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**BE ADVISED** that the Clarendon Town Board has scheduled a public hearing to be held April 18, 2017 at 6:00 PM at the Town Hall, 16385 Church Street in Clarendon, NY. Purpose of said hearing is to consider adoption of proposed amendments to the zoning ordinance; as follows: Article V. Purpose of Business/Commercial District (BC) Section 530-2

Permitted Uses (BC) ADD F. Business, Service

Article V. Purpose of Business/Commercial District (BC) Section 530-4 Uses allowed by Special Permit (BC) ADD D. Storage Facilities

Article V. Purpose of Industrial District (i), Section 550-2

Permitted Uses (I) ADD O. Single Family Dwelling & P. Two-Family Dwelling Article VII. Supplemental Regulations Governing Special Permit Uses, Section 711, H Motor Vehicle Repair Shop CORRECT No motor vehicle repair shop shall be located within a distance of two hundred (20) (200) feet .....

Article IV. Section 3, SEQR Actions—Type II Actions, D, 38

REVISE Exempt or Minor Subdivisions are—as determined by .......

Anyone wishing to speak in favor of or in opposition to said amendments, may do so at this time. ALSO BE ADVISED that the regular monthly meeting for April will begin immediately following the public hearing.



**Holley Community Center** Easter Party & Egg Hunt

Sat, April 8, 2017 1:00 to 3:00 PM.

All area children are welcome Sponsored by the Clarendon Lions Club

TAKE NOTICE that the Clarendon Town Board will hold an informational meeting on May 16, 2017 at 6:00 PM at the Town Hall, 16385 Church Street, Clarendon, NY. Purpose of the meeting will be to consider the next public water district, Water District #12. Boundaries being looked at include: Upper Holley Road from WD#10 south to the Byron Town Line; New Guinea Road from Upper Holley Road to the west 4000 feet; Brown Schoolhouse Road from WD#3 west to the Town Line; Transit Road from Brown Schoolhouse Road to the north 500 feet; Byron Holley Road (NYS Route 237) from WD#11 south to Cook Road (in Byron); Munger Road from Holley Byron Road (NYS 237) east to South Holley Road; South Holley Road from WD#7 to south 5400 feet; Boots Road from Holley Byron Road (NYS 237) to east 2800 feet; Mansfield Road from WD#8 to west 1500 feet.

#### **Orleans County Civil Service** Upcoming Exams posted at **Town Clerk's Office**

#66-746 PAYROLL CLERK (ORLEANS-NIAGARA BOCES)

Written Exam Date: 06/10/2017 Last Filing Date: 004/26/2017

#61-243 RECEPTIONIST Written Exam Date: 06/24/2017 05/10/2017 Last Filing Date:

#69-124 WORKFORCE COORDINATOR

Written Exam Date: 06/24/2017 Last Filing Date: 05/10/2017

> For add'l information contact the Dept of Personnel at the Orleans County Admin Bldg, Albion, NY Phone: 589-2793 or 589-3184

### Holley June Fest Vendors Needed

June 3, 2017 at the Holley Canal Park. Informational, Craft/Product, Service and Food Vendor Applications are available at the Clarendon Town Clerk's Office and at the Village Office, 72 Public Square in Holley. For more information contact Deborah Schiavone at (585) 638-6367

TOWN HALL CLOSING Fri., April 14-16 for Easter

COURT & COURT OFFICE









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#### DATES TO REMEMBER .....

Persian Gulf War official cease fire Apr 11, 1991.



#### VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

*Integrity* has no need of rules.

**Albert Camus** 



#### Community Free Library

86 Public Square Holley, New York 14470 Phone (585) 638-6987 Fax (585) 638-7436 www.holleylibrary.org

#### **STORY HOURS:**

April 5 - Exciting Exercising April 12 - National Library Week April 19 - Earth Day April 26 - (Super) Heroes

#### **EVENTS:**

Sat., April 1; 10:30 AM Spring Into April
Join Miss Grace for a story hour and craft all about spring.
Please stop by or call the library to register for this free

children and family program.

Mon., April 3; 7:00 PM Adult Readers Group

Join our Adult Readers Group in a discussion of Nando

Parrado's novel: Miracle in the Andes.

Wed., April 5; 6:30 PM Triangle Loom Weaving (Wacky Wednesday) Join Theresa Jewell as she teaches this introductory class on Triangle Loom Weaving. Please stop by or call the library to register for this free adult program.

