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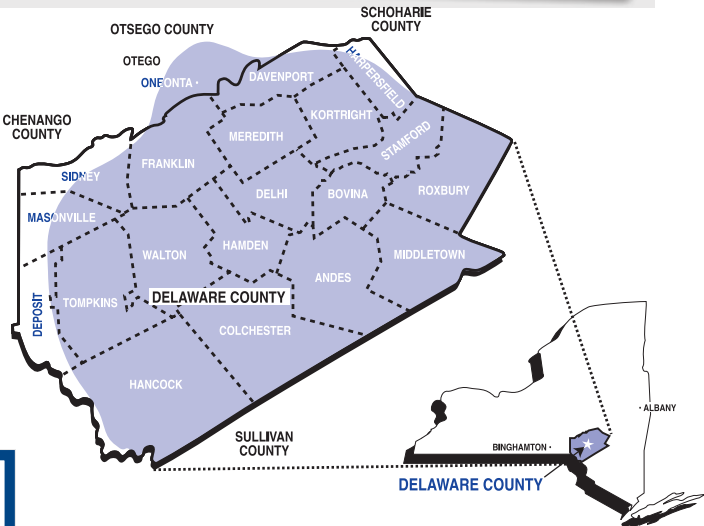
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**Mon. Jan. 27th** – Normal Monday Sale & Monthly Organic Day.  
**Mon. Feb. 3rd** – Normal Monday Sale & Monthly Fat Cow & Feeder Sale  
**SALES TO WATCH FOR 2020:**  
**Sat. March 28th** – Premier Spring All Breed Sale. Selling 150 Head of Registered All Breed Dairy Cattle. – Call to advertise your group! This sale fills up fast so don't miss out!  
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**Sat. May 2nd** – reserved for on the farm Machinery Sale  
**Sat. May 9th** – reserved for on the farm Machinery Sale  
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LOST & FOUND

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FARM

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF EVENTS AND MEETINGS SEARCHABLE BY DATE, CATEGORY AND LOCATION GO TO WWW.COUNTYSHOPPERONLINE.COM AND CLICK ON CALENDAR.**

- January 09 - Baby Storytime**  
This story time is for babies 0-15 months and their caregiver. Join us for nursery rhymes, simple stories, songs, and more! 11 a.m. Sidney Memorial Public Library. 8 River Street, Sidney NY. For more information call 607-563-1200.
- January 09 - Catskill Mountain Railroad Club**  
Meets in the basement. All modelers are welcome to attend. The model train layout is HO Gauge. New Members are welcome to join. For more information call Don at 845-254-5311. 7 p.m. Margaretville-New Kingston Presbyterian Church. 87 Orchard Street, Margaretville NY.
- January 09 - Colchester**

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• **January 09 - AA Meeting**  
Open Beginners Meeting. No smoking. 8 p.m. Christ Church. Gardiner Place, Walton NY.

• **January 09 - AA Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. 12 p.m. Turning Point House. 22 Elm St., Oneonta NY. For more information call 607-267-4435.

• **January 09 - AA Meeting**  
Open meeting, newcomers welcome. Handicapped accessible. 12 p.m. St. John's Episcopal Church. 134 1/2 Main St., Delhi NY.

• **January 09 - Delhi AA Meeting**  
Open Big Book Meeting. 7 p.m. St. John's Episcopal Church. Main Street, Delhi NY.

• **January 09 - Delhi Al-Anon Meetings**  
Welcomes, supports & comforts persons whose lives have been affected by the alcohol/drug abuse of a loved one. Alateen members welcome. Does not meet on holidays. 6 p.m. United Ministry Church. Church Street, Delhi NY.

• **January 09 - Free Fitness Class**  
Begins promptly at 5:15 p.m. Core de Force Live is more than a typical cardio class. It's an empowering, core-focused workout, inspired by the highest-octane sport in the world - Mixed Martial Arts. Please: Clean sneakers only Bring water and a towel. A mat is recommended but not required. 5 p.m.-6 p.m. Hobart Activity Center. 8 Pine St., Hobart NY. For more information call 607-437-1495.

• **January 09 - Hepatitis C or B Support Group**  
Open to all people living with Hepatitis C or B and family or friends that are the personal support of people living HCV or HBV. 607-746-7199. 6 p.m.-7 p.m. O'Connor Hospital. Route 28, Delhi NY.

• **January 09 - Live and Let Live AA Meeting**  
Closed meeting, discussion. No smoking. 8 p.m. Christ Episcopal Church. 14 Monument St., Deposit NY.

• **January 09 - Margaretville New Beginners AA Meeting**  
Closed living sober meeting. No smoking allowed. 12 p.m. Advent Christian Church. 109 Maple St., Margaretville NY.

• **January 09 - Nar-anon Family Group**  
Drug addiction is a family disease. Nar-anon is a support group operated by and for the families of addicts. We understand the struggles of those coping with the addictions of a loved one. We offer our help by listening, and by sharing our experiences, strengths and hopes. Central to our approach is respecting your anonymity. 7 p.m.-8 p.m. Unitarian Universalist Church. 12 Ford Ave., Oneonta NY. For more information call 607-432-3291.

• **January 09 - Parkinson's Disease Support Group**  
Meetings held in the hospital's conference room. For information contact Pat Cleary or Kathy Scribani for more information at 607-746-0300. 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. O'Connor Hospital. 460 Andes Road, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-0300.

• **January 10 - Morning Reflections AA Group**  
Handicapped accessible. 7:30 a.m. St. James Episcopal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 10 - All or Nothing AA Meeting**  
Open discussion, newcomers welcome. Handicapped accessible. 12 p.m. St. John's Episcopal Church. 134 1/2 Main St., Delhi NY.

