



Town of Rensselaerville

The Hamlets of Cooksburg, Medusa, Potter Hollow, Preston Hollow, and Rensselaerville

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Senior Corner	2	The Regular Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Rensselaerville was held on the 11th day of October, 2012 at 7 o'clock in the evening at the Rensselaerville Town Hall, 87 Barger Road, Medusa, NY. The meeting was convened by Supervisor Lounsbury and the roll was called with the following results:
Rensselaerville Library	3	PRESENT WERE: Supervisor Lounsbury, Councilpersons Bolte, Cooke, Kudlack, Sedlmeir, Attorney Salazar, TRK and Town Clerk Hallenbeck
Deputy Water/Sewer Treatment Officer	4	Also present was Highway Superintendent Bates and 20 interested citizens.
Church Services	4	AUDIENCE COMMENTS:
Conkling Hall	5	Did the Town Board vote to pass the Tax Cap? The Board will vote tonight on it. Will this increase be on the 2013 or 2014 budget? It will be on the 2013 budget.
Middleburgh Library	5	REPORTS/BUSINESS
Volunteer News & Events	6	MINUTES, TRANSFERS, PAYMENT OF VOUCHERS: Motions were made to accept the minutes of the following meetings, September 11 th Work Meeting, September 11 th Public Hearing and September 13 Regular Meeting, make transfers and pay all vouchers.
October Minutes Continued	7	CORRESPONDENCE: Albany County Soil and Water Conservation District - November 1, 2012 at the Village of Green Island DPW - Free Tire Recycling - They will take up to 25 tires.
Rensselaerville Library Continued	8	SUPERVISOR LOUNSBURY:
RFVD Toy Drive	9	BUDGET MEETINGS: Supervisor Lounsbury reported that the Town Board has scheduled the following meetings to work on the 2013 Budget; October 8, 10,15,16,18 and 23. The tentative date for the budget hearing is November 5, 2012.
The Palmer House Café	10	CLEANING POSITION: A motion was made, seconded and passed to advertise, in the newsletter, for a person interested in cleaning the Town Hall, three hours a week @ \$12.00 an hour. Ayes (5)
Updated Contact Information	11	PEST CONTROL: Supervisor Lounsbury mentioned that we have a rodent problem. A motion was made, seconded and passed authorizing Supervisor Lounsbury to sign a contract with Orkin Inc. for pest control, for \$250.00 for the initial set up and \$63.00 a month for one year. Ayes (5)
Important Town	11	HYDRAULIC FRACTURING COMMITTEE POWER PRESENTATION: Supervisor Lounsbury reported that the Hydraulic Fracturing Committee will hold a power presentation on their findings on October 20 th at 10 AM at the Town Hall.
		SPECIAL MEETING: Supervisor Lounsbury reported that the Town Board will hold a special meeting to discuss the Myosotis Lake Dam on October 25 th with the Water/Sewer Committee and the EN Huyck Preserve.
		The Town Board accepted Supervisor Lounsbury's report.
		TOWN ATTORNEY:
		LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF THE YEAR 2012- A Local Law Overriding the Real Property Tax Levy Limit for Fiscal Year 2013: Attorney Salazar mentioned that the Town Board held a Public Hearing on the proposed law on October 9th, it was well attended. This law is only for 2013. This will be discussed later in the agenda
		The Town Board accepted the Attorney's report.
		HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:
		Superintendent Bates reported on the work that the highway department has done over the past month. He reported that the rear end has gone out of Truck 6 (2001).
		The FEMA Projects are finished.
		NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT: This is for work on the Honor Roll and

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Election Day - November 6, 2012 - Remember to Vote

The Town Clerk's Office will be closed on the following days:
November 6th -Election Day; November 12th -Veterans Day;
and November 22nd & 23rd for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Hearing on 2013 Preliminary Budget - November 5th, 7PM,
Rensselaerville Town Hall, 87 Barger Road, , Medusa, NY

THANK YOU!!!!

