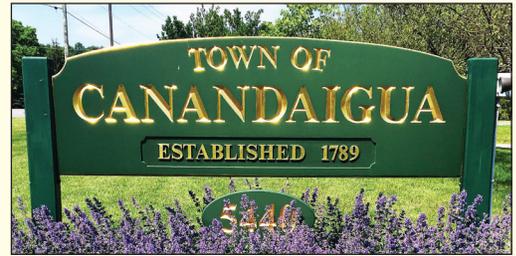


# Town of Canandaigua News

June 2018

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## TOWN OF CANANDAIGUA OPEN HOUSE

*Join us!*

Saturday, June 16th  
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

*Free and Open to the Public*



*The Open House will be held in the new Town Highway Facility. Tours of the facility will be offered.*

Town of Canandaigua departments, boards, committees, and volunteers will host an eclectic Canandaigua Open House on Saturday, June 16, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the new Highway Facility on the Town Campus, 5440 Routes 5 & 20 West.

"What better way to invite our residents to tour the new Highway Facility than to really open the doors to the Town and showcase the variety of initiatives and projects in which so many of our citizens participate," said Town Manager Doug Finch. "The day will certainly be an informative and fun event

for everyone. We're looking forward to welcoming the community."

Past Town Board member Oksana Fuller, who chairs the Canandaigua Events Committee, said that a number of Town departments and committees will have booths and displays to help celebrate the opening of the new Highway Facility, and to provide information on Town services and ongoing projects.

"A special emphasis will be on our

new Food Recycling Program which will begin at the end of June," said Ms. Fuller. "Information and a giveaway program will highlight our Environmental Conservation Board's participation at the Open House."

The Open House is free and open to the public. Complimentary refreshments—coffee, donuts, bottled water, and hot dogs—will be available.

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## Ribbon-Cutting Officially Opens New Town Highway Facility



*The new Town of Canandaigua Highway Facility opened with a ribbon-cutting attended by Town and State officials, employees, residents and friends on Monday, May 21st—one year and three days after the formal groundbreaking ceremony. See the article in this issue for more photographs and details on this facility.*

# Join Us at the Town of Canandaigua Open House June 16th . . .

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Parking will be in the upper and lower level lots of the Town Hall, and on the west side of the Highway Facility. Parking attendants will be on hand.

Here is a listing and description of the displays and information tables:

## ■ Town Events Committee

The Events Committee will provide an advance look at the 2018 Town Float, built by Mark Brassie for the Fourth of July Parade. The float commemorates the 100th anniversary of the first airmail flight and the 80th anniversary of the first airmail flight from Canandaigua to Rochester. Information about the flights will include displays from the Granger Homestead and the Ontario County Historical Society.

Photos of past events will be displayed. Volunteers will be invited to sign up to help the Committee with future events.

## ■ Environmental Conservation Board

Everything you've always wanted to know about food recycling, composting and plastics recycling will be presented by the Environmental Conservation Board. And visitors may even learn a thing or two about worms!

Get ready, plan to be informed and prepared for the Town's new Food Recycling Program. Learn the do's and don't's—and in's and out's—of food composting made easy, either in your own backyard or transferring your food scraps to the Town's Transfer Station.

Have doubts about recycling your plastic products? Don't know what to do with plastic #6—that's styrofoam for all of us uninitiated in recycle jargon? The answer to this mystery and many more will be revealed at the Open House. The Environmental Conservation Board will be there to help you make sense of all the new information as we renew our commitment to reduce, reuse and recycle.

Meet with the Environmental Conservation Board members and sign up for their Giveaway Programs (recipients must be Town residents and have a current Transfer Station Permit, available at the Open House):

## ➤ Food Recycling at the Transfer

**Station:** A complimentary kitchen caddy, compostable bags and a sturdy transfer pail will be available to the first 100 residents.

➤ **Backyard Composting:** With a small contribution, the first 100 residents to sign up for the Backyard Compost Bin Program will receive a complimentary kitchen compost bucket.

## ■ Communications

A display will highlight the benefits of receiving the Town e-mails and social media contacts. Residents can sign up to be connected and informed.

## ■ Highway and Water Departments

Take a tour of the new Highway Facility. Trucks, equipment and tools will be out on display. Large maps of the locations of water mains will be available and residents can view a water conservation display.

