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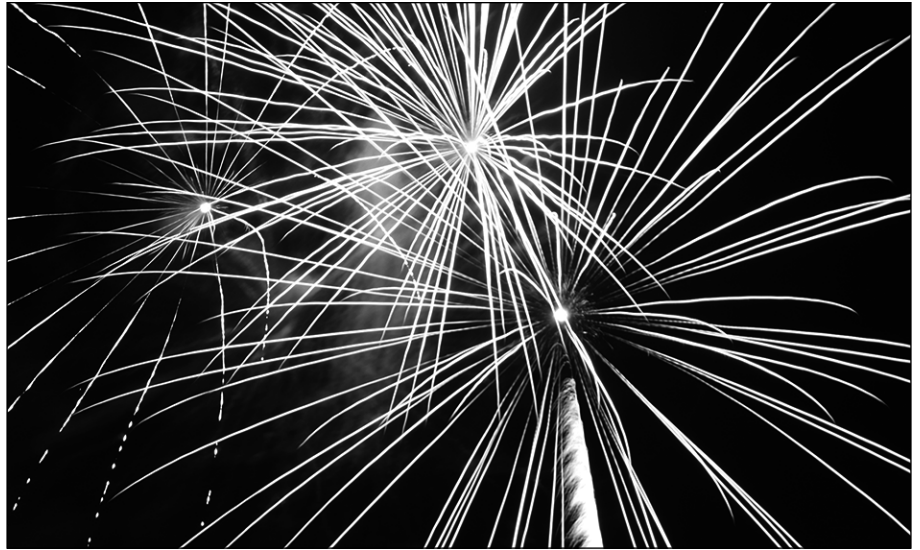
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# Maritime history

## Saugerties Lighthouse offers a unique look at the Hudson

By LAURA FITZGERALD

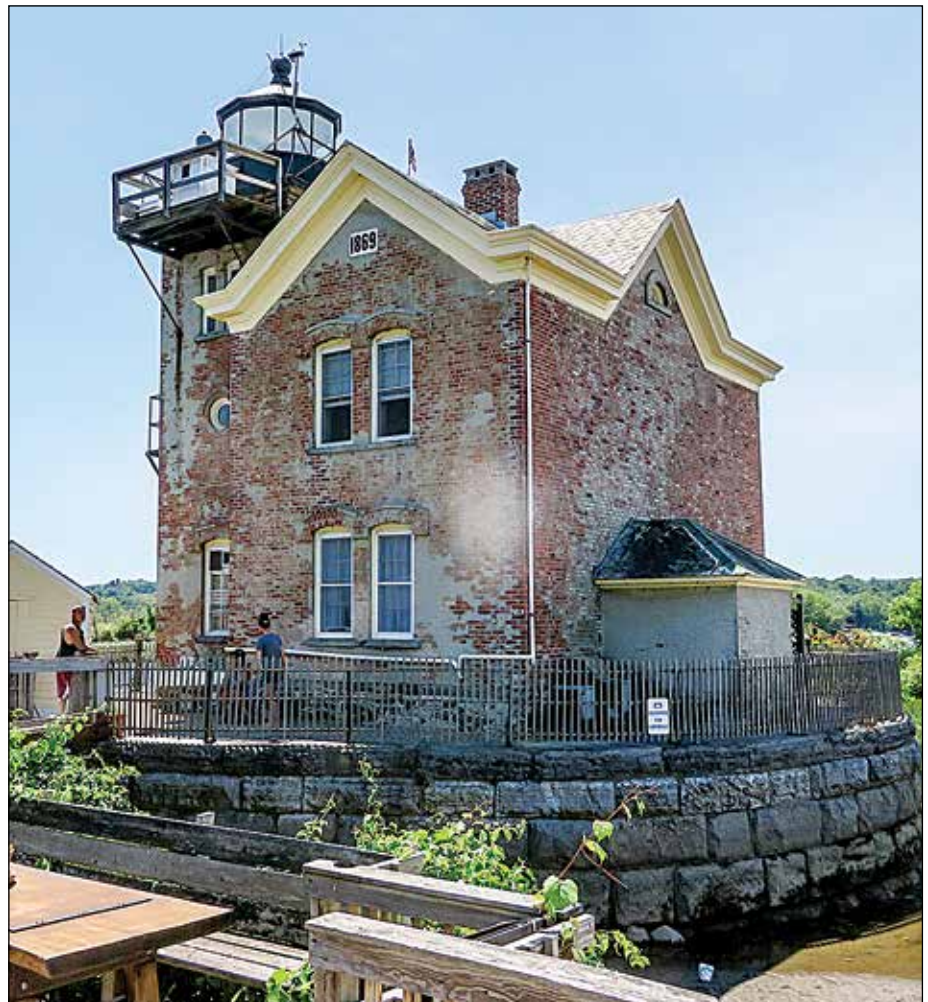
The Saugerties Lighthouse offers beautiful views and a little slice of history on the banks of the picturesque Hudson River.

A short path through the Ruth Reynolds Glunt Nature Preserve opens onto the red-brick lighthouse at the mouth of Esopus creek. Children enjoy a small beach and families picnic on a small island adjacent to the building. A dock offers access for small boats and kayakers.

Keeper Patrick Landewe greets visitors at the door of the house for tours, which starts in the kitchen. It's modeled with appliances and furniture to reflect the turn of the 19 and 20 centuries. Walking into the living room, it's easy to imagine keepers and their families gathering around the warm coal stove on cold winter nights to play games, read, knit or listen to the phonograph.

Pictures of the restoration efforts hang in the hallway. The building was shuttered in 1954 after the Coast Guard automated the light, and it fell into disrepair. In 1979, local historian Ruth Reynold Glunt and architect Elise Barry placed the lighthouse on the National Register of Historic Places. After years of neglect, Saugerties Lighthouse Conservancy began work to restore the building in 1986.

Decades of exposure to the moist air had caused the lighthouse to practically disintegrate. The tower leaned four inches out of place and the second floor, roof and first floor had completely rotted out. Bricks cracked and tipped dangerously.



The Saugerties Lighthouse sits at the mouth of Esopus Creek, offering a unique day trip or overnight stay.

Massive scaffolding was constructed to support the lighthouse while builders restored the masonry of the tower. More than 10,000 new bricks were hauled in to replace old ones damaged by moisture. Tons of wood, plaster and cement were hauled to the building. Gaps in the limestone seawall grout were filled with durable hydraulic cement. Local craftsman completed the building with woodwork, plastering, and painting. The lighthouse was officially commissioned as an aid to navigation on Aug. 4, 1990.

Landewe leads visitors upstairs to a small museum chronicling the maritime history of the Hudson Valley and the lighthouse.

The lighthouse was a guiding light for boats on a busy transportation hub. The deep-water port attracted many industries, including iron, glass, gunpowder, white lead and bluestone. Many large and small boats, including the Mary Powell, the Ulster, and the Ida, traveled out of Saugerties harbor. A model of the original lighthouse, built in 1835, sits on display. It was a house with a tower stationed in the



The Fresnel lens that used to sit in the lighthouse's tower is on display in the house's small museum.

middle of it, which made for cramped living quarters for the keepers and their families. The original lamps consisted of five whale oil lamps with parabolic reflectors arranged in a circle, which was expensive and labor-intensive. The base of the lighthouse was made from wood cribbing and stone fill, which didn't weather the harsh winters well.

"The ice would just tear away at that wood," Landewe said. "I guess they learned their lesson, this [current lighthouse] was a stone base built with massive stones to withstand the force of the ice in the winter."

The current lighthouse was built in 1869. It's built on durable stone pillars. With the tower on the side, it also was more spacious for keeper's families.

In 1854, the lighthouse was refitted with a state-of-the-art Fresnel lens imported from France. Visible from 10 nautical miles, the lamp required less oil, was easier to operate and brighter.

