

Ballston Area SENIOR UPDATE JULY/AUGUST 2022



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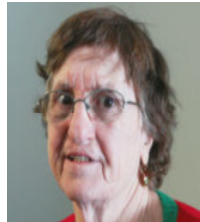
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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Summer months are here and we have been very busy trying to fit in as many activities as we can to make up for our 2 year absence!!!! We have had two fun dances and a beautiful Grand Reopening dinner with a theater production of a Murder Mystery. The meal was fantastic and the show very entertaining. Thanks to Barbara Broderson for all the planning, preparations and cleanup!!! It was a huge success. Our painting class was also very enjoyable. We have some talented artists among our members. Thanks to Meg Stevens for leading this and also for the computer classes she taught! We have another class being planned for painting on glass.

The congregate meals are being served weekdays and enjoyed by many. A day long class was held for Safe driving and 40 people attended. Thanks to Kathy Eitzmann for planning and helping to deliver this program to our members.

We had a beautiful annual memorial service for our deceased members. Bus trips have been enjoyed to the Vermont Country Store, The Medieval Times in NJ and the Beardslee Castle in Little Falls NY. The food was awesome and we all enjoy eating!!!! We have a Hudson River Cruise trip and the Glimmerglass theater for 'The Sound of Music' in Cooperstown coming very soon. Thank you to Carol Moll and Mary Egan for the great job of arranging and leading us all on these adventures! They do a wonderful job...

Western dances are being planned in the near future. Volunteers would help make these a success. Also, a fashion show is being planned and a game day!!!

I am looking forward to seeing you at our meetings and events. Suggestions are always welcomed and you may call me or Linda Elmer for any reason. We are here to help you and our organization!

Marge Bayer, president BASC
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WELCOME HOME DINNER/DANCE

Everyone had a great time at the Welcome Home Party, 150 people attended and were treated to wonderful food from Mom and Pops, a Murder Mystery to solve, and dancing to a fun and popular band. Here are some photos to remind you of the day.



Trip to Beardslee Castle

We enjoyed the trip to beautiful Beardslee Castle for a delicious meal (Death by Chocolate for desert) and another Murder to solve.



The Farmers' Market is in full swing on Saturdays (9.00 to 1.00) and Thursdays (3.00 to 6.00), the fresh produce is wonderful, and fresh baked goods and hand made items are irresistible.

There are 2 more Movies in the Park nights, Fridays 1st of July ('Encanto') and 5th of August ('Sing 2') in Wiswall Park at dusk.

The Concerts in the Park at Lions Music Park in Old Iron Spring Park on Front Street will start Thursday June 30th from 6.00 to 8.00 with the Ballston Spa Community Band.

July 7th - Warden & Co
 July 14th - Hot Club of Saratoga
 July 21st - High Peaks Bluegrass Band
 July 28th - The North and South Dakotas
 August 4th - Annual Ice Cream Social with The Union Fire Company Band
 August 11th - Sirsy
 August 18th - Lustre Kings
 August 25th - The Rogues

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PICKIN' SESSION

Wednesdays July 6th and August 3rd

6:30 – 9:30 pm Open To Public
 Free Admission
 Bring snacks to share

Bring an instrument to play or come and listen, sing along and enjoy a musical and social night out.



THE CRAFT CORNER

People have asked about our craft group but never seem to show up. You don't have to be talented, knit or crochet. If you can glue, paint, cut or even imagine, please stop by the craft room anytime on Tuesday from 10-12. We make things for the craft table, hopefully a craft fair, and just for fun.

EXERCISE CLASSES

There are 2 exercise classes a week, Mondays at 11.15 to 12.00, and Fridays at 2.00 to 2.45. Bring weights if you want to use them, although we do have extra, and a bottle of water. This a gentle class of stretching, balance and weights, and everyone is already feeling it is helping them, so do please come and join us. Contact Alison Bodle for more information 518 288 3565.

