

# The Clarendon Gazette

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## Easter Egg Hunt!

When—April 1, 2023

Time—10:00am—12:00pm

Where—Eastern Orleans Community Center  
75 Public Square  
Holley, NY 14470

Age Groups— 1 yr. olds to 2 yr. olds  
3 yr. olds to 6 yr. olds  
7 yr. olds to 10 yr. olds

Cookies  
Coffee  
Juice  
Candy Filled Eggs

Sponsored by: The Clarendon Lions Club



### Notice of Assessment Inventory and Valuation Data

Pursuant to Section 501 of the Real Property Tax Law, notice is hereby given that assessment inventory and valuation data is available for examination and review. An appointment may be made to review this information before May 1, 2023, which is the tentative assessment roll filing date, at the Assessor's Office, 16385 Church Street, Clarendon, NY 14429, Tuesday Noon – 6:00 PM & Wednesday 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, by phoning (585) 638-6371, Ext. 103.




### 2023 Town of Clarendon COMPREHENSIVE PLAN REVIEW SURVEY

The Town of Clarendon is working on an update to our Comprehensive Plan, which is a document that guides and controls future growth and development in the community. Public involvement is an important step in updating the Comprehensive Plan. We would like our resident's opinions reflected in our Comprehensive Plan. The survey is available to be downloaded on our website: <https://townofclarendon.org>, and at the Town Clerk's office. If you would like a copy mailed to you, please contact the Clerk's office at (585) 638-6371 ext. 100. Please complete the survey and return no later than June 30, 2023. Completed surveys may be dropped off at the Town Hall during regular business hours, dropped in our drop box located to the west of the Town Clerk office door or returned by mail to Town Clerk, P.O. Box 145, Clarendon, NY 14429.

### HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY

April 18

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## CLARENDON TOWN BOARD Meeting Highlights - March 2023

The Town Board held a Public Hearing prior to the regular meeting regarding a proposed zoning ordinance amendment to allow above-ground propane tanks in mobile home parks. No comments were heard; Deputy Supervisor Allen Robinson opened the regular meeting.

### OPEN END

Sandy Shaw, Director of the Community Free Library in Holley spoke to the board about upcoming events in April; Wine Tasting & Farmers' Market will be on April 28, 2023 from 7-9 PM . Vendors will include Hurd Orchards, Stony Meadows Alpacas, The Winery at Marjim Manor, Schulze Vineyards & Winery, Schwenk Wine Cellars, LLC, Victorianbourg Wine Estate, Wild Flour Deli & Bakery and Redwood Trades. The funds raised at this event go toward the children's summer programs. Homeland Security will give a presentation on NYS Citizens' preparedness in case of emergency on April 10, 2023 at 6:30 PM.

### HIGHWAY/WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

Superintendent Tracy Chalker reported that the crew has been salting and plowing; with the snow-rain-snow weather, the budget is getting used quickly. Several dead deer have been removed from the roads and dead ash trees are being cleaned up. With the two snows, several mailboxes came down from the weight of the snow; they have been fixed. DEC made a surprise visit at the highway garage. One citation was found; the highway department has to repaint the fuel tanks. Routine water maintenance has been done. Superintendent Chalker reported that the park bench destroyed by vandalism has been removed from the park; it is salvageable. Board members authorized the bench be fixed. The Board accepted the annual 284 form submitted by Superintendent Chalker summarizing planned road work for the year. Superintendent will try to chip-seal as much as possible.

### PLANNING BOARD REPORT

Chairman Dave Griggs submitted the following written report: 02-28-2023 (Regular meeting) SP 00-001 Old Paths Bible Baptist- Special permit renewal. 4782 Hall Road. Inspected, fee paid, no outstanding complaints. Motion made, seconded, and approved to approve renewal. SP 96-005 Pet's Galore Grooming- Special permit renewal. 4880 S. Holley Road. Inspected, fee paid, no outstanding complaints. Motion made, seconded, and approved to approve renewal. SD 23-01, Pre-Conference for SD 23-01 Site Plan Review for Building lot approval. Judy Peterson 4221 Lake Road, tax id# 87.-3-19.116. Garrett Steiner from DDS Engineering presented the application on behalf of his client. The planning board sees no obvious issues. Applicant's representatives have requested a waiver from pre-conference.