**Sat.**, **April 15**; **10:30 AM** *Move It & Shake It Storytime*Join Miss Grace for a half hour interactive storytime full of movement, stretching, stories and dancing! This program is free to attend and registration is not required.

Fri., April 28; 7:00 PM Raise a Glass for Reading Wine Tasting and Farmers' Market Gala

Join us to raise funds for our summer reading program. The 6th annual Raise a Glass for Reading Wine Tasting and Farmers' Market Gala will take place from 7-9 PM. Tickets Pre-Sale \$15; At the Door \$20 (if available). The number of tickets is limited so don't delay!

**Library Hours:** Mon 10-1 and 4-8; Tues 10-5; Wed 10-1 and 4-8; Thurs 10-5; Fri 10-5; Sat. 10-2; Closed on Sunday

For further information, you can call the library at the above number and speak to Sandra Shaw, the Library Director.



Tickets go on sale April 1, 2017, for the annual "Raise a Glass for Reading" Wine Tasting and Farmers' Market at the Community Free Library in Holley, NY, scheduled for Friday, April 28, 2017, from 7-9 p.m. Community members will have the opportunity to taste wines, meads and beers, shop with local farmers and entrepreneurs, listen to music, have fun with friends and support the Summer Reading Program.

This sell-out annual event, held on the last Friday in April, provides funding for the library's summer reading program for children. Because of the success of previous wine tastings, the Library has been able to double the number of programs offered to children throughout the summer, going from six to twelve. Each child who attends five or more programs and documents his/her summer reading will receive a free book. Special programs are being planned to attract area teens. The theme for the summer reading program is "Build a Better World."

The 2017 event welcomes the two new stops on the Niagara Wine Trail- Black Willow Winery and Meadery (Burt), and Vizcarra Vineyards and Becker Brewing Company (Gasport). Returning are favorites Leonard Oakes Estate Winery (Medina) and Schwenk Wine Cellars (Kent). All four of this year's vineyards have won awards at State or Nation wine competitions!

As a Farmers' Market, this event will provide attendees with the opportunity to find out about alpacas as well as purchase alpaca products from Stoney Meadows Alpacas. They will also be able to visit with Lora Partyka from Partyka Farms, find out about this year's plans, purchase hanging baskets and bedding plants, jams, jellies and other products.

The event also provides a showcase for local entrepreneurs. Aromantium is an apothecary spa with a natural skin care line. Sue Sew-It-All specializes in tailoring as well as making memory bears from nostalgic fabrics.

While sampling the wines and talking to the vendors (and buying wine, mead, beer, farm products, farm products, and other gifts), guests will be able to listen to jazz, and Broadway music by Sound Foundations, featuring Wendy and Sean Williams

This highly anticipated evening has something for everyone, promoting local businesses and the Niagara and Ontario Wine trails, and highlighting community support for children's reading. Tickets are \$15 each and can be purchased at the Community Free Library starting April 1. For questions, contact Sandra Shaw, Library Director, at 585-638-6987.

## **CLARENDON TOWN BOARD—Meeting Highlights March 2017**

The Town Board held a workshop meeting on March 6<sup>th</sup> to consider a proposed Water District No. 12. Discussion was held regarding district area boundaries, available grant funding and income surveys to determine the Median Household Income of the proposed service area which are used by State and Federal programs to access funding program eligibility. A public informational meeting has been scheduled for May 16<sup>th</sup> at 6PM regarding WD#12. (See Notice on Front Page of this Gazette.)

#### HIGHWAY DEPT REPORT

Superintendent Swanger reported two burials last month; a third was delayed because of the snow. Some lawn restoration and filling of pot holes was done prior to the snow. Some of the trees down due to the storms have been taken care of. State Association of Highway Superintendents went to Albany again to lobby for CHIPS funding. The Highway Crew plowed and sanded for three days straight. Hillside Cemetery has a mess with trees down from the storm. The three-month old fax machine, microwave and a relay on one of the new furnaces at the Highway Garage were damaged. It's been a busy month! Replacing the 2006 Ford 550 Dump Truck w/plow was discussed. Superintendent just put new springs on it; it was determined that the 2006 wouldn't last through another winter. The Town Board authorized purchase of a new dump truck with plow and stainless steel box at a cost not to exceed \$90,000.

