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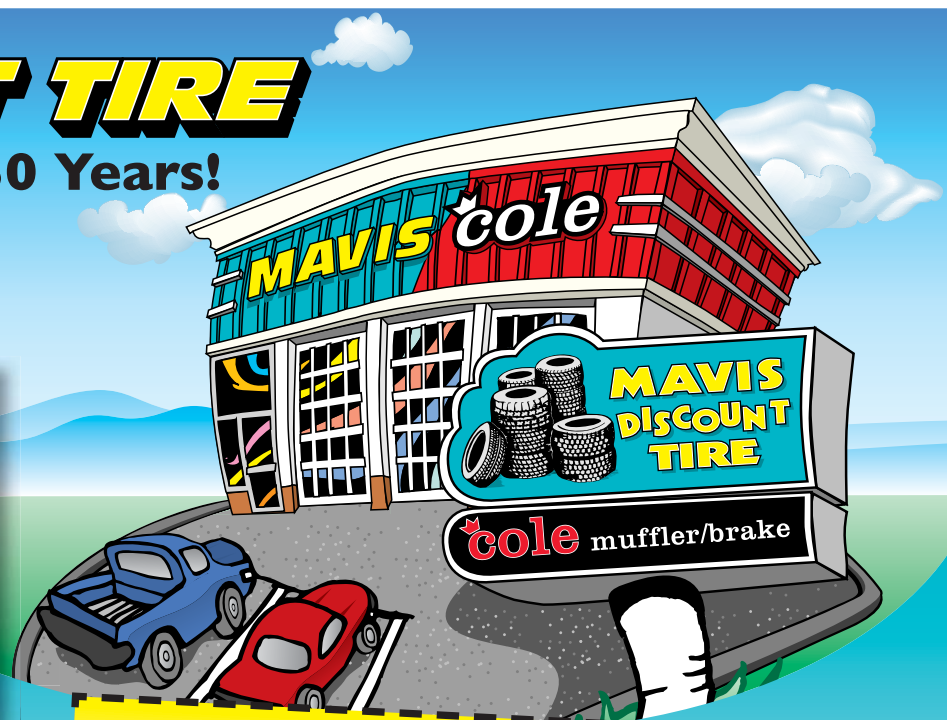
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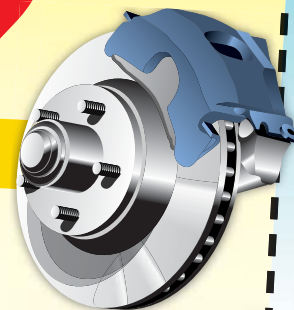
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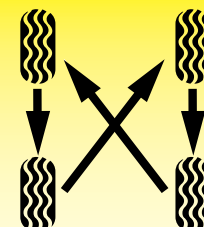
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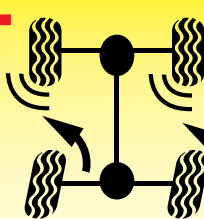
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Joe said, "I run the store by myself." Though that wasn't always the case. His wife Marie, who passed away 19 years ago, worked together with Joe for 26 years.

Joe said, "We had a fantastic relationship. We seldom argued."

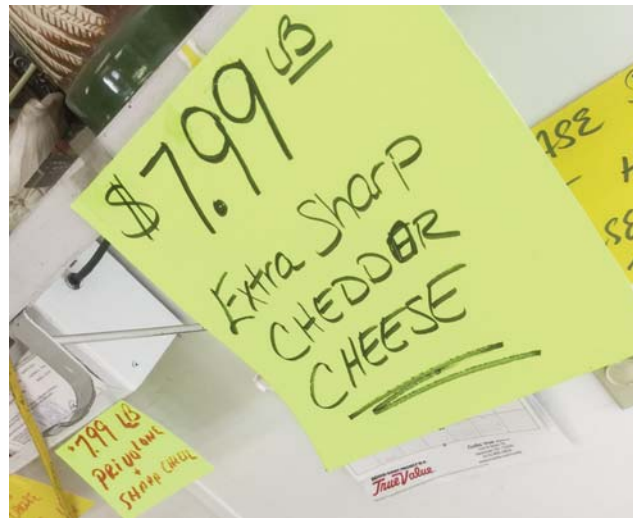
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## Spring into Health with the Return of the Little Falls Wellness Fair

This May, the First Presbyterian Church of Little Falls will be preaching a message of health and wellness when it hosts the second annual Little Falls Wellness Fair.