Motion made, seconded and approved to amend the agenda from a pre-conference to a formal application. Motion made, seconded and approved to grant building lot approval. Chairman Griggs updated the Planning Board members regarding Zoning changes. The town board has approved the use of above ground propane storage tanks at Heron Falls mobile home park. Board member Patrick White submitted information from the NYS 2020 Fire Code regarding underground tanks. OIO Ierlan will convey information to Supervisor Moy. Minor language reflecting this change was made to ARTICLE VII, SECTION 708 – MOBILE/MANUFACTURED HOME PARK regarding this change and submitted to the Town Board for their approval. As a result of the public hearing for STR (short term rentals) an addition was made to the proposed language regarding STR that addresses parking of trailers and RV's at short term rental locations. 03-14-2023 (Regular Meeting) Canceled due to insufficient agenda items.

### SUPERVISOR REPORT

Deputy Supervisor Allen Robinson reported he will attend the Association of Municipalities meeting in Lyndonville; speaker will be Modern Disposal regarding recycling and waste.

### CORRESPONDENCE

Congresswoman Tenney has sent a letter to the town regarding the federal appropriations process and deadlines for submitting application for project funding. The supervisor of Hempstead has sent correspondence requesting support in protesting Governor Hochul's proposed housing plan.

### OLD BUSINESS

Board members accepted the proposed language for the zoning amendment to allow above ground propane tanks in mobile/manufactured home parks and a SEQR Resolution was adopted providing environmental review of both proposed zoning amendments; propane tanks and short term rentals.

### NEW BUSINESS

Resolutions were adopted requesting an increase in sales tax revenue from the county, accepting affirmation of the highway department inventory audit and authorizing USDA access to town properties for trapping invasive pests, specifically mentioned were the European Cherry Fruit Fly and the Box Tree Moth.



**LEGAL NOTICE  
TOWN OF CLARENDON**

**Notice by Collector of Receipt of Assessment Roll and Warrant**

Taxes will be received at the Clarendon Town Hall, 16385 Church Street, Clarendon, New York through April 30, 2023 during Town Clerk Office hours.

*Susan C. Colby, Clarendon Town Clerk/Tax Collector*  
**585-638-6371 ext. 100**

Mon., Wed., & Thurs                    9-4  
Tuesday                                        Noon-6  
Friday    9-2  
Saturday                                        10-Noon

Checks should be made payable to the Clarendon Tax Collector and may be mailed to PO Box 145, Clarendon, NY 14429 or may be left in the mail-drop located to the west of the office door.

Please bring or send your entire statement when making payment as part of the bill will be used as your receipt.

Fees Charged As Follows: April    3%



**Community Free  
Library**  
86 Public Square  
Holley, New York 14470  
Phone (585) 638-6987  
Fax (585) 638-7436  
[www.holleylibrary.org](http://www.holleylibrary.org)

**CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS:**

**Story Hours - 10:30 am**

Wed. April 5            Easter with Miss Viktoria  
Wed. April 12          Unicorns with Miss Amanda  
Wed. April 19          Earth Day  
Wed. April 26          Dragons

**Sat., April 8 - 11:00 am EASTER EGG HUNT!**

**YOUNG ADULTS:**

**YA Readers - 4-5 pm**

April 4 & 25 - Reader's Choice Biography  
With Miss Viktoria and Miss Amanda

**ADULTS:**

**Reader's Group**

Mon. April 3 - 6:30 pm - *Violin Conspiracy* by Brenden Slocumb  
MONDAY April 10 - 6:30 pm - Wacky Wednesday - Preparedness training with NYS Citizen Preparedness Corp. *Please sign up. First Come, First Served.*

**Fri., April 28 - 7:00-9:00 pm WINE TASTING**

Purchase your tickets starting April 1st at the library. Tickets are \$25/1 and \$40/2. Please sign up and have a lot of fun at the library!