The original Fresnel lens sits in the little museum. The lens went missing for many years while the lighthouse sat vacant. No one knew what had happened to it until someone found it at a naval base in Virginia, Landewe said.

Keepers would have to check the light every three to four hours a night during fair weather, and even more in bad weather. Fog required maintaining the fog horn, which may have required a constant vigil.

Before the 1930s, the river froze in



The lighthouse includes a small museum with artifacts and pictures from the Hudson river's maritime and lighthouse history.

the winter and blocked ships, so the keepers could catch up on sleep since the light didn't need to be maintained. Sometimes, keepers made a little extra cash in the winter by harvesting ice.

Other artifacts from the lighthouse's history sit in a display case in the little museum. One of them is a pair of old ice skates, which Landewe said were keeper Conrad Hawk's. The keeper was an avid ice-skater and gained a reputation for winning competitions on the river.

Other pictures and news reports of the keepers hang on the walls. One is a news report about one of many rescue missions Keeper Katie Crowley and her sister, Ellen, completed. According to the report, the two sisters spotted a boat loaded with bluestone as it capsized in stormy waters. The sisters set out in their little rowboat, battling large swells, and pulled the two men to safety.

"They didn't think anything of it," Landewe said. "They just thought it was part of life here at the lighthouse and growing up here they probably developed some hearty rowing skills."

Katie started keeper duties when she was only a teenager. Her father, also a keeper, went blind from cataracts, during which Katie and Ellen took care of the light and their ailing parents. Katie officially received the keeper position in 1873, even though she had been doing the work for years.

The first keeper, Abraham Persons, was hired to start on Sept. 25, 1835. He paddled up to the lighthouse, took one look at it, decided he wasn't going to live in the cramped little building and rowed back to live in town. The superintendent of lighthouses traveled to the area from Washington, D.C., just to fire Persons in 1857.

Landewe finished the tour by trekking up a steep flight of stairs and climbing a ladder into the 46-ft tall tower. Offering spectacular views of the Hudson river and the Catskill mountains, the climb is worth the effort.

Guest can stay overnight in one of two bedrooms throughout the year, which pays for the upkeep of the house.

"A place like this really needs to be lived in to be properly look after," Landewe said. "The bed and breakfast helps with that."

The interior of the house is open on Sundays from Memorial Day weekend to Labor Day weekend for docent-led tours from 12 p.m.-3 p.m. The nature preserve and outside of the lighthouse is open everyday during the daylight hours. Landewe said those visiting the lighthouse should consult the tide tables online to avoid encountering water on the path.

To learn more about the lighthouse or the bed and breakfast, visit [saugertieslighthouse.com/](http://saugertieslighthouse.com/).

# Fourth of July

## June 29

### 4th of July Kick-off Celebration.

7-10 p.m. Frederick Meyers Veterans Memorial Park, Shipp Lane, Maybrook. Enjoy live music by Hotrod and Maybrook Troop Boy Scout Band and fireworks. Rain date June 30. 427-2717.

**Fireworks.** Dusk. Bear Mountain State Park, 55 Hessian Drive, Bear Mountain. Come early to secure a spot. 786-2701 x242.

## June 30

### Independence/Community Day Celebration.

Noon. Dockside Park, Cold Spring. Activities begin around Noon at the park with a parade down Main St. at 4 pm ending at the riverfront.

### Stars and Stripes Celebration.

Fancher Davidge Park, 130 Lake Ave., Middletown. Party in the park from 4-7 p.m., live entertainment at 7 p.m., fireworks at dusk. Bring your lawn chair.

## June 30-July 4

### Highland Falls 4th of July Celebration.

6-8 p.m. Main Street and Roe Park, Highland Falls. June 30 music by Falling High Concert. July 1 The Banjo Rascals 6-8 p.m. July 3 bed race at 6 p.m. July 4, 5K race at 8 a.m., parade at 3 p.m., food vendors, DJ Pat Mahan of Digital Musicians at Roe Park, live music by The Fabulous Hackers 7-8 p.m. fireworks at 9:15 p.m.

## July 1

**Gomez Mill House.** 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 11 Mill Road, Marlboro. Free admission for veterans and active-duty service members. 236-3126.

## July 3

**Independence Day Festival and Fireworks.** 6 p.m.-9:30 p.m. Millpond Park, Millpond Parkway, Monroe. Fireworks start approximately 9 p.m. Rain date July 7. 782-8341.

## Community Day and Independence Day Celebration.

6-10 p.m. Cronomer and Algonquin Park, Powder Mill Road, Newburgh. Food, games and more. Music by the Funk Junkies. Something for everyone with a fireworks display just after dark. 564-7815.

## July 4

**Cornwall Independence Day Celebration.** 7 a.m. - 10 p.m. Cornwall Town Hall, 183 Main St., Cornwall. The day's festivities begin with the Independence Day Breakfast at Highland Engine Co. from 7-10 a.m. Activities and special readings held throughout the day, and fireworks at 9:30 p.m.

## Reading of the Declaration of Independence.

9:30-10:30 a.m. Rosendale Theatre, 408 Main St., Rosendale. Twenty individuals have been selected to be readers, all of them were chosen as an acknowledgment of their exemplary service to our community. 658-8989.

**Independence Day Parade.** 10 a.m. Hyde Park. This year's parade will also celebrate the 100th anniversary of Veterans Day.

**Independence Day at New Windsor Cantonment.** 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. New Windsor Cantonment, 374 Temple Hill Road, New Windsor. Celebrate the 4th at a site hallowed by the soldiers who won our independence with a military drill and cannon firing at 2 p.m. Free Admission. 561-1765 x22.

**Independence Day at Knox's Headquarters.** 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Knox's Headquarters State Historic Site, 289 Forge Hill Road, Vails Gate. Celebrate the 4th at a site hallowed by the soldiers who won our independence. There will be a firing of a small cannon at 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Free Admission. 561-1765 x22.

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# Fourth of July

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**Independence Day Parade.** Noon. Ellenville.

**July 4th Celebration.** Noon-9 p.m. City of Newburgh. Family Day with vendors and artists on the river at Unico Park. Music 7-9 p.m. Fireworks at People's Waterfront Park at 9 p.m.

**Independence Day Program.** Noon-4 p.m. Fort Montgomery State Historic Site, 690 Route 9W, Fort Montgomery. Join us for a special Independence Day celebration at Fort Montgomery. Witness the ROAR and THUNDER at the Grand Battery when the fort's 6-pounder cannon "Ana" is fired at NOON! Camp activities and military drills will take place throughout the day.

**Grand Celebration: A Family Fun Fourth.** 2-4 p.m. Washington's Headquarters State Historic Site, 84 Liberty St., Newburgh. Enjoy a special performance of NECSO's

DRUMLINE, outdoor activities and crafts for all ages, and other surprises.

**Independence Day Fireworks Spectacular.** 7-10 p.m. Walkway over the Hudson, Highland. The Independence Day Fireworks Spectacular is one of three fundraising events the Walkway Over the Hudson nonprofit organization hosts each year. Both of the approaches of Walkway State Historic Park will be open. \$12.50 / Ticket, children Under 5 are free, Walkway Members \$10.

**Fireworks.** 6-9 p.m. Town of Walkkill Golf Course, 40 Sands Road, Middletown. Festivities begin at 6 p.m. Fireworks at dusk. Parking at Circleville Elementary School. No parking at the golf course. 692-7826.

**July 6  
Town of Lloyd Independence Day celebration.** 6-10 p.m. Town field (behind the Methodist Church)

Highland. DJ Rick Knight, local food vendors, games and bounce castle for kids.

**July 7  
New Paltz in the War for Independence.** 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Historic Huguenot Street, 81 Huguenot Street, New Paltz. Historic Huguenot Street will host a Revolutionary War encampment on Saturday, July 7, with the 5th New York Regiment. The original 5th New York Regiment included many soldiers from Orange and Ulster counties. 255-1660.