• **January 10 - Community Wellness & Social Services**  
Stop in for free Healthcare Advising, Weatherization, Farm Fresh Produce for SNAP recipients, Domestic Violence and Crime Victims Assistance, Dental Referrals, Pre-Diabetes Program. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Prattsville Arts Center. 14562 Main Street, Prattsville NY.

• **January 10 - Delhi AA Group**  
Closed meeting, discussion group. Wheelchair accessible. No smoking allowed. 7 p.m. St. John's Episcopal Church. Main Street, Delhi NY.

• **January 10 - Lunch Bunch AA Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. No smoking. 1 p.m. St. Mary's School Annex. 28 Elm St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 10 - Margaretville New Beginnings AA Group**  
Closed meeting, discussion group. Last Friday of the month is open with speakers. Wheelchair accessible, no smoking allowed. 7 p.m. Advent Christian Church. 109 Orchard Street, Margaretville NY.

• **January 10 - NA Meeting**  
7:15 - 8:15 p.m. New Hope Community Church. Stockton Ave., Walton NY.

• **January 10 - Stamford Over Easy AA Step Group**  
Speaker with open discussion meeting. 7 p.m. United Methodist Church. 88 Main St., Stamford NY.

• **January 10 - Winners Circle AA Group**  
Open meeting discussion group. No smoking allowed. 7 p.m. Father Rausch Memorial Hall. 346 West Main Street, Hancock NY.

• **January 11 - Morning Reflections AA Group**  
Handicapped accessible. 7:30 a.m. St. James Episcopal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 11 - AA Seeking Serenity Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. 12 p.m. Turning Point House. 22 Elm St., Oneonta NY. For more information call 607-267-4435.

• **FOR AA DISTRICT 8 SCHEDULES:**  
  
• <http://district8.aahmbny.org/meetings/find-a-meeting-by-location/>

• **January 11 - Bridge AA Group**  
9 a.m. Hamden Presbyterian Church. 35790 Route 10, Hamden NY.

• **January 11 - Community Exercise Walk**  
Anyone interested should meet at the Village Pavilion in Margaretville Saturdays at 9 a.m. Information: 845-586-3555. Village Pavilion.

• **January 11 - Little Delaware AA Group**  
Speakers Meeting. 6 p.m. Saint James Church. 55 Lake Delaware Drive, Delhi NY.

• **January 11 - Saturday Night Speakers AA Meeting**  
Open meeting with speakers. 6:30 p.m. St. James' Episcopal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 12 - AA Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. 7 p.m. Andes Presbyterian Church. 70 Delaware Ave., Andes NY.

• **January 12 - Covered Bridge AA Group**  
6 p.m. Buck Hill Farms. 185 Fuller Road, Jefferson NY.

• **January 12 - Downsville AA Group**  
Open AA Meeting. 7 p.m. Colchester Community Church. 15151 State Highway 30, Downsville NY.

• **January 12 - Live and Let Live AA Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. No smoking. 2 p.m. The Lord's Table. 18 Elm St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 12 - One Great Hour of Sharing AA Group**  
Open discussion group. 11 a.m. Hobart Presbyterian Church. 5 Maple Ave., Hobart NY.

• **January 12 - Oneonta Sunday Night AA Meeting**  
Closed discussion meeting. No smoking. 8 p.m. Elm Park United Methodist Church. 401 Chestnut St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 13 - 449 AA Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. 12 p.m. Turning Point House. 22 Main St., Oneonta NY. For more information call 607-267-4435.

• **January 13 - Morning Reflections AA Group**  
Handicapped accessible. 7:30 a.m. St. James Episcopal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

~ Card of Thanks ~  
  
The family of Terri Peck wants to thank everyone for the kind words, prayers, cards, flowers and food. We also wish to thank all the girls and doctors at FoxCare Cancer Center, Helios Care and all her loving friends.

Obituaries

**Victor T. Arnao Jr.**  
ANDES – Victor T. Arnao Jr., 56, formerly of Margaretville, died Thursday, Dec. 26, 2019 at Albany Medical Center.

Donations can be made in his honor at the culinary department at Port Ewen BOCES for culinary competitions.

**Joseph Nolan**  
GILBOA – Joseph Nolan, 89 of Gilboa, died Dec. 26, 2019 at Albany Medical Center following a short illness.

**Gail (Wolcott) Meade**  
MARGARETVILLE – Gail (Wolcott) Meade, 64, died Saturday, Dec. 28, 2019 from complications of ovarian cancer. Donations may be made to ForgottenSoldiers.org, Life'schangepbc.org., or jim-mv.org.

**Stanley A. Syvertsen**  
ONEONTA – Stanley A. Syvertsen, 78, died peacefully on Dec. 28, 2019, at a long-term care facility in Morristown, N.J. Calling hours will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, at Lewis Hurley & Pietrobono Funeral Home, 51 Dietz St. in Oneonta.

A funeral service will be held 1 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12, at Atonement Lutheran Church, 1 Center St., Oneonta.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Habitat for Humanity of Otsego County, 291 Chestnut St., Oneonta, NY, Oneonta Dollars for Scholars, 403-B Chestnut St., Oneonta, NY, or Atonement Lutheran Church, 1 Center St., Oneonta, NY 13820.

**Irene Armstrong**  
ANDES – Irene Armstrong, of Andes, born Aug. 20, 1931, in Newark, N.J., died Sunday, Dec. 29, 2019.

Memorial donations may be made to the Andes Emergency Response Squad, PO Box 212, Andes, NY 13731.

**Arlene Rosen Schwartz**  
MACON, Ga. – Arlene Rosen Schwartz, 87, formerly of Livingston Manor died at Pine Pointe Hospice in Macon, Ga. on Dec. 29, 2019.