[www.holleylibrary.org/events](http://www.holleylibrary.org/events)  
or call (585) 638-6987 or stop into the library.  
Sandra Shaw, Library Director

## Orleans County Health Department

### 2023 Anti-Rabies Immunization Clinics

Location	Date	Time
<b>Orleans County Fairgrounds</b> 12690 State Route 31 Albion, NY	April 15, 2023	9:00 to 11:30am
<b>Orleans County Fairgrounds</b> 12690 State Route 31 Albion, NY	June 7, 2023	4:00 to 6:30pm
<b>Orleans County Fairgrounds</b> 12690 State Route 31 Albion, NY	August 26, 2023	9:00 to 11:30am
<b>Orleans County Fairgrounds</b> 12690 State Route 31 Albion, NY	October 21, 2023	9:00 to 11:30am

**Each dog, cat, and ferret must be leashed or crated  
and accompanied by someone who can control it.**



Dog, cat, and ferret vaccinations are **free**.  
Voluntary donations are accepted.



For more information, visit: [www.GOHealthNY.org](http://www.GOHealthNY.org) or call  
us at (585) 589-3278



# TID BITS

Reprinted from April 2011  
Geary (Moose) Shenck



GREETINGS ONE AND ALL. Hopefully the weather will warm up. It's been a chilly winter. *I just realized I'm actually quite rich. I've got silver in my hair, gold in my teeth, crystals in the kidneys, sugar in the blood, lead in the butt, iron in the arteries and an inexhaustible supply of natural gas!* Some facts about gambling: 1) A race horse is an animal that can take several thousand people for a ride at the same time. 2) A rabbit's foot is a poor substitute for horse sense. 3) No horse can go as fast as the money you bet on him. *A visitor to Las Vegas was so unlucky, he lost his shirt in a coin laundry.* On Happiness: 1) The really happy man is the one who can enjoy the scenery even when he has to take a detour. 2) Happiness is discovering that the slip of paper under your windshield wiper is just an advertisement. 3) For every minute you are angry, you lose sixty seconds of happiness. And remember, happiness increases the more you spread it around. *Having served his time in the military, a man became a substitute school teacher. Before the school year started, he injured his back. He was required to wear a plaster cast around the upper part of his body. Fortunately, the cast fit under his shirt and wasn't even noticeable. He was aware that students had a habit of running over substitute teachers. On the day of his first class, he found himself assigned to the toughest students in the school. Walking confidently into the rowdy classroom, he opened the window wide and sat down at his desk. When a strong breeze made his tie flap, he took a stapler and stapled the tie to his chest. He never had any trouble with discipline.*

## This Month's Riddles:

- 1) What's round and dangerous?
- 2) What tree does everyone have in his hand?
- 3) Why did the farmer bury the chicken?
- 4) What did the second hand say to the minute hand on the watch?
- 5) What kind of shoes does a plumber hate?

Some Daffynishuns: 1) Band aid – fund for needy musicians. 2) Ice cream – polar pudding. 3) Water cooler – thirst aid kit. 4) Rotisserie – Ferris wheel for chickens. 5) Horse sense – stable thinking. 6) Homemade bread – counterfeit dough. Famous Last Words: *"Somebody give me a match. I can't see where the gas is coming from."* Smart Alec Answers: 1) It was mealtime during an airline flight. "Would you like dinner?" the flight attendant asked John. "What are my choices?" John asked. "Yes or no" she replied. 2) A lady was picking through the frozen turkeys at the grocery store but she couldn't find one big enough for her family. She asked a stock boy, "Do these turkeys get any bigger?" The stock boy replied, "No Mamm, they're dead." 3) A woman stands looking in the bedroom mirror. She is not happy with what she sees and says to her husband. "I feel horrible. I look fat and old and ugly. I really need you to pay me a compliment." The husband replies, "Your eyesight is perfect!" *A woman was awakened by her telephone. "Hi." It was her mother-in-law who proceeded to tell her about the busy day she had ahead and all the things that awaited her the rest of the week. "Mom" she interrupted. "It's five in the morning." "Really?" she replied. "What are you doing up so early?"*