In coordination with Think Local's wellness-themed Third Thursday in May, the church will host a free, non-denominational wellness fair on Saturday, May 20th starting at 10 am. The fair will be held at Burke Park and will feature displays, activities and demonstrations from area wellness vendors and organizations, a bouncy castle, an obstacle course and more. Participants and contributors include Little Falls Hospital, Alpine Rehab and Nursing Center,

Fitness Farmacy, Yoga & Wellness, Little Falls YMCA, Little Falls Veterinary Clinic, The Outsidiers, Price Chopper and Stewarts.

The wellness fair will also include a workshop series featuring local professionals. Sessions will run every half hour during the fair in the First Presbyterian Church's hall at 16 Jackson Street, with topics ranging from diabetes and drug prevention awareness to nutrition and yoga.

"After the success of last year's wellness fair, we're excited to host this again for Little Falls," said Pastor Tamara Razano, who was installed as the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in

September and will be presenting a workshop session on spiritual wellness. "Our congregation has always felt that

there's more to church than Sunday mornings, and helping to promote all manner of health and wellness is a great way to support our community."

A presence in Little Falls for over 200 years, the First Presbyterian Church was instrumen-

## Community Chorus Being Formed for 200th Anniversary of Erie Canal

To celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Erie Canal, the Albany Symphony Orchestra has received a grant to cruise

the entire length of the Erie Canal bringing its music to several stops along its route.

For each of these sev-

eral stops, a professional composer has been commissioned to write an original piece for Symphony and Chorus.

Little Falls will be the only stop in our area. Joining the ASO at this concert will be a locally-formed chorus. The concert will take place on Wednesday, July 5th, in Little Falls. Rehearsals of this newly-formed chorus

or the mission of the First Presbyterian Church, call (315) 823-3004 during the week or join Sunday services held at 10 am at 16 Jackson Street. The congregation is open and affirming, and all are welcome.

will begin on Monday, May 15, at 7:00 pm in the vocal music room of Central Valley Academy in Ilion, NY. Rehearsals will continue each Monday night from 7:00 to 9:00 pm until July 3rd.

Any singers interested in joining this chorus and who have Monday evenings free, are invited to attend the rehearsals in Ilion beginning May 15.

Further information regarding this chorus can be obtained by calling (315) 826-3092.

## Arc Herkimer to Host Job Information Fair

Area residents are invited to learn more regarding working as a Direct Support Professional (DSP) and applying for a job at Arc Herkimer on Thursday, May 18. Individuals can attend between 12 pm to 3 pm at 350 S. Washington Street in Herkimer, NY.

Arc Herkimer is proud of the Direct Support Professionals, who work each day to empower people and to enrich lives. The job information event will showcase the rewards and challenges of working at Arc Herkimer providing care and supporting individuals with disabilities and others in the community. The setup will include information tables with current DSPs interacting and chatting with prospective employees. Although a high school diploma is a requirement for a job, individuals with college degrees earn more per hour at the nonprofit.

For questions for the Job Fair, call Recruiter Lisa Colangelo at (315) 574-7693. For more information regarding Arc Herkimer or to apply for a job online, visit [archerkimer.org](http://archerkimer.org).

## Herkimer County Humane Society Annual Garage Sale

Herkimer County Humane Society will hold its annual Garage Sale on Saturday, May 27 (rain date: June 10) at the shelter from 10 am - 4 pm. All proceeds benefit the shelter.

HCHS is looking for donations from the community; no clothing please. For drop off times and information, call: (315) 520-3112.

Stop down to the shelter; perhaps another man's trash will be your treasure. And support the Herkimer County Humane Society at the same time. For more information on how you can help the HCHS, go to: [www.herkhumane.org](http://www.herkhumane.org). or follow them of Facebook: Herkimer County Humane Society.