**Red, White & Blue Fireworks Spectacular.** 5 p.m. Thomas Felten Community Park, 11 Patura Road, Modena. Live music by Breaking Justice. Food vendor. Fireworks at dusk. Rain date: July 8.

**Woodbury's Independence Day Celebration.** 5:30-9:30 p.m. Monroe Woodbury Middle School, 199 Dunderberg Road, Central Valley. Touch-A-Truck 5:30-8:30,

kids activities, food vendors and ice cream. Fireworks will begin at dusk at the athletic field. 928-6912.

**West Point Independence Day Celebration.** 7:30-9:30 p.m.; July 9 rain date. Trophy Point, 117 Washington Road, West Point. There's no better way to celebrate America's independence than with the Army's oldest band! Grab a blanket, bring a picnic, and enjoy a wide variety of music ranging from traditional field music to today's popular hits, and everything in between. As always, this performance concludes with a spectacular fireworks display over the Hudson River. Valid ID required for anyone over the age of 17. 938-2617.

**July 14  
Chester Fireworks.** 4-9:30 p.m. Carpenters Field, 19 Vidala Road, Chester. Live bands, food vendors and fireworks at dusk. 469-7000 x8.

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**Fridays, June, 29;  
July 6, 13, 20**

**Rhyme Time By the Hudson.**

9:30 - 10:15 a.m. Boscobel, 1601 Route 9D, Garrison. Joyful learning through nursery rhymes, songs, parachute play, and storytelling will spark your little one's curiosity and imagination. Museum Educator Lisa DiMarzo leads this interactive program designed for children ages 1 through 4 with their caregivers. Meet up with little friends or make new friends here at Boscobel!

**June 27**

**Summer Reading Kickoff.** 6:30 p.m. Wallkill Public Library, 7 Bona Ventura Ave., Wallkill. Jester Jim will kick off the summer reading program with juggling, comedy and beatbox music. 895-3707.

**Fridays-Sundays in July  
Wildlife Education Center  
Hours and Exhibits.** Noon-4

p.m. Hudson Highlands Nature Museum's Wildlife Education Center, 25 Boulevard, Cornwall-on-Hudson. "Birds on the Wing" Exhibit (This exhibit made possible in part by The Dorr Foundation and Orange & Rockland Utilities) and the Hall of Live Animals. On the weekends at 1 p.m. & 2:30 p.m. join a Museum Educator to "Meet the Animal" of the week! Admission: Museum Members are free. Not-yet-Members \$3.

**Saturdays & Sundays**

**Meet the Animals.** 1-3 p.m. Hudson Highlands Nature Museum's Wildlife Education Center, 25 Boulevard, Cornwall-on-Hudson. The Wildlife Education Center (WEC) is the home of many animals that can be found in our local woods, fields, ponds and rivers including, rabbits, turtles, frogs, toads, salamanders, snakes and fish. As well as a screech owl, a great horned owl, and of course

the crowd favorite, Edgar, our resident crow that says "hello!". 534-5506 x 204.

**Sundays**

**Children and Families Series:  
Pond Life and Climate Change.**

1-3 p.m. Storm King Art Center, 1 Museum Road, New Windsor. Become a scientist and examine what the physical and biological traits of the ponds teach us about changes in our environment. Perform water quality tests, grab a dip net, and sketch your observations. Organized with the Hudson Highlands Nature Museum. 534-3115.

**Natural Happenings: Storm**

**King Wall.** 1-3 p.m. Storm King Art Center, 1 Museum Road, New Windsor. Spend the afternoon at Andy Goldsworthy's Storm King Wall and create your own sculpture from branches that extends over the fields of Storm

King. These hands-on experiences are created and led by artists, conservators, arts educators, and environmental educators. 534-3115.

**June 30**

**Family Fun Festival.** 8 a.m.-4 p.m. FDR Library Great Lawn, Route 9, Hyde Park. Activities include a bird walk, performances by the Bindlestiff Family Circus, an iHeartMedia live radio broadcast, garden activities, meet first responders, music and dancing, a raptor show, face painting, food trucks and more.

**July 7**

**Living Things Near & Far.** 10-11:30 a.m. Outdoor discovery Center at Hudson Highlands Nature Museum, Muser Drive, Cornwall. Learn all about native, non-native and invasive plants

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and animals as you hike along the trails through fields and forests. Admission: Museum Members-\$5/Adults, \$3/Children. Not-yet-Members:\$8/Adults, \$6/Children.

### July 9

**Children and Families: Imagined Spaces.** 1-3 p.m. Storm King Arts Center, 1 Museum Road, New Windsor. Program will be led by Nina Carlson. Use Outlooks artist, Heather Hart's, The Oracle of Lacuna and your imagination to create your own dwelling. For ages 5 and older. 534-3115.

### July 11

**Junior Naturalists Program: Slithery Snakes.** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Minnewaska Park, Route 44/55, Gardiner. Curious about Snakes? Come join us at Minnewaska for

a brief lesson about the snakes found in the Park Preserve. This will be followed by a Snake Scents Game, where you are the snake and must determine what is inside a container by scent alone. Snake stories will also be shared by leaders and participants and the group will be led on a hike along the scenic, three-mile-long Beacon Hill Loop. This program is recommended for seven to twelve-year-old children, accompanied by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18. Well behaved younger siblings are always welcome. Meet at the Minnewaska Nature Center. Pre-registration is required by calling Minnewaska at 845-255-0752.

### July 12

**Junior Naturalists Program: Outdoor Survival Skills.** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Minnewaska Park, Route 44/55, Gardiner. Join park

educators on an exciting and fun outdoor survival challenge. Participants will learn how to read a map and use a compass, pack a backpack for a hike, and understand the principles of Leave No Trace. Then, everyone will practice their skills on a hike around Lake Minnewaska, stopping at various points along the way to orient themselves using the map and compass. This program is recommended for eight to twelve-year-old children, accompanied by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18. Meet at the Minnewaska Nature Center. Pre-registration is required by calling Minnewaska at 845-255-0752.

### July 14

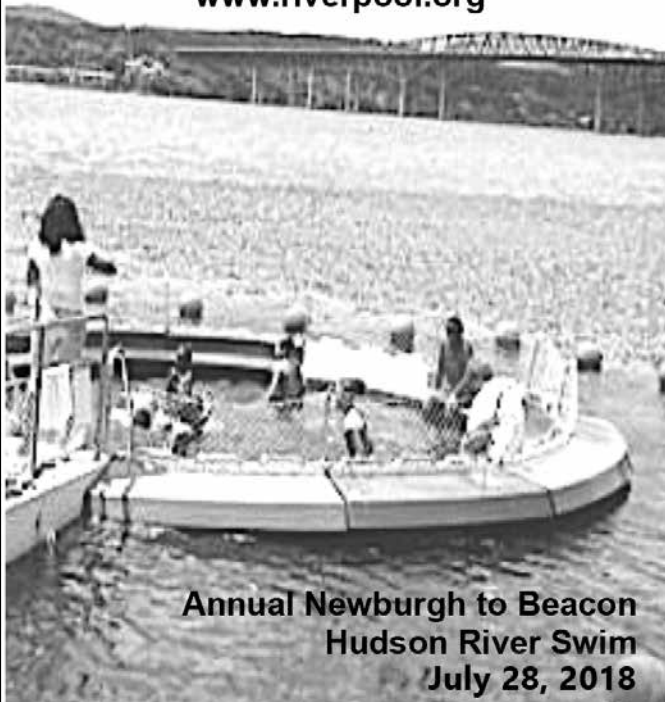
**Jack and the Beanstalk.** 11 a.m. Centre for Performing Arts, 661 Route 308, Rhinebeck. By The Puppet People. Find out what you get when you mix 1 Cow, 3 Magic

Beans and 1 Giant Beanstalk in this fun-filled puppet show with lots of audience participation! \$7. 876-3080.