Donations may be made to the charity of one's choice.

**Marcella “Faye” (Cable) McElroy**  
SIDNEY – Marcella “Faye” (Cable) McElroy died Dec. 30, 2019.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. January 11, at C.H. Landers Funeral Chapel, 21 Main St., Sidney, NY.

**Harold Robert Cicio**  
WOODRIDGE – Harold Robert Cicio, 92, of Woodridge, a native of Downsville, died Tuesday, Dec. 31, 2019.

**Nancy M. Nichols**  
ONEONTA – Nancy M. Nichols, 96, died Tuesday, Dec. 31, 2019 at A.O. Fox Memorial Hospital. Memorial donations may be made to River Street Baptist Church, 133 River St., Oneonta, NY 13820, Delhi Alliance Church, 16178 NY-28, Delhi, NY 13753 or The Salvation Army Thrift Store, 105 Main Street, Oneonta, NY 13820.

**Rachel May Houghtaling**  
LIBERTY – Rachel May

Houghtaling, 28, of Liberty, formerly of Long Eddy died Jan. 1, 2020 at Orange Regional Medical Center in Middletown.

Memorial contributions can be made to the family, and a donation will be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Rachel's name.

A celebration of life will be held Saturday, Jan. 11, from 1-4 p.m. at the Long Eddy Firehouse, 4 Church Street, Long Eddy. Food and beverage will be provided. All who knew and loved Rachel are encouraged to attend.

**Edward Charles Lamphier**

ROSCOE – Edward Charles Lamphier, 78, long-time resident of Roscoe, died peacefully on New Year's Day, 2020 at 2:10 a.m., surrounded by family.

The family only asks that, if you knew him in life, celebrate and remember those moments as you see fit.

**Andrew J. Baldauf**

DELHI – Andrew J. Baldauf, 58, of Delhi, died at his home on Thursday morning, Jan. 2, 2020.

**Janet D. Stewart**

BOVINA CENTER – Janet D. Stewart, 84, of Bovina Center, died early Thursday morning, Jan. 2, 2020, at O'Connor Hospital in Delhi.

Contributions may be made to the Bovina EMS or Bovina United Presbyterian Church.

**Tim Johnson**

ONEONTA – Tim Johnson, a beloved husband, father, grandfather and local restaurateur, died Jan. 3, 2020.

A memorial gathering will be held at Wise Guys Sammy's,

261 Main St., Oneonta, at 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 19 (MLK weekend).

In lieu of flowers, Tim requested that donations be made to Greater Oneonta Historical Society, P.O. Box 814, Oneonta, NY 13820.

**Rhonda Sue Gorr Walker**

LIBERTY – Rhonda Sue Gorr Walker, 52, of Liberty, formerly of Livingston Manor, a lifelong area resident died Saturday, Jan. 4, 2020 at her home.

Visitation will be Monday, Jan. 13, from Noon to 2 p.m. in the Harris Funeral Home, Railroad Ave. Roscoe. A service, celebrating Rhonda's life, will begin at 2 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to any animal shelter of one's choice.

**Alfred “Skip” DaBrescia**

HANCOCK – Alfred “Skip” DaBrescia, 91, of Hancock, died Sunday, Jan. 5, 2020 at Elizabeth Church Manor in Binghamton.

Family and friends will be received on Thursday, Jan. 9 from 6-8 p.m. at Henderson-Biedekapp Funeral Chapel, 29 E Main St, Hancock. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated Friday, Jan. 10 at 11 a.m. at St. Paul's, 346 West Main Street, Hancock.

Memorial contributions can be made to St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church or the Lisa DaBrescia Scholarship Fund c/o the Hancock Community Education Foundation, P.O. Box 819, Hancock, NY, 13783.

**Arthur George Neale**

WALTON – Arthur George Neale, 74, of Walton, died peacefully on Sunday, Jan. 5, 2020 at

pal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 13 - All or Nothing AA Meeting**  
Open discussion, newcomers welcome. Handicapped accessible. 12 p.m. St. John's Episcopal Church. 134 1/2 Main St., Delhi NY.

• **January 13 - Alzheimer's Association Caregiver Support Group**

A safe, confidential, supportive environment or community and a chance for participants to develop informal mutual support and social relationships. They also educate and inform participants about dementia and help participants develop methods and skills to solve problems. 2 p.m. United Ministry Church. 46 Church St., Delhi NY. For more information call 607-547-1650.

• **January 13 - Bovina AA Group**

Big Book open discussion. 7 p.m. Bovina United Presbyterian Church. 5177 Bovina Rd, Bovina Center NY.

• **January 13 - Just for Today AA Meeting**

Open discussion meeting. 7 p.m. DVH Hospital, Ambulatory Waiting Room. 1 Titus Place, Walton NY.

• **January 13 - Let's Be Sensible**

Our goal is to learn how to lose weight the healthy way. Join our team for group support, nutritional information and learning to strive for healthy living. Meets every Mon. from 5 - 6 p.m. For information call Leo Hart at 607-865-6233. Riverside Alliance Church. Stockton Ave., Walton NY.

• **January 13 - Morning Reflections AA Meeting**  
Open discussion meeting. Wheelchair accessible. No smoking. 7:30 a.m. St. James' Episcopal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 13 - Nicotine Anonymous**  
Front meeting room. Call Ed (845-332-7803) for any additional information. 7 p.m. St. James Episcopal Church. 305 Main St., Oneonta NY.

• **January 13 - Night Live and Let Live AA Meeting**  
Closed meeting, Step discussion. 8 p.m. Christ Episcopal Church. 14 Monument St., Deposit NY.