In anticipation of the arrival of "Hurricane Sandy" Brian Wood, Critical Incident Manager for the town, and myself met on Friday to begin the emergency preparedness that we knew we would need. Brian suggested that we hold a meeting on Saturday; we contacted the vital people and went to work. I would like to thank Brian Wood, Gerald Wood our Critical Incident Officer, Town Council members, the Town Highway Dept., Tri-Village Vol. Fire, Medusa Vol. Fire, Rensselaerville Vol. Fire, Rensselaerville Ambulance, Don Hempstead with the Albany County Highway Dept., the EN Huyck Preserve, the Rensselaerville Water & Sewer Committee, Robin Albergo for help with distributing flyers, the Carey Center for offering shelter if needed, the Office Staff in Town Hall, and Phil Pearson, Jr. for sand bags. Everyone came and worked together to be sure the Town would be prepared. Thankfully we were spared but it was wonderful knowing that we were prepared.

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED MAKE IT HAPPEN!!

Valerie Lounsbury, Town Supervisor

Senior Corner

Need Information? Elder Source Line (447-7177) has information about Senior Services to help in a variety of ways. Call between 8:30AM-12:30PM Monday through Friday. Call for free assistance with housing options, insurance counseling, benefits and entitlements, community resources, adult daycare, and caregiver options. This program is funded by United Way of Northeastern New York and Senior Services of Albany Foundation.

Senior Citizens Club: We meet on the second Tuesday of the month at the Medusa Firehouse at noon. \$1.00 is collected. ALL senior citizens are invited to join the club. Please bring a covered dish to share and/or dessert. Members need to bring their own plates and utensils. Coffee is provided.

Senior Van: Tuesday: Bryant's Center, Greenville Thursday: Cobleskill (Wal-Mart) Monday, Wednesday and Friday: Van is available to travel to doctor appointments. Call Call Ann Vogel at 797-3376 regarding scheduling and/or arranging for van pick up.

Helderberg Senior Services: Lunches are served Monday through Friday at noon for \$3.75. A one-day advance reservation would be appreciated and can be made by calling Marie at 797-3652 between 9:00AM-1:00PM for information and reservations.

We need volunteer drivers!!!! If you have a valid driver's license and could volunteer a couple hours of your time now and then, it would be greatly appreciated. Contact Kathy Hallenbeck, Town Clerk, for more details.

Rensselaerville Library

Saturday, November 3rd is National Game Day. Family and friends come to the Library between 9 and 1. A variety of board games will be available.

Saturday Night at the Movies November 10th at 7pm at Conkling Hall *Moonrise Kingdom*. Run Time:94 minutes, Rated: PG-13. Suggested goodwill donation - adults \$2 and children \$1.

Two Guest Authors

- John Wilkinson will be at the Library Friday, November 16th at 7pm for a reading of *Schoharie Valley*.
- John Urrutia will be at the Library Wednesday, November 28th at 7pm for a reading of *No Monkey Business in this House!*

Let's Talk Tech - On Wednesdays throughout November bring your lunch and your smart phone or iPad to the Library at 12:30. We can share our favorite apps or ask each other how to use certain apps on a variety of devices.

The Rensselaerville Library invites you to join its small, informal and supportive Writers' Group. Writers of all interests, backgrounds, and abilities are welcome. We currently have a mix of fiction, non-fiction, and poetry writers. You will always have time to write during our 2 hour session, and you will never be "forced" to share anything. If you have "works-in-progress" or would just like to put pen to paper, the library's writing group will give you the time and support you need. If you have any questions, you can call Linda Miller at 936-4402. Meeting Schedule: Thursday, November 8th, December 13th at 7pm.

The Library Board of Trustees Meeting is Monday, November 12th at 7pm. Note that this meeting is the second Monday. Meetings are held at the Library and are open to the public.

Zoning Board of Appeals of the Town of Rensselaerville will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at 7:00 PM at Town Hall, 87 Barger Road, Medusa, NY on an Area Variance Application from Rensselaerville Library residing at 1459 CR 351, Main Street, Rensselaerville, NY 12147; tax parcel 137.09-3-16 & 137.-9-3-17. The Library is proposing to build 6' x 36' covered ramp and landing to address the needs of mobility challenged patrons.

Thursday, November 22 - Happy Thanksgiving - The Library will be closed.