**Kids' Night: Story Time with Quinette.** 6:30 p.m. Trophy Point Amphitheater, West Point. Calling all kids! Join the West Point Band's Quintette 7 as they bring your favorite children's stories to life in this fun and interactive musical experience for the young and young at heart. Your little ones will get to sing, dance, march, and move along with the members of the band as they perform musical renditions of classics such as The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Dear Zoo, and so much more. Be sure to arrive at 6 p.m. for the instrument petting zoo, where your child can get up close and personal with the instruments of the band! 938-2617.

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## July 14 & Aug. 11

**Bring the Kids Second Saturdays at Boscobel.** 9:30 a.m. Boscobel Restoration, route 9D, Garrison. \$7 members, \$11 non-members. Enjoy a family-focused tour of the Historic House Museum with Museum Educator Lisa DiMarzo. Explore the past through hands-on activities. Then, take a break with a snack and bring the memories home with a special craft.

## July 16-20

**CaravanKids Summer workshop Week.** 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. or 3 p.m. Stone Mountain Farm, 475 River Road Ext., New Paltz. The program introduces children to the wonderful world of dance! CK Week is so much more than just a dance program - it's a full week of adventure, movement, art, imagination, and creativity. Cost \$250 half day 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., \$375 full day 9 a.m. - 3 a.m.

## July 23-27

**Camp Huguenot.** 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Historic Huguenot Street, 81 Huguenot Street, New Paltz. Campers ages 9-12 are invited to discover, explore, and experience Historic Huguenot Street, where they will learn about the site, its unique history, and the individuals who settled New Paltz over 300 years ago. 845-255-1660.

**July 23-27, July 30-Aug. 3 Improv Performing Arts Camp.** 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Unison Arts Learning Center, 68 Mountain Rest Rd, New Paltz. This summer please join us for two weeks of extraordinary theatrical awareness sessions that will guide your children through the many levels of theatre development; from creating a story from their own voice and experience to transferring that story to play format and finally to performing their stories before an audience. \$350/session or \$650 for both sessions. 255-1559.

## July 23-Aug. 12

**Summer Dance on Tour.** 10 Main St., New Paltz. Our annual SummerDance on Tour is a three week workshop that engages students in a wide variety of dance forms and styles that expand their perceptions and vocabulary in the world of dance, while also piquing their performance skills. Classes are for all levels, and include subjects such as Modern, Percussive, Swing, Bollywood / Indian Folk, Flamenco, Improvisation, Choreography and Ballet. \$375-\$925. 256-9300.

## July 28

**Treasure Island by Hampstead Stage Company.** 11 a.m. Centre for Performing Arts, 661 Route 308, Rhinebeck. Ahoy mates! Come along on a fantastical pirate journey! \$7. 876-3080.

## July 30-Aug. 3

**Young Writers Program.** Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Historic Huguenot Street, 81 Huguenot Street, New Paltz. In one adventurous week, we will tour historic stone houses, explore a wildlife sanctuary, and spend time on a working farm as we learn and write about the remarkably rich history of this land and its people. 845-255-1660.

## July 31

**Junior Naturalists: Beautiful Butterflies.** 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Minnewaska State Park Preserve, Route 44/55, Gardiner. Join park educators to learn about butterflies and what makes them so unique. We'll search for evidence of their activity, including eggs, caterpillars, leaf chewing and actual butterflies, as we walk the trails in the Peter's Kill Area. We'll also play a fun butterfly game called Flutter-by Butterfly. This program is recommended for six to ten year old children, accompanied by a parent or guardian over the

age of 18. Siblings of any age are welcome; however, younger siblings may need parental assistance. Meet at the Peter's Kill Park Office. Pre-registration is required by calling Minnewaska at 845-255-0752.

## Aug. 1

**Junior Naturalists: Pond Exploration and Blueberry Picking Adventure.** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Minnewaska State Park Preserve, Route 44/55, Gardiner. Join park educators to learn all about the animals and insects that live in ponds, and then we'll pick delicious blueberries! We'll take an approximately two-mile-long hike to visit two remote ponds where children will use nets to search for animals. When we've had enough fun with the pond, we'll pick wild blueberries until our hands are purple! This program is recommended for six to ten-year-old children, accompanied by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18. Well behaved younger siblings are always welcome. Meet at the Minnewaska Nature Center. Pre-registration is required by calling Minnewaska at 845-255-0752.

## Aug. 11

**Magic by Monaco.** 11 a.m. Center for Performing Arts, 661 Route 308, Rhinebeck. Frank Monaco returns with his fast paced and entertaining magic and comedy show. Live animals, lots of laughs and loads of audience participation add up to a show enjoyed by audiences of all ages. \$7. 876-3080.

## Aug. 15

**Junior Naturalists: Birds.** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Minnewaska State Park Preserve, Route 44/55, Gardiner. Join park educators for a round of birding. Bring your children to learn all about birds by listening to bird calls, touching bird feathers and feet, measuring their wing span and looking at mounted birds. An interactive game will teach them the concepts of

gathering food for their young as they pretend to be parent birds and they'll make their own bird mask. Then, we'll take a walk on the picturesque trails in the Peter's Kill Area to look for birds. A few pairs of binoculars will be available to borrow for the walk. This program is recommended for seven to twelve-year-old children, accompanied by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18. Well behaved younger siblings are always welcome. Meet at the Peter's Kill Parking Area. Pre-registration is required by calling Minnewaska at 845-255-0752.

## Aug. 16

**Junior Naturalists: Water Cycle & Rain Sticks.** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Minnewaska State Park Preserve, Route 44/55, Gardiner. Join park educators for a fun morning learning about the water cycle. We'll take a hike to visit the Peter's Kill stream and we'll play the Incredible Journey Game, where each child pretends to be a drop of water. Lastly, everyone will make their very own rain stick to take home. This program is recommended for eight to twelve-year-old children, accompanied by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18. Well behaved younger siblings are always welcome. Meet at the Peter's Kill Park Office. Pre-registration is required by calling Minnewaska at 845-255-0752.

## Aug. 18

**Il Comedianti.** 11 a.m. Center for Performing Arts, 661 Route 308, Rhinebeck. The CENTER is thrilled to host an international puppet production by acclaimed Italian artists Teatrino Giullare! Two actors give life to the stylized and surreal characters of Italian theatrical tradition of Commedia dell'Arte mixing comedy, music and puppetry. Made possible with support from the Province of Bologna, Regione Emilia Romagna. \$7. 876-3080.

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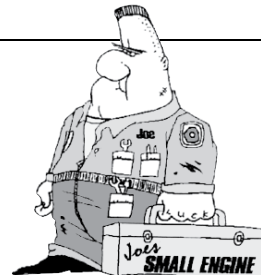


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**June 27**

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. The Hype will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**Rico Suave's.** 6:15-8:15 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill. Dress for the weather. Bring a lawn chair or blanket. Pack food and drink.

**June 28**

**Gene Focarelli Band.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring a chair. 343-8075.

**June 29**

**Jimmy Sturr & His Orchestra.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37



Music Under the Stars June 30 & Aug. 4

West Main St., Middletown. Bring a chair. 346-4192.

**June 30**

**Chris Brune Presents the Spirit of Chautauqua.** 7:30-9 p.m. Storyteller and performer Chris

Brune shares stories, songs and information in the style of the Chautauqua movement. 258-0818.

**June 30 and Aug. 4**

**Music Under the Stars: Benny Havens Band.** 7:30 p.m. Trophy

Point Amphitheater, West Point. Join West Point's official party band for some carefree summer fun as they kick of the summer with their own A-list playlist, featuring classic rock and pop favorites to old school hip-hop and R&B. 938-2617.

**July 1, 29, Aug. 26**

**Spirit Brothers.** 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Unison Arts & Learning Center, 68 Mountain Rest Road, New Paltz. Join Joseph Jastrab, Ned Leavitt, and Robert Bard for a morning of chanting. Share a morning of beauty and spirit. 255-1559.