Delhi Rehabilitation and Nursing Center following a brief illness.

Calling hours to which relatives and friends are invited to attend will be held on Friday, Jan. 10, from 2-4 p.m. at Courtney Funeral Home, 25 Townsend Street, Walton. A service to celebrate Arthur's life will follow at 4 p.m. at the funeral home with Bert More officiating. A graveside service will be held in the spring.

Immediately following services at the funeral home the family invites everyone to join them back at the American Legion, Truman C. Tobey Post in Walton for food and continued fellowship.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Legion, Truman C. Tobey Post, 10 Park Street, Walton, NY 13856.

**Paul A. Laauser Jr.**

WALTON – Paul A. Laauser Jr., 74, of Walton died peacefully on Monday, Jan. 6, 2020 at UHS Wilson Medical Center following a brief illness.

Calling hours to which relatives and friends are invited to attend will be held on Saturday, Jan. 11, from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at New Hope Community Church, 45 Stockton Avenue, Walton, NY 13856. New Hope Community Church, 45 Stockton Avenue, Walton, NY 13856 or to the Sidney Elks Lodge #2175, 104 River Street, Sidney, NY 13838.



# Health, Mind & BODY

## The role screening should play before starting an exercise regimen

Exercise plays a significant role in disease prevention. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, physical activity helps to reduce individuals’ risk of chronic conditions, including type 2 diabetes, heart disease, various types

issues that may interfere with one’s ability to exercise. Doctors will likely ask patients about their medical histories and their family histories as well, as each of these factors can be used to determine whether a person is ready for physical activity or any restrictions need to be put in place to protect them.



of cancer, and dementia.

As vital as exercise is to a healthy lifestyle, many people simply are not getting enough of it. A 2018 report from the National Center for Health Statistics found that only about 23 percent of American adults between the ages of 18 and 64 are meeting the benchmarks for physical activity guidelines set forth by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. And that problem is not unique to the United States. A recent study from Statistics Canada found that only about 17 percent of adults in Canada were meeting the minimum guidelines for weekly physical activity established by the Canadian Society for Exercise Physiology. Such figures illustrate the emphasis that many adults must place on getting more physical activity. But returning to physical activity after a long layoff or becoming physically active for the first time are not as simple as lacing up a pair of running shoes and hitting the road. In fact, the American College of Sports Medicine notes the importance of preparticipation health screening for adults about to engage in physical activity after a period of inactivity.

**What is a preparticipation health screening?**

A preparticipation health screening is an examination conducted by a physician that looks for particular

**What happens after a preparticipation health screening?**

Once a physician conducts a health screening, he or she will conclude if an individual can exercise and how much he or she can exercise. Adults who are cleared to exercise but have never been physically active or have gone years without exercising will likely be advised to take it slowly at first. Doctors may provide specific exercise recommendations or refer patients to a sports medicine professional who can help them devise an appropriate workout regimen. Doctors also may recommend follow-up appointments to track patients’ progress. Such appointments can be invaluable, as they can help people whose overall health has improved after limited exercise ramp up the intensity of their workouts, which can help them continue on the course to a healthier life. However, it’s important that people consult their physicians before increasing the intensity of their workouts. A second screening might even be worthwhile, helping people and their physicians alter workout regimens that reflect their improved overall health.

**Many people aspire to exercise more.** In many instances, a preparticipation screening is a vital component for people looking to become more physically active after a long layoff.

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CALENDAR

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- **January 09 - Delhi Food Bank**  
Located downstairs. Not open on holidays. 3:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. United Ministry Church. 46 Church St., Delhi NY.
- **January 09 - Dungeons & Dragons Night**  
The Roxbury Arts Group offers an ongoing workshop series for people of all ages, where the participants get to play the most well-known role playing game ever created. If you have any questions, or are interested, feel free to contact Doug Idleman or call the Roxbury Arts Group at 607-326-7908. 6:30 p.m.-10 p.m. Roxbury Arts Center. 5025 Vega Mountain Rd., Roxbury NY.
- **January 09 - Game Day**  
Play games or put puzzles together. followed by a soup supper. 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. First United Methodist Church. 101 North St., Walton NY.
- **January 09 - Games Unplugged**  
Open to players of all ages. 7 p.m. Stamford Village Library. 117 Main St., Stamford NY. For more information call 607-652-5001.
- **January 09 - Mahjong Games**  
11 a.m.-3 p.m. Cannon Free Library. 40 Elm Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-2662.

- **January 09 - Meridale EMS & Fire Department**  
Monthly EMS and firefighters meeting. New members welcome. EMS meeting is at 6 p.m. and Fire meets at 7 p.m. For more information, call Jessica Patterson 607-437-2583 cell. Meridale Fire Department. 50 County Highway 10, Meridale NY.
- **January 09 - NAACP Oneonta Branch**  
6:30 p.m. Unitarian Society's Olympia Brown House. Ford Avenue, Oneonta NY. For more information call 607-431-9193.
- **January 09 - Oneonta Toastmasters**  
The mission of a Toastmasters club is to provide a mutually supportive and positive learning environment in which every individual member has the opportunity to develop oral communication and leadership skills, which in turn foster self-confidence and personal growth. 6 p.m.-7 p.m. The Green Earth. 4 Market St., Oneonta NY.
- **January 09 - Preschool Story Time**  
Held in the children's room of Fairview Public Library. We read stories and do a craft with the children during each session, along with other fun activities such as singing, some learning activities, and creating with Play-Doh. The child(ren) must be accompanied by an adult. 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Fairview Public Library. 43 Walnut St., Margaretville NY. For more information call 845-586-3791.