Nonprofit Financial Management Seminar November 29th, 6:30pm at the Carey Center for Global Good. The Library has invited Rick Lane, Vice President - Investments and an Accredited Investment Fiduciary, from Madison Wealth Managers to provide the seminar. The seminar description - *In the not for profit sector, trustees and directors are presented with very specific challenges and numerous responsibilities. In the recent past, difficult economic times have only compounded the budgetary and financial issues at hand. Above all, the Fiduciary obligation to the organizations these people oversee is constantly measured and tested. Please join us for a seminar designed to address the specific needs of not for profit organizations. Some of the topics this seminar will focus on are; Fiduciary responsibility and excellence, best practices for endowment formation, maintenance and perpetuity and techniques commonly overlooked to maximize income to your organization. As we all know not for profit does not mean not for income.* - We are excited to offer this seminar and hope that a representative(s) from the



Library Board of Trustees Meeting

Monday, October 15th at 7P.M. Open to the public

The Library is located at 1459 C.R. 351, Rensselaerville.

Library Hours:

Tuesday & Wednesday:

10:00 AM - Noon,

4:00-9:00 PM

Thursday & Friday:

4:00 - 9:00 PM

Saturday:

9:00-1:00 PM

rensselaervillelibrary.org

Staff:

Kim Graff,
Director

Katie Caprio,
Library Technician

Zoe Hutchins
Madeline Ouellette
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WANTED

Deputy Water/Sewer Treatment Officer

The Town of Rensselaerville and Water/Sewer Advisory Committee seeks letters of interest from persons interested in serving in the capacity of Deputy Water/Sewer Treatment Plant Operator. The Deputy Treatment Officer must have a good grasp of basic mathematics and science and have a basic understanding of testing procedures as explained by the Chief Plant Operator and work at the direction of the Chief Plant Operator. The Deputy must have the same availability requirements as the Chief Plant Operator. He/she is to perform all the duties delegated by the Chief Plant Operator and must also be interested in becoming certified.

Please submit a letter of interest to Town Clerk Kathy Hallenbeck, 87 Barger Road, Medusa, NY 12120 by November 21, 2012. For more information please contact the Town Clerk at 797-3798 during normal business hours.



Waste Oil Collection Day:
Saturday, November 17th
7AM—Noon



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 REAL ESTATE BROKERS
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 797-5395
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Church Services



Preston Hollow Baptist Church
Route 145, Preston Hollow, 239-6544
Worship: Sunday - 11:00AM

Rensselaerville Presbyterian Church
Summer Session Worship - 11:00AM
Coffee Hour following Service

United Church of Christ
Medusa, 239-4843 or 722-8126
Worship: Sunday - 10:00AM

Trinity Episcopal Church
Trinity Lane, Rensselaerville, 797-5395
Holy Eucharist & Church School Sunday
11:00AM

Potter Hollow Union Church
4824 Potter Hollow Mountain Road
Potter Hollow, 263-4478
Worship: Sunday - 10:00AM
Coffee Hour & Sunday School -
11:30AM
Call for Bible Study and Prayer Group

Conkling Hall - What's On In November

Saturday, November 10: Saturday Movie For Grown-ups Is Back!! Showing: " Moonrise Kingdom" 7:30PM Admission \$2.

Friday, November 16: Conkling Café : an open-mic event hosted by Peter Michael. We encourage all forms of appropriate performance art for all ages. Mic, sound system and piano available. Donations are appreciated. Coffee, tea and treats available. Performers arrive 7:00 - 7:30 PM. Music follows.

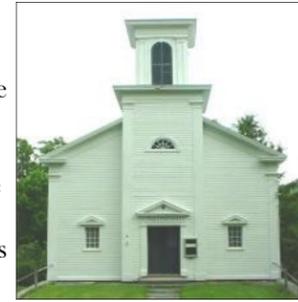
One great hour of sharing dinner postponed to Saturday, February 9, 2013.

RHDA presents a New Year's Day Open House at Conkling Hall. After a perhaps raucous New Year's Eve, join your friends and neighbors for a quiet buffet. Roast turkey, ham, and mimosas served. Bring a side dish to share. 1:00 - 4:00 PM.