## ■ Agricultural Advisory Committee

The Agricultural Advisory Committee display will focus on the educational aspect of careers in agriculture with maps, a presentation, and a fun kiddie pool-corn activity.

## ■ Canandaigua Lake Watershed Association (CLWA)

The Canandaigua Lake Watershed Association (CLWA) is a member supported, non-profit organization whose purpose is to protect the water quality and overall environment of the Canandaigua Lake watershed for future generations by applying scientific research, advocating sound public policy, and offering educational programs to the community.

The CLWA will offer information on "Lake-Friendly Lawn Care" and will encourage residents to consider how they can reduce their impact on the lake by incorporating healthy lawn care practices which will protect water quality.

## ■ Town Parks and Trails

A display will provide information on the development of the Town's seven parks and the Town of Canandaigua 2018 Parks and Recreation Master Plan.

There will be photos of the old YMCA Camp (now Onanda Park), photos of parks projects, copies of the 2018 Summer Recreation Guide, and information about the 2018 special trips for adults.

## ■ Town Clerk's Office

The Town Clerk will provide information on obtaining marriage licenses, the requirements for dog licenses, general Town Clerk services, park reservations, signing up for Town Transfer Station Permits (bring your vehicle registration), and signing up for the ACH Water Payment Option (bring a voided check; the Town Clerk's staff will have the forms available to fill out).

## ■ Drainage Advisory Committee

Members of the Drainage Advisory Committee, chaired by Planning Board Member Chuck Oyler, include community residents and representatives from the Town Zoning and Code Enforcement departments, the Highway Department, the Canandaigua Lake Watershed Council, and MRB Group (our Town consulting engineering firm).

The Committee's task is to inventory, monitor and discuss possible solutions and resolutions to storm drainage problems in our town.

At the Committee's table at the Open House, residents will have the opportunity to record their names, addresses and brief descriptions of the storm drainage issues which they are experiencing on their properties to be added to the Committee's inventory.

## ■ Cultural and Historic Preservation Team

The Cultural and Historic Preservation Team will display a series of maps illustrating the development of the Town of Canandaigua—1859, 1874, 1904 and 1922. In some cases, the maps indicate the presence of a house or building. On other maps, an owner's name is listed.

## ■ Open Space Team

A draft of the Town's 2018 Open Space Conservation and Scenic Views Master Plan with maps identifying potential conservation areas in the Town will be available.

## Ribbon Cutting Officially Opens New Town Highway Facility



Cutting the ribbon to officially open the new Town Highway Facility are (from left): Town Board member Kevin Reynolds; Deputy Supervisor Tina Bloom; Supervisor Greg Westbrook; Highway Superintendent Jim Fletcher; Town Board members Gary Davis, Terry Fennelly and Linda Dworaczyk; State Senator Pam Helming; Town Manager Doug Finch; and past Town Board member Keith Cutri.



Highway Superintendent Jim Fletcher

With the collective snips of a blue ribbon displayed between two mammoth Highway Department trucks, Town Board members and officials cut the ribbon to officially open the new Canandaigua Highway Facility on Monday, May 21st—just one year and three days after the group ceremonially broke ground for the \$5.9 million 41,000-square-foot structure on the Town Hall campus.

Town Manager Doug Finch introduced speakers and honored guests including Supervisor Greg Westbrook; Town Board members Gary Davis, Linda Dworaczyk, Terry Fennelly and Kevin Reynolds; past Town Board member Keith Cutri; Highway Superintendent Jim Fletcher; New York State Senator Pamela Helming (54th District) who served as Town supervisor during the planning stages of the project; and Scott Bova, AIA, of MRB Group, the

Town's consulting engineering firm. Planning for the new facility began in January 2015 when the Public Works Committee—composed of Terry Fennelly, Jim Fletcher, and Town resident Al Kraus—was formed to identify facility improvements.

The committee determined that the existing Highway Garage, which was built in 1971, was not suitable for renovation.

With architectural, structural and civil engineering services provided by MRB Group, ground was broken on May 18, 2017. The project reached a milestone when the fleet of snowplows moved indoors on Friday, December 29, 2017, three days ahead of schedule (and just in time for one of our many winter cold snaps).

The state of the art and energy-efficient facility centralizes the Town's equipment and materials storage bringing the Highway, Water and Parks departments under one roof.