**July 3**

**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Main Street Music and Art Studio

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student band performance. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**Hillbilly Parade.** 7-9 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

## July 5

**Emish E-3.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring a chair. 343-8075.

**Rave On.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic and baskets. Refreshments also available.

**Rivers Edge.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street, Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes and enjoy live music. 457-9661.

## July 6

**Harrison Street Band.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

## July 9

**Pine Bush Community Band.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

## July 10

**Roundtable Discussion.** 3 p.m. Studley Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. Featuring PianoSummer Faculty.

**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Midnight Slim & Laurieanne perform classic rock. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**E'Lissa Jones Band.** 7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

## July 11

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. The Differents will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**Fishkill Summer Concert Series.** 7 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill.

**Soul Purpose.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

## July 12

**Side By Side.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Master Class with Awadagin Pratt.** 3 p.m. Studley Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. Among his generation of concert artists, pianist Awadagin Pratt is acclaimed for his musical insight and intensely involving performances in recital and with symphony orchestras. 845-257-SUNY.

**Soul City.** 6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, next to the post office, Sugar Loaf. Food and drinks available.

**Black Dirt Bandits.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street, Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes and enjoy live music. 457-9661.

## July 13

**Curative.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

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**Pine Bush Community Band.** 7 p.m. Catholic War Veterans Building, 161 Center St., Pine Bush. Free Admission.

**Student Recital I.** 7 p.m. McKenna Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. \$10. 257-3880.

**July 13-15**  
**The Big Band Sound.** Cunneen-Hackett Arts Center, 12 Vassar St., Poughkeepsie. Broadway's Best Big Band Music by a 25-piece jazz orchestra. Benefits the Sparrow's Nest. Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., Sunday at 2 p.m.

**July 14**  
**Faculty Gala.** 7 p.m. Studley Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. Classical music featuring Vladimir Feltsman, Robert Hamilton, Paul Ostrovsky, Phillip Kawin, Alexander Korsantia & Pavlina Dokovska. The Faculty Gala features showpieces of

celebrated composers, and a rare chance to hear them all on one night. 845-257-SUNY.

**July 15**  
**Taiko Masala.** 3-5 p.m. Snyder Estate, 668 Route 213, Rosendale. Japanese Drumming Concert Sunday. 845-658-9900.

**July 16**  
**Jacob Flier Piano Competition First Round.** 3 p.m. McKenna Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. \$10.

**July 17**  
**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. The Drizzle performs funk, soul and R&B. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.  
**Bruce Katz Band.** 7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

**July 18**  
**Jacob Flier Piano Competition Final Round.** 3 p.m. McKenna Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. \$10. 257-3880.

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. Lucky House will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**Hillbilly Parade.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

**The Saints.** 7 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill. Dress for the weather. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

**July 19**  
**Liza Doolite Trio.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**E'Lissa Jones.** 6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

**Student Recital II.** 7 p.m. McKenna Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. \$10.

**July 20**  
**Stagecraft: A Workshop.** 3 p.m. Studley Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. Paul Harvey Jr. will lead the workshop. 845-257-SUNY.

**Blues at the Ritz: Bruce Katz.** 7-9 p.m. Ritz Theater Lobby, 107 Broadway, Newburgh. Bruce Katz is a four time nominee for the Blues Music Award for "Pinetop Perkins Piano Player of the Year" selected by the Blues Foundation

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**Rachel Berkman & Common Ground.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Hot Flash & the Hormones.** 7-9 p.m. Alice Court, 52 Alice Court, Pine Bush.

## July 21

**Guest Artist Recital: Marc-Andre Hamelin.** 7 p.m. Studley Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. Pianist Marc-Andre Hamelin performs the great works of the established repertoire, as well as for his intrepid exploration of the rarities of the 19th, 20th, and 21st centuries. 845-257-SUNY.

**The Music of John Williams.** 7:30 p.m. Trophy Point Amphitheater, West Point. Escape to the movies and relive all of your favorite cinematic moments through the power of music as the West Point Band brings you some of the best scores composed for the silver screen. From the exciting and dramatic to lighthearted and comedic soundtracks, this program has something for everyone. 938-2617.

## July 24

**Master Class: Daria Rabotkina.** 3 p.m. Studley Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. A former student of Vladimir Feltsman and Natalya Antonova, and an alumnus of PianoSummer of 1998, she holds degrees from Mannes College of Music and Eastman School of Music. She is an Assistant Professor of Piano at Texas State University and stands

as an Associate Director of the Texas State International Piano Festival. 845-257-SUNY.

**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Srato G featuring Tony DePaolo. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**Swing Shift Orchestra.** 7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

## July 25

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. Hurley Mountain Highway will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**The Wild Irish Roses.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

**River of Dreams.** 7 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill. Dress for the weather. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

## July 26

**Breakneck Annie.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Student Recital III.** 7 p.m. McKenna Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. \$10.

**OC5.** 6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

**Hurley Mountain Highway.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Henderson & Osinski will perform. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening. 457-9661.

## July 27

**Jenna Esposito.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St.,

Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Flier Competition Gala.** 7 p.m. McKenna Theatre, SUNY New Paltz, 1 Hawk Drive, New Paltz. Featuring 2017 Jacob Flier Piano Competition winners Polina Kulikova (25 yrs, Russia), Mackenzie Melemed (23 yrs, USA) & Hao Tian (15 yrs, China). 257-3880.

**Soul Purpose Band.** 7-9 p.m. Bullville Park. 744-2029.

## July 28

**Music Festival.** Noon-10 p.m. Palaia Vineyards, 10 Sweet Clover Road, Highland Mills. Music from band after band all day and into the night - Food, Wine, Beer, Wine Slushies and more. Great raffle items galore donated by people all over the Hudson valley. Wagon rides thru the vineyard and a bounce house for the kids. Vendors of all kinds on the grounds and the winery will be open all day as well. \$10 per person and kids under 12 free - tickets at the gate. 928-5384.

## July 29

**Bill Perry Blues Festival.** 11:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester. Annual Bill Perry Day celebrating the Music and Legacy of Bill Perry. The Streets will be lined with hand painted guitars and you might win one! Music to include Slam Allen, Rambling Redden Review, Dan Brothers Band and Scribner Brothers. Bill's Family drum circle and Ceremony. 469-2871.

## July 31

**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Henderson & Osinski will perform. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**Hurley Mountain Highway.** 7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

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**Aug. 1**

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert**

**Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. Country Fresh will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**Mike Antonelli Jazz Quartet.**

7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

**Southern Dutchess Concert**

**Band.** 7 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill. Dress for the weather. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

**Aug. 2**

**Hot Flash & The Hormones.**

6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Hay Jude.**

6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway,

Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

**NY Swing Exchange.**

6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street, Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes and enjoy live music. 457-9661.

**Aug. 3**

**Diablo Station.**

7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Aug. 7**

**Bandstand Concert Series.**

6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. E'Lissa Jones Band will perform folk and pop-rock. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**Somerville.**

7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

**Aug. 8**

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert**

**Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. The Ronald Reaans will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**Hot Flash & The Hormones.**

7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

**Hot Rod.**

7 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill. Dress for the weather. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

**Aug. 9**

**Elisa Jones Trio.**

6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Still Sufin'.**

6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs,

blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

**Marc Berger & Ride.**

6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street, Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes and enjoy live music. 457-9661.

**Hudson Valley Jazz Fest.**

7 p.m. Village Green, Railroad Avenue, Warwick. NY Swing Exchange will perform.

**Aug. 10**

**Date Night Summer concert/**

**Movie Series.** Vern Allen Park, Corner of Route 94 and Ahern Boulevard, Washington. Live music begins at 6 p.m., outdoor movie begins at 8 p.m. 418-5347.

