



# *Town of Saratoga News*

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## **Warm Greetings !**

July will be another busy month filled with town activities. We will celebrate the birth of our nation on Independence Day and special events such as the Food Pantry Opening and the Turning Point Parade activities are scheduled. The summer swimming program and other youth activities are in full swing. At the Town Board meeting on Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> the following items will be covered: Zoning Officer's report, Town Clerk's report, Supervisor's report, committee reports, Town Court report, health insurance review, PDR proposals, employee handbook amendment, Brown Road PUD discussions, Saratoga-Washington on the Hudson Partnership Plan, swimming program contract, and senior citizen group contracts. During the summer, the Town of Saratoga Offices close at noon on Fridays. Everyone is reminded that the monthly town newsletter, monthly calendar, and minutes of all town meetings are on the internet at [www.townofsaratoga.com](http://www.townofsaratoga.com)

## **Saratoga Lake Association News**

The annual meeting of the Saratoga Lake Association is scheduled for 7:00 pm, Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at Panza's on Route 9P. The official website of the Saratoga Lake Association is [www.saratogalake.org](http://www.saratogalake.org)

## **Quaker Springs Fire Department Satellite Fire Station**

A very successful open house was held at station #2 on Saturday and Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>.

## **Food Pantry Opens in New Location**

The Greater Schuylerville Area Food Pantry is now open at its new location in the annex building on the Town Hall Complex located at 12 Spring Street in Schuylerville. The Pantry is open each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. An open house and dedication will be conducted from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Tuesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. Ribbon cutting ceremonies will take place at 5:30 pm.

## **Turning Point Parade Activities**

This year the Turning Point Parade activities have been expanded. On Saturday July 31<sup>st</sup> there will be carnival events, crafts, food vendors, children's games, and music at Fort Hardy Park. There will be a street dance in the evening followed by a bonfire. The 16<sup>th</sup> annual Turning Point Parade will be held on Sunday, August 1<sup>st</sup>. The parade will start at 1:00 pm beginning at the school parking lot and traveling down Spring Street to Broad Street terminating at the Schuyler House. This promises to be the biggest and best parade so far! Please make an effort to attend and share a great time with your family and friends. Following the parade, a number of activities will continue at Fort Hardy Park. These include a chicken barbecue, carnival rides, food vendors, a number of musical performances, and a petting zoo. The evening will conclude with fireworks at dusk.

## **Assessor's News -**

The Final Assessment Roll for 2010 will be available on July 1<sup>st</sup> in the Town Hall. This roll will be used for taxation purposes for 2010-2011 school taxes and 2011 County and Town taxes. Anyone with questions regarding their assessment may contact the Assessor. The Assessor's Office is open Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM for the months of June, July, August and beginning of September. The Assessor is also available by appointment. The telephone number for the Assessor's Office is 695-3644, ext 312 (for the assessor).

## **Learn to Swim Program**

Registration for the Town of Saratoga "Learn to Swim Program" was conducted on June 28<sup>th</sup>. This year the program is being conducted at a lake located at Christ the King Spiritual Life Center on Louse Hill Road in the Town of Easton. Lessons begin on Tuesday, July 6<sup>th</sup> and will run for 5 weeks until August 6<sup>th</sup>. The program is being directed by Meaghan Wilkins and she may be reached at 692-9550.