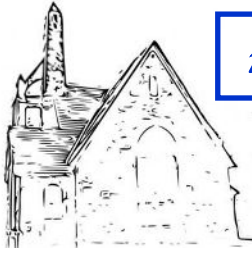
The Fisherman from Reminisce: Who's the stranger mother dear? Look he knows us – ain't he queer? Hush my own, don't talk so wild. He's your father dearest child. He's my father? No such thing. Father died away last spring. Father didn't die you dub! Father joined the fishing club. But now the season's closed so he has no place to go, you see. No place left for him to roam. That is why he's coming home. Kiss him, he won't bite you child. All those fishing guys look wild. *A woman needs a chaperone until she can call some chap her own!* Famous Quotes from Saint Patrick's Day: "I drink to make other people interesting." - George Jean Nathan. *"You're not drunk if you can lie on the floor and not hold on."* – Dean Martin. "My designated driver drove me to drink." – Unknown. *"Whiskey killed my father, so I drink it for revenge."* "The greatest invention in the history of mankind is beer. Oh, I grant you, the wheel was a fine invention, But, the wheel does not go nearly as well with pizza." – Dave Barry. *"Men with pierced ears are better prepared for marriage. They've experienced pain and bought jewelry."* "The nice thing about meditation is that it makes doing nothing quite respectable." *I was told that the reason there are only snowmen and not snowwomen is because only men are crazy enough to stand out in the snow all winter.* Signs your family is stressful: 1) Family get-togethers are sometimes called 'group therapy sessions' and involve seeing a psychiatrist. 2) The school principal has your phone number on speed-dial. 3) The cat is on valium. 4) Conversations often begin with "Put the gun down and then we can talk." *My short-term memory is not as sharp as it used to be. Also, my short-term memory is not as sharp as it used to be.* "A real woman is man's best friend. She will never stand him up and never let him down. She will reassure him when he feels insecure and comfort him after a bad day. She will inspire him to do things he never thought he could do. To live without fear and forget regret, she will enable him to express his deepest emotions. She will make sure he always feels as though he's the most handsome man in the room and will enable him to be the most confident and invincible in all things. No ... wait. Sorry. I'm thinking of beer. That's what beer does. Never mind."

*F.D. Sherman wrote the following  
and I hope for the same:*

It is my joy in life to find  
at every turning of the road  
The strong arms of a comrade kind  
to help me onward with my load  
And since I have no gold to give  
and love alone must make amends  
My only prayer is, while I live -  
God, make me worthy of my friends.

That's it for now.  
**Adios and God Bless,  
Geary (Moose) Shenck**

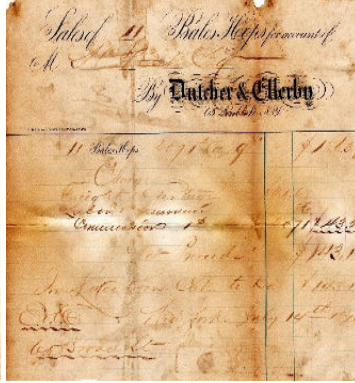
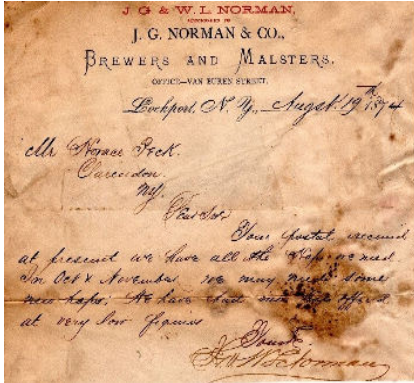




## Hillside Sketches

**Horace Peck** was born in Farmington, Connecticut on April 15, 1802. When he was just 14 years old, he was hired to drive cattle, sheep and hogs

to Buffalo, NY. He then traveled to Clarendon, NY to meet his father and family but they were not there. He was able to stay with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foster for three weeks until his parents arrived. The family bought a lot in Clarendon and cleared one acre to plant wheat. Times were tough on them for a year and there was very little to eat.



Horace taught school in Clarendon beginning in 1819 for \$10 a month. He taught for the next 10 years and was able to earn more money as he gained more experience.