**Newburgh Jazz Series.**

6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. The Walker Valley Marching Band and

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**Hudson Valley Jazz Fest.** 7 p.m. Glenmere Brewery, 78 Millpond Parkway, Monroe. Performance by Larry Newcomb and Steve Kaiser Duo. 7 p.m.: Larry Newcomb and Steve Kaiser Duo at Bourbon St. 78 Millpond Pkwy. Monroe. 7 p.m. Two Band Special Performance. The Hudson Valley Jazz Festival Presents "Jazz Beyond", an improvisational electronic and acoustic trio. 8 p.m. -The Gabriele Tranchina Group. Warwick Center for The Performing Arts. 63 Wheeler St. Warwick. \$5. yep just 5 bucks!

**Route 66.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Concert in the Park.** 7-9 p.m. Alice Court, 52 Alice Court, Pine Bush. Midnight Slim Featuring Laurie Anne will perform. 744-2029.

**Aug. 11 Hudson Valley Jazz Festival.** 1 p.m. Moffat Library, 6 West Main St., Washingtonville. The Bill Pernice Group will perform. 5:30 p.m. The Pine Island Chamber of Commerce presents The Rick Savage Group. at Pine Island Park, Kay Road. 7 p.m. The Village of Warwick Concert Series presents The Pete Levin Group, with Lenny White, Ira Coleman, Alex Foster, Jeff Ciampa and ... Village Green, Railroad Ave. Warwick. 8 p.m. Doug Munro and La Pompe, The Bean Runner Cafe, Peekskill.

**Orange County Pop, Rock & Doowop Series.** 6:30

p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. The Clusters All Star Revue will perform. Bring your own chair or blanket.

**Hello, Dolly!** At 50. 7:30 p.m. Trophy Point Amphitheater, West Point. Treat yourself after a busy workweek to some world-class music by the talented musicians of the West Point Band. In addition to our usual entertaining summer fare, this concert will also showcase music honoring the 50th anniversary of the timeless movie classic "Hello, Dolly!" Fun fact: the movie's final wedding scene and reprise were actually filmed right at Trophy Point. 938-2617.

**Aug. 12 Hudson Valley Jazz Festival.** The Iron Forge Inn Jazz Brunch with The Skye Jazz Quartet, noon-

3 38 Iron Forge Road, Warwick. 3 p.m. The Albert Wisner Library Presents The Eric Person Group. 5 p.m. "Courtyard Music Series" presents .. The Rave Tesar Trio 28 Railroad Ave. Warwick

**Newburgh Jewish Music Series.** 4:30-6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. KaN Trio perform jazz.

**Aug. 14 Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Acoustic companion will perform. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**Jerry the Bulldog.** 7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

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# In Concert

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## Aug. 15

**Benny Havens Band.** 6:30 p.m. Vanderbilt Mansion, Route 9, Hyde Park. The band performs classic rock and pop to old school hip-hop and R&B and patriotic favorites.

**Nancy Pullar Summer Concert Series.** 7-8:30 p.m. New Windsor Town Hall Lawn, 555 Union Ave., New Windsor. Tim Urban will perform. In the event of rain concerts are inside the community center. 565-7750.

**Louie Tunes.** 7 p.m. Maurer-Geering Park, Geering Way, Fishkill. Dress for the weather. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

**Side by Side Family Band.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

## Aug. 16

**Gene Focarelli & Friends.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. 343-8075.

**Concert Band - Music in the Parks.** 6:30 p.m. Vanderbilt Mansion, Route 9, Hyde Park. Bring your family, friends, and a picnic, and join us for an evening of superb music set to the stunning backdrop of Hyde Park's Vanderbilt Mansion. We are proud to continue the tradition of annual summer concerts at this impressive venue. Rain date Aug. 17.

**The Slambovian Circus of Dreams.** 6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

**Midnite Image.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street, Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes and enjoy live music. 457-9661.

## Aug. 17

**The Vibe.** 6-8 p.m. Run 4 Downtown Park, 9-15 North Street, Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**The Shallows.** 6-8 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Newburgh Jazz Series.** 6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. The Rick Altman Quartet will perform. Bring your own chair or blanket.

**Concert in the Park.** 7-9 p.m. Alice Court, 52 Alice Court, Pine Bush. The Mustangs will perform. 744-2029.

## Aug. 18

**Orange County Pop, Rock & Doowop Series.** 6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. Dr. Magkneetoe Medicine Show will perform. Bring your own chair or blanket.

**Red, White and Country.** 7:30 p.m. Trophy Point Amphitheater, West Point. The Benny Havens Band will make you want to sing along to tunes from Brad Paisley, Miranda Lambert, Garth Brooks, Little Big Town, and more! West Point's own "Country Colonel," Colonel Doug McInvale will also make an appearance. Head on over to Trophy Point for a night of good old-fashioned fun down by the river!

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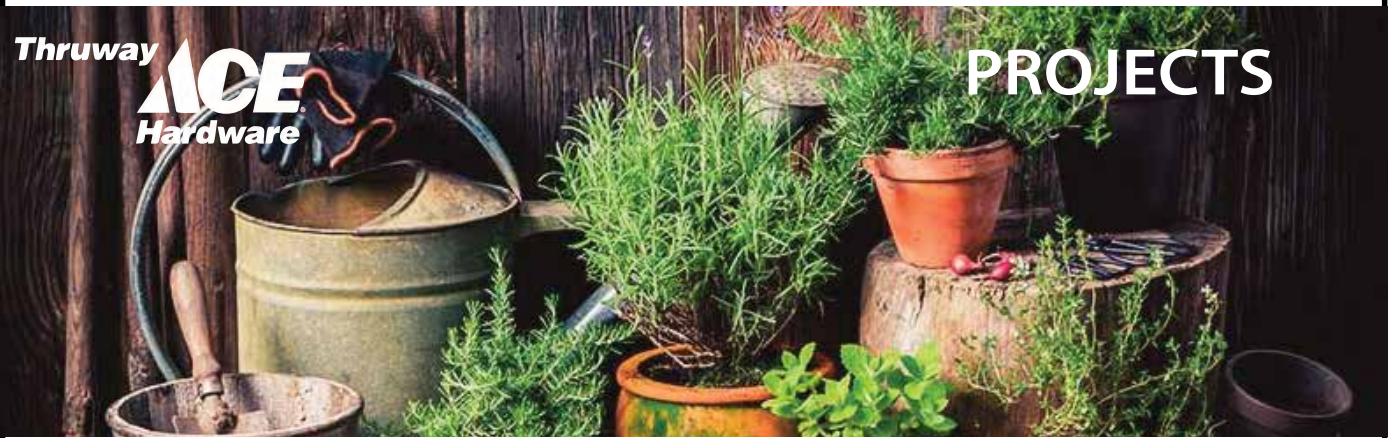
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## Aug. 19

**Rock-A-Thon.** Noon-6 p.m. Newburgh Elks Club, 356 Washington St., Newburgh. Live music by The Zylofone Singers, Jay Zalesky, acoustic Sludge, Rock Slyde, Bianca Carano Band, The Midnite Image Band, Vinny & The CoverBoys, Cruise Control, the Jon Bates Band. Adults 16-over - \$15, Young Adults 11-15 - \$10, Kids 10-under - Free ••Cash Bar. 845-800-3424.

## Pine Bush Community Band.

3 p.m. Montgomery Senior Center Concert, 36 Bridge St., Montgomery. Free Admission.

## Newburgh Jewish Music

**Series.** 4:30-6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. Madarka perform.

## Aug. 21

**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Hurley Mountain Highway will perform. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

**Black Dirt Bandits.** 7 p.m. Parking lot behind village hall, 47 Main St., Chester.

## Aug. 22

**Tim Urban.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

## Aug. 23

**Rated R.** 6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

**Sass & Brass.** 6:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street,



Tim Urban - Aug. 22

Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes. 547-9661.

## Aug. 24

**Newburgh Jazz Series.** 6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. Slide Attack will perform. Bring your own chair or blanket.

