



**Town
of
DeWitt
2016
Fall Newsletter**





Fall Highlights!

3rd Annual

Election Day Pasta Dinner



To Benefit

FM-JD Area Meals on Wheels

Tuesday November 8th, 2016

12PM-7PM

DeWitt Community Church

Eat-In or Take-out

Enjoy a traditional spaghetti supper with all the trimmings

Spaghetti, Meatballs, Salad, Bread, Dessert and Beverage

Adults \$8, Seniors \$6, Children 8 and under \$4



Raffle also being held for a cart filled with groceries!



9/11 Commemoration

Please join us in honoring the memory of all those who lost their lives in the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

*9/11
Fifteenth Anniversary
Remembrance Ceremony*

*Sunday, Sept. 11, 2016
2-3p.m..*

*DeWitt Town Hall
5400 Butternut Drive
East Syracuse*

The ceremony will take place at the 9/11 memorial, followed by refreshments in DeWitt Town Hall.

All are Welcome.

Flu Shots

Stay healthy this cold and flu season by getting your flu or pneumonia shot. Please bring your medical, Medicare, or Medicaid insurance card.

September 26, 10:30am
DeWitt Community Church
(3600 Erie Blvd East)

September 30, 8:00-10:00am -
DeWitt Town Hall, Mtg Room B
(5400 Butternut Drive)

October 4, 10:00am
DeWitt Community Room
(148 Sanders Creek Parkway)

Note: There may be a fee if your insurance is not participating.



The Town of DeWitt is preparing a policy to allow community groups and businesses to advertise in our Town Brochures.



facebook.com/TownofDeWittNY



From the Supervisor:

The Town of DeWitt established a GIS Program through Onondaga County at a savings of \$5,000 per year. The GIS Program allows the Town

map utilities such as sewer, water, and street lights which increases efficiency and allows faster response time.

The Town’s insurance was sent out to bid and awarded to Haylor, Freyer & Coon which lowered costs by \$98,000.

We have implemented a Town Wide Emergency Management Plan working with Onondaga County Emergency Management. This updated document allows for better coordination and preparation between the Town and local and federal agencies during emergencies, such as the flooding we have already experienced in the Town.

The DeWitt Carrier Park had a successful grand opening of Phase 1 in May 2016. The event kicked off with a Syracuse Challenger Baseball Game. Phase 1 included two baseball fields, the gateway building, and site renovations. The concession stand is open daily. Please visit the park located off of Kinne St. to support our Field of Dreams!

The Town has secured land off of North Street that will become part of Fiddlers Green Park. This will also create additional parking for those using the park. Feature plans include a walking bridge across Butternut Creek allowing access to the park.

Trail development along the Butternut feeder, in front of the Excellus building, has begun. This is the first step towards providing trail connectivity from Jamesville to the Canal towpath.

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Town of DeWitt Parks

Reserve a park for 2017, starting October 3rd !
Go to www.townofdewitt.com/facilities
for rental forms and agreements.



MAXWELL PARK

is a 105-acre park located at 6560 Badgley Rd. in East Syracuse.

FEATURES: 3 pavilions, restrooms, playground, 2 lighted softball fields, 1 lighted football / soccer / lacrosse field, archery targets and horseshoe courts. Two of the pavilions can be rented for group events. Reservations available from April-October 1, weather permitting. Stop in or call the Recreation Office to check availability.



THE JAMESVILLE TRAIN STATION

is a historical building located in the Jamesville Town Square on E. Seneca Turnpike in Jamesville. It is maintained by the DeWitt Parks Department. **FEATURES:** folding chairs, tables, bathrooms, air conditioning, a small kitchenette, hardwood floors, and is handicap accessible.

Rental of this facility is by the hour. Residents of DeWitt pay \$10 for the 1st hour then \$5 hr. Non-Residents pay \$15 for the 1st hour then \$10 hr. A \$30 refundable security deposit is required at time of registration. Contact the DeWitt Recreation Department at 446-9250 x 9 for additional information.



Temporarily not being rented while bathrooms are under construction.

CEDAR BAY PARK Located on Cedar Bay Road between Kinne Rd. and N. Burdick St. **FEATURES:** Towpath access, fishing, restrooms, grills and 2 picnic shelters. The larger shelter can be rented for group events. Reservations available from April-November 1, weather permitting. Stop in or call the Recreation Office to check availability.



RYDER PARK

~Galster Pavilion~

is a 12-acre park located next to the DeWitt Town Hall on Butternut Drive.

FEATURES: Pavilion with restrooms, large charcoal grill. Exercise trail, canoe launch into Butternut Creek, fishing pond, picnic areas with grills, NEW (fall '15) playground with tot swings and a rain garden. The pavilion accommodates up to 80 people.

Reservations available from April-November 1, weather permitting. Stop in or call the Recreation Office to check availability.



WILLIS CARRIER RECREATION CENTER

is a 22-acre park located next to the Carrier Campus at the end of Roby Ave.

FEATURES: Pavilion with restrooms, accommodates up to 80 people. playground, tennis courts, grills, picnic area. Reservations available from April-November 1, weather permitting. Stop in or call the Recreation Office to check availability.

FROM THE ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

The Assessor's Office is preparing for "**exemption time.**" All exemption renewal forms will be mailed by the first week of January. These forms must be completed and returned to our office by March 1st at the latest. Any exemption form submitted after March 1st will be rejected; the exemption will not be granted until the following year. If you are filing for a senior citizen exemption, we will need a signed copy of your 2016 Federal Tax Return when you have it completed. If you do not file a tax return, we will need all income statements you receive for the 2016 year. Although we cannot process your application without your income, we will wait a bit for that but **MUST** have your application completed, **signed** and returned to our office by March 1st. Please contact our office if you have any questions when you receive your renewal.

The STAR exemption process has been changed by the state for New Home Owners Only. If you purchased your home after March 1st 2015, you will no longer apply for the Basic STAR exemption at our office, you will need to apply through the state.

You can apply online at www.tax.ny.gov or call at 518-457-2036.

SUPERVISOR'S GREEN INITIATIVES

PLANNING NEWS AND NOTES

The Department of Planning and Zoning has been engaged in a number of planning projects over the course of 2016, with the goal of improving the overall quality of life for Town residents as well as businesses. Here is a quick snapshot of current projects:

● DEWITT LOCAL WATERFRONT REVITALIZATION PROGRAM

The Town of DeWitt was awarded \$124,000 in funding through the New York State Department of State (DOS) Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) in 2015. The Town was considered eligible for this program due to the presence of the Old Erie Canal State Historic Park, remnants of the canal corridor (e.g. along Towpath Road), and the Orville feeder canal which is served by Jamesville Reservoir via Butternut Creek (the reservoir and feeder canal were constructed in order to assist with the maintenance of water levels in the middle division of the historic canal system during dry seasons). The funding award enables the Town to develop a Local Waterfront Revitalization Plan that will identify priority projects for the revitalization of Erie Canal related infrastructure within the Town, assist with the development of the Town's recreational trail system, assist with the improvement of stormwater and water quality controls and protections, and provide a sound basis for future land use decisions that are supportive of the development of these corridors.

As part of the LWRP effort the Town developed a partnership with the City of Syracuse to launch Elevating Erie, starting with an ideas competition to identify innovative ideas that will help to stimulate and guide the future development of the historical Canalway corridor connecting DeWitt to the City of Syracuse.