Horace married Miss Anna White on January 22, 1829. Anna died in 1834. They had 3 children together, Horace, Emily and Warren. He then married Miss Adaline Nichols on January 31, 1836. They had 2 children together, Lewis and Alice.

Horace was a member of the Masonic lodge in NY.

Horace Peck was also a farmer in Clarendon and in his later years he grew and sold hops. In 1874 he sold 11 bales of hops for \$186.39 and after paying freight costs he ended up with net proceeds of \$143.19. That is the equivalent of \$4,300 in today's money.

Horace Peck died on March 12, 1887 and was buried in Hillside cemetery.



The Town of Clarendon is looking to fill the following position. Applications are available at the Town Clerk's Office or at the Highway Garage. Contact Superintendent Chalker at (585) 734-1302 for further info.

### TOWN OF CLARENDON CEMETERY GROUNDS WORKER

[Seasonal] Employee  
April 1 thru October 31

**DUTIES:**

- Mowing, weed-whacking and spraying around headstones
- Re-seed grave plots after burial
- Keep property free of debris and branches
- Additional duties as assigned by Superintendent



## Clarendon Lions Club

We had our meeting on Wednesday, March 22 with a dinner at 6:30 PM and great conversation, followed by our meeting at 7:00 PM, at the Clarendon Methodist Church, Conference Room. On Saturday April 1st, we will be sponsoring the children's Easter Party at the Holley Community Center, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 (Noon). There will be activities, an Easter egg hunt for 3 age groups, with prizes, refreshments, and a visit with the Easter Bunny, for photo opportunities. Our geranium sale will be on April 19 and 20<sup>th</sup>. Plant cost and colors will be similar to last year. Contact Joann Smith (585-638-8426) for additional information. Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will be at the Holley June Fest, selling hot dogs, hamburgers and sausages in the park near the playground. One of the organizations we help fund is "Westside Challenger Tennis", an organization that creates and enhances opportunities of all people thru tennis, especially those with unique needs. Their program starts April 15<sup>th</sup>. Contact John DeBaun at 585-448-8882 or Westside challenger [tennis@gmail.com](mailto:tennis@gmail.com). There is still a few of our 911 Signs, a blue metal sign with white reflective numbers, indicating your house number which can be installed at the entrance to your driveway, making it easy for emergency services to locate your residence. We will install it, for a small additional cost. Orders can be made by contacting Lion Kevin Johnson by phone at 585-638-5230. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 10th, with a Pot-Luck Supper at 6:30 PM, followed by a meeting at 7:00 PM at the Clarendon Methodist Church Conference Room. Don't forget, to contribute to our "Little Free Pantry" located at the east end of the Town of Clarendon Office parking lot on Church Street, for those in need of short-term food help. Especially for those folks needing extra help during the holiday season. If you would like to join our organization or volunteer to assist on our fund raisers, please contact Lion, om Persia at 585-489-9074.

Thank you for your support,

Lion Roger Boynton

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 86 Public Square  
 Holley, NY 14470  
 (585)638-6987  
[www.holleylibrary.org](http://www.holleylibrary.org)



**The Wait is OVER!**  
**Wine Tasting & Farmers' Market**  
**Friday April 28<sup>th</sup> 2023**  
**7-9pm**  
**Tickets go on sale April 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**\$25 each or 2 for \$40**

Tickets are available at the Town Clerk's Office beginning April 1st.



**The New York State Citizen Preparedness Corps Training Program**

**Invites you to participate in a private training event at:**

**Community Free Library**  
 86 Public Square, Holley, NY 14470

**Monday, April 10th 2023 at 6:30PM**  
 Max Capacity= 50

*Seating will be on a first come, first served basis*

With severe weather events becoming more frequent and more extreme, it is more important than ever that New Yorkers are prepared for disasters. The NY Citizen Preparedness Training Program teaches residents to have the tools and resources to prepare for any type of disaster, respond accordingly and recover as quickly as possible to pre-disaster conditions. The training course will provide an introduction to responding to a natural or man-made disaster. Participants will be advised on how to properly prepare for any disaster, including developing a family emergency plan and stocking up on emergency supplies.