#### SUPERVISOR REPORT

Deputy Supervisor Allen Robinson reported that Jim Bensley from Orleans County Planning will be the guest speaker at the next Orleans County Association of Municipalities meeting. Orleans County has sent a safety training schedule; highway employees will attend. New York State Agriculture & Markets has sent Inspection Reports for the County Municipal Shelter and Animal Control Officer; both are satisfactory. The County Youth Bureau is requesting nominations for awards given annually to youth and adults volunteering service to Orleans County youth.



#### CORRESPONDENCE

We have received approved resolutions by The Association of Towns for the 2017 Legislative Program. Monroe County Probation has sent payment toward the court loss; Orleans County Probation has sent payment toward the cemetery vandalism. An abstract of 2016 payments to the Town from the county has been received and NYMIR Insurance Underwriting survey resulted in no recommendations to the Town.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

Discussion was held regarding proposed Zoning Amendments and a public hearing was scheduled. (See Front page of this Gazette for Notice) The Town Board authorized the Planning Board to draft Language for the mobile home requirements prior to expiration of the moratorium. Planning Board Chair reviewed the recommendation to reinstate seasonal use properties and storage units in Business/Commercial District. The Board added Storage Units; Seasonal Use properties will be considered later.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

The Town Board authorized an increase in pay-rate for election inspectors to \$9.70/hour. Resolutions adopted included: Support to partially repeal the New York SAFE Act; Support of an increase in share of revenue counties retain for DMV services and Urging NYS to fund departments/agencies full costs in raising criminal age. The Board did not authorize a brush pick-up; residents with large amounts of brush from the storm can call Highway Garage. There is a lot of clean-up to do at the cemetery yet. The Board did renew the Orleans County Town Highway Shared Service Agreement for five year contract, from May 1, 2017 through April 30, 2022.

(A full set of meeting minutes is on file at the Town Clerk's Office and is available upon request.)



# TID BITS

Geary (Moose) Shenck



Well, it's that time again, to greet all you faithful followers of literary nonsense. When I'm sad, I sing. But then I realize my voice is worse than my problems. A man was to be excused from jury duty. The judge asked, "Is there any good reason why you cannot serve as a juror in this trial?" The man replied, "I don't want to be away from my job that long." "Can't they do without you at work?" asked the judge. "Yes", admitted the man, "but I don't want them to realize it." I finally realize that these days people are prisoners of their phones. That's why they are called cell phones. Feeling good about yourself? Ask a little kid to draw a picture of you. If you are a dog and your owner suggests that you wear a sweater, suggest he wear a tail. I applied for a job. The boss man said, "We need someone who's highly responsible." I said, "In that case, I'm your man. At my last job, every time something went wrong, they told me that I was responsible." Kids always do stuff to get on your nerves. That's what they're supposed to do. Retirement is wonderful. It's doing nothing without worrying about getting caught at it. Remember, the road to success has many detours, roadblocks and parking places. No man has ever been shot doing the dishes. We all have the ability to light up a room. Some when we enter, some when we leave. We bald guys never have a bad hair day. A smile means the same thing in every language. Never look down at a person unless you're helping them up. The glass isn't half full or half empty. It's just twice as big as it needs to be. When science finally finds the center of the universe, some people will be surprised to learn they're not it.

THIS MONTH'S RIDDLES:

- 1) What did one eye say to the other?
- 2) What's another name for a suit of armor?
- 3) What did the boy give the grouchy teacher?
- 4) How did they know Dracula was broke?
- 5) Why are goal tenders thrifty?



Only the lead dog gets a change of scenery. You can't push a rope. Those who run from danger are not lacking in courage, they're exhibiting wisdom. Never pick a fight with an ugly person. They've got nothing to lose. Find an aim in life before you run out of ammunition. Let a smile be your umbrella and you'll end up with a face full of rain. I told my wife I got up at dawn to see the sunrise. She said, "You couldn't have picked a better time." People who get up real early in the morning, do as the rooster does, crow about it. It is no small art to sleep: to achieve it, one must keep awake all day. Too often has a reader found – when interest has lagged – that many books which have been bound should also have been gagged.