Through the ideas competition nearly 70 ideas were received from designers in 16 different countries, all of the submissions can be viewed at the project website www.elevatingerie.com.



An online survey was utilized from early May through the beginning of August to solicit feedback on future priorities for the development of the corridor. We will be working over the next month or so to compile a report of the results from the over 1200 participants in the survey. Survey results will be utilized to guide future designs for the corridor. For more information and to stay connected to Elevating Erie, visit www.elevatingerie.com and sign up for e-news.

● MOVING DEWITT

The Town of DeWitt is working on the development of a pedestrian and bicycle plan. The process began in January of 2015 with a series of 10 public forums to gather information from the public about ways to make the Town of DeWitt more pedestrian and bicycle friendly. The forums introduced participants to background elements and guiding documents followed by an interactive discussion utilizing maps and other visual aids. The forums were a first step toward developing broad public support for future improvements to the Town's bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure.

In the Fall of 2015, a survey was administered to help to inform decisions that are made regarding bicycle and pedestrian improvements in the Town of DeWitt. An 8-page bicycle and pedestrian survey was mailed to 1,253 randomly selected households in the Town of DeWitt from a list of single-family properties within the Town. In total 486 completed surveys were received (39%). 430 were returned by mail and 56 were completed online. Of the returned surveys, 93 (7%) indicated that respondents declined to participate, 13 (1%) could not be used because respondents did not qualify for the study (they did not live in the Town of DeWitt), 97 (8%) were returned with a large amount of missing data. Out of the surveys with missing data, 91 included a completed pedestrian section but respondents did not complete the bicycling section. This resulted in a total of 283 surveys used in the bicycling analysis (23% response rate), and 374 surveys used in the pedestrian analysis (30% response rate). The number of responses used in the pedestrian analysis was closer to the recommended sample size for the study population. The study measured agreement with several factors such as satisfaction with infrastructure and connectivity in the Town as well as intentions to walk or bicycle more frequently if improvements were made. The results of the study found that homeowners strongly support both bicycle and pedestrian improvements and believe these improvements would be valuable for the Town. Support for pedestrian improvements was higher than support for bicycling improvements. Intentions to walk and/or jog if improvements were made were also higher for pedestrian infrastructure as compared to bicycling infrastructure. For more information on the results of the survey and future progress on Moving DeWitt visit: www.movingdewitt.com.

CENTRAL DEWITT BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN MOBILITY PLAN

As part of the 2016-2017 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP), the Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council (SMTC) has agreed to complete the *Central DeWitt Bicycle and Pedestrian Mobility Plan* (Mobility Plan) for the Town of DeWitt. The Mobility Plan will serve as a planning-level study that identifies opportunities to add or improve bicycle and pedestrian facilities along town-identified routes between residential neighborhoods and the Old Erie Canal State Historical Park. This effort builds off of the work done to date from the (ongoing) *Moving DeWitt* initiative spearheaded by the Town of DeWitt. The *Moving DeWitt* process has gathered information regarding resident interest in bicycle and pedestrian facility improvements. As a result, the town has identified several corridors (owned by the New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT), the Onondaga County Department of Transportation (OCDOT), and the Town of DeWitt) to enhance with new or improved bicycle and pedestrian facilities. This planning effort began in the summer of 2016 and will take approximately one year to complete.



Onondaga County
Department of Transportation

● **JAMESVILLE HAMLET MASTER PLAN**

The Town of DeWitt is participating in the Vision CNY Regional Partnership for Comprehensive Planning Project of the Central New York Regional Planning & Development Board (CNY RPDB) to develop a Master Plan for the future of the Jamesville Hamlet. An advisory committee was established to help to guide this effort. This project is supported in part by funds from the Town of DeWitt and funding from the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority's (NYSERDA) Cleaner, Greener Communities program. The project is also receiving assistance from the Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council to help to analyze traffic patterns in the Hamlet and make recommendations for improvements to vehicular safety as well as pedestrian and bicycle safety. The Town is planning to host a meeting in late Fall to review the progress of the Master Planning effort and to present some ideas for improvements to the Hamlet.

● **TOWN WAYFINDING SIGNS**

The Town has been working on the design of a new wayfinding sign program. The first example of these signs can be seen along Maple Drive and Woodchuck Hill Road directing drivers to Jamesville-DeWitt High School. These signs have been implemented with support of a gift from the J-D High School class of 1965 – we thank them for their generosity!



Supervisor's Green Initiatives/Sustainability

For additional information or to share your stories and views contact Christine at 315.446.3910 ext 137 or cmanchester@townofdeitt.com

● DEWITT DEER TASK FORCE

According to the Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) white-tailed deer are one of the most valued and recognizable wildlife species in New York. They are large well-known herbivores with a broad geographic range and extremely adaptable to living in suburban landscapes. Most people enjoy knowing they are around, watching them, photographing, hunting, and/or studying their behaviors.

However, there are also challenges associated with deer. Growing deer herds are moving into suburban landscapes and humans are continuing to develop rural areas. Conflicts arise as both humans and deer populations expand.

Landscape plants, gardens, crops, and important vegetation aiding in stormwater management are continually eaten; natural ecosystems are compromised and other species are displaced; personal health concerns arise; and quality of life for both deer and humans is affected.

In January 2016 in response to residential concern, the Town Board tasked the DeWitt Advisory Conservation Commission (DACC) with researching the many complexities of deer management and subsequently making management recommendations.

These recommendations will become the framework for an adaptive and comprehensive urban deer management plan.

Two members of DACC and several other community members joined to form a citizen task force as a subcommittee to DACC. The Task Force is led by a professional facilitator from Cornell Cooperative Extension.

Members represent various interest groups throughout the community to reduce biases and promote holistic planning.

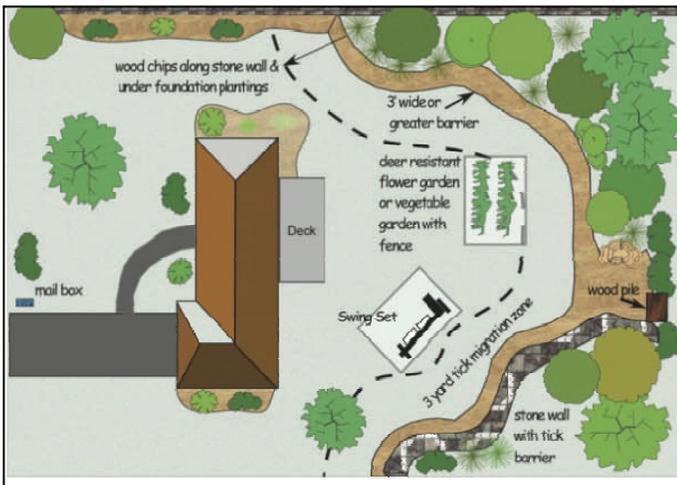
The Task Force is responsible for understanding deer biology, behaviors, and impacts; establishing, and revising goals and objectives as part of an adaptive management program; exploring management options; selecting biologically feasible and socially acceptable management techniques; communicating findings/conclusions to the community; and educating, engaging, and soliciting feedback from the public, officials, and media.

To date, the Task Force has met with researchers from universities, officials from the Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC), and area land managers. Future plans include the development of a survey to better gauge community attitudes, holding public forums to gather information, and disseminating information as part of an education and outreach campaign.