The most recent carving donated to the Town .  
 Thank you Bob Barrett!



Clarendon homeschoolers proudly wear Clarendon Sweatshirts!



**Riddle Answers:**

- 1.) A vicious circle
- 2.) Palm
- 3.) He wanted to raise eggplant
- 4.) I think I'm lost – I keep going around in circles.
- 5.) Clogs



**Clarendon Lions Club ANNUAL**

**GERANIUM SALE**  
**FRI-SAT MAY 19 & 20**  
**PRICES AND COLORS TO BE ANNOUNCED NEXT MONTH!**  
**[PRE-ORDERS ONLY]**



from *The Humble Bard*



*Eric Weatherbee is the author of 10 novels and over 200 short stories and poems. He and his wife, Betty, publish the Humble Bard Magazine and Prairie Winds Magazine. The Weatherbees live and farm in the Town of Clarendon, Orleans County, New York with their children Megan and Travis, and their 'extended family'!*

*Welcome Humble Bard to  
the Clarendon Gazette*

## A Poor Man's Shoes

By Eric Weatherbee      copyright 2022

A Poor Man's Shoes are weathered and worn, A subtle reminder of the place he was born.  
Hot and dusty All summer long, Bitter and cold as the winter winds blow strong  
A Poor Man's Shoes Have carried him ten thousand miles with hard, calloused hands, And precious few smiles.  
Life's not easy when you walk in A Poor Man's shoes, it's a fight for survival and if you stumble you lose!

From the plains of Texas to the Kentucky coal mines, A Poor Man's Shoes Kept him walking the line  
With picks and shovels Way down in the earth, A man soon learned Just what he was worth.  
Breathing coal dust and gas He labored twelve hours a day Never seeing the sun for just two dollars pay!  
But he never complained, always paid his dues, as he walked to the mine Wearing them Poor Man's shoes

When the coal played out and the mine shut-down, Them Poor Man's Shoes carried him Ten miles to town  
He roamed the streets Searchin' for a place to stay, when he met an old man, Shiverin' with cold, and in a bad way  
He was dirty and ragged and his feet were bleedin' A Poor Man's Shoes Were just the thing he was needin'  
That poor man pulled Those shoes from his feet Gave 'em to the old man and then moved on down the street.

The old man smiled and said, "Bless you my son, Lord only knows the service you've done."  
Well, that poor man worked 'til the day he drew his last breath, there was no one to mourn him, No one to learn of his death.  
But as he walked along the path of his fate, off in the distance He spied those pearly gates  
A smile crossed his face as he hurried along, but as he drew near He knew there was something wrong

Beyond those gates Paradise lie awaitin', But the gates were closed No point in hesitatin'  
With head bowed down He turned away, but then from beyond those gates He heard a familiar voice say,  
"Where ya going son? I've been waitin' a long time, ever since the day You walked from the mine."  
The poor man turned and looked at that familiar face, The old man smiled and said, "Son, you've come to the right place."  
That old man swung Those pearly gates open wide Saying, "Son, why don't you leave your troubles behind and step inside."  
The poor man smiled and stepped through those gates, barely able to believe This turn of fate.  
The old man smiled and said, "My name's Saint Peter and I'll never forget, the service you done me, On the day we first met."  
"Kindness to a stranger's Pretty hard to find, but you done it up right, that day you walked from the mine."  
"You gave up your shoes to a man in need, and your actions that day Have brought you here indeed!"  
Saint Peter looked down to the shoes on his feet, they were weathered and worn, Scarred by the cold and the heat  
The poor man followed St. Peter's gaze and said, "Looks like your shoes Have seen better days."  
St. Peter chuckled and said, "Son, you're right about that, I've worn these shoes from here . . . to Hell and back."  
That old angel grew serious then, as he looked into the poor man's eyes, Saying, "Son, I hope you understand, I hope you realize,"  
"You've made it here to Heaven 'cause of the choices you've made, your slate's been wiped clean, all your debts have been paid."  
"Now son, could you do me a favor ,could you lend me a hand?" The poor man helped St. Peter to the ground, In the Promised Land,  
And as he sat on the ground In that heavenly place, He pulled the shoes from his feet, A smile on his face  
He said, "A good pair of shoes Can carry a man far, just look where you've been and now look where you are."  
St Peter stuck his hand out and said, "Help an old man Get up off the ground, put those shoes on your feet And I'll show you around."  
And as we walked away toward that eternal light, A Poor Man's Shoes . . . never felt so right