There's a certain something about him that attracts women to other men. Do not pass a temptation lightly by. It may never come again. Try praising your wife, even if it does frighten her at first. A diplomat is a man who can convince his wife that a woman looks stout in a fur coat. While visiting Annapolis, a lady tourist noticed several students on their hands and knees assessing the courtyard with pencils and clipboards in hand. "What are they doing?" she asked the tour guide. "Each year," he replied with a grin, "the upperclassmen ask the freshmen how many bricks it took to finish paving this courtyard. When out of earshot of the freshmen, the curious lady asked the guide: "So, what's the answer?" The guide replied, "one". Life was much easier when apple and blackberry were just fruits. With great power comes a huge electric bill. When someone calls me ugly, I get super sad and hug them, because I know life is really, really tough for the visually impaired. You don't stop having fun when you get old. You get old when you stop having fun. Kids today don't know how easy they have it. When I was young, I had to walk nine feet through the shag carpet to change the T.V. channel. Wall Street is the only place that people ride to work in a Rolls Royce to get advice from those who take the subway. Do it tomorrow. You've made enough mistakes for one day. One of the worst things about retirement is that you have to drink coffee on your own time. I never thought of the future. It came soon enough.

#### By Nancy Neff Dostie

Life is too short To dwell on my sorrows To harbor my grudges In bitter tomorrows. Life is too short To dwell on my pain To play and replay Some vengeful refrain. Life is too sweet To waste precious minutes In nursing resentment Self-righteousness in it. Then, let me not dwell On life's sorrow and sadness O' Lord, let me think Of life's blessings with gladness.

That's All Folks! God Bless. Geary (Moose) Shenck









#### **CLARENDON CONNECTIONS IN THE MILITARY**



Clarendon Residents,

This Military Address Book is for our local service men and women.

If you've a loved one serving our country, we'd like to give the community an opportunity to keep them in touch with home by offering addresses for letters and packages. Please forward mailing addresses to the Town Clerk's Office in writing, or by email to <a href="tetc@rochester.rr.com">tetc@rochester.rr.com</a> with a subject line of 'Military Address Book'. Addresses will remain posted as submitted until notice of a change is received.

#### **U.S. AIR FORCE**

#### Joshua L. Avila

Good friend of George & Sally Mathes Hindsburg Rd., Clarendon Josh is currently stationed at Scott Air Force Base in Illinois A1C Joshua Avila 319 S. Sant Clair St. Lebanon, IL 62254

#### U.S. ARMY

#### **Graydon E. Beadle**

Son of Patrice Beadle & James Stymus Holley Byron Road, Clarendon SGT Graydon Beadle 1912 Langridge Unit 9212 Fort Leonard Wood, MO 65473

#### U.S. ARMY

#### Jacob Brooks

Son of Bob Freida Mill Road, Clarendon Tech School at Ft. Drum, NY Address TBD

#### U.S. ARMY Katie Cobb

'like a daughter' to Rochelle & Dennis Ladd Hall Road, Clarendon SFT Katherine Cobb 2845 Wunter Hall Road Huntsville, AL 35803

#### U.S. ARMY

#### Erik Gallanger

Close Friend to Don & Bev Rhoads So. Manning Road, Clarendon Erik is serving as a medic in Georgia (USA).

#### U.S. ARMY

#### Philip Maxim

Son of Jan & Beverly Maxim Address TBD

#### U.S. ARMY

#### **Clarence E. Moyer III**

Grandson of Nancy & Peter Barry Hall Road Residents, Clarendon PVT Moyer is completing Boot Camp in Fort Sill, OK Address TBD

#### U.S. ARMY

#### **Christopher Oliver**

Son of Paul & Roberta Oliver Hindsburg Rd., Clarendon SSG Christopher Oliver 85 First Street W Ft. Drum, NY 13602

#### U.S. ARMY

#### **Nicholas Ornt**

Son of John Ornt Hall Road, Clarendon HHC TF3-66 AR FOB Sharana APO, AE 09311

#### U.S. ARMY

#### **Margaret Statt**

Daughter of George & Laurie Statt Trinity Drive, Clarendon SPC Statt, Margaret I & S Co. HH Bn 25<sup>th</sup> ID Camp Liberty, Iraq APO AE 09344

#### U.S. ARMY

#### **Carl Seeman**

Grandson of Fred & Carole Seeman Boots Road, Clarendon Carl is at Ft. Bragg, NC

#### U.S. ARMY RESERVES

#### **Todd Klatt**

Clarendon Resident & Nephew of Ryan & Patricia Klatt Holley Byron Rd. Residents, Clarendon

#### **U.S. COAST GUARD**

#### **Matthew Vickers**

Son of Dan & Sue Vickers Holley Byron Road, Clarendon Brother of Dan & Samantha Upper Holley Road, Clarendon SR Vickers, Matthew D. 1646 El Prado #2