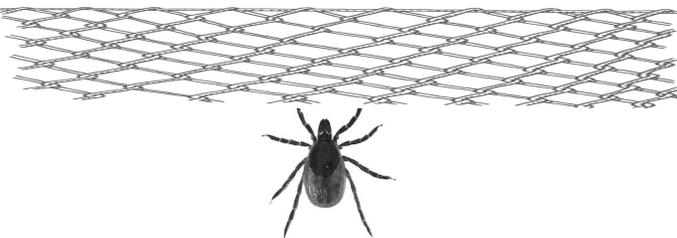




CREATE A TICK-SAFE ZONE



- Remove Japanese Barberry from your landscape! Strong scientific evidence suggests a significant link between this invasive shrub, ticks, and white-footed mice.
- Remove food source from mice chipmunks, and shrews.
- Keep leaf litter confined to a compost pile.
- Keep the area directly around your home mowed.
- Place a 3' wide barrier of wood chips or gravel between lawns and wooded areas.
- Stack wood neatly and in a dry area to discourage rodents.
- Keep your yard neat—remove old furniture, mattresses, or trash from yard.
- Set traps for mice—avoid poisons as they harm owls and other birds of prey.



TRAIL COUNT

In partnership with Parks and Trails New York (PTNY) the Town conducted a trail count at Cedar Bay Park on the old Erie Canal. Volunteers and interns counted nearly 1400 people over 8 days for a total of 16 hours. PTNY estimates daily, monthly, and yearly users by following the protocol established by the National Bicycle and Pedestrian Documentation Project (NBPD). PTNY and other agencies use this information to help allocate funding for the trail, encourage local involvement, and provide a base from which to evaluate the impact of the trail on local communities. Stay tuned for this year's results.

TOUR THE TOWPATH & TUESDAYS ON THE TOWPATH

The Town of DeWitt partnered with Madison County Planning, the Village of Canastota, and the City of Rome to offer the 2nd Annual Tour the Towpath recreational cycle event. A total of 51 riders—ages 3 to 65—plus two mechanics from Syracuse Bicycle cycled the old Erie Canal from DeWitt to Rome. Canastota hosted an overnight with lots of fun activities. Upon arriving in Rome, cyclists got to partake in Rome's Annual Canal Day celebration and had the option to cruise the Barge Canal in a tour boat hosted by Erie Canal Cruises. This ride is an excellent opportunity to explore and learn at your own pace, but with the support of a group. Look for details in early spring regarding the 2017 ride!

Tuesdays on the Towpath is an award winning recreational bike ride series organized by Chittenango Landing Canal Boat Museum featuring different areas of the old Erie Canal in Central New York.

DeWitt hosted the 5th ride in the series with roughly 20 participants.

We explored the remnants of the canal along Towpath Road, the Orville Feeder, the construction project on North Burdick Street, and the trail leading to Wegmans. The ride concluded with dinner at a local restaurant. There is still one more ride in the series, mark your calendars for **Tuesday, 9/13 @ 5:30pm** for **Tuesday on the Towpath Ride Through Syracuse!** a special ride with visitors attending the "Complete Streets" conference in Syracuse. Get an intimate cyclists view of the city and mingle with conference attendees.

Meet at **5:30 at the Crowne Plaza hotel** in Syracuse. Riders from Mello Velo Bike Shop will lead us through Syracuse on this group adventure. If you have not seen Syracuse by bike, you don't know what you are missing--this is a truly great ride! 7:15pm sunset should coincide with the end of the ride. Event is **FREE**. Helmets required.

TREE PLANTING EFFORTS CONTINUE INTO THE FALL

Trees increase property values, provide needed shade, act as a wind screen, help keep your home cool, provide habitat for birds and other wildlife, and are simply awesome! Just like every living being, trees require routine care and pruning to maintain maximum health.

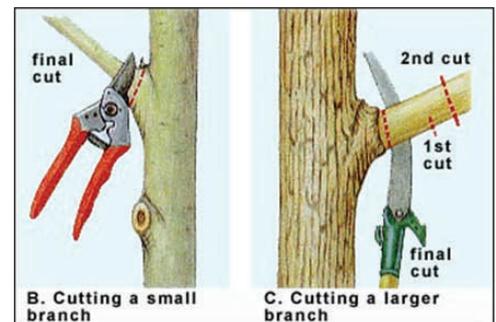
We are currently taking requests from homeowners for trees to be planted at your address within the Town Right of Way. Contact us today to reserve a tree!

Pruning Basics for Beginners (for non-evergreen trees)

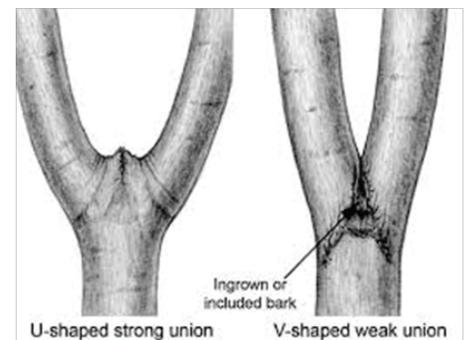
Pruning trees is key to improving form and structure as it ages, but it's also an art.

1. Get sharp bypass pruning shears. Avoid the anvil type as they tend to squish the branches at the cut;
2. Start with a tree that has been planted for about 2 years;
3. Stand back and observe the tree from top to bottom;
4. Look for things like living branches, dead branches, broken branches, crossing branches, form, and health;
5. Identify the tallest branch—dominant leader—in the center of the tree (if this branch is healthy-don't cut it. If it is dead, trim it back and identify the next tallest branch that will become the new dominant leader.)
6. Remove dead and broken branches. Refer to diagram below.

7. Where branches cross and rub against each other, remove one. Choose to keep the one that will give the tree the nicest shape and is best attached to the trunk. The more U-shaped and less V-shaped the better. (See picture right)



8. Remember this is an art. Step back and look at your work. Look at spacing between branches, overall shape, and structure.
9. Do not remove more than 25% of the living branches. Your tree will protest and send up a bunch of sucker growth.
10. You can come back in another year and do some more trimming.
11. Once you're comfortable with a small tree, you can begin to tackle larger trees. It's the same process but different tools. Refer to the Arbor Day Foundation for more information.



Food \$en\$e

A Program of the Food Bank of Central New York

No income requirements. No obligations. Just good food at low prices.
Why wait? Start saving money today!

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What is Food \$en\$e?

A: A Food Bank of CNY program that helps individuals and families stretch their food dollars.

Q: Who can participate?

A: Anyone! There are no qualifications. If you like saving money, this program is for you!

Q: How does it work?

A: Participants place orders before the deadline each month, then pick up their food on the designated pick up day.

Q: How and when do I pay?

A: Cash or food stamps are accepted at the time you place your order.

September Food Unit - All Items Included Order Deadline - Friday, September 16

- Chicken Breasts, 2.5 lbs.
- Meatballs, 1 lb.
- Swai Fillets, 1 lb.
- Italian Sausage, 1 lb.
- Veal Patties, 12 oz.
- Mozzarella Cheese, 8 oz.
- Cheese Ravioli, 13 oz.
- Rice w/Vegetables, 11 oz.
- Diced Tomatoes, 15 oz.
- Applesauce, 15 oz.
- Fresh Produce (TBA)
- Fresh Produce (TBA)



\$20.50

Individually priced specials are also available!
View the full menu at the Recreation Office or on our website: [townofdewitt.com/Food\\$en\\$e.aspx](http://townofdewitt.com/Foodene.aspx)



Attention Food \$en\$e Customers:

Effective September 1, 2016 the price for Food \$en\$e packages will increase to \$20.50

CUSTOMERS WILL RECEIVE:

- increased quality of food;
- increased variety in the package;
- more 'specials' options;
- introduction to the pantry box, produce box, and protein box as 'specials'.