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17 Elliptical  
18 Involve  
19 Plant bristle  
21 Mischievous tyke  
22 Capital of Rwanda  
26 Prologue  
29 Fast flier  
30 Director Howard  
31 Little lamb's owner  
32 Prohibit  
33 Ostentatious display  
34 Santa — winds  
35 Blunder  
36 Point of view  
37 Capital of Mozambique  
39 Ostrich's cousin  
40 Cal.'s ocean  
41 Dutch exports  
45 Shaving cream



- additive  
48 Capital of Turkmenistan  
50 Sunup  
51 One-on-one battle  
52 Wall climber  
53 Newspaper pg.  
54 Bizarre (Var.)  
55 Gender
- 6 A billion years  
7 Gotten back  
8 In the thick of  
9 Accelerate quickly  
10 — long way  
11 Hooter  
16 Hirsute  
20 Humor  
23 Met melody  
24 Forsaken  
25 "Meet Me — Louis"  
26 Mosque big wig  
27 "Peter Pan" actors  
28 Snare  
29 Cookie holder
- 32 Rich fabric  
33 "Be-Bop- —"  
35 Greek vowel  
36 With compla-cence  
38 Knock over  
39 Bygone anes-thetic  
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Weekly SUDOKU

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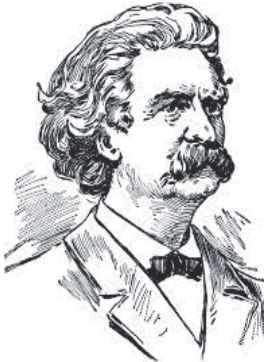
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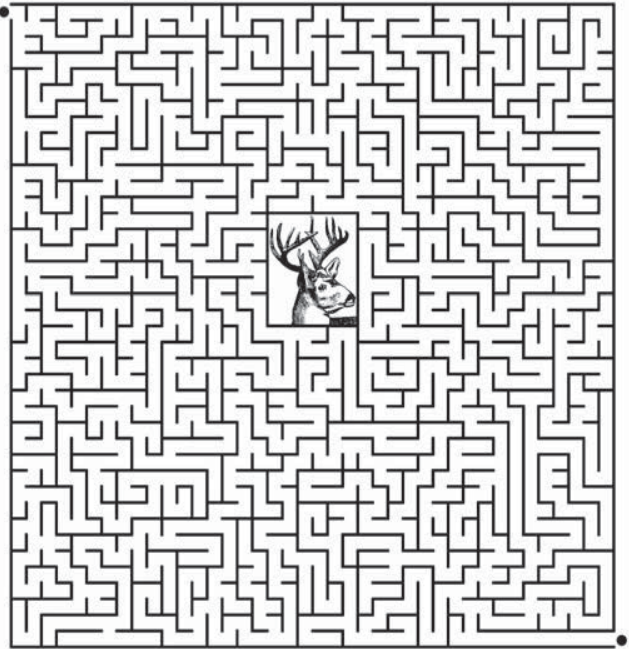
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It's spring fever...  
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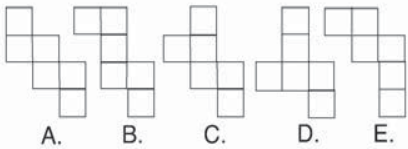
Amber Waves

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STICKELERS (sic)  
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Four of the five diagrams below can be folded into a cube. Which one cannot?



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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

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## Laundry

*In the fast paced 21st century we've traded common sense for the ability to quickly look up information on the internet. We've forgotten our manners and civility. How do we get back to our roots? Can we get back? Food for thought...*

By **S.D. Shapiro**

It was laundry day at the old homestead, the Mrs. was away at a work

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conference, and I found myself standing in front of the washing machine hopelessly lost with the prospect of wearing sweatpants and a Hawaiian shirt to work if I couldn't figure it out. How hard could it be?

I hadn't really done laundry in quite a long time but it should still be the same; clothes + soap and water + the machine.

I had the clothes and



## WHAT WOULD YOUR MOTHER SAY?!

the water was, theoretically, hooked to the washer. I only had to add soap. How much laundry detergent do I add? Well, this new-fangled contraption requires something called HE Detergent. I dug around through all the bottles and containers near the washing machine looking for HE Detergent. We had some Tide and some sort of fabric softener but I couldn't find any HE soap.

Not looking forward to my sweats and luau garb, I went to the supermarket for HE soap. After about a half hour of looking at all the assorted brands I was about to give up when a stock clerk came by. I asked,

"Do you have any HE soap?"

A second later, and without even looking, he grabbed a bottle off the shelf. "This one here is high efficiency."

I paid for the HE soap and went home.

With my newly purchased HE soap in hand and the clothes in the machine waiting for it, I attempted to start the laundry. I put the soap in the little thing, closed the door, and waited for the machine to start.

Nothing.

There are so many buttons on the machine I thought I would have to call NASA mission control for help. I hit a button with my thumb choosing the water tem-

perature. "Hot," sounded good. There was another dial that looked like it wanted to be turned. I switched it to "heavy" wash because it seemed appropriate.