## Clarendon Personalities..... Reprinted from June 2007 Issue

Frederick Frank Seeman, Jr. was born at Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester, NY on September 10, 1931 to Alice (Stewart) and Fred F. Seeman, Sr. The middle child, Fred grew up with an older sister, Shirley and a younger brother, William. Fred was raised in Rochester and attended the city schools through 9<sup>th</sup> grade, when he attended a trade school for baking. When he was 12-13 years old, in the summertime, Fred would ride his bicycle to Oak Hill, Locust Hill and Rochester Country Clubs to caddy. He'd earn 75 cents to carry one bag for 18 holes and \$2.50 to carry two bags. He remembers being caddy for Frank Gannett, owner of the D&C News, who Fred said was tight with his money and tips! In the winter months, he'd work at the bowling alley setting pins for the league bowlers at \$1.25 for one alley and \$2.50 for two alleys. He remembers paying 11 cents to see a movie and 10 cents to bowl one game! Fred graduated school in 1948 and his father, a Foreman at Beechnut Packing Co. in Rochester, got him a job there, where he worked for 9 ½ years. Fred served the U.S. Marine Corp Reserves from 1948 to 1951 and was drafted into the Army in 1952. He reported for basic training in May and after eight weeks, was moved to Fort Eustis, Virginia near Williamsburg where he was trained in driving tractor trailer trucks. In November of 1952, Private First Class Seeman was sent to Korea with the 19<sup>th</sup> Group, 8<sup>th</sup> Army Combat Engineers to move bulldozers, road graders, bridge equipment and any other military equipment that needed transport. Fred remembers heading home from Korea on Christmas Day in 1953 by ship via Japan, where uniforms from Korean service were turned in for a new issue of fatigues and a dress uniform to enter the United States. From Japan, he was moved to San Francisco where they flew him to the base in New Jersey for final discharge from military service. When Fred returned to Rochester, he went back to his old job at Beechnut Packing until 1957 when he went to work for Wilmont Castle Co. in Henrietta where he assembled hospital sterilizers for pharmaceutical companies all over the world. Fred worked for Wilmont Castle until his retirement in 1994. While in Korea, Fred corresponded with one of his cousins in Kendall and her girlfriend Annette. When he was discharged, he met Annette; they were married in 1953 and raised two children Brenda and Paul in North Chili. Divorced in 1965, Fred moved back to Rochester. On a bowling league for Wilmont Castle, Fred remembers when he met Carole Coombs at the 'Bowl-A-Roll' on Jefferson Road. Carole was there with her friends and a group of them ended up going out. Fred dated Carole for a short six weeks and they were married October 30<sup>th</sup>, 1965. Fred says they exchanged licenses as proof to each other that they were born on the same day, September 10<sup>th</sup>, ten years apart! Fred and Carole moved into a furnished Rochester apartment, where they lived until May 11, 1966 when they moved into their home at 16377 Boots Road in Clarendon. Carole was a clerk for National Clothing Company at South Towne Plaza before working at Neisners Distribution Center. Work places being close, Fred and Carole went back and forth each day together. Fred F., III, their first child, was born in 1968 and Carole worked until he was six months old before deciding to be a stay-at-home mom. Jimmy was born in 1971 and Matt in 1972. Fred remembers they were visiting his cousin, Eileen (and Bill) Hilfiker after they'd purchased a farm on Boots Road. There was a house on the property, which was being rented at the time, by Lew Moore. Lew moved to the Clarendon Hamlet and Fred & Carole bought the home and one acre on land contract. The barn was purchased later. Fred and Carole raised their children in Clarendon. Fred remembers helping on Hilfikers farm in the summer, driving tractor after work. Their three boys belonged to Boy Scout Troop 59 at the Disciples Church on Route 237 and Fred remembers helping troop leader Everett Shaver on camp-outs and the family fishing trips to Point Breeze. Around 1990, Fred started mowing lawns as a part-time job and the three boys helped. When Fred had to work, Carol would supervise the boys to get the jobs done! Fred expanded and for many years mowed four of Clarendon's Pioneer Cemeteries and eventually the Town Hall Lawn and Park too. Fred is a life-time member of the V.F.W. Post 202 in Holley and both he and Carole belong to the "Lone Wolf Cruisers" car club in Batavia. They look forward to the summer when they travel to area Car Cruises. Fred and Carole cruised for five years in their blue & white 1955 Chevy until they traded her in for the white 1962 Buick LaSabre 2-door hard-top they drive today. 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#64-357 PRINCIPAL CLERK  
 Open Competitive  
 Written Examination Date: 04/05/2023  
 Last Filing Date: 05/13/2023