Gentle Effective Movement Classes With Sarah Nelson Weiss, Open To All(*239-6825)

YOGA: Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00 - 10:15 AM (\$10)

PILATES: Wednesdays 5:45 - 6:15 PM (*PLEASE CALL FOR INFORMATION)
Saturdays 9:00 - 10:00 AM (\$10)



Methodist Hill Road
Rensselaerville, NY
(518) 797- 3459

Middleburgh Library

November 2012

11/1, 8, 15, & 29 - 7:00 PM - You can learn a new skill here or share your own special talents with others - or just craft in the company of friends. Drop in anytime! *No registration required.*

11/5 - 7:00 PM - Making the Most of Animal Fat - Shannon Hayes will host this workshop and will give step-by-step instructions for rendering animal fats. We will then explore how best to use them for everything from cooking and baking, to making salves, soaps, ointments and candles. **Registration is Required.**

11/6, 13, 20, & 27 - 3:30 PM - Reading with Indy - Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners! Bring your reader to the library to read to our therapy dog Indy and his person, Karen VanDyke. Indy is non-judgmental and will give kids confidence while reading. *No registration is necessary.*

11/7 - 11:00 AM - Doodle Bugs - Pre-school Art - Art exploration for little ones age 1 - 5 and their caregivers. **Registration is required.**

11/12 - 7:00 PM - Library Board of Trustees Meeting. Public is welcome.

11/13, 20, 27 - 10:45 AM - Drop-in Storytime - Get ready to move in this interactive storytime designed especially for children ages 0-5 and their caregivers. We'll read books, sing songs, recite fingerplays, dance and watch a short movie based on a weekly theme. *No registration required.*

11/21 - 11:00 AM - Start with Science - Preschool Science Exploration - Preschoolers ages 3-5 will learn about basic Science through stories and hands on science activities. Children must be accompanied by an adult. **Registration required.**

11/26 - 6:00 PM - Cooling by the Book - "Breaking Bread" - A collection of recipes by the Reformed Church of Middleburgh. For details, go to our web-site or stop in at the library. **Registration is Required.**

12/2 - 7:00 AM to 9:00 PM - Library Bus Trip to NYC - Our Wade Tour bus will be arriving at the Metropolitan Museum of Art or be dropped off at Bryant Park (just outside of Time Square) for a day of shopping. Cost for the trip is \$49.00. **Registration and money must be received by November 2nd to hold your spot.** Call the library at 827-5142 to register or register online.

For further details on our programs and updated information check out our NEW website at www.middleburghlibrary.info.

Volunteer News and Events

Medusa Volunteer Fire Department

Monthly Meeting: Monday, November 5th at 7:30PM
 Company Drill: Monday, November 12th at 7:00PM
 Work Night: Monday, November 19th at 7:00PM

Rensselaerville Volunteer Fire Department

IMPORTANT MESSAGE:

Change the batteries in your smoke detector and carbon monoxide detector.
 Cost of new batteries...\$6. Cost of new smoke alarm or carbon monoxide detector...\$40. Value of a life saved by the early warning of a working smoke detector or carbon monoxide detector...**PRICELESS!**

November:

5th - 7:00 pm Company Drill
 7th - 7:00 pm Battalion Meeting
 12th - 7:00 pm Company Drill
 28th - 7:30 pm Company Meeting

December:

1st - 3:30 pm Children's Christmas Party
 3rd - 7:00 pm Company Drill
 5th - 7:00 pm Battalion Meeting
 10th - 7:00 pm Company Drill
 26th - 7:30 pm Company Meeting

Please remember our doors are always open to new members! Please stop in and join one of our meetings to find out more about us and see how you can help. There's more to offer than you think!

Upcoming Events:

November 7th - 30th - Battalion's Annual Toy Drive - Help bring a smile to a local child. Please remember to pick up a toy to benefit the Hilltown's Community Resource Center.

December 1st - Children's Christmas Party begins at 3:30 pm. Santa will arrive at 5:00 pm. Join Santa on a hayride to light the tree at 5:30.

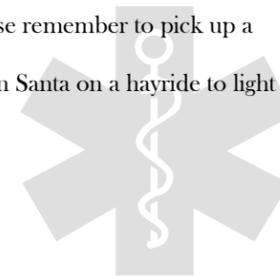
Please follow us on Facebook.

Tri-Village Volunteer Fire Department

Company Meeting: Wednesday, November 7th at 8:00PM (Drill at 7:00PM)

Rensselaerville Volunteer Ambulance Department

Company Meeting: Wednesday, November 21st at 7:00PM



Breakfast at the Medusa Fire House

7:00am to 11:00am

November 17, 2012

December 15, 2012

January 19, 2013

February 16, 2013

March 16, 2013

April 20, 2013

Please Join Us To Support Your Local Fire Dept
Fresh hot all you can eat breakfast made to order
Free Will Offering

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Snyder Lane Bridge. The permit to work on these projects has been extended. There will be no cost to the Town for these projects. They are FEMA Projects, the work will be paid for by the State and Federal governments.