#### **U.S. MARINES**

#### **Justin Pollock**

Son of Wendi Pollock So. Holley Road, Clarendon Justin is in Yuma, AZ

#### **U.S. MARINES**

#### **Matthew Wright**

Son of James & Elizabeth Wright Holley Byron Road, Clarendon E-5MCB Matthew Wright Quantico VA

#### U.S. MARINES

#### Steven A. Wright

Son of James & Elizabeth Wright Holley Byron Road, Clarendon E-6 Steven A. Wright Panzer Kaserne Stuttgart, Germany

#### U.S. MARINE RESERVES

#### Ty Seeman

Grandson of Fred & Carole Seeman Boots Road, Clarendon Ty is reporting to Reserves in Buffalo, NY

#### U.S. NAVY

#### **Douglas Parker IV**

Grandson of the late Douglas Jr. & Kathleen Parker of North Manning Rd., Clarendon Doug is currently studying Military Photojournalism at Syracuse U and will receive orders in May for Sembach Kaseme, Germany Armed Forces Network

#### U.S. NAVY

#### **Chris Rhoads**

Twin grandson of Bev & Don Rhoads South Manning Rd., Clarendon Chris (and family) is now stationed on Guam as a Navy Submariner.

#### **U.S. NATIONAL GUARD**

#### Jennifer Seeman

Granddaughter of Fred & Carole Seeman Boots Road, Clarendon Jen is currently stationed In Austin, TX





Hillside Sketches

> Kirk S. Blanchard was born on October 6,

1852 and died on January 6, 1934. He was the first born of Alvah Smith Blanchard and Amanda Jane Freer. He was born on a farm in Murray and moved to Clarendon in 1860.

He was employed by Miller & Pettingill but opened a canning factory, dryer and cider mill in 1888 in Clarendon on Brockport Street. It was written that he had a payroll of 30 and the expectation was that it would be a prosperous business.

He is listed as holding several positions within the town of Clarendon. In 1879 he was a constable and a collector. In 1882 he was an excise commissioner.

The Blanchard Vinegar Company was organized in the autumn of 1889 by seven citizens of Albion, with paid up capital of \$16,000, which has since been increased to \$25,000, all paid up. The company purchased a plant which Kirk S. Blanchard has established in the preceding summer. The business of this company is the manufacture of cider and pure cider vinegar, and the evaporation of fruit. The works have a capacity for producing daily 300 barrels of cider and three tons of evaporated fruit. Eighty hands are employed during the working season. (taken from the book Landmarks of Orleans County by Isaac S. Signor 1894)

Kirk S. Blanchard



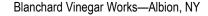
BLANCHARD





Sabrina Darrow Blanchard & Kirk S Blanchard









Sets of Holley Postcards featuring student photos of eleven different designs are available at the Clarendon Town Hall @ \$10/set. Contact Historian Ierlan at 638-6371 ext.104.



Holley High School senior Will Harrington is working on his Eagle Scout project. Clarendon Historical Society is proud to have another project that benefits the museum. Will with the help of Mr. John Crandall, Chris Nothnagle, Jak Kohmann and Paul Niggli was able to build partition walls in the second floor of the barn museum. This area will be

used to expand our display of historical artifacts. Will was assisted by Collin Nothnagle, Brandon Cowan and Mr. Crandall in this picture as they put the hammer to good use!





#### Clarendon Volunteer Fire Company PO Box 136

Clarendon, NY 14429

Fire Hall: 16169 East Lee Road; 638-5118 Recreation Hall: 16159 East Lee Road; 638-6621



#### 2017 FUND DRIVE

Neighbors helping neighbors since 1956 Help us to continue helping you!

Clarendon Fire Company is 100% volunteer and our dedicated emergency responders are residents of our community. They have full-time jobs, family commitments and the same daily routines as every resident—except when an alarm comes in. Responding to emergencies is only a small part of being a volunteer firefighter or emergency medical technician. Hundreds of hours are spent on training yearly. The cost of training, equipment and maintenance continues to rise every year. We need your help to make sure we can continue to provide the community with the best service possible and return our members home safe to their families.

The members of the Clarendon Fire Company would like to thank you for your continued support to our organization!

#### **MEMBERS WANTED**

We are always looking for individuals from the community who would be interested in becoming a volunteer.

