery from mental illness, but he still remembers feeling shunned when he disclosed his own struggles. Carter's desire to reduce such stigma is at the heart of her accomplishments, he said.

"At the end of the day, whether it's talking about more money for research or people with a mental health history being on a level playing field when it comes to employment or renting an apartment, the thing that's the most insidious, difficult obstacle to all of it is stigma," he said. Lichtenstein serves on the board of advisers for The Carter Center's mental health journalism fellowship program, which has provided support to more than 220 journalists from the U.S. and six other countries over the years. Marion Scher, a freelance journalist and author in South Africa, was awarded a fellowship in 2005. Her first article, headlined "When is it more than just a bad day?" was published in a men's health magazine along with the phone number for a mental health organization. The response, in a country where stigma remains strong, was massive, she said. "The phone was ringing off the hook for three weeks," she said. "They had to bring in extra counselors to man the phones." Scher now offers mental health journalism fellowships in South Africa, using local sponsorships. That kind of multiplier effect illustrates the impact of The Carter Center fellowships, and it wouldn't have happened without her tenacity, Cade said. Carter was a "woman of action" - unsatisfied with just bringing together experts for discussions, she brainstormed ways to change policy by changing attitudes, Cade said, recalling how she'd sit with her advisers and say "What can we do? What else could we be doing?"

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elections in at least 113 countries and nearly eradicated the Guinea worm progress since then. parasite in the developing world. But the former president has said that The Carter Center would have been a success had it accomplished nothing but his wife's mental health work.

That's according to Kathy Cade, vice chair of Atlanta-based center and a longtime aide to Rosalynn Carter, and others who know the couple. They spoke to The Associated Press in the months leading up to Rosalynn Carter's death Sunday at age 96.

"I do not think there has ever been another sort of leader in the mental health field who has had as much of an impact on mental health care and access to care and how we think about mental health and mental illness as Mrs. Carter," Cade said. "And I think it has to do with her incredible concern about the issue and her perseverance for more than 50 years."

What evolved into a lifelong crusade began during Carter's 1966 gubernatorial campaign in Georgia. Almost daily, Rosalynn was approached by voters distressed about loved ones housed at an overcrowded psychiatric hospital. Early one morning, she spoke to a weary cotton mill worker who explained that she and her husband worked opposite shifts to care for their mentally ill daughter.

"The image of the woman haunted me all day," Rosalynn Carter wrote in her 2010 book, "Within Our Reach: Ending the Mental Health Crisis." That night, she went to her husband's campaign rally and waited in line to shake his hand.

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advocates say it created a framework for much of the

At The Carter Center, she created a program devoted solely to mental health in 1991 and eventually established fellowships for journalists who cover the topic. Years later, she lobbied Congress to create a landmark law requiring insurers to provide equality in mental health coverage.

Those who worked with her over the decades say Carter's accomplishments were rooted in her compassion and listening skills.

"Her power comes from her heart," said Cynthia Wainscott, a former board chair of Mental Health America, a national nonprofit organization. "She's very, very, very kind, and she listens to people. When you're talking to her, there can be three conversations going on around you, but you know she's keyed on you, and she hears you."

She also was an effective and inspiring mobilizer with sharp instincts, Wainscott said.

Preparing for an annual mental health symposium, Carter once suggested contacting a pollster to refine a key message: that 20%of Americans will have a psychiatric disorder in any given year. The pollster conducted focus groups and found that people didn't believe the statistic, but if it was restated as one in five Americans instead, they did.

"When you hear 20%, you have to visualize 100 people and 20 of them are sick, and it's complex and impersonal. If you say one in five, people think about their workplace, their school, their neighborhood," said Wainscott, who also led the National "I came to see what you Mental Health Associa-