**Hurley Mountain Band.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

**Concert in the Park.** 7-9 p.m. The Gazebo, Main St, Pine Bush. Side FX will perform. 744-2029.

## Aug. 25

**Mamalama and Andes Manta Concert.** 3-5 p.m. Snyder Estate, 668 Route 213, Rosendale. 845-658-9900.

## Orange County Pop, Rock & Doowop Series.

6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. Swingeroos will perform. Bring your own chair or blanket.

## Aug. 26

**David Temple: Guitar Music of Spain & Latin America.** 3 p.m. Center for Performing Arts at Rhinebeck, 661 Route 308, Rhinebeck. \$20. 876-3080.

## Newburgh Jewish Music

**Series.** 4:30-6:30 p.m. Newburgh Waterfront, 1 Washington St., Newburgh. Assaf Gleizner Quartet perform.

## Aug. 28

**Bandstand Concert Series.** 6:30-8:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, 325 Hudson St., Cornwall-on-Hudson. Jeremy Baum Trio will perform. In case of rain, concerts are held the following evening.

## Aug. 29

**Dan Brother Band.** 7 p.m. Wooster Memorial Grove, 185 E. Main St. Walden. Free admission.

## Aug. 30

**Moonshine Creek.** 6:30 p.m. Sugar Loaf Crossing, 1405 Kings Highway, Sugar Loaf. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic. Refreshments also available on site. 469-2713.

## Hillbilly Parade.

6:30 p.m. Village Bandstand, Clinton Street, Montgomery. Bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes. 547-9661.

## Aug. 31

**Tonebenders.** 7-9 p.m. Festival Square, 29-37 West Main St., Middletown. Bring your own chair. 343-8075.

## Sept. 1

**Labor Day Celebration.** 7:30 p.m. Trophy Point Amphitheater, West Point. This annual favorite features performances by the Concert Band, Hellcats, and the Benny Havens Band, and is topped off with a performance of Tchaikovsky's 1812 Overture, complete with live cannon fire.

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# Fairs & Festivals

**July 8, 22, Aug. 5, 19**  
**Garden Tractor Pull.** 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Orange County Farmers Museum, 850 State Route 17K, Montgomery. 457-2959.

**June 30**  
**International Mud Day.** 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Outdoor Discovery Center at Hudson Highlands Nature Museum, Muser Drive, Cornwall. Thousands of children in dozens of countries worldwide celebrate Mud Day as a chance to appreciate nature and the great outdoors by getting muddy. Mud pies + mud pools + mud art + mud slides = MUD FUN! Bring a towel or a change of clothes, and a bundle of laughter to enjoy this afternoon of summertime play. Included with Grasshopper Grove admission: Museum Members: Free. \$3 Adults & Children age 2 & above. 534-5506.

**June 30 & July 1**  
**Great American Weekend.** Over 150 craft and not for profit vendors, antiques, exhibits, live entertainment, 5K/10K race, children's rides, harness racing, food vendors, hat contest and much more. Church Park, South Church and Main streets, Goshen. 294-7741; goshennychamber.com.

**July 7**  
**SummerFest.** 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Our Lady of the Assumption Church, 17 High Street, Bloomingburg. A Flea Market and Bling Boutique (jewelry, scarves and handbags) both open at 9 a.m.. The main event opens at 11 a.m. and features a Penny Social, Cornhole Tournament, Dunk Tank, Chicken Barbecue, Grill Tent, Beverage Tent, Homemade Baked Goods,

Coin Toss, Kids' Games, Games of Chance, Raffles, and lots more. Chicken barbecue, 4-6 p.m. 733-1477

**July 8**  
**Antique Car Show.** 8 a.m. Locust Grove, Route 9, Poughkeepsie. Enjoy more than 300 cars on view throughout the beautiful Locust Grove grounds! Gates open at 8 a.m., arrive before 2 p.m. to view the most cars. \$8/person, kids under 6 are free. Enjoy breakfast or lunch in our air conditioned dining area, snacks on the grounds, and music all day.

**July 12-21**  
**Orange County Fair.** Orange County Fairgrounds, 239 Wisner Ave., Middletown. Carnival rides and games, vendors, demos,

exhibits and live concerts. Plus Demolition Derby and other special events at the adjacent Orange County Fair Speedway. orangecountyfair.com.

**July 13-15**  
**Ukrainian Cultural Festival.** Soyuzivka Ukrainian Heritage Center, 216 Foordmore Road, Kerhonkson. 10th annual cultural festival at Soyuzivka! Come celebrate our culture and heritage with us! Traditional Ukrainian song, dance and food will be plentiful.

**July 14**  
**Walden Classic Car Show.** 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Village Square, Walden. Hosted by the Knights of Columbus.

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## **Pig Roast & Music Festival.**

Noon-8 p.m. Polish Legion of American Veterans, 16 Legion Lane, Pine Island. Enjoy pork, tossed salad, corn on the cob, rice, baked beans, potato and macaroni salad, rolls, dessert and drinks. Performing are Beer Hall Boys, Frankie Joe Daigle & The Swamp Rats, Calla Bere & The Attitude, Hurley Mountain Highway, Remedy and Swing Vipers.

## **Wurtsboro Founder's Day Street Fair.**

Noon-6 p.m. Sullivan Street, Wurtsboro. Specials at local shops, street vendors, live music, children's activities, art shows and more! Free.

## **Wine & Beer Fest.**

1-5 p.m. Brotherhood Winery, 100 Brotherhood Plaza Drive, Washingtonville. The event will feature Brotherhood's famous collection of wines and Yuengling's assortment of beers, along with many other favorite fine craft breweries including Kuka, Dogfish Head, Long Trail, Hooker, Warsteiner, Unibroue, Sapporo and many others. 496-3661.

## **Beatles Festival.**

2-10 p.m. Palaia Vineyards, 10 Sweet Clover Road, Highland Mills. Music of the Beatles from various artists during the day, vendors of all kinds on the grounds, bounce slide for the kids, American Flag afghan raffle, wagon rides through the vineyard, food, beer, wine, wine slushies and more. 928-5384.

## **July 15**

### **Classics on the Green.**

9 a.m.-4 p.m. East Fishkill Soccer Complex, 1925 Route 52, East Fishkill. Free Parking 50/50, Raffles, Door Prizes during day. Family Activities and Vendor Booths Food and Refreshments

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## **July 15, Aug. 19**

### **Antique Tractor Pull.**

9 a.m. Orange County Farmers Museum, 850 State Route 17K, Montgomery. 457-2959.

## **July 20-22**

### **Hudson Valley Chalk Festival.**

10 a.m.-8 p.m. Water Street Market. 10 Main St., New Paltz. Over 40 artists, including top professional street painters, will be transforming the parking lot into a work of art with huge chalk murals (some 3D). Live music, raffles, face painting, open chalking area. Something for everyone. Dog-friendly. 845-774-9705.

## **July 21**

### **American Legion Car Show.**

8:30 a.m. Town of Crawford Park, Lybolt Road, Bullville. Free Parking 50/50, Raffles, Door Prizes during day. Family Activities and Vendor Booths Food and Refreshments available No Pets - No Alcohol - No Fires.\$20 Donation per Show Vehicle Participant Judging Awards circa 3:00Top 50 Trophies -Rotary Picked Best of Show-Goodie bags & dash plates to first 100 Registrants.

### **Orange County Freedom Fest.**

4-10 p.m. Thomas Bull Memorial Park, 211 State Route 416, Montgomery. Freedom Fest is a great way to honor our veterans and provides an opportunity for the entire community to come together to celebrate. Gates for this year's event will open at 4 pm. Attendees can purchase food and drinks from vendors throughout the evening and special accommodations

will be provided for Veterans in attendance. Live music will include a performance by the popular Black Dirt Bandits and New York Swing Exchange. The free fireworks show will start at dusk. 615-3830.