The main structure includes a vehicle storage area, service bays and administrative offices. Within the facility, a garage area provides adequate space to house the Town's vehicles and equipment with a dedicated wash bay and storage mezzanine. An adjacent maintenance garage provides two service bays, a welding area, a work/assembly area, delivery and storage locations, and a maintenance office.

The structure was built using sustain-



New York State Senator Pam Helming

able materials and features to enhance energy efficiency and lower operational costs including continuous wall/roof insulation, clerestory windows for natural lighting, radiant-heat flooring, and energy efficient ventilation and exhaust systems. Use of a pre-engineered metal building (PEMB) also reduced construction costs and time.

The overall design allows flexibility for future growth including the opportunity to add square footage to the main structure in the future.

The site organization was vastly improved through a programming process which focused on current operations, staff needs and the potential for future growth with increasing demand for operations and services.

Contractors for the project were Building Innovation Group Inc., Bil-litier Electric Inc. and HMI Mechanical Systems Inc.

# Get Ready for Swimming and Summer Parks and Recreation Programs

From Dennis Brewer  
Director of Parks and Recreation

It's that time of year again to get outside. Enjoy the Town of Canandaigua's many beautiful parks. Experience our various recreation programs.



## Park Hours

Parks are open during daylight hours. A complete directory of all Town parks is available on the Town website.

## Swimming Schedules:

### Onanda Park

June 2–June 15

11:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

June 16–August 17

10:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.

August 18–September 3

11:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

### West Lake Schoolhouse Beach

June 16–August 17

11:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m.

August 18–September 3

11:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

## PLEASE REMEMBER:

**No Lifeguard = No Swimming**

## Summer Recreation Programs

New this year is a fencing camp to be held at Onanda Park from July 30th to August 3rd. Times for youth ages 8–12 will be 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. and for teens ages 13–18 from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. See the attached flyer for details.

We still have openings in the Town summer programs. Programs are available for children ages 6–14 at Richard P. Outhouse Memorial Park and Onanda Park as well as for children ages 3–5 at the West Lake Schoolhouse. Please see the Town website and the 2018 Summer Recreation Programs brochure for more information.

## Senior Trips

For more information on the following trips, please contact Dennis Brewer at [dbrewer@townofcanandaigua.org](mailto:dbrewer@townofcanandaigua.org).



Onanda Park is located on Canandaigua Lake at 4965 County Road 16.

- “Mama Mia” trip on June 27th: Trip is FULL.
- Alexandria Bay on August 7th: Includes lunch at Riveredge Resort, a cruise aboard Uncle Sam Boat Tours and a tour of Boldt Castle. See attached flyer for details.
- Cortland Country Music Park on October 11th: Includes a visit to the New York State Country Music Hall of Fame, a performance by The

Nelson Brothers and dinner on your own at Destiny USA.

## Active Adult Picnic

On June 12th, from noon to 1:30 p.m. we will have an Active Adult picnic at Richard P. Outhouse Memorial Park. We will be discussing ideas regarding recreational opportunities for senior Town residents. Lunch is included.

Please RSVP to Deputy Town Supervisor Tina Bloom at [TBloom@townofcanandaigua.org](mailto:TBloom@townofcanandaigua.org).



The Town of Canandaigua Parks and Recreation Department welcomes returning and new staff (from left): Toby Crouse, laborer; Evan Rennie, laborer; and Troy Bennett, Parks Maintenance Assistant.



# Natural Resource Protection News

From the Town of Canandaigua Environmental Conservation Board

## — Green Living —

### Eight Things You Can Do to Help the Environment Right Now

#### ✓ *Don't flush baby wipes*

Baby wipes, even the ones advertised as "flushable," are among the most common objects that clog pipes and jam pumps at sewage treatment plants. Use washable cloth wipes instead.

#### ✓ *Send foam "peanuts" packing*

Call the Packing Peanut Hotline at (800) 828-2214 for the drop-off site closest to you that recycles "peanuts." NYS has nearly three dozen locations.

#### ✓ *Turn Out the Lights!*

Many species of insects, birds, sea turtles, bats, nocturnal rodents, snakes, fish, and even plants are harmed by nighttime lighting. Use lower wattage outdoor lights, motion-sensitive lights and fixtures with shields that direct light downward.