PATCH ROLLER: Superintendent Bates stated that he was authorized to bid on a 1.5 ton Patch Roller, the bid went for \$1550.00. With the cost to bid, the cost to get the roller here and not knowing the condition of the roller he did not bid on it. The bid price would have gone over the cap of \$2000.00 that the Town Board agreed to.

Superintendent Bates mentioned that Bob Bolte is willing to sell his 1.5 ton patch roller to the Town for \$1200.00. The highway department has used that roller and the condition is good. Would the Town be interested in purchasing this roller. The Town Board discussed this issue.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to purchase the Eager Beaver 1.5 ton Patch Roller from Bob Bolte. Ayes (4) Lounsbury, Cooke, Kudlack, Sedlmeir; Nays (0) Abstained (1) Bolte

The Town Board accepted Superintendent Bate's report.

WATER/SEWER DISTRICT:

WATER/SEWER DISTRICT TREATMENT OFFICER: A motion was made, seconded and passed to appoint Douglas Story as Water/Sewer Treatment Officer. Ayes (5)

RETRO-ACTIVE PAY: A motion was made, seconded and passed to pay Douglas Story retro-active pay from September 3, 2012, (the date he took over the operations of the treatment facilities). Ayes (5)

RESIGNATION: Water/Sewer Acting Chairman Long submitted a letter of resignation as chairman due to health reasons. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept Jack Long's resignation.

CHAIRMAN APPOINTEMENT: Jack Long recommended that the Town Board appoint Thomas Delp to this position.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to appoint Thomas Delp Chairman of the Water/Sewer Committee. Ayes (5)

DEPUTY WATER/SEWER TREATMENT OFFICER: A motion was made, seconded and passed that a notice be put in the town newsletter advertising for an interested person to submit a letter of interest for this position. This person must be interested in getting certified. Ayes (5)

Douglas Story reported that the water is fine in the Hamlet, there was a little turbidity but that has been taken care of.

The hydrant issue was discussed briefly.

The Town Board accepted the Water/Sewer Committee Report.

CURRENT EVENTS: There will be a Blood Drive at the Rensselaerville Fire House on October 27th, 8 am to noon.

RHDA will hold a Candidates Forum on October 20th at 2:30PM at Conkling Hall.

DEPARTMENTS: The Town Board accepted the September minutes and reports from the Town Clerk, Building Inspector, Assessors, Water/Sewer Committee, and the Recycling Coordinator

OLD BUSINESS:

IN-FIELD MIX: Supervisor Lounsbury mentioned that the Park Committee has received a quote from Carver for in-field mix for the ball field. They quoted \$22.50 per yard, 100 yards is needed. Carver is the only business in the area that has this mix.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to purchase this in-field mix from Carver for the cost of \$2250.00. Ayes (4) Bolte, Cooke, Kudlack, Sedlmeir; Nays (0) Abstained (1) Lounsbury

TAX CAP LAW - LOCAL LAW NO. 1 OF 2012 - A Local Law Overriding the Real Property Tax Limit for Fiscal Year 2013.

The Town Board discussed the 2% tax cap issue. Supervisor Lounsbury mentioned that we know that no one wants their taxes to go up, if we put this law into effect we don't need to use it but it is there if we need it to have a healthy budget.

A resolution was made, seconded and passed to adopt Local Law No. 1 of 2012, A Local Law to Override the Real Property Tax Levy Limit for Fiscal Year 2013. Ayes (4) Lounsbury, Bolte, Cooke, Sedlmeir; Nays (1) Kudlack.