The decision to increase the price after more than 20 years came with careful consideration following surveys and conversations with both Food \$en\$e coordinators and customers. We are confident that the new package will continue to provide an excellent value for your food-buying dollar, and that you'll be pleased with the wider assortment of items available. We sincerely appreciate your patronage of the Food \$en\$e program and your understanding about this change.

FALL SPECIAL EVENTS



7TH ANNUAL YOUTH FISHING DAY

Saturday, October 1st

8:30-11:30am

Ryder Park – Rain or Shine

Call (315) 446-9250 x 9 to Pre-Register

This **FREE**, non-competitive event is open to children ages 16 and under. All levels of fishing experience are welcome including first time fishers! Pre-registered children will receive a door prize and be entered in a raffle for additional prizes. Event takes place outdoors, rain or shine, and dressing for the weather is highly recommended. Refreshments will be provided. Limited space available. Check-in begins at 8:30am, fishing begins at 9:15am. **Pre-registration is preferred.** Walk-ins can register starting at 9:00am on a space available basis.

5TH ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, October 15, 10:00am-1:00pm

Ryder Park Pavilion/DeWitt Town Hall

Rain or Shine*

Admission: \$5/child



Pumpkin Painting, Caramel Apple Buffet, Craft Project, Fall Riddle Challenge, Face Painting, Prizes, Halloween Stories with the DeWitt Community Library and lots of family FUN!

Bring the whole family to help us celebrate the fall season with a day of awesome autumn activities! The kids will enjoy craft projects, pumpkin painting, fall riddle challenge, face painting, and caramel apple buffet throughout the day. Be sure to join us at 10:30am or 12:00pm for Halloween Stories with the DeWitt Community Library that will get the whole family into the spirit of the season. Make a quick stop or stay the whole day at our favorite fall tradition!

\$5 admission includes pumpkin painting, caramel apple buffet, craft project, riddle challenge, face painting, story time, and a prize. Additional caramel apple buffet tickets and other refreshments will be available for purchase.

***In the case of inclement weather, all activities will be moved into the DeWitt Town Hall.**

WINTER SPECIAL EVENT

26TH ANNUAL HOLIDAY LIGHTING FESTIVITIES

Friday, December 2, 6:30pm

Ryder Park Pavilion

FREE



Bring the whole family to celebrate the holidays at the 26th annual Holiday Lighting Festivities! Join us for an evening that includes entertainment, children’s craft project, lighting ceremony, refreshments and a surprise visitor. Share the holiday spirit by bringing a canned good or non-perishable food item to donate to the Food Bank of CNY. This is one holiday celebration you won’t want to miss!

Canned goods and non-perishable food items can also be dropped off at the Recreation Office during business hours from November 1 – December 2. Preferred items include canned tuna, canned beans/legumes, dried beans/legumes, peanut butter, dinner “mixes,” pasta-rice-grains, cereals, oatmeal, soups and stews, canned/dried fruits, and canned vegetables.



YOUTH ACTIVITIES

AFTER SCHOOL SPECIALS

Children may, on a weekly basis, participate in arts and crafts. Activities may be held outside as weather permits. Program is cancelled when school is closed. Pre-registration is required. LATE PICK-UP FEE: A 5-minute grace period is given for late pick-up, after which a \$10.00 fee is assessed regardless of reason for lateness. Late fees are to be paid in cash to the staff member waiting with your child.

Fee: \$5 Resident

Tecumseh: Mondays, September 26 – December 5 from 3:30-4:30pm

Moses-DeWitt: Tuesdays, October 4 – December 6 from 3:30-4:30pm

East Syracuse Elementary (Grades K-3):
Wednesdays, October 5 – December 7
from 2:30-3:30pm

After School Bowling (ESE grades 3-6):
Thursdays, October 6 – December 8 from
2:30-4:00pm - 2 games of bowling or until
4:00pm, whichever comes first. We will
walk to Bowl Mor Lanes from ESE. Par-
ents must pick up at the lanes. \$3.50 per
week (includes shoe rental)

CHRISTMAS BREAK SPECIAL

Recreational activities are planned for children during the Christmas break. Flyers will be distributed to the schools with program specifics or call the Recreation Office for details.

SATURDAY SWIM LESSONS

Saturday Swim Lessons will be offered in February. Registration will begin in late January. Look for more details in our winter brochure.

CHESS! CHESS! CHESS!

Join Jason Young for chess instruction for children ages 5 and up. Chess improves cognitive and analytical thinking and helps with problem solving skills. Also helps children in Mathematics and English. Instruction will include problem studies, tactics, strategy and fun! Try to beat the instructor during simultaneous exhibitions toward the end of each class!

Held Mondays, October 17 – November 28 (not 10/31) from 5:00-7:00pm at the DeWitt Town Hall Activity Room. Chess sets will be provided by the instructor.

Fee: \$100 Residents
\$105 All others

CHILDCARE AND BABYSITTING SAFETY

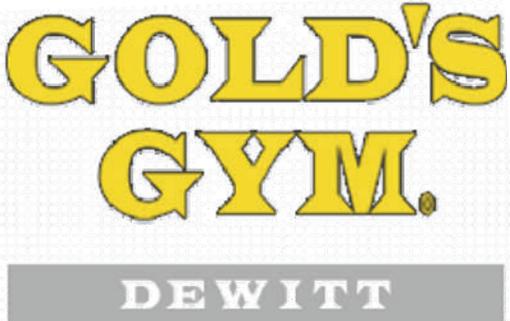
This program covers child safety and basic care techniques. Created especially for kids and teens ages 11 and up who are interested in becoming babysitters. This class does include CPR training. Taught by American Heart Association and American Safety and Health Institute certified instructors.

Held Tuesday, December 27 from 9:00am – 1:00pm at the DeWitt Town Hall Activity Room. Bring a snack or lunch.

Fee: \$50 Residents
\$55 All Others

YOUTH ACTIVITIES continued...

YOUTH TENNIS AT GOLD'S GYM



Young players will learn faster and love tennis more with the Red-Orange-Green Ball Pathways program offered at Gold's Gym DeWitt. Our main goal is to start young players effectively on their journey of learning to play tennis well, so they will continue to enjoy playing a sport of a lifetime! New sign-ups will receive a FREE tennis racquet.

Pee-Wee Little Tennis – Ages 4-5

Objective of this class is to have FUN! Players will develop basic motor skills through a variety of creative and age appropriate games. Children will work on eye-hand coordination and basic on court movements while using foam/red balls on a 36ft. court. Held Mondays, September 26 – October 31 OR Fridays, September 30 – November 4 from 3:15-4:00pm.

Fee: \$78 Residents

\$83 All others

Red Court Rookies – Ages 5-8

This class introduces the 10/under tennis system; including smaller racquets, lower compression red balls and 36 ft. scaled courts. The objective of this class is to have fun while learning the fundamentals of tennis strokes, point play games, work on eye-hand foot coordination, athleticism and court movement. Held Mondays, September 26 – October 31 OR Fridays, September 30 – November 4 from 4:00-5:00pm.