#### ✓ *Water wisely*

Use a rain gauge. An inch of water each week is sufficient for plants and greenery, whether Mother Nature provides it or you do. Collect rain in a barrel (many barrels can be attached to a sprinkler) to use on gardens and lawns during dry spells. Place sprinklers so they water your grass, not the street.

#### ✓ *Keep cool, not cold*

Bigger air conditioners aren't necessarily better. An over-sized AC is less efficient and effective than a unit properly sized for the area to be cooled. Sun, shade and how a space is used are also factors to consider. See the link in the right-hand column to Energy Star's guide.

#### ✓ *Enjoy a climate-friendly cookout*

Charcoal grills produce about three times more carbon emissions than propane gas grills. If you need to replace



Buried in peanuts? Time to call the Packaging Peanut Hotline.

your grill, consider buying a propane grill.

#### ✓ *"Shopping" isn't always a dirty word*

Reusing or recycling items is often the greener choice, but sometimes new products are actually better for you and the environment. Search the USEPA's Design for the Environment database (see link in right-hand column) for products that EPA scientists evaluated for safety and high quality.

#### ✓ *What can you do with empty cat litter jugs and tubs?*

If you buy your cat litter in a cardboard box or paper bag, recycling the empty container is simple. If your favorite brand comes in a large plastic jug or tub, you can still recycle it, but it requires lots of space in the recycling bin.



Here's a fun way to reuse your cat litter pails.

## — Litter Facts —

It takes more energy to make a new product like a can or bottle from virgin materials than it does to make a product by recycling. Recycling saves energy, natural resources, money, time, and land-fill space. It makes less pollution, such as greenhouse gases, and creates jobs too!

#### **LITTER Fact:**

It takes steel cans up to 100 years to decompose.

#### **LITTER Fact:**

It takes paper up to one year to decompose.

#### **LITTER Fact:**

It takes aluminum cans 200 years to 500 years to decompose.

#### **LITTER Fact:**

Glass can last for thousands of years. It does not decompose.

#### **LITTER Fact:**

Plastic bottles can take more than 1,000 years to decompose.

#### **LITTER Fact:**

140,000 plastic bags combined with wood saw dust can produce 500 square feet of composite lumber flooring.

*For more recycling information, see us at the Town Open House on June 16th.*

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*Food waste collection at the Transfer Station begins June 30th.*

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## Ray Henry Honored

Congratulations to Ray Henry for recognition by State Senator Pam Helming (54th Senate District) for 45 years of service as a member of the Cheshire Fire Department. Ray serves as our Town Historian.



## Persevering in Land Preservation

Residents have long voiced support for the preservation of open green spaces as a top priority for the Town.

The Town Board authorized the creation of a *Town of Canandaigua Open Space, Conservation, and Scenic Views Master Plan* last year.

The draft will be presented to the public on June 18, 2018, at 5:00 p.m. in

the Town Hall Courtroom. Come learn how the Town might be able to help preserve those ecologically and culturally valuable forests, fields, meadows and wetlands throughout the Town, which provide myriad benefits to residents and wildlife alike.

See the Town website and Facebook Event for details.