NEW BUSINESS

METHODIST HILL ROAD PROPOSED ORDINANCE: There is a parking issue on Methodist Hill Road, people are parking on both sides of the road near the corner of Route 351. Emergency vehicles are unable to make the turn if they need to go on this corner with people parking on both sides of the road. The Town Attorney and Superintendent Bates both looked at the problem. It is suggested that there be no parking on both sides of the Methodist Hill Road from the corner up 110 feet. Attorney Salazar presented to the Town Board proposed Ordinance No. 2 of 2012, an ordinance to establish a "No Parking" zone on Methodist Hill Road.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to hold a public hearing on this Ordinance No. 2 of 2012 on November 8, 2012 at 7PM at the Town Hall. Ayes (5)

The meeting was adjourned at 9PM.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS: Members of the audience brought up the parking issue on Methodist Hill Road

EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion was made, seconded and passed to go into Executive Session to discuss Union Contract matters and come out of Executive Session.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to ratify the Union Contract. Ayes (5).

This is a Summary of the October 11, 2012 meeting, the complete minutes will be put on the web page after they have been approved by the Town Board.

Kathleen A. Hallenbeck, Town Clerk

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local nonprofits can attend. Please contact the Library at 797-3949 or email Kim at director@rensselaervillelibrary.org to confirm your participation so that Rick and the Carey Center can plan accordingly.

Fine Amnesty: Do you have overdue Rensselaerville Library books, audiobooks, movies, magazines? Starting **November 13 through the 24th** is Fine Amnesty. In order to qualify, you must bring in bathroom supplies, nonperishable food items or school supplies for the Hilltown Resource Center. So dig through the closets, book bags and drawers, search the bookcases and family car, and recover those Library items. Fine Amnesty does not apply to damaged or lost items.

Computer Classes: The Library offered New York's digital literacy curriculum in October and we have had requests for another round. Watch the calendar, Kim will hold more classes this winter. Also if you have specific requests for a class send your ideas to director@rensselaervillelibrary.org

The **Greenville Scott M. Ellis Elementary School Guided Reading** reference sheets are available at the Library. The sheets help parents support the reading instruction their child is learning in school.

Thank you to all the contributors who shared their story for the **Community Art\$grant** project, *Sense of Place*, to **capture local resident stories from the Town of Rensselaerville** which may otherwise be lost to history. If you have a story to add to the collection please contact the Library at 797-3949, we will continue to add stories throughout the end of the year.

Do you have an Ereader? You have access to **free ebooks and audio books** through the Library and your Library card. No Library card, just stop into the Library and we can help you. Visit <http://digitalcollection.uhls.org/> to start downloading.

Technology giving you angst? Or do you need help with Microsoft Word, setting up an email account etc.? Sign up for one-on-one assistance with Kim, call the Library to schedule an appointment.

Local organizations looking for meeting space consider the newly renovated Community Room in the Library. If your organization would like to meet in the Library on a regular schedule the Library has filing cabinets available for you to store your documents. Contact Kim to schedule the use of the room.

Library Wish List - are you remodeling, reorganizing, or purchasing new technology? Consider donating to the Library, we are looking for the following items: 2 leather arm chairs, side table, coffee table, counter height table and two chairs, large outdoor style rug, children's chairs, carpet squares, any version of Amazon Kindle or Apple iPad.

Save the Date - **Library Annual Greenery Sale - Saturday, December 8th from 10am-2pm** It's that time of year again! Stop by the Library's Annual Greenery Sale, wreaths and trees will be available for purchase along festive Main Street. Find the perfect gift for someone inside the Library, where local craft persons and vendors will peddle their wares. If you are interested in being a vendor at the Greenery Sale, please contact Connie Kudlack at 797-3526 by November 29th or visit the library web site for more information. As part of the Greenery Sale the Library will be holding a **Book Sale**. Please **drop off donations by November 30th** during Library hours. Please Do Not drop off dirty or damaged books or any encyclopedias or text books.

Are you starting your **Holiday Shopping?** Have you considered a Library tote bag, note cards, ornament or tee shirts? Stop into the library and visit our **gift shop**.

Save the Date - Planning is underway for the next **Festival of Writers** *One Word Leads to Another...* will be held on August 15th through 18th, 2013.

If you would like to contact the Library Director by email please feel free to do so - director@rensselaervillelibrary.org Follow us on FaceBook at www.facebook.com/rensselaervillelibrary



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TOY DRIVE



*In association with the
Alb. Co. Sherriff's Dept.*

TO BENEFIT Hilltown families in need
Please help support your community neighbors by
donating

NEW ONLY

toys/books/gift cards/stocking stuffers
for children ages infant - teens

Donations will be collected from 11/7 thru 11/30.