#63760 CASE SUPERVISOR - GRADE B  
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## Wildlife, Fish & Marine Life Newsletter



### Species Profile: Great Egret

Meet the Great Egret—a wading bird found in marshes and wetlands. It often holds its neck in an "S" shape. From that position, it can lunge its head forward at lightning speed and strike prey with its long bill. These birds are only in New York during the summer. Considering adding this beauty to your birding bucket list? Head to one of the [NYS Birding Trail locations](#) near water this summer and you might get lucky and see one! Find Birding Trail locations and birding tips on [DEC's New York State Birding webpage](#).  
*Photo of great egret by Dori Stathopoulos.*

### Take the 2023 I Bird NY Challenge

The [2023 IBIRDNY Challenge](#) is back and better than ever! Birders of all ages and abilities are encouraged to see or hear and record any 10 bird species of their choosing, with opportunities for both youth and adult participants to win great birding prizes. New this year, the challenge will run from March 1 – November 1, observation logs may be submitted via an online form, and all participants will receive a commemorative challenge patch! For more information, including ideas on species to observe and places to go, visit the [I Bird NY webpage](#).





**CLARENDON CONNECTIONS IN THE MILITARY**

**U.S. ARMY**

**Graydon E. Beadle**

Son of Patrice Beadle & James Szymus  
N. Manning 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  
SGT Jacob Brooks  
Jacob is currently stationed  
At Fort Richardson in Alaska

**U.S. ARMY**

**Katie Cobb**

'like a daughter' to  
Rochele & Dennis Ladd  
Hall Road, Clarendon  
Katie is currently stationed  
In San Antonio, TX

**U.S. ARMY**

**Erik Gallanger**

Close Friend to Don & Bev Rhoads  
So. Manning Road, Clarendon  
*Erik is serving as a medic*

**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 RESERVES**

**Todd Klatt**

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

**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 in San Diego, CA


**U.S. NAVY**

**Robert Sitto Torres**

Son of Will Torres, 4th Section Rd., Clarendon  
Robert is a machine mate stationed on USS-Essex (LHD-2) in San Diego, CA

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Vern Fonda (585) 735-6963  
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**PISTOL PERMITS Information**

Sheriff's Department      *This is where you purchase application packet for \$10.*  
585-590-4142                      *Can pay with a debit or credit card.*  
M-F 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Pistol Permit Office      *This is where you turn in completed application.*  
(County Clerk)

**MONTHLY MEETINGS/FUNCTIONS**  
**SCHEDULED AT THE TOWN HALL – 16385 CHURCH ST**

20223- Town Board - 3<sup>RD</sup> Tuesday each month at 7pm at the Town Hall, 16385 Church St., Clarendon, NY.

Planning Board	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday @ 7pm
Zoning Board of Appeals	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday (as needed) @ 7pm
Clarendon Historical Society	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday @ 7pm
Court District Attorney Night	2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday @ 4:30pm

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Erich 230-0004

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**Animal Service League 621-0DOG**  
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**Diann's Beauty Shop** 585-638-6997  
Diann Hillabush, Fancher Rd

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**Driveway Sealing by Varsity Sealing**  
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**Earthworks by Schiavone** 638-6744

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