Fee: \$102 Residents

\$107 All others



Orange/Green Court Challengers - Ages 8-12

This class uses a larger 60 ft. court and low compression orange or green balls. Players will improve stroke fundamentals, including serve, footwork, shot consistency while having fun during drills and point play. Players in this level will receive one free pass to attend our Play Days, dates TBD. Held Wednesdays, September 28 – November 2 from 4:30-5:30pm OR Fridays, September 30 – November 4 from 5:00-6:30pm.

Fee: \$102/Wednesdays Residents

\$107 All others

\$153/Fridays Residents

\$158 All others



YOUTH ACTIVITIES continued...

LEARN-TO-SNOWBOARD CAMP

Learn how to hit the slopes with the latest craze, snowboarding! Four Seasons in Fayetteville will be offering a snowboard camp for youth 7 years and up. This camp includes three hours of lessons a day, lift ticket, equipment rental and lunch. The camp runs four days, December 27 - 30 from 10:00am – 2:00pm.

Fee: \$270 Residents
\$275 All others

LEARN-TO-SKI CAMP

Four Seasons in Fayetteville will offer downhill ski lessons for youth 7 years and up over the holiday vacation. This camp includes three hours of lessons a day, lift ticket, equipment rental and lunch. The camp runs four days, December 27 - 30 from 10:00am – 2:00pm.

Fee: \$250 Residents
\$255 All others



TOGGENBURG FRIDAY NIGHT SKI CLUB

Kids in grades 5 – 12 can participate in this program, which includes six weeks of chaperoned transportation, skiing, and lessons, January 6 – February 10. February 17 will be used as a make-up date if needed. Included in the package is a Toggenburg pass, which is good on Fridays for the entire season. For those renting equipment, the fee includes rentals on the six lesson nights only. Bus departs DeWitt Town Hall at 4:45 pm and returns between 10:00 - 10:15 pm. A school photo is required upon registration for ski pass. Registration must be completed in the Recreation Office – no mail-in registrations! Space is limited. Register early!

Fees: \$235 Pass, Bus
\$325 Pass, Bus, Ski/Board Rentals
\$100 Bus Transportation Only

LEARN TO ALPINE SKI OR SNOWBOARD

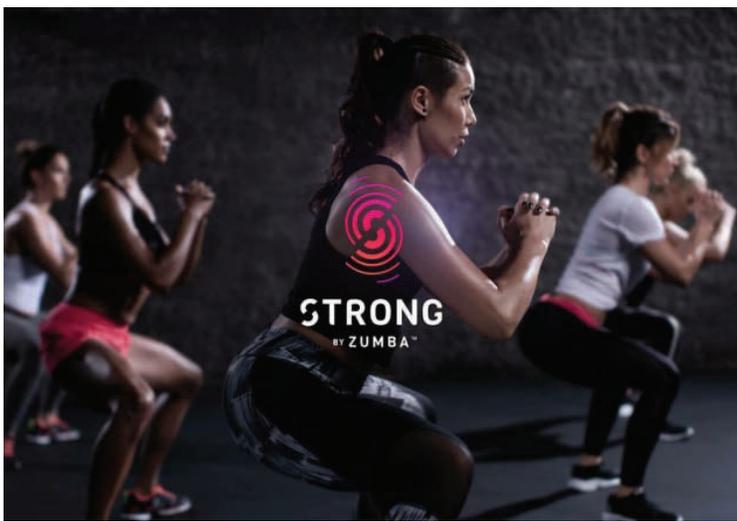
You're never too young or old to hit the slopes! Four Seasons will instruct six one-hour lessons for either downhill skiing or snowboarding for ages 6 and up. Fee includes a Season Pass lift ticket for day of lesson for remainder of season. Equipment rental is extra (\$15 ski/\$20 snowboard). Saturdays, January 7 – February 11 or Sundays, January 8 – February 12 at 10:00am, 11:30am, 1:00pm OR 2:15pm. *NEW- Ski with your kids pass: Parents ski with your son or daughter on their lesson day. Passes only. Good for the entire season.*

Fee: \$120 Residents
\$125 All others
\$90 Parent Pass Residents
\$95 All others

ADULT ACTIVITIES

STRONG by ZUMBA

Be among the very FIRST to try the next group fitness phenomenon, and Zumba's first new program in two years. STRONG by Zumba is a one hour class that combines HIIT, body weight exercises and strength conditioning lead by the music. This is NOT a dance-fitness program but like Zumba, the music is part of the foundation. The movements are synced with the music and the tempo will lead the intensity. Participants can expect an overall body transformation with improved muscular definition and high caloric burn. Held Tuesdays and Thursdays, September 27 – December 15 (not 11/24) from 6:45-7:45pm at Moses DeWitt Elementary School. A Yoga mat is needed for core work.



Fee: \$96 one class per wk Residents
\$101 All others

\$161 two classes per wk Residents
\$166 All others

YOGA-LATES

Whether you're experienced at yoga or pilates or have always wanted to try one or the other, this is your opportunity to experience yoga-lates. Pilates trains your core muscles (abdominal and back) and stretches your spine, while yoga improves flexibility, balance and breathing. By fusing these two techniques together you have a challenging workout that is adaptable to all levels of abilities. Held Mondays, September 26 – December 12 (not 10/3, 10/10) from 6:00-7:00pm at Tecumseh Elementary School. A floor mat is needed.

Fee: \$80 Residents
\$85 All others

T-N-T (Tight-n-Tone)

Get your body in the best shape ever! We will concentrate on the thighs, hips, stomach and buttocks by using the most effective movements and we will also target the upper body arms, chest and back using hand-held weights. We know how precious time is so we have put it all into a 40-minute, 12-week program at a very reasonable rate. Every fitness level is welcome and there will be no complicated movements or choreography to worry about. Please bring an exercise mat and a set of hand-held weights (5-10lbs). Held Tuesdays and Thursdays, September 27 – December 15 (not 11/24) from 6:00-6:40pm at Moses DeWitt Elementary.

Fee: \$84 one class per wk Residents
\$89 All others

\$127 two classes per wk Residents
\$132 All others

ADULT ACTIVITIES continued...

AMERICAN SOCIAL DANCE – 101

(Swing Dance Fundamentals with Lynn
Miller & Company)

Authentic, traditional swing dance – Savoy Style, Lindy Hop and Jitterbug. Utilizing traditional swing music genres from the 30's, 40's, 50's and 60's, our emphasis is on musicality, hearing and following the music and connecting to your partner through the music. Classes are tailored to individual dancer's natural abilities toward the goal of helping you find your own "inner dancer". 5:30pm in the Jamesville DeWitt High School Cafeteria.

Session I: September 20 – October 25.

Session II: November 8 – December 13.

Pre-registration is required in the Recreation Office.

Fee: \$50 Residents
\$55 All others

OPEN VOLLEYBALL

Attention volleyball players! Come and test your skills with the Town of DeWitt Parks & Recreation Volleyball Program. This adult volleyball program is for experienced, intermediate players. We offer competitive volleyball in a friendly atmosphere. Held at the JDMS gym on Fridays, September 30 – June 9, 2017 (not 11/11, 11/25, 12/30, 2/24, 3/24, 4/14, 4/21) from 7:00 – 10:00pm.