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- **January 09 - Preschool Storytime**  
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- **January 09 - SCRIDS Quilt Guild**  
Quilters of all skill levels are welcome. For more information, call Dottie at 607-538-1133. 10 a.m. Hobart United Methodist Church. corner of Maple and Pearl Streets, Hobart NY.
- **January 09 - Soup Supper**  
A nutritious meal free for members of the community. Handicap accessible. Dinners are not served on holidays. 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. First United Methodist Church of Walton. 101 North Street, Walton NY.
- **January 09 - Teen Night**  
5 p.m.-7 p.m. William B. Ogden Library. 42 Gardiner Place, Walton NY. For more information call 607-865-5929.
- **January 09 - Thrift Shop**  
A place to shop for the whole family. 12 p.m.-4 p.m. Margaretville Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Shop. 743 Main St., Margaretville NY. For more information call 845-586-3737.
- **January 09 - Toddler Story Time**  
This story time is for toddlers 15 months to about age 3. Read a few books, sing songs and usually do a hands-on activity. 10 a.m.-10:30 a.m. Sidney Memorial Public Library. 8 River Street, Sidney NY. For more information call 607-563-1200.
- **January 09 - Tremperskill Hunting & Fishing Club**  
Hunting and fishing is discussed, tales of big ones taken, and big ones missed. Future club events are planned and allocations of donated funds are discussed. 7 p.m. 528 County Highway 1, Andes NY.
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- **January 10 - American Legion Guntown Post #1554**  
Meets the second Friday of each month at 19:00 hours at the post home. 607-865-9275. Guntown Post Legion Hall. 8460 County Route 27, Trout Creek NY.
- **January 10 - Andes Food Bank**  
3 p.m.-6 p.m. Citihope. 143 Main St., Andes NY. For more information call 845-676-3344.
- **January 10 - Elijah's Closet Thrift Store**  
Wheelchair lift & elevator available. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Congregational Church. 4 Mead Street, Walton NY. For more information call 607-865-7935.
- **January 10 - Game Night at FORDO**  
Movie Night on the last Friday of the month. 5 p.m.-7 p.m. The Turning Point of Delaware County. 84 Main Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-3570.
- **January 10 - Greater Oneonta Historical Society History Center**  
Housed in the oldest brick building in downtown Oneonta. Local history exhibits and a permanent exhibit on the history of Oneonta. Open Saturdays 10 a.m.

to 4 p.m. and Fridays noon to 4 p.m. Expanded hours Memorial Day to Labor Day and Thanksgiving to Christmas. Other times for special events or by prior arrangement. Free. GOHS History Center. 183 Main St., Oneonta NY. For more information call 607-432-0960.

- **January 10 - Preschool Storytime**  
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- **January 10 - The Kirk Thrift Shoppe**  
Selling clothing, housewares, toys and more. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. First Presbyterian Church. 4 Clinton St., Delhi NY.
- **January 11 - Sidney Historical Association Museum**  
The museum houses newspapers, genealogy section, military items, old yearbooks, Bendix/Amphenol history and much more. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sidney Town Hall. 44 Grand St., Sidney NY.
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- **January 11 - Artists Over Easy**  
If you do art, like art, collect art, why not come and have one of the Tulip & Rose's breakfasts and enjoy artsy company! 9 a.m. Tulip & Rose Cafe. 435 Main St., Franklin NY. For more information call 607-829-4040.
- **January 11 - Sons of Norway-Norsemen Lodge #572**  
If you are interested in Scandinavian genealogy, crafts, cooking and so much more, please join us. For information, please call Debra Martin (President) 607-865-7943. 1 p.m. Atonement Lutheran Church. 1 Center St., Oneonta NY.
- **January 11 - Walton Historical Society**  
Featuring local historical exhibits, presented by the Walton Historical Society. Reopens in March 10 a.m.-2

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SPECIAL ADVERTISING SECTION

SUSPECT YOUR TEEN IS USING DRUGS OR DRINKING?

You might suspect that your son or daughter is using drugs or drinking. You found an odd-looking pipe in his room, cans and bottles in the car or rolling papers in her laundry. Or you overheard a conversation not meant for you. Every day, close to 4,700 American youth under age 18 try marijuana for the first time. By the time they reach the eighth grade, approximately 50 percent of kids have had at least one drink. More than 20 percent report having been "drunk." Despite these statistics, one thing is true: Parents are the most important influence in a teen's decisions about drug use and drinking. Parents can and do make a difference. If you suspect or know that your child is using drugs or drinking, take action now. The longer you wait, the harder it will be to deal with it.

WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL?

Drug use and drinking can change the direction of a young person's life. "Experimentation" can lead to addiction. Not everyone moves from use to abuse to addiction, but it is a risky road. There is no way to know who will have a problem and who won't.

WHAT SHOULD YOU LOOK FOR?

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- Changes in conversations with friends, e.g., more secretive, using "coded" language
- Change in clothing choices — new clothes that highlight drug use

- Increase in borrowing money
- Drug paraphernalia, such as pipes or rolling papers
- Signs of inhaling products, such as hairspray, nail polish, correction fluid, paper bags and rags
- Eyedrops to mask bloodshot eyes or dilated pupils
- Use of mouthwash or breath mints to cover up drinking or drug use
- Missing prescription drugs

These changes often signal that something troubling is going on and may involve drinking or drug use. The key thing to remember is that it is never too early or too late to take action regarding your kid's drug use.

WHAT DO YOU DO AND WHEN?

When you have a hunch, what do you do? First, learn as much as you can. Go to [www.TheAntiDrug.com](http://www.TheAntiDrug.com) for information about teen drug use and what parents can do to address it. Next, take action to stop your teen's drinking or drug use. Talk to them about your concerns and work with them to address the problem. You may need to do this more than once. You can enlist the help of others you trust — your family doctor, a school counselor or coach.