Still the machine did nothing.

I stared at the washing machine, willing it to start when I noticed, a rather large button, right in the middle of all the buttons, that looked like an old-fashioned play button on my old VCR. I thumbed it and the washer came to life with an electronic whir.

While I was waiting for the modern miracle of 21st century laundry to make my clothes clean another laundry detail popped into my head. The name of the device has never made sense to me; "washer." They're advertised as "washer & driers" with no need to specify that it's machine meant for washing clothes yet, in my house, not more than a dozen feet away is my dish washer. The dishwasher is a machine specifically denoted to wash dishes. Even in with my laundry ineptitude, I have never mistaken one for the other. Never have I put my pants in the dishwasher and I've never accidentally put plates and spoons in the washing machine.

36 minutes later the machine finished with an electronic song.

Modern laundry And my socks are all pink.

When it comes down to laundry, remember 2 things; first, it's still a chore but a heck of a lot easier than taking it down to the river or using a washboard and second, pay attention to how your wife does it. Stop and think, "What would my mother say?" She would say, "Did you check all the labels? Dry clean only means dry clean only, you know."

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# Happy 200th Town of Danube: A tribute to Then and Now

By Carly Proulx

The Town of Danube will celebrate its 200th year anniversary May 19th-21st, 2017. Its namesake arrived with the early settlers, many who emigrated from Eu-

rope. They'd call the town Danube after the longstanding frontier of the Roman Empire and Europe's 2nd longest river. First formed on April 17, 1817 many hard-working people like the

Celebration Committee are responsible for making possible this week-end long celebration 200 years later.

Longtime resident, and town historian Diane Fischer started the Town of Danube Then and Now Facebook page back in April 2016, creating an online canvas in which to fill with memories of the town's journey thus far. It's a way to commemorate the young and old, remember those passed, and celebrate present day Danube happenings as they come and go. What started out as a roll off the tongue about Danube's 200th birthday soon became a reality of committee members, the town board, and a slew of volunteers putting the pieces together for an anniversary weekend of back to back celebratory events. "People have been great, and everybody has worked really hard to make this a special and memorable time for the town of Danube and its residents," a delighted Fischer stated.

On Friday May 19, headed by Town Deputy Supervisor Frank Brown the Town wide garage sales will commence the anniversary festivities of the weekend. After you hunt your way through the Town's wares you can grab some short order grub, and join in some games at the Shu Maker Mountain Climbers. Later in the evening when darkness falls, a professional fireworks display to impress by Young Explosives, will light up the town's sky, symbolizing the joy of township in Danube throughout the years, and all those who played a part.

Town wide garage sales will again set in motion the day's events on Saturday, May 20th. Starting at the Town garage and ending at the Grange the Town Parade will kick off at 10am, followed by a Chicken BBQ hosted by the Shu Maker Mountain Climbers Snowmobile Club at the Shu Maker Club house located on 135 Creek Road in Little Falls from 12 pm - 4 pm. Tickets can be purchased in ad-

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## The Mohawk Valley Will 'March for Babies' in Utica on Sat May 20

April showers bring May flowers... and the annual March for Babies event in Utica! The Mohawk Valley March of Dimes will be joined by hundreds of families and community leaders on Saturday, May 20 to celebrate the organization's biggest fundraiser.

Maria Suppa is this year's March for Babies Chair and shares, "I'm certain that without the work of the March of Dimes, my girls would

not be with me today." Suppa's twin daughters were born premature at only 28 weeks weighing just over 2 pounds each, and spent 8 weeks in Crouse NICU while they fought to survive. They are now happy, healthy 3 year olds who help their mother advocate for healthy pregnancies and babies by supporting the March of Dimes.

This year's Central New York Ambassador Family is the LaValley

family. After struggling with infertility for years, Dr. Rebecca LaValley became pregnant with triplets and in 2013 gave birth to her daughters at 30 weeks 6 days. For 6 weeks, her girls remained in Crouse NICU until finally coming home. Last year, LaValley welcomed her first spontaneous pregnancy... with twins! Her son and daughter were also born premature at 34 weeks 2 days, spending

over 2 weeks in different hospitals. They "LaValley Fab Five" is now together at home and will be leading the 2017 March for Babies in Utica.