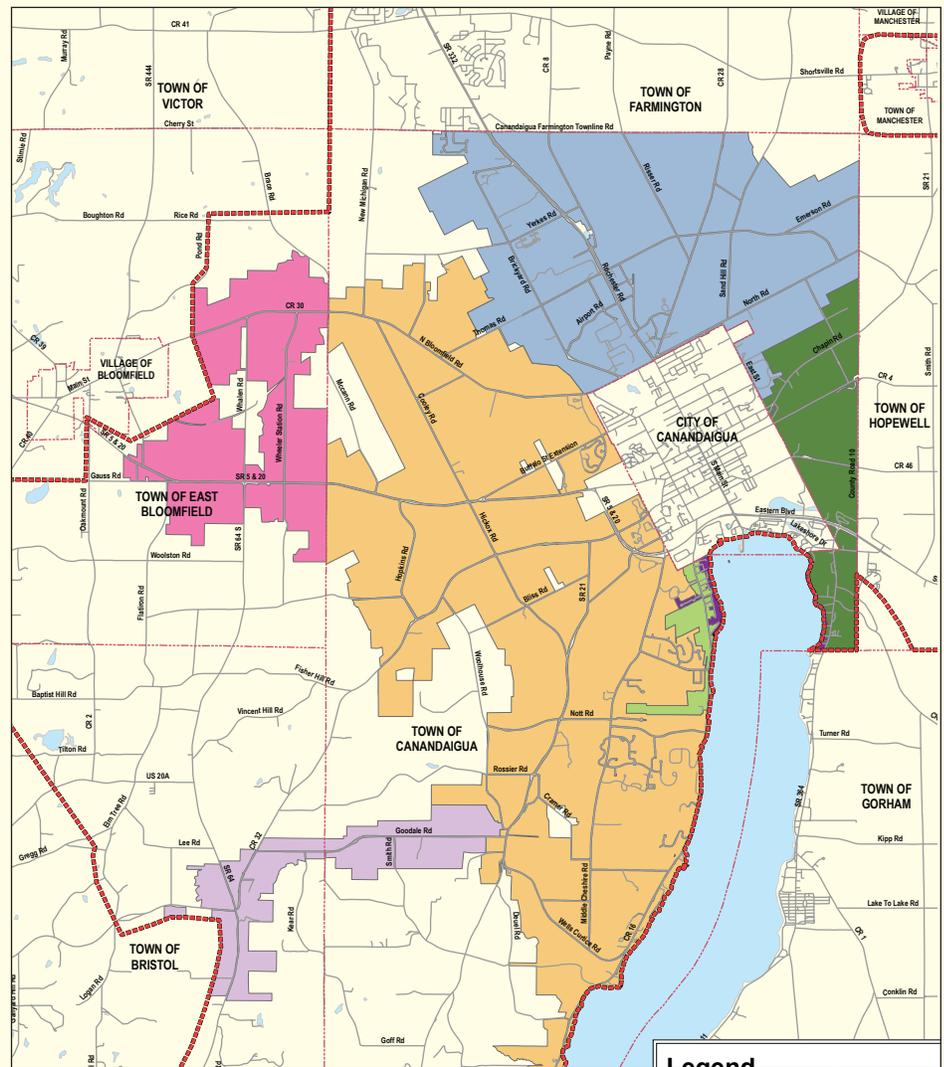
## Upcoming Water Projects to Improve Resiliency of Town's Water System

During the past several years, the Town of Canandaigua has taken a number of steps to implement the 20 goals of the Town's Comprehensive Plan. To date, more than a dozen have been completed or started. Action items associated with the goals included the completion of a Town-wide Sewer Master Plan and a Water Master Plan. Both have been completed and are available to view on the Town's website.

The Water Master Plan, adopted by the Town Board in 2017, includes a comprehensive study of the current capabilities of the pumps, water mains and tank, which supply water to our residents. In the summer of 2016, the Town experienced a moderate drought that placed our current water infrastructure in an unfavorable position. During this time of dry weather and high heat, the demands placed on the existing system were more than it was designed for. The combination of the adopted Water Master Plan, the 2016 drought and a mandatory directive from the State of New York is driving much needed upgrades to the Town's water system.

The Town will be investing in a new pump facility and two new water tanks in the near future. The new booster pump facility will house three pumps and be located at the City of Canandaigua reservoir site off County Road 16. This is a shared service opportunity for the Town and City to work closely in supporting one another. The two new tanks will be located on the hill off of Cramer Road. A 16-inch water main will be installed from the new pump facility to the tanks traveling west from the City's property on County Road 16 to Middle Cheshire Road.

The estimated cost to improve the



Detail from the Town's existing water service map depicting the Bloomfield Service Area (red), Canandaigua-Farmington Water District (blue), Canandaigua Consolidated Service Area (orange), City Billed Service Area (light green), Canandaigua-Hopewell Water District (dark green), City Supplied Service Area (dark purple) and Canandaigua-Bristol Service Area (pink).

infrastructure to meet the current and future demands of the Town is \$7.5 million. The Town is currently applying for a grant for as much as \$3 million to help offset the fiscal impact. Our Finance Committee is currently working closely with the Water Department to evalu-

ate all options in order to reduce the potential cost to customers. As soon as we have additional information we will share it with all of our residents in future newsletters and electronic communications.

# Town Begins Food Waste Recycling With Giveaway Program

## Collection at the Transfer Station

Food waste collection caddies can be used for countertop or under-the-sink collection. Compostable bag liners can be used to keep the caddy clean and make emptying easier. A larger five-gallon container can be used to store material from the kitchen caddy until your weekly drop-off at the Transfer Station.