Fee: \$75 Residents
\$80 All others

CARDIO TENNIS

Cardio Tennis is a fun, high energy fitness activity that combines the best features of the sport of tennis with a cardiovascular workout similar to interval training. It involves tennis drills and games combined with TRX training, bodyweight work, strength building moves and agility work. It delivers the ultimate full body, calorie-burning aerobic workout! One goal of Cardio Tennis is to maintain a heart rate of 70-90% maximum through the entire workout. This helps burn fat, improves aerobic fitness and increases your maximum performance capacity; all while improving your tennis game and having tons of fun! Held Tuesdays, September 27 – November 22 (not 10/18) from 12 Noon-1:00pm at Drumlins Tennis Club.

Fee: \$160 Residents
\$165 All others

CHEMISTRY AND MCAT TUTORING

Join Larry Carp for one hour of tutoring for your university or college chemistry class or for the chemistry part of the MCAT exam. Larry Carp is a New York State Permanently Certified Teacher and former University Professor. He has taught Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Engineering and MCAT Preparation.

Held Tuesday, October 11 **OR** October 25 from 7:00-8:00pm at the DeWitt Town Hall. Must be over 18 to enroll. Limit of 2 students per class.

Fee: \$60 per class Resident
\$65 All others

PHYSICS AND MCAT TUTORING

Join Larry Carp, Tuesday, October 18 **OR** November 8 from 7:00-8:00pm at the DeWitt Town Hall. Must be over 18 to enroll. Limit of 2 students per class.

Fee: \$60 per class Resident
\$65 All others

ADULT ACTIVITIES continued...

THE INNER UNIVERSE: A SCIENTIFIC VIEWPOINT

Have you lived before? Will you live again? Do you want to live this life with greater power, love and peace?

This class is based upon empowerment and respect. Topics will include the positive aspects of intuition, probable selves, dreams, consciousness, alternate realities, and reincarnation. Discussion will include The Inner Universe and A New School of Thought about Reality and how this New School of Thought and their positive implications for your life will also be discussed. This class is designed for those who are sincerely interested in bettering their interactions with other people and the world at large, and believe in the possibility of a better world by only peaceful actions, peaceful and respectful speech. Join Larry Carp, Tuesdays, September 27 and October 4 from 6:30-8:00pm at the DeWitt Town Hall.

Must be 18 years of age.

Fee: \$30 Residents
\$35 All others

THE FIRST TEE OF BUTTERNUT CREEK GOLF

The Beginner Golf Program with a PGA Pro is designed to introduce the new golfer to the fun of golf by providing the fundamental skills and knowledge needed to play the game. Whether playing for business or recreation, you'll develop confidence in your abilities, and gain an understanding of golf short game and full swing. Our instructors are motivating and enthusiastic, and will help you develop a repeatable golf swing. This four-session class features fun, relaxed introduction to golf, learn the fundamentals that create the foundation of the game, putting, chipping and full swing with irons and woods, video instruction, proper setup and swing mechanics and rules, etiquette, and terminology. Held Tuesdays, September 27 – October 18 at The First Tee of Butternut Creek driving range. (Rain date: October 25). Choose 5:00 OR 6:00 class time. Maximum 10 students.

Fee: \$120 Residents
\$125 All others

INTRODUCTION TO MEDITATION

Learn the basics of Mindful Meditation to manage your stress, deal with your hectic lifestyle, and improve your health. Meditation has been called the #1 Health Booster in 2016! Join Pam Steele, trained in Transcendental Meditation, who has been meditating and teaching for more than 20 years. This class is an introduction to the process and practice of Mindful Meditation (based on the breath) for 10-15 minutes, followed by an open group discussion. There is no physical exercise, yoga, or religion involved in this meditation practice. Dress comfortably in casual clothes, and chairs will be provided. Two sessions will be held at the DeWitt Town Hall Activity Room. **Session I:** Saturdays, October 1 – 22 from 10:00-10:30am. **Session II:** Tuesdays and Thursdays, October 18 – 27 from 6:30-7:00pm.

Fee: \$60 Residents
\$65 All others

wrapping up ADULT ACTIVITIES

EASIER HOME MAINTENANCE

Join Diane Bostick, General Manager, His and Hers Fix Its of CNY for this series on home maintenance. All workshops will be held on **Tuesdays from 6:30-8:15pm** at the DeWitt Town Hall Activity Room. You may choose from individual workshops or the entire series.

Easy Plumbing Fixes – September 20th

Is your bathroom driving you crazy with its dripping faucet and running toilet, but you're afraid of what a plumber might charge you? This workshop offers hands on tutorials for changing flappers, handles and seals, as well as checking inside your shower kit. Learn the sights and sounds associated with different plumbing problems and less frustrating solutions for getting to the next step.

Home Weatherizing – September 27th

This workshop illustrates inexpensive solutions to drafty windows and doors, with hands on practice with caulking guns, insulation and other sealants. Learn the best products for use in sealing around various sinks, countertops and tubs. Discussions will include methods of controlling basement moisture, detecting mold and finding drafts in all areas of the home.

Healthy Home, Healthy Body – October 4th

If you can imagine that your home has various "parts" similar to the human body, you might come to have more control of its function. From indoor air quality (the breathing) of the home, to structural soundness of the foundation and roof (the bones), this workshop will show how personal health is affected by the interior environment that surrounds you. Suggestions and guidelines for creating an easy to follow fall "green clean" task list with natural cleaning product alternatives and the positive impact of colors and more will be discussed, with handouts given.

Set Up a Home Maintenance Plan – October 11th

This workshop will get you started on how to think ahead about maintaining and building the equity in your home, while setting up doable projects with definite timelines and deadlines. Learn the formulas for determining how to set your budget for your home maintenance and repairs. Determine exactly how much time you can personally spend on maintenance and who your helpers are, and how to separate upgrades from critical repairs. 10 top curb appeal projects for selling will also be discussed and hand-outs/lists to help start your maintenance will be included.

Fee:	\$18 per workshop Residents	\$23 All others
	\$65 entire series Residents	\$70 All others

SENIOR CENTERS

DeWitt Community Church Senior Center and Art Classes

(3600 Erie Blvd East, DeWitt)

Open Mondays,

September 12 - May 15, 2017

9:00am-4:00pm

Nina Haley, Director

Annual Membership Fee:

\$25 Residents or Church Members

\$30 All Others

The DeWitt Community Church center offers a variety of art classes for a range of skill levels (see list below). Each week local off-site locations deliver low cost lunches. A \$3.75 donation is requested for lunch, and a reservation is required one week in advance. There is a \$.75 coffee fund donation requested per week. Hypertension Screening is available monthly.

Closed: Columbus Day, Christmas Week, New Years Week, Martin Luther King Day and Presidents Day – Center is also closed when the Jamesville-DeWitt district has a snow day.

There is a \$15/year fee for all instructed classes unless noted otherwise.