Drop off locations:

Hilltown Cafe

Town Hall/Refuse Center

Rensselaerville Library



Events at Medusa Church

November 18th - Thanksgiving Service at 10am

December 2nd - Community Tree Lighting at 6pm

December 8th - Holiday Rummage Sale 9am -3pm

December 15th - 2nd Holiday Rummage Sale 8am-12(noon)

Also Breakfast at Fire House 7-11am

The Palmer House Café

1462 Main Street Rensselaerville
(518) 797-3449

Serving dinner Thursday – Sunday 5:00 – 9:30

COMING SOON

Pizza Take-Out on Wednesdays

www.palmerhousecafe.com

The Palmer House Café Coupon

This original coupon entitles the holder to a **10% discount off the total bill.**

This coupon may **not** be used for take-out orders or for special events such as stammtisch or holiday dinners.

Please check with your server before you order to make sure that the coupon will be honored.

One coupon per party, per visit only. This coupon expires on March 1st, 2013.

~We look forward to serving you~

Updated Contact Information

<u>Town Board Meetings</u> Second Thursday 7:00 pm	<u>Town Hall</u> 518-797-3798; 518-239-4225 Fax: 518-239-6339	<u>Town Highway Department</u> 518-239-4225, 518-797-3798
<u>Working Meeting</u> Tuesday preceding regular meeting 7:00pm	<u>Town Supervisor</u> Valerie Lounsbury	<u>Sen. Neil Breslin, 46th Dist.</u> Capital Bldg., Room 413 Albany, NY 12247 518-455-2800
<u>Town Justice Court</u> Mondays 7:00 pm	<u>Town Clerk & Collector</u> Kathleen A. Hallenbeck	<u>Assemblyman John McEneny, 104th Dist.</u> LOB, Room 648 Albany, NY 12248 518-455-4100
<u>Planning Board</u> First and third Thursdays 7:30 pm	<u>Town Justices</u> Gregory Bischoff Timothy Miller	<u>Co. Legislator, Deborah Busch, 39th Dist.</u> 518-872-0146
<u>Zoning Board of Appeals</u> First Tuesday 7:00 pm	<u>Councilpersons</u> Robert Bolte, Marion Cooke, John Kudlack, Margaret Sedlmeir	<u>Albany County Highway Dept.</u> 518-239-6715, 518-239-6710
<u>Building Inspector/Zoning Officer</u> Thursday 8:00-10:00am, 7-9 pm	<u>Building Inspector & Code Enforcement Officer</u> Mark Overbaugh	<u>Rensselaerville Fire Company, 911</u> Social Number - 797-3218
<u>Town Clerk's Hours</u> Monday-Wednesday 9:00am-3:30pm Thursday 1:30pm-7:30pm Friday: 9:00 a.m. - Noon	<u>Assessors</u> Donna Kropp, Richard Tollner Michael B. Weber Rachel Chase, Clerk II	<u>Tri-Village Fire Company, 911</u> Social number - 239-6780
<u>Supervisor's Hours</u> Monday - Friday 1pm - 4pm	<u>Highway Superintendent</u> Randy Bates	<u>Medusa Fire Company, 911</u> Back up emergency number, 765-5979 Social number - 239-6166
<u>Assessors' Hours</u> Thursday 6:00 pm-8:00 pm	<u>Planning Board</u> Richard Amedure, Chairperson Kathy Wank, Secretary	<u>Rensselaerville Vol. Ambulance, 911</u> For Information - 518-239-4560
<u>Assessors' Clerk Hours</u> Monday, Tuesday, Thursday morning	<u>Zoning Board of Appeals</u> James Glorioso, Chairman Kathy Wank, Secretary	<u>Albany County Sheriff, 911</u> 518-765-2351 State Police
<u>Dog Control Officer</u> Cheryl Baitsholts 518-797-5201	<u>Deputy Town Clerk</u> Dee Andrus	<u>Rensselaerville and Hilltowns, 911</u> 518-477-9333
<u>Town Refuse Station Hours</u> Wednesday and Saturday 7:00am-3:45pm	<u>Clerk 1</u> Sarah Hunt	<u>Hilltown Community Resource Center</u> 518-797-5256
<u>Water/Sewer District Meeting</u> First Thursday 7:00 pm		

IMPORTANT TOWN E-MAIL ADDRESSES

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