SATURDAY DANCES

Peter is working very hard to get our dances up and running again. He hopes to have something organized for August, so listen out for more information.



TRIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 21st

Hudson River Cruise from Kingston, NY
 Bus leaves at 9.45am. Bus returns at 5.00pm
 This trip is closed now.

August 2nd

'The Sound of Music' at Glimmerglass, Cooperstown. This trip is already full.

September 13th

Lanthier's Grove, Clambake.
 Fee: \$35 resident, \$45 non resident, Guest full price.
 Sign up: **August 4th and 11th at 11am**

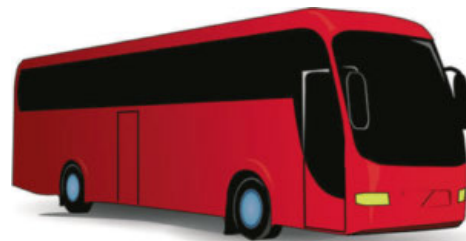
October 17th

Essex Connecticut Train and Boat Excursion, dinner on the train. (Limit 48).
 Sign up: **September 1st and 15th**
 Fee: \$35 resident, \$45 non resident, Guest full price.

November Rock City—Tentative

December Proctors—Christmas Spectacular—Dinner TBA.

For more information, please contact the Trip Coordinators: Carol Moll 518 339 8926 or Mary Egan 518 630 6322.



FESTIVE DINNER

We are having a Senior Summer Dinner at the Lake with BBQ chicken and fixings.

July 7th at 550 Waterfront, 550 Union Ave, Saratoga Springs, 12866.
 Pass Longfellows on your right, then on the right immediately before the bridge, opposite the Marina.
 Doors open at 11.45, dinner at 12.00.
 Tickets \$12.00 on sale Thursday June 30th at the meeting.



JULY


AUGUST

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| 1 Agnes Mohr | 1 Ann Morris |
| 3 Joan M. Carbone | 3 Ronald Leveille |
| 3 Lorraine Walkowicz | 6 Jannette Schmitt |
| 3 Jeanne A. Cramer | 6 Debra Howansky |
| 4 Neil Scheuerman | 8 Rose Verro |
| 4 Rosemarie Sarmiento | 8 Pat A. Haskell |
| 5 Francy Balch | 9 Peter Medick |
| 5 Jim Frey | 9 Letty Rudes |
| 7 Christine Bullock | 9 Linda Ferrara |
| 7 Lise Beretz | 11 Sharon Sommer |
| 7 Donna Halse | 12 Mark Pressler |
| 8 Reginald Macey | 13 Mary T. Carrier |
| 9 Tina Woodcock | 14 James Belanger |
| 11 Alberta Sweet | 16 Maru Ann Mevec |
| 11 Elizabeth Delgarde | 17 Francine Dudka |
| 11 Dorothy J. Fremont | 17 Helene L. Kerwood |
| 13 Betty Anderson | 18 Gary Wachunas |
| 13 Bill LaMore | 19 Joan Darling |
| 15 Dennis Askew | 19 AudreyHauprich |
| 16 Peter Petrillo | 20 Theresa Arpei |
| 17 Glen Becker | 21 Andrew Burke |
| 18 Patricia Hickok | 23 Barbara Hendrickson |
| 19 Rennie Knapp | 25 Helen Baker |
| 20 Nancy Harvey | 25 Roland Kump |
| 20 Peg Gifford | 26 Robert Miller |
| 21 Jean Carpenter | 26 Robert McClements |
| 25 Fran C. Gailor | 27 Murray Eitzmann |
| 25 Marlu Sidenstick | 29 Joan Doten |
| 25 Jean Taylor | 29 Marion Richarson |
| 26 Alice Hassell | 29 Elizabeth Nagy |
| 26 Margaret Seeberger | 30 Shirley Welch |
| 26 Kathleen Eitzmann | 30 Carol Weilacher |
| 27 Jim Brown | 31 Judith Zanella |
| 27 Pat Bowers | |
| 27 Estella Simmons | |
| 29 Albert Laraway | |
| 29 David Howansky | |
| 30 Beverly Westfall | |
| 30 Pat Culora | |
| 30 Clara Dutcher | |