## **July 21 & 22**

### **Rosendale Street Festival.**

Main Street, Rosendale. The Rosendale Street Festival first took place in 1975 and has been rockin' ever since. Main Street is closed for two days. There are seven stages, 80 bands, over 100 vendors, kids crafts and parades. The festival is donation driven and is produced by community volunteers. 845-658-4201.

## **July 28**

### **Potluck & Raffle.**

1-5 p.m. American Legion Post 193, Grand Street., Highland. Veterans, active duty, and reservist and their families are welcome to come. Benefits 22 Until None, a veterans group working to stem the tide of 22 veteran suicides per day. 309-2733.

## **July 27-29**

### **Putnam County 4-H Fair.**

Friday noon-6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-7 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Putnam County Veterans Memorial Park, 201 Gypsy Trail Road, Carmel. Free Admission! Free Parking! Animals, Country Living Auction, Food, Entertainment, Games, Activities, Exhibits, Horse Show, Chicken Barbecue, Master Gardener Plant Sale, Touch a Truck! Rain or Shine! 278-6738.

## **July 28**

**Garden Day.** Constitution Island, West Point. Hosted annually by the Constitution Island Association, Family Day offers young families the opportunity to explore Constitution Island through a variety of fun, hands-on learning experiences and entertainment. 265-2501.

## **July 29**

### **Auto Show.**

9 a.m.-4 p.m. Thomas Bull Memorial Park, 211 State Route 416, Montgomery. Celebrating our military and veterans held rain or shine. Includes tricky tray, model car display, playground, DJ, food and 50-50 raffle. 742-0951.

## **July 31 - Aug. 5**

**Ulster County Fair.** 10 a.m. Ulster County Fairgrounds, 249 Libertyville Road, New Paltz. Live music each night, petting zoo, racing pigs, fireworks, tractor pull, truck pull, midway rides open at 11 a.m., 4-H activities and milkshake booth and much more.

## **Aug. 3**

### **O.C. Summer Family Film Fest.**

7-10:30 p.m. Thomas Bull Memorial Park, 211 State Route 416, Montgomery. Free outdoor movies on large inflatable screen. Live music before show. Games & prizes for the kids, OC Sheriff's Dept. on-site with (free) children's ID program. Refreshments available for purchase. Movie begins at dusk (bring a lawn chair).

## **Aug. 4**

### **Valley-Wide Yard Sale.**

8 a.m.-4 p.m. Walker Valley. Rte 52, Walker Valley. The Valley-wide yard sale will take place on August 4 this year. So plan ahead. Start organizing your stuff. If you would like to get involved by having a yard sale at your own home or someone else's home, Contact Kelli Greer at kellipalinkas@yahoo.com to put the address of your sale on the list that will be given to shoppers the day of the sale. If you would like to purchase a spot to sell your items at the Walker Valley Fire Department, contact Tami Lutz at 845-744-2107. To reserve a spot at Walker Valley Auto, call Charlie at 845-744-6441. Mark and Frank at

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**Aug. 4-Sept. 30**  
**New York Renaissance Faire.**  
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**Aug. 5**  
**Mustang Club Car Show.** 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Museum Village,

1010 State Route 17M, Monroe. Presented by the Mustang Club of Orange County. Rain date Aug. 12.

**Aug. 9-12**  
**Otisville Country Fair.**  
 Fairgrounds, 340 Finchville Turnpike, Otisville. Live bands, hay rides and daily events. Craft vendor's market place, big antique machinery display, animal display, youth cattle show. Amusement rides, great food, local vendors, Saturday 12th Annual car show featuring antiques, rods and customs. Fireworks display Sun Aug 12 at 9 pm. Fair dates/times: Thursday-Friday 10th 4:30-10 p.m., Saturday noon-11 p.m., Sunday noon-9 p.m. Parking \$5 per car.

**Aug. 11**  
**Blueberry Festival.** 7:30 a.m.-11 p.m. Various streets, Ellenville.

Blueberry Pancake Breakfast 7:30-11 a.m. at the Norbury Hall, Center St., live music all day in Liberty Square, children's activities, blueberry pie sale and blueberry pie judging. No dogs allowed, unless it is a service dog. 845-647-4620.

**ATCA Mid-Hudson Chapter's 15th Annual Antique Truck Show.** 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Field. 774 St Route 208, Gardiner. All trucks and tractors 25 years and older welcomed. Food and refreshments available on-site. Rain date Aug. 12. 845-255-6211, 845-331-4232.

**Aug. 11 & 12**  
**Hudson Valley Flamenco Festival.** Rosendale Theatre, 408 Main St., Rosendale. The Hudson Valley Flamenco Festival is part traditional arts festival and part experiential performance art. Its mission is to empower the artist

in individuals and to strengthen community bonds through exploring Flamenco's roots as the people's art. Saturday 4-10 p.m., Sunday 2-6 p.m.

**Aug. 12**  
**Florida Family Fest.** 1-8 p.m. Main Street, Florida, NY. Florida Family Fun Fest is a wonderful annual celebration as we gather to enjoy food, entertainment, family and friends, old and new. Activities and fun for everyone! 5K and 10 K Races, rides, art exhibit, craft and food vendors, free entertainment and more. 651-3425.

**Catskill Mountain Gamelan.** 3-5 p.m. Snyder Estate, 668 Route 213, Rosendale. 845-658-9900.

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## Aug. 17-19

**Hudson Valley Ribfest.** Friday 5 p.m. Saturday 11 a.m. - 10 p.m., Sunday 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Ulster County Fairgrounds, 249 Libertyville Rd., New Paltz. NEBS grilling contest Saturday, KCBS BBQ contest Sunday. Live music all three days, cooking demonstrations, children's activities and much more. Sponsored by the Highland Rotary Club. \$7 adults children 12 and under free. 742-3378.

## Aug. 18

**Walker Valley's Shawangunk Day.** 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Various locations, Route 52 and Marl Road, Walker Valley. The day's events are free to the public and will include Touch-a-truck, Auto Show, Art Show, Craft/Vendors, Quilt Show, and Local History. Festivities will take place at several locations, including: the Firehouse, the



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Schoolhouse, Walker Valley Auto, The Mountain View Church, Walker Valley Veterinary Hospital, and the Cobblestone.

## Aug. 18 & 19

**Fine Crafts Fair.** 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Garrison Art Center, 23 Depot Square on Garrison's Landing, Garrison. A high quality and unique array of crafts/arts presented by 85 select artisans. Live music and food. Free rides on Sloop Woody Guthrie. \$10, free parking and shuttle service. 424-3960.

## Aug. 19

**31st Annual Mid Hudson Bottle Show.** 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Poughkeepsie Elks Lodge 275, 29 Overrocker Road, Poughkeepsie. Bottles, stoneware, advertising and go withs. Learn a little more about the region's history in glass production, maybe bring an antique bottle from home to learn more about both its history and value, and pick up a bottle or two to either start a collection or decorate your home. \$2 admission.

## Aug. 25

**New Windsor Community Day.** 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Kristi Babcock Memorial Park, 660 Mount Airy Road. Live music and performances all day, vendors including crafts, antiques, food and more. Children's activities. Free admission. New this year ALL rides are Free! 563-4606, 565-7750.

## Aug. 25 & 26

**Butterfly Weekend.** 11a.m.-3 p.m.; 11:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. - Presentation about monarch butterflies followed by tagging and releasing. Hudson Highlands Nature Museum's Outdoor Discovery Center, on Muser Drive, across from 174 Angola Rd, Cornwall. Butterfly, moth, and caterpillar crafts for kids. Admission to Grasshopper Grove included. Participate in citizen science by tagging monarch butterflies as part of Monarch Watch. Museum Members: \$8 Adults, \$5 Children. Not-yet-Members: \$10 Adults, \$7 Children.

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7/11 - Soul Purpose  
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7/25 - The Wild Irish Roses



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