PARENTS ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT INFLUENCE IN A CHILD'S LIFE

Research shows that parents are central to preventing teen drug use. Kids say that losing their parents' trust and respect is the most important reason not to use drugs. When you suspect, or know, that your child has been drinking or using drugs, take action to stop it as soon as you can. It may be the most important step you ever take.

**RESOURCES:** For more information about how to address your teen's drug use and drinking, go to [www.TheAntiDrug.com](http://www.TheAntiDrug.com) or call 1-800-788-2800.

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The stars pull you deeper into the cocoon of your mind, Aries. This may help you as you work on a project or work through thoughts and emotions.

TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

This is a week to take inventory of any goals that you may have put on a shelf, Taurus. Dust them off and create a plan of action because the time to pursue them is now.

GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21

Gemini, an ambitious week is on the horizon. Your professional house is booming, and you are ready to perhaps move your career to the next level.

CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22

This week will get off to a social start, Cancer. Expect friends to bring other friends along if you are hosting a party. This is an exciting opportunity to expand your network.

LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23

Leo, put all of your cards on the table and begin discussions with others who are influencers in your life. Only then can you come up with a strategy to get things done.

VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22

Make a point of being direct if you are upset, Virgo. Others need to know if they have stepped on your toes, even if it was accidental so they can make things right.

LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

Now is a key time to boost your bottom line, Libra. If you don't already have a job, it's time to get one. If you're employed, you may need to seek out new revenue streams.

SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22

Various ideas are swirling around in your head, Scorpio. You're not sure which ones you want to see the light of day just yet. Partner up on a trial project first.

SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

Sagittarius, if stress has been ruling your universe, it might be time to step back and re-evaluate your priorities. Find out which tasks you can shed from your daily list.

CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

Deep soul-searching and a sharing of hidden emotions might be on the docket this week, Capricorn. It is brave to own up to your feelings. You'll find support in friends.

AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18

A deep cleaning or decluttering is in order, Aquarius. Start with one room in the house and then work your way onward as time permits. Decluttering can be liberating.

PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

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### January 13 - Stitch Witches of Andes

Anyone interested in quilting, felting or any fabric project is welcome. 2 p.m.-4 p.m. Andes Public Library. Main Street, Andes NY. For more information call 845-676-3200.

### January 13 - Weekly Sporterifle Team Practice

Join the Oneonta Sporterifle Team today to practice weekly and compete in the NYS Sporterifle League (<https://sporterifle.com/>), or just come by and have fun! For more information, contact Walt and Peg Kunkler at 607-988-2667. 4 p.m.-6 p.m. Oneonta Sportsmen's Club. 251 Rod and Gun Club Rd, Oneonta NY.

### January 14 - Home School Meet Up

Come meet other home school families. Open rec., public computers, study space and a kitchen. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Pine Hill Community Center. 287 Main Street, Pine Hill NY. For more information call 845-254-5469.

### January 14 - Kids Club

For kids ages 5 and up who are interested in joining us for games, crafts, Minecraft, and more. New members are always welcome. This club meets in the Public Computing Center. 3 p.m.-5 p.m. Sidney Memorial Public Library. 8 River St., Sidney NY. For more information call 607-563-1200.

### January 14 - Knitting and Crocheting Group

All ages and skill levels welcome. Instruction available. 4 p.m.-5 p.m. William B. Ogden Library. 42 Gardiner Place, Walton NY. For more information call 607-865-5979.

### January 14 - Mahjong Group

Beginners welcome. 12 p.m.-3 p.m. William B. Ogden Library. 42 Gardiner Place, Walton NY. For more information call 607-865-5929.

### January 14 - Preschool Story Time

This is for the 3-5 year olds and an adult. We sing a few songs, read several books on a theme and then make a craft that relates to the theme. 10 a.m. Sidney Memorial Public Library. 8 River Street, Sidney NY. For more information call 607-563-1200.

### January 14 - Stamford-Harpersfield Senior Club

11 a.m. Hobart Community Center. Cornell Avenue, Hobart NY. For more information call 607-652-7619.

### January 14 - Toddler Rhyme Time

Stories, songs, and playtime for the tiniest tots and their caregivers. 10:30 a.m. Cannon Free Library. 40 Elm Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-2662.

### January 14 - Walton Emergency Food Bank

Other times call 607-865-4390. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Walton United Presbyterian Church. Corner of North & East Streets, Walton NY.

### January 14 - American Legion Post 216 in Margaretville

7 p.m. Middletown American Legion Post 216, 903 Main St., Margaretville NY. For more information call 845-586-3416.

### January 14 - Andes Town Board Meeting

The board meets the second Tuesday of each month, Dec. Jan. & Feb. @ 2 p.m. rest of the year at 7 p.m. Andes Town Hall. Route 28, Andes NY. For more information call 845-676-4791.

### January 14 - Bovina Senior Citizen Club

Meets for a dish-to-pass luncheon. For information call 607-832-4316. 12 p.m. Bovina Presbyterian Church. Maple Street, Bovina Center NY.

### January 14 - Delhi Rotary Club

We are a dedicated group of local men and women who enjoy fellowship and provide service to our community. Everyone is invited to attend. Meets second and fourth Tuesday at 6:15 p.m. Cross Roads Cafe. 80 Main Street, Delhi NY.

### January 14 - Grand Gorge Senior Social Club

1:30 p.m. Grand Gorge Civic Center. Route 30, Grand Gorge NY. For more information call 607-588-6617.

### January 14 - Habitat for Humanity of Delaware County Meeting

All are welcome. Help is needed to serve our Delaware County families with affordable housing opportunities. 6 p.m. Delaware County eCenter. 51/2 Main St., Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-9987.