Membership Categories:

JR Firefighters/Restricted Firefighters
Boys & Girls ages 14-17

#### **Active Members**

Men & Women over 18 that wish to participate in Fire, EMS and Rescue

#### **Social/Support Group Members**

For those that wish to participate in administrative duties and fund raising.

For Membership Information please Contact President Freida at 585/764-6540









# THE BIG BLOW AND THE BIG SNOW

I would like to thank all of our firemen, our highway crews, our police, our utility companies, some from Canada, plow truck drivers big and small, our friends and neighbors, everyone who pitched in and did what was necessary to insure the safety and well being of the many.

I know there was little if any rest for most of you and you were out in that dangerous wind and cold followed by the big snow, it was like insult to injury but you all powered through and I am very grateful for all of you.

I have a personal story as well, when the power went out I left work shortly thereafter to go home and start a fire for my elderly mother who lives with me, 80mph winds will cool down a house without power to run the furnace in a hurry. While tending the fire I heard a crash and my neighbors big maple decided to throw one of its main limbs across South Holley Rd, choking off the road. The neighbor was not home at the time so I called 911 and dispatch to no avail, they were being absolutely swamped as you can well imagine so I called our code officer and asked if she knew what road our highway crew was clearing trees on, she said she did and would contact them for me. Suddenly out of the wind comes a fireman on his white horse-(powered SUV), he opened the hatch, pulled out a chainsaw and in less than 10 minutes he had cleared the road and the traffic was flowing again. That fireman was Bob Freida, the world is filled with bad news but this is the good stuff, the stuff that needs to be reported, these are folks who have your back even when you don't know they do. Thank you Bob for looking out for all of us! Thank you everybody who put your-selves in harm's way to take care of the rest of us!

Cindi Davis

#### **Roadside Clean-up Results!**

Jena Buckwell

Totals for items picked up in Clarendon during AmeriCorps Week (March 6th-10th) are as follows. The first 3 days were roadsides near my home, and the final day was at Clarendon Town Park. Every item that was recyclable was recycled.

Using the EPA's iWARM calculator, the energy saved from recycling the aluminum cans, plastic bottles, and glass bottles alone is enough to charge a laptop for 9,105.4 hours using a non-renewable source of electricity.

Thanks to Clarendon Town Hall for your support!

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Item Total
Aluminum Cans	61	70	29	21	181
Plastic Bottles	24	32	34	21	111
Plastic Food					
Containers/Wrappers	55	103	104	72	334
Cigarette Boxes	6	4	10	2	22
Cigarettes	3	20	10	13	46
Glass Bottles	18	17	5	12	52
Misc. Plastic	26	16	16	27	85
Plastic Bags	3	27	21	16	67
Other	15	15	22	87	139
Daily Total	211	304	251	271	1037



Sincerely, Jena Buckwell AmeriCorps State & National Member



The social group will be having a recruitment. FANCHER - HÜLBERTON - MÜRRAY FIRE COMPANY 3353 HÜLBERTON ROAD 11:00 am - 4:00 pm





# Residential Brush Burning in NYS Prohibited Through May 14 Burn Ban has decreased spring wildfires 35 percent since 2009. Ban reduces wildfire risks, protects lives and property.

The Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) reminds residents that with warming temperatures and dry conditions, residential brush burning is prohibited March 16 through May 14 across New York State. Due to the lack of snow cover over much of the state and with rising temperatures forecasted for the coming weeks, conditions for wildfires could be heightened. "While many people associate wildfires with the western United States, the early start of spring weather, dry conditions, and lack of snow pack increase the risk for wildfires in New York," DEC Commissioner Basil Seggos said. "New York prohibits residential burning during the high-risk fire season to reduce wildfires and protect people, property, and natural resources. The ban has been extremely effective in reducing the number of wildfires, and we're encouraging New Yorkers to put safety first." DEC will post a Fire Danger Map rating forecast daily for the 2017 fire season on its website and on the NY Fishing, Hunting & Wildlife App available on DEC's website. Currently, fire conditions in most of the state are low risk. Open burning of debris is the largest single cause of spring wildfires in New York State. When temperatures are warmer and the past fall's debris and leaves dry out, wildfires can start and spread easily and be further fueled by winds and a lack of green vegetation. New York first enacted strict restrictions on open burning in 2009 to help prevent wildfires and reduce air pollution. The regulations allow residential brush fires in towns with fewer than 20,000 residents during most of the year, but prohibit such burning in spring when most wildfires occur. In the seven-year period since the ban was established, the average number of spring fires per year decreased by 35.5 percent, from 2,925 in 2009 to 1,886 in 2016. Campfires using charcoal or untreated wood are allowed, but people should never leave such fires unattended and must extinguish them. Burning garbage or leaves is prohibited year-round. Some towns, primarily in and around the Adirondack and Catskill parks, are designated "fire towns." Open burning is prohibited year-round in these municipalities unless an individual or group has a written permit from DEC. To find out whether a municipality is designated a "fire town" or to obtain a permit, contact the appropriate DEC regional office. A list of regional offices is available on DEC's website. Violators of the state's open burning regulation are subject to both criminal and civil enforcement actions, with a minimum fine of \$500 for a first offense. To report environmental law violations call 1-800-TIPP DEC (1-800-847-7332), or report online on DEC's website.