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### Town Historian

Ray Henry

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### Town Hall Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

### Town Clerk's Office Hours

Monday–Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Open until 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays

### Court Clerk's Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

and Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Thursday 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## Two ways to recycle food waste: At the Town Transfer Station or in your own backyard

These organic materials can be upcycled for a valuable soil amendment or for energy production. The Town will use a hauler—Natural Upcycling—to collect and transport the material to an anaerobic digester or to a commercial composting site.

There will be no charge to residents for this service. This service will begin on June 30, 2018. Details will be provided at our Highway Facility Open House on June 16 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**There is also a Giveaway Program of a kitchen caddy, compostable bags, and food scraps transfer pail to be rolled out at the Open House to the first 100 residents to apply.**

Recipients must be Town residents and have a current Transfer Station Permit. Permits are available at the Town Clerk's Office.

## How Does Backyard Composting Work?

Residents who prefer to compost in their backyard will need a compost bin or pile for kitchen waste and other organic materials. The product of your efforts will provide a rich soil mixture for your home gardens, flower beds, and lawns.

More information will also be available at the Town's Highway Facility Open House on June 16th. A table with information for the many options for backyard composters will be staffed by representatives from Cornell Cooperative Extension to answer questions.

**A Giveaway Program for the first 100 residents to sign-up for a wooden compost bin and kitchen caddy will also highlight the day.** There is a \$20 participation fee when signing up. The compost bin is valued at \$120. To apply you must be a Town resident and have a current Transfer Station Permit.

Further details will be available at the Open House.

## GOOD NEWS!

*The Buffalo Street Ext.  
Back Gate to the Transfer Station  
Reopens Saturday, June 23rd*



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on Facebook

Town of Canandaigua

## Meeting Dates, July 2018

- 2—Town Board Ordinance Committee, 9:00 a.m.
- 3—Town Board Economic Development Committee, 12:00 p.m.
- 5—Cultural and Historic Preservation Team, 8:30 a.m.
- 5—Environmental Conservation Board, 4:30 p.m.
- 5—Agriculture Advisory Committee, 6:00 p.m.
- 10—Drainage Advisory Committee, 11:00 a.m.
- 10—Planning Board, 6:00 p.m.
- 11—Complete Streets Committee, 10:30 a.m.
- 11—Town Board Environment Committee, 4:30 p.m.

- 12—Town Board Finance Committee, 8:00 a.m.
- 16—Town Board, 6:00 p.m.
- 17—Citizens' Implementation Committee, 9:00 a.m.
- 17—Town Board Economic Development Committee, 1:00 p.m.
- 17—Zoning Board of Appeals, 6:00 p.m.
- 24—Drainage Advisory Committee, 11:00 a.m.
- 24—Planning Board, 6:00 p.m.
- 25—Town Board Environmental Committee, 4:30 p.m.
- 25—Parks and Recreation Committee (at Blue Heron Park), 6:00 p.m.
- 26—Town Board Finance Committee, 8:00 a.m.

For a complete 2018 calendar visit [www.townofcanandaigua.org](http://www.townofcanandaigua.org)



## Town of Canandaigua Highway Facility Open House Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – 9 AM until 1 PM

### Partial List of Events

Tour the New Red Barn

Take a peek at the future of your town parks

Learn about careers in Agriculture

Everything you always wanted to know about...

Food Recycling, Composting and Plastics Recycling

Food Recycling Giveaway - proof of address required

Get 2018 transfer station stickers - proof of address required

Sign-up for Town communications - "Be in the know"

CLWA Lake-Friendly Lawn Care info to protect water quality

Drainage problems? Sign-up for our drainage inventory

Maps showing the History of Development in the Town

Learn about saving our Open Spaces and Scenic Views

Display of Trucks, Tools and Equipment

Be the first to see the Town's new 4th of July Parade Float

Free Coffee and Donuts and...Dig into juicy grilled Hot Dogs!!!