### January 14 - Magic the Gathering

Imaginative cardplay. 3 p.m. Cannon Free Library. 40 Elm Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-2662.

### January 14 - Preschool Tablet Time

This program is for children ages 2-5. We'll have fun playing on our iPads and on educational websites for children. 11 a.m. Sidney Memorial Public Library. 8 River Street, Sidney NY. For more information call 607-563-1200.

### January 14 - Sidney Center Improvement Group

SCIG's meetings usually last an hour and topics related to events, beautification and water initiatives in the Hamlet of Sidney Center are discussed. If you have any questions, please email SCIGNY@gmail.com or please call 607-301-0479. 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Sidney Center Library. 10599 County Highway 23, Sidney Center NY.

### January 14 - The Greater Delhi Area Chamber of Commerce

Board of Directors meeting followed by the general meeting. 9:30 a.m. Delhi Telephone Company. 107 Main St., Delhi NY.

### January 14 - Young at Hearts

Social Group for Older Adults. 12:10 p.m. Mass, 1 p.m. luncheon. For information call 607-432-3920. St. Mary's Rectory. 39 Walnut St., Oneonta NY.

### January 15 - Sidney Historical Association Museum

The museum houses newspapers, genealogy section, military items, old yearbooks, Bendix/Amphenol history and much more. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sidney Town Hall. 44 Grand St., Sidney NY.

### January 15 - Thrift Shop

A place to shop for the whole family. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Margaretville Hospital Auxiliary Thrift Shop. 743 Main St., Margaretville NY. For more information call 845-586-3737.

### January 15 - Central Catskill Trail Association

Snowmobile club. Meetings are held at various locations. Check out their Facebook page for meeting place. 7 p.m. For more information call 845-676-4912.

### January 15 - Delaware County Town & Country Quilters

Business meeting, share quilting techniques, charity projects, workshops, show and tell. Please bring your lunch, coffee and tea provided. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. St. John's Episcopal Church. 134 Main Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-3733.

### January 16 - Baby Storytime

This story time is for babies 0-15 months and their caregiver. Join us for nursery rhymes, simple stories, songs, and more! 11 a.m. Sidney Memorial Public Library. 8 River Street, Sidney NY. For more information call 607-563-1200.

### January 16 - Catskill Mountain Railroad Club

Meets in the basement. All modelers are welcome to attend. The model train lay out is HO Gauge. New Members are welcome to join. For more information call Don at 845-254-5311. 7 p.m. Margaretville-New Kingston Presbyterian Church. 87 Orchard Street, Margaretville NY.

### January 16 - Collaborative Art Workshop at FORDO

Fun for all ages. 4:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. The Turning Point of Delaware County. 84 Main Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-3570.

### January 16 - Delhi Food Bank

Located downstairs. Not open on holidays. 3:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. United Ministry Church. 46 Church St., Delhi NY.

### January 16 - Game Day

Play games or put puzzles together. followed by a soup supper. 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. First United Methodist Church. 101 North St., Walton NY.

### January 16 - Mahjong Games

11 a.m.-3 p.m. Cannon Free Library. 40 Elm Street, Delhi NY. For more information call 607-746-2662.

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**An Australian Adventure Jan. 17**

Delaware-Otsego Audubon will host “An Australian Adventure: From Reef to Rainforest” January 17, 7:30 p.m. at the Elm Park United Methodist Church, 401 Chestnut St., Oneonta.

Australia...home of myriad marsupials, bizarre birds like the Cas-sowary, and bordered by the largest barrier reef on our planet. During this presentation, you will travel “down under” with Kathryn Davino as she shares photos and videos of land and sea creatures she encountered in this fascinating and magi-cal country.

Kathryn and her hus-band Al spent 3 weeks traveling about the east coast of Australia during January and February of 2018. Her talk will pri-marily focus upon their experiences on Heron Island and at Lam-ington National Park. Heron Island is a small island located 45 miles from the mainland on the southern end of the Great Barrier Reef. It is a temporary home to an estimated 200,000 nest-ing sea birds, and is a significant nesting loca-tion for two threatened sea turtle species, the Green and Loggerhead turtles. The surrounding waters are teeming with fish and coral – a snor-keler’s paradise.

Beautiful Lamington National Park is a lush subtropical-temperate zone that shelters abun-dant and highly diverse plant and animal life, and is part of the Gond-wana Rainforests of Australia World Heri-tage Area. The Davinos encountered friendly Crimson Rosella par-rots, Satin Bowerbirds, and Red-necked Walla-bies in great abundance, to name a few species.

The program is Free and open to the pub-lic. Coffee and Refresh-

ments will be served.

Kathryn Davino is a retired High School Biology Teacher from Delaware Academy in Delhi. She is an enthu-siastic birder, gardener, and watcher of wildlife. She has served on the DOAS Board of Direc-tors since 2016.

**Diamond Jubilee Desserts and Diaries at DCHA**

Visit the Delaware County Historical As-sociation (DCHA) on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 18 for an afternoon of sundry and delectable delights. At 2 p.m. mem-bers of the museum staff will begin reading from a variety of historic diaries and narratives – all drawn from the muse-um’s collections. While guests relax and listen to the readings, enjoy an array of sumptuous des-erts. Tea and coffee will also be served.

Excerpts that will be presented include those from the diaries of James Dezell (Franklin/Treadwell), Miles Heine (Meredith), Katherine Scudder (Halcottsville) and Maude Sturgess (Hobart). Additional journals, newspaper articles and letters will introduce audience members to the lives of Caroline Van Der werken (Sidney) and John and Mary Sher-wood (Delhi).