#### Growing Resources for Tomorrow

Orleans County Cornell Cooperative Extension is an employer and educator recognized for valuing AA/EEO, Protected Veterans, and Individuals with Disabilities and provides equal program and employment opportunities.





#### **SIGN UP**

on Sat., April 22, 2017 9:30 AM to 11 AM At Clarendon Town Hall, 16385 Church Street (enter Church Street from Rte 31A or Rte 237) For additional information please contact Robin at 585-301-1845



#### MYRON HOLLEY **GARDEN CLUB 2017**

Meetings are 2nd Thursday of each month @ 6:30 PM 1st Presbyterian Church 34 E. Albion Street Holley, NY \$12 Annual Dues

# April 13th Don't Panic! It's Organic!

Call Susan Persia at (585) 638-5750 or more information.





#### The Clarendon **Lions Club**

again this year, will be sponsoring the Holley Community Center Easter Party and Egg Hunt for children up to 12 years old. The event will be held at the Community Center on Saturday, April 8, 2017 from 1:00 to 3:00 PM. All area children are welcome.

Our annual Geranium sale will be held Friday and Saturday, May 5th & 6th and 12th & 13th from 9AM to 4PM at the grounds of the Clarendon Historical Society, corner of Fourth Section Road (NYS Rte 31A) and Church Street. Large orders will gladly be taken in advance; please contact Joann Smith at 638-8426.

Profit from our events are given back to the community through donations to local charities and emergency situations.

Thank you for your support.

Michael Giglio, 79, died February 8, 2017 at Unity Hospital.

He was born May 4, 1937 in Rochester, NY a son of the late Dominic and Nancy Giglio. Michael served in the United States Army from October 12, 1960 and was honorably discharged on September 19, 1962. He retired from Eastman Kodak Company in 1992. Michael was a member of Jewell Buckman Post 529 American Legion and served as Post Commander, Corporation President and was Past Commander of the Orleans County American Legion. He was a Life Member of the Veteran of Foreign Wars, Post 202. Michael was a life member of the Clarendon Historical Society and a member of the Murray Holley Historical Society.

Mike is survived by his wife of 47 years Patricia. As residents of Clarendon, both Mike and Pat were very involved in their community. Not many events happened where you didn't see Mike and Pat in attendance.

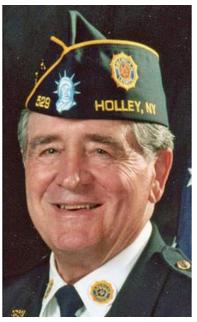
Mike was a very proud veteran and one of the first times I ever met him was at a Memorial Day Parade. He carried the flag and my boys were so impressed with his uniform and his white gloves.

Where Pat went, Mike followed. Many events were held at the Clarendon Historical Society and as Pat took charge of raffle tickets or helped to run a breakfast or dinner, Mike was happily camped out at a table with friends.

Mike was a very gentle, proud and quiet man. He was friendly to everyone and I often enjoyed watching him chat with younger people about things like history or sports. He will be missed by all who knew him and certainly by myself and the members of the Clarendon Historical Society.

God Bless Mike and Pat.

Melissa Ierlan- Clarendon Historical Society President









Sunday, April 9th 10 am - 4 pm

#### Tidbits Riddle Answers

- Between you and me, something smells around here.
- 2. A knight gown
- 3. A crab apple
- 4. He was always putting the bite on people
- 5. Saving is their job



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Planning Board 2nd & 4th Tuesday @ 7pm
Zoning Board of Appeals 1st Tuesday (as needed) @ 7pm
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