**HOPE YOU CAN  
JOIN US!**



**Location: Town Highway Facility, 5440 Route 5&20 West, Canandaigua, NY 14424**  
**Parking Available at Town Hall and on the West side of the Highway Facility**

Town of Canandaigua  
Open Space, Conservation & Scenic Views Master Plan

# PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING

5:00 PM

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 2018  
CANANDAIGUA TOWN HALL



- ✓ **View maps** of the Town's natural, open space and scenic resources
  - Ecological communities and wildlife habitat
  - Streams and watersheds
  - Scenic vistas
  - Highly ranked parcels
- ✓ **Discuss recommended strategies** to maintain and preserve the Town's natural resources and open lands
- ✓ **Learn about the role of landowners**, the Town and other partners in managing and protecting the Town's open spaces

For more information, contact Sarah Reynolds at 394-1120 x. 2232  
[sreynolds@townofcanandaigua.org](mailto:sreynolds@townofcanandaigua.org)

or Open Space Plan consultant Barbara Johnston, LaBella Associates, at 295-6636

*The Town of Canandaigua invites you to join us*

# **Active Adult Summer Kick-off Picnic**

**When?** *Tue. June 12, Noon-1:30PM*

**Where?** *Outhouse Park, Canandaigua*

Come and join town officials for a picnic luncheon to celebrate the beginning of summer! We will also be discussing ideas and taking your feedback regarding additional recreational opportunities in the Town for active older adults.

**Kindly RSVP to**

***TBloom@TownofCanandaigua.org***



JULY 30-AUGUST 3, 2018

# FENCING CAMPS

CROUCH HALL, ONANDA PARK



**YOUTH: AGES 8-12**  
**9 AM-10:30 AM**

**TEENS: AGES 13+**  
**10:45 AM-12:15 PM**

**ALL EQUIPMENT  
PROVIDED**

## CHECK IT OUT!

- Expert instruction from Western NY's premier fencing club
- Make new friends and learn an ancient skill
- Families can enjoy the park & swimming
- Register online

[www.rocfencing.com/summer-camps](http://www.rocfencing.com/summer-camps)

Town of Canandaigua Parks and Recreation presents...

# Alexandria Bay

The Heart of the 1000 Islands

Take time to visit one of the most beautiful areas in New York State. This unique spot is where Ontario, Canada and the United States meet...their cultures blending in the waters of the mighty St. Lawrence and great Lake Ontario. The Thousand Islands tranquil atmosphere, fresh outdoors and laid-back pace, inspires the spirit and renews the soul. Alexandria Bay, New York, is located in the heart of the beautiful 1000 Islands. Amidst the gentle waters of the St. Lawrence Seaway there is a place like no other. Enjoy free time in Alexandria Bay before lunch at Riveredge Resort, followed by a relaxing afternoon cruise aboard Uncle Sam Boat Tours. This two nation international cruise takes you on a 22 mile round-trip through American and Canadian waters – what is considered the ‘heart’ of the 1000 Islands. Experienced guides provide a lively narrative as you travel down the river for a visit to Boldt Castle. The castle stands as a remembrance of the magnificence of a bygone era, a monument of love on Heart Island of George C. Boldt for his wife Louise. Today Boldt Castle is the premier home and attraction in the region. This cruise will give you the best overall view of this truly unique geographical area shared by two nations.



## Tuesday, August 7, 2018

### This tour includes:

- Round-trip deluxe motorcoach transportation
- Free time in Alexandria Bay for time to browse and shop
- Lunch at Riveredge Resort with menu choices:
  - (1) Bistro Chicken with roasted cherry tomatoes and creamy pesto sauce
  - (2) Sliced Pork Loin with pineapple chutney
  - (3) Haddock Skaneateles with white wine butter sauce and cracker crumble
- Two Nation narrated cruise aboard Uncle Sam Boat Tours
- Admission and self-guided tour of Boldt Castle
- Dinner on your own at Salmon Run Mall
- Gratuities for restaurant waitstaff and motorcoach driver

**Tour Cost:** \$110.00 per person

Any questions please contact:

**Canandaigua Parks and Recreation**

**Dennis Brewer**

**(585) 394-1120**

### Departure Times and Locations:

Town	Departure Time	Location
Henrietta	7:15 am	Henrietta Senior Center 515 Calkins Road
Victor	7:45 am	Behind Victor Presbyterian Church 70 East Main Street
Canandaigua/ Farmington	8:00 am	Canandaigua Park & Ride in Farmington off Route 332 on Plastermill Road

**Approximate Return Time: 9:15 pm - 10:00 pm**

## COVERED WAGON TOURS

A DIVISION OF *Niagara Scenic Tours*

[CoveredWagonTours.net](http://CoveredWagonTours.net)



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