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Margaret DeFillippa



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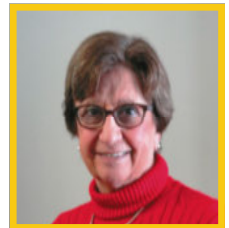
Well, we had ourselves a great celebration on the 11th of June. I hope that all of you enjoyed yourselves, all 150 of you. What a turn out! I was glad our 3 municipalities were represented at the celebration. We need to invite them more.

We are finally home and just about back at a 100%. We have many events and opportunities to look forward to this year. Fashion show, more nice dinners, Trips and activities at the center, just to name a few. I will be getting my team back together to finish up on the Bylaws and Procedures review.

If you have any issues or questions please feel free to contact me.

Linda Elmer BASC VP
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Around the Town



Barb Kerr

Happy Summer, it's so nice to have all the normal summer activities happening this year. I feel we are finally getting back to life the way it should be.

In the village we have the Farmers Market every Thursday and Saturday and its berry season, my personal favorite. We have Movies in the Park July 1, presenting Encanto and August 5th showing Sing 2. Let's not forget First Friday and Concerts in the Lions Music Park at the Iron Spring. The Concerts are 6 pm til 8pm on July 7,14, 21 and 28. One of my favorite events is the Villages Ice Cream Social on August 4th. Mark your calendar.

Here in the Town, we are extremely happy to reinstate our Summer Camp program. This year the program is free to all Town Residents. It's our way to say, "Welcome Back". Burgess/Kimball Park will be closed during Camp hours, but children can still enjoy Suzanne's Playground anytime.

I hope everyone is enjoying the Thursday lunches. I think its always nice to have someone else cook for me. Enjoy the Summer and stay safe.

Barbara

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Mondays

9.00am—12.00	Pool
10.00am—11.00am	Chorus
11.15am—12.00	Exercise

Tuesdays

10.00—12.00	Crafts
1.00—4.00pm	Mahjong

Wednesdays

Thursday

12.00	Lunch & General Meeting, Bingo.
1.00—4.00pm	Pool

Fridays

2.00pm—2.45	Exercise
6.30—9.00pm	Pool

If you would like to take part in any of these activities, please call Dan Buneo for pool at 518 309 3093, Earleen Van for crafts at 518 855 8730, and Alison for exercise at 518 288 3565.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

JULY

1st	First Friday. Movie at Wiswall Park, 'Encanto' at dusk.
	Farmers' Market every Saturday.
6th	Pickin' Session 6.30—9.30pm
7th	Festive Dinner at 550 on The Waterfront
7th	Farmers' Market every Thursday, followed by Concerts in the Park
14th	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo.
21st	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo. Trip—Hudson River Cruise.
28th	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo. Board Meeting.

AUGUST

2nd	Trip to Glimmerglass
3rd	Pickin' Session 6.30—9.30pm
4th	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo.
5th	First Friday. Movie at Wiswall Park 'Sing 2' at dusk.
11th	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo.
18th	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo.
25th	Luncheon/Meeting, Bingo. Board Meeting.

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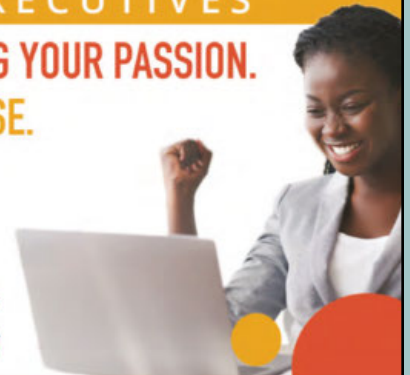
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\$10.00 = 55 to 79 years in 2020

\$5.00 = Turned 80 in 2021

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