2020 marks DCHA’s 75th Anniversary – our “Diamond Jubilee.” To celebrate this aus-picious occasion, we will also read excerpts from diaries, letters, etc. that shine the light on DCHA’s history.

This event is not rec-ommended for those embarking on a New Year’s weight loss regi-men! However, it is rec-ommended for those looking to spend an afternoon having fun while learning more about our ancestors who once lived in Dela-ware County. To enjoy this delectable and – dare we say it, decadent – afternoon, please re-serve your space by Jan. 17. Cost: \$10 per person.

Call DCHA at 607-746-3849 or e-mail dcha@delhi.net to reserve or for more information.

**State Waterfowl Count Scheduled for Jan. 19**

The NY State Orni-thological Association’s annual statewide wa-terfowl count is sched-uled for Sunday, Jan. 19. DOAS covers Otsego Lake and the Susque-hanna River above

Unadilla, the Unadilla River, and Cannons-ville Reservoir and the W. Branch of the Dela-ware River. This effort involves surveying wa-terways where they can be seen, and identifi-ing and counting ducks and geese. The totals are used by the Department of Environmental Con-servation in managing these species over the upcoming year.

Anyone interested in helping with the census, contact Andy Mason, 607-652-2162, AndyMa-son@earthling.net.

**Upcoming Events at Franklin Free Library**

Wendy, Xina, and the Franklin Free Library Board wishes everyone a Happy New Year and will offer the following at the library, 334 Main St., Franklin.

Mondays beginning Jan. 13 - Winter Days Stories & Crafts at 11 a.m. Come to the library with your child and cel-ebrate winter. Children of all ages are welcome.

Thursday, Jan. 16, at 7 p.m. “Arthur Austin a Photographic Tour of Franklin” - Tim Du-erden, director of the Delaware County His-torical Association will present a picture tour of long ago Franklin.

Visit www.franklin-freeibrary.org for dates and times of ongoing programs - including Game Night, French Conversation and Book Club.

**Rep. Antonio Delgado Announces January Mobile Office Hours**

Each month, the of-fice of U.S. Representa-tive Antonio Delgado (NY-19) hosts mobile office hours where con-stituents can meet with the Congressman’s staff and receive assistance with constituent ser-vices. This can include any type of support with federal services, from help with federal grant applications, to assis-tance with Social Se-curity and VA benefits. Last year, Rep. Delgado’s office held mobile office hours at locations in all eleven counties of New York’s 19th Congressio-nal District.

“I’m committed to serving everyone in our district with account-

ability, transparency, and accessibility. A criti-cal aspect of that work is bringing the services of my office closer to you. To that end, during my first year in office we opened five district of-fices, held 33 town halls, and created in-district advisory committees focused on the priori-ties important to NY-19 including Health Care, Veterans, Small Busi-ness, and Agriculture,” said Delgado. “Mobile office hours are a critical part of our work — al-lowing my office to meet folks where they are and bring important infor-mation and services di-rectly to the communi-ties I represent. There are a number of ways my office can help cut through red tape and resolve issues tied up in federal agencies. Last year, we enjoyed meet-ing new folks at mobile office hours and hear-ing about the issues im-portant to communities across our district. We are looking forward to meeting more folks in 2020 — I hope you’re able to come by!”

January Mobile Of-fice Hours  
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2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Church Safety Presentation Offered by Delhi Police Department**

On Jan. 22 at 6 p.m., the Delhi Police De-partment will present a two-hour program on active attack/shooter incidents and plans for church safety and secu-rity. The program will be held at the First Presby-terian Church, 4 Clinton St., Delhi. There is no charge to attend.

The facilitators for this presentation are certi-fied NYS police instruc-tors, specializing in Ac-tive Shooter Response protocol for civilians. The Delhi Police De-partment offers this free service to any re-ligious organization in the area in order to ad-dress their security and safety concerns.

For further infor-mation, contact the Del-hi P.D., 9 Court Street, Delhi, NY, 607-434-6101, or delhipd519@delhitel.net.

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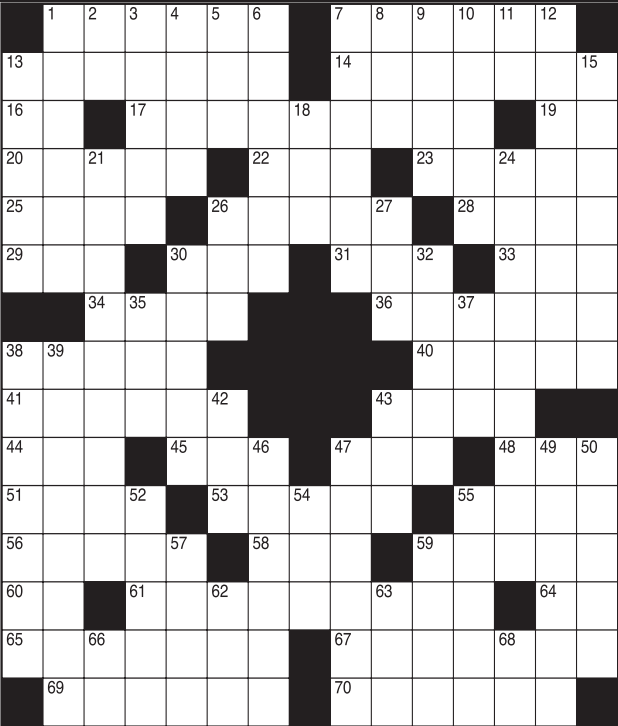
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  - Rest with legs bent
  - Type of flour
  - The Golden State (abbr.)
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  - The use of irony to mock
  - Arsenals
  - Pouch
  - 22nd letter of the Greek alphabet
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