Morning Classes: 9:00-11:30am

Chinese Brush Painting –

Instructed, Min 10 (Fall Only)

Drawing Class –

Instructed, Max 20

Beginner Mixed Media Collage –

Instructed, Max 15

Non-Instructional Workshop for

Multi Media

Non-Instructional Open Painting Workshop

Afternoon Classes: 1:00-4:00pm

Watercolor Techniques - Instructed

Basic Watercolor Theory - Instructed

Greek Cooking Classes – \$10 – Instructed

Non-Instructional Open Needle Work
Workshop

Jamesville Young-at-Heart Center

Jamesville Fire Station

(Rt. 173, – across from Jamesville Correctional Facility)

Open Tuesdays: 9:00am-2:00pm

& Wednesdays: 9:00am-12:00pm

Corinne Brown, Director

Beverly Elliott, Ceramics Instructor

On Tuesdays enjoy Pre-Poured Ceramics with Beverly Elliott, where you can choose from over 3,000 molds and make beautiful gifts for family and friends. Seminars are held on different techniques. Paint or socialize! The last Tuesday of each month there is a covered dish lunch. DeWitt Library sends a representative once a month with books to choose from for your reading pleasure. Hypertension screening is offered once a month.

On Wednesdays enjoy Stamping Artistic Creations with an instructor and make your own greeting cards.

Closed: Holidays – Center is also closed when the Jamesville-DeWitt district has a snow day.

Ceramics Fee: \$4 plus cost of greenware

Stamping Fee: \$3 plus coffee fund fee

DeWitt Community Room

(148 Sanders Creek Parkway, East Syracuse)

Open Tuesdays and Wednesdays

9:30am-2:00pm

Sue Slack & Pat Collins, Co-Directors

The DeWitt Community Room center offers a variety of activities including exercise, crafts, Pitch tournaments, guest speakers, hypertension screening, and more. This is also a Senior Nutrition site on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Lunch is served at noon. Call 470-3331 to reserve a meal. A \$2.75 donation is suggested for lunch. All Onondaga County seniors are welcome.

Closed: Holidays, Election Days – Center is also closed when the East Syracuse Minoa district has a snow day.

SENIOR PROGRAMS

BOWLING

Village Lanes (201 E. Manlius Street, E. Syr.)
Wednesdays, September 14 - April 12, 2017

Come join the fun, laughs, exercise, and, of course, bowling! Sign up every Wednesday with Kathy Santangelo, Director. A Christmas luncheon will be held in December and a banquet will be held on the last day of bowling. For information call Kathy at (315) 446-6335 or the Recreation Office at (315) 446-9250 x 9.

Bowling Schedule

9:00 am – Coffee/Donuts (\$1.00 donation)

9:20 am – Practice 9:30 am – Bowling

Fee: 3 games/\$6

Bowling is cancelled when the East Syracuse Minoa district has a snow day.

BRIDGE

DeWitt Town Hall – Activity Room
(5400 Butternut Drive, East Syracuse)
Meets Fridays 1:00 – 4:00pm
Sydney Howes, Director

Come join us for bridge on Fridays, all year round! Drop-ins welcome. Partners not needed. No instruction is provided. Bridge is cancelled when the DeWitt Town Hall is closed or when the Jamesville-DeWitt district has a snow day.

Annual Fee: \$25

TABLE TENNIS

DeWitt Community Room
(148 Sanders Creek Parkway, East Syracuse)
Meets Mondays 9:00am-12:00pm

Play is at an intermediate or advanced level. Table Tennis is a competitive sport requiring simultaneous mobility and hand to eye coordination. Players must bring their own equipment. Table Tennis is cancelled when the East Syracuse Minoa district has a snow day.

Annual Fee: \$25

DEWITT CHORALIERS

DeWitt Town Hall – Activity Room
(5400 Butternut Drive, East Syracuse)
Meets Fridays starting September 9
10:00am-12:00pm
Kathy Santangelo, Music Director

Come join the fun of singing and performing with the DeWitt Choraliers! We are a 50's+ chorus, and we are always welcoming new members.

Male singers are strongly needed for tenor and bass parts! The DeWitt Choraliers are available for entertaining all occasions and events throughout the area. We also feature *The DeWitt Guys & Dolls* with unique solos and duets. Here is your chance to become a star! **Presently seeking a volunteer accompanist! (Piano player)**

Rehearsal is cancelled when the DeWitt Town Hall is closed or when the Jamesville-DeWitt district has a snow day.

For more information call Kathy Santangelo, Music Director at (315) 446-6335, or the Recreation Office at (315) 446-9250 x 9.

FLU SHOTS

Stay healthy this cold and flu season by getting your flu or pneumonia shot. Please bring your medical, Medicare, or Medicaid insurance card.

September 26, 10:30am

DeWitt Community Church
(3600 Erie Blvd East)

September 30, 8:00-10:00am -

DeWitt Town Hall, Mtg Room B
(5400 Butternut Drive)

October 4, 10:00am

DeWitt Community Room
(148 Sanders Creek Parkway)

Note: There may be a fee if your insurance is not participating.

SENIOR TRIPS



TENDERLY: THE ROSEMARY CLOONEY MUSICAL

Merry Go Round Theater, Auburn, NY
Monday, October 17
10:30am-5:15pm

Celebrate the life and musical stylings of one of our country's finest performers in this new musical! Revel in the ups, the downs and that mesmerizing voice as we bring to life the colorful world of Rosemary Clooney. With countless hits and chart-toppers, Rosemary is an American legend and icon.

Trip includes lunch at the Springside Inn.

Please select a lunch choice:

- Chicken French
- Roast Sirloin of Beef with Mushroom Gravy
- Quiche with Ham, Broccoli, & Swiss Cheese served with Fresh Fruit (No potatoes or vegetables comes with Quiche meal)

Lunch includes fresh vegetable, mashed potatoes and gravy, chef's choice dessert, and coffee or tea.

School Bus leaves Town of DeWitt at Heritage Landing (in the parking lot by the pond) next to DeWitt Town Hall, at 10:30am and returns at approximately 5:15pm.

Fee: \$80 Residents \$85 All Others

TIOGA TRAIN "OKTOBERFEST EXPRESS"

Wellsboro, PA
Friday, October 21
7:15am-7:30pm



This trip includes the Tioga Central Railroad Scenic Tour on open air or passenger cars, a visit to the "Grand Canyon of the East" in PA where you can view awesome foliage colors and more, and a quick stop for free time to shop at the Highland Chocolate Factory Store.

Also included: Roundtrip motor coach transportation, 1 Lunch aboard the Tioga Railroad, 1 Bella Tours Escort for the day, all taxes and gratuities. Minimum 25 passengers.

Bus leaves Town of DeWitt at Heritage Landing (in the parking lot by the pond) next to DeWitt Town Hall, at 7:30am and returns at approximately 7:30pm.

Fee: \$145 Residents \$150 All Others

Deposit of \$40 per person is due upon registration.

Final balance due September 15.



SENIOR TRIPS continued...

SENECA LAKE LUNCH/CHRISTMAS SHOW

Watkins Glen, NY
Tuesday, December 6
8:45am-5:15pm

This trip includes lunch at the Seneca Harbor Restaurant with holiday music and entertainment.

We will also stop at the Edgewood Country Store in Penn Yan, NY for an opportunity to purchase some last minute holiday gifts!

Also Included: Round trip motor coach transportation, Bella Tours Escort and Town of DeWitt Escort for the day, all taxes and gratuities. Minimum 25 passengers.

Please select a lunch choice:

- NY Strip
- Tilapia
- Marinated Chicken Breast
- St. Louis Ribs
- Grilled Applejack Salad

All entrees served with fresh garden salad with a side, fresh Italian bread with butter, carrot cake or chocolate tuxedo cake for dessert, soft drinks, coffee and tea.

Bus leaves Town of DeWitt at Heritage Landing (in the parking lot by the pond) next to DeWitt Town Hall, at 8:45am and returns at approximately 5:15pm.