Executive Leadership Team member, Laura Powers, explains, "While the March of Dimes places a keen eye on reducing prematurity through education and research, they are an organization for all babies. They were instrumental in eradicating polio in

the 1970s, and more recently they have assisted with screening newborns for more than 20 serious but treatable conditions in all states." Powers adds, "If you had a full-term pregnancy and healthy baby, March of Dimes has been a part of that journey."

The March for Babies is open to the public and all are welcomed to join an existing team or create their own (<https://www.marchforbabies.org/>). Guests are encouraged to come early during the registration period to enjoy music, children's activities, and a visit by the Utica

Zoo mobile. Following the walk, a free picnic lunch will be provided. New this year include a visit by the Sitrin Comettes and Audie from Utica Comets, along with Chuck E. Cheese! Families will also have an opportunity to take fun event photos courtesy of Allie's Celfie Central.

Registration begins 10am at the Masonic Care Community (gymnasium) located 2150 Blecker St., with the 3.5-mile walk kicking off at 11am. For more information, please see the "March for Babies Walk - Utica" Facebook page.





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## Peace in Myers Park

**By Jessica Arsenault Rivenburg**

Sometimes in our busy lives, between news reports and police blotters, things can look a bit grim. But on May 6, people proved that community spirit still exists during Peace in the Park at Myers Park.

Tranquil music played from speakers in the park's gazebo, families strolled from booth to booth talking and laughing, children scampered about with hula-hoops and giant bubble wands.

"We wanted to bring the community out in a peaceful way," said Allysa, an advocate with the Domestic Violence Program of Herkimer County, who planned Saturday's event. "It's to bring community together and also raise aware-

ness about domestic violence."

With a report of a robbery at knife-point in Myers Park only five days ago, Allysa pointed out that the event and its

location are perhaps even more poignant this year than in years past.

"It's another example of how the community

**Peace 12**



Ave Macri, left, and Presley Macri try their hands at Hula hooping during Peace in the Park May 6.

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despite some negative things happening,” she

said. “This is what we want to show everyone. This is what our community is made of.”

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children’s crafts, food booths, including one vendors, music, family games and informational

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A giant bubble station proved a popular activity at Peace in the Park

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"This is a lovely event," commented Herkimer Police Chief Mike Jory. "It's good to bring awareness to domestic violence. It most often happens behind closed doors and you don't always know it's going on.

Those involved might be embarrassed or scared. People need to know there are people out there who can help."

The Domestic Violence Program of Herkimer County can be reached on a 24-hour hotline at (315) 866-0458.

Concerning the report of an armed robbery in the park May 1, Patrolman Jason Crippen pointed out it was a very isolated incident.

"That is not a normal event here by any means," he said. "The older gentleman was in

the wrong place at the wrong time and someone thought they saw an opportunity to take advantage of him. Things like that don't happen often here."

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By Lisa Lauritsen

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## Area Fifth Grade Writers Honored by Arc Herkimer

Seven Herkimer County schools and students participated in the Arc Herkimer's 2017 "Project Respect" Fifth Grade Disabilities Awareness Essay Contest.

Winners from seven schools, along with parents and teachers, were honored at a luncheon April 28. Schools were asked to take part in the learning through language project to increase community understanding of the abilities and contributions made by

people with developmental and other disabilities.

Area fifth graders were challenged to write an essay about how they could treat people with disabilities with the re-

spect that everyone deserves. Each winner was given a certificate and a gift card to Walmart.

This year's essay finalists included: Marshall Sagatis, St. Francis De

Sales Regional Catholic School, Herkimer; Bella Falcone, Benton Hall Academy, Little Falls; Alivia Hopsicker, Town of Webb School; Camerohn Ludwig, West Canada Valley; Danielle Gilbert,



Essay winners and those on hand to congratulate Project Respect participants included, front row, from left to right: Joshua Raymond Murray - Mohawk Valley Christian Academy, Marshall Sagatis - St. Francis De Sales Regional Catholic School, Bella Falcone - Benton Hall Academy-Little Falls, Isabella Nitti-Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary School, Danielle Gilbert-Herkimer Elementary School. Back row, from left to right: Lynn Mooney, Arc Herkimer Vice President-Compliance & Quality Richella Abell-Hawes, Renee Gollegly, Anthony Guerriera, Tuesday Beach, Amanda Jeffreys, Brian Wedemeyer, Jason Yero, and Arc Herkimer Quality Assurance Specialist Jason Marlowe.



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"We had a nice turnout for this year's Project Respect Essay contest," said Arc Herkimer Vice President - Compliance & Quality, Richella Abell-Hawes. "