Fee: \$120 Residents \$125 All Others

Deposit of \$30 per person is due upon registration.

Final balance due December 1.

WICKED

Landmark Theatre
Wednesday, March 22, 2017
6:30-10:30pm

Back by *Popular* demand! Long before that girl from Kansas arrives in Munchkinland, two girls meet in the land of Oz. One, born with emerald green skin, is smart, fiery and misunderstood. The other is beautiful, ambitious and very popular. How these two grow to become the Wicked Witch of the West and Glinda the Good makes for “the most complete – and completely satisfying – new musical in a long time” (USA Today).

Trip Includes: School bus transportation, orchestra seats, escort and driver tip. Non-refundable after January 6, unless replacement is found.

Bus leaves Town of DeWitt at Heritage Landing (in the parking lot by the pond) next to DeWitt Town Hall, at 6:30pm and returns at approximately 10:30pm.

Fee: \$74.50 Residents \$79.50 All Others



SENIOR TRIPS continued...

BEAUTIFUL:

THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL

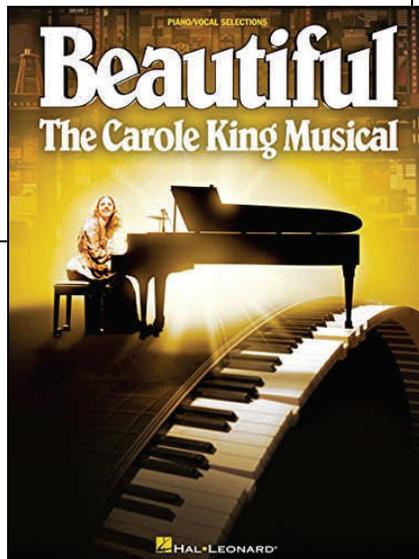
Landmark Theatre
Sunday, April 23, 2017
5:30-9:30pm

Beautiful, tells the inspiring true story of King's remarkable rise to stardom, from being part of a hit songwriting team with her husband Gerry Goffin, to her relationship with fellow writers and best friends Cynthia Weil and Barry Mann, to becoming one of the most successful solo acts in popular music history. Along the way, she made more than *Beautiful* music, she wrote the soundtrack to a generation.

Trip Includes: School bus transportation, orchestra seats, escort and driver tip. Non-refundable after February 24, unless replacement is found.

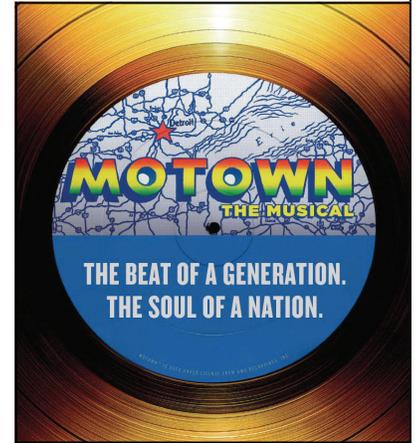
Bus leaves Town of DeWitt at Heritage Landing (in the parking lot by the pond) next to DeWitt Town Hall, at 5:30pm and returns at approximately 9:30pm.

Fee: \$72.50
Residents
\$77.50
All Others



MOTOWN

Landmark Theatre
Sunday, May 21,
2017
5:30-10:00pm



Motown the Musical tells the true story behind the best that changes

minds, touched lives and made history. Diana Ross, Michael Jackson, Smokey Robinson, Stevie Wonder, Marvin Gaye, The Temptations – *Motown the Musical* shows how these legendary artists and so many more created the soundtrack that transformed America. With over 40 classic songs including *My Girl*, *What's Going On*, *Dancing in the Street*, *I Heard It Through the Grapevine* and *Ain't No Mountain High Enough*, this explosive Broadway event is the next chapter of Motown's incredible history – and an experience you'll never forget.

Trip Includes: School bus transportation, orchestra seats, escort and driver tip. Non-refundable after March 31, unless replacement is found.

Bus leaves Town of DeWitt at Heritage Landing (in the parking lot by the pond) next to DeWitt Town Hall, at 5:30pm and returns at approximately 10:00pm.

Fee: \$70.50 Residents \$75.50 All Others

General Registration Form

NOT TO BE USED FOR: Summer Day Camp, Mini Day Camp, AM or PM Recreation or Saturday Soccer. Forms for these programs will be made available on-line and in the Recreation Office.

How to register:

Submit a completed form and full payment to the Recreation Office.
Acceptable Forms of Payment: Cash or Check made out to *Town of DeWitt*
****Please Note: We cannot accept credit or debit cards at this time.****
You will only be notified if a class is full or cancelled.

General Information— Required For All Registrations

Program Name: _____ Session: _____
Participant's Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ Zip: _____
Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____
Emergency Name: _____ Phone #: _____
OTHER THAN PARENT/GUARDIAN -listed below
E-mail Address (optional): _____

Additional Information — Required For Youth Programs

Fall 16-17

Child's School: _____ Grade: _____ Birthday: _____
Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone #: _____
Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone #: _____

In consideration of your accepting this registration I, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all claims for damages I may have against the Town of DeWitt, the Town of DeWitt Parks and Recreation Department, the Town of DeWitt Parks and Recreation Commission, and any and all sponsors, representatives, successors and assigns, for any and all injuries suffered by me/my child in said program. No medical insurance is carried by the Town for program participants. Registrants are encouraged to have their own medical coverage.

Participant/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

OCTOBER CLEAN UP

The Town of DeWitt's Fall Clean Up will take place on Saturday, October 1, from 9-12. Volunteers may meet at Town Hall, Butternut Drive; The Village Deli, West Manlius Street, East Syracuse or Robbie T's Pizza, North Street, Jamesville. We will supply bags, stickers and safety vests. People should bring work gloves and dress appropriately. Refreshments will be available at each location. For information please contact

Dennis Payne at 469-0565 or paynedennis1@gmail.com. Please join us as we help to clean DeWitt's streets before the onset of winter. Thank you.

TEAM UP  **to**
CLEAN UP



Refreshments Available
Please Help Yourself



9/11 Fifteenth Anniversary Remembrance Ceremony Sunday, Sept. 11, 2016 2 to 3 p.m. All are Welcome.

DEPARTMENT LISTING

Town Clerk: Angela Epolito	x 2
Planning & Zoning: Sam Gordon	x 3
Water: Mat Reynolds	x 4
Town Supervisor: Ed Michalenko	x 5
Town Manager: Mike Moracco	
Comptroller: Kerrie Shanahan	x 6
Tax Receiver: Angela Epolito	x 7
Assessor: Jean Rayfield	x 8
Recreation: Karen Keast	x 9
Parks: Dale Longden	432-1925
Highway: Rocco Conte	437-8331
<u>Court</u>	
Judge Gideon	446-9180
Judge Jokl	446-7136
<u>Police</u>	
Non Emergency	425-2333
Chief James C. Hildmann	449-3640



Town Board:

- Ed Michalenko, Supervisor
- Joe Chiarenza
- Karen Docter
- Jamie Frank
- Kerry Mannion
- Kerin Rigney
- Sam Young

Recreation Commission:

- Keith Vaverchak, Chair
- Andy Bobrek
- Peg Celano
- Ken Sheehan
- Lynn Simonetta-Blair
- Ben Brazell
- Jeff Cantor
- Kristen Stickle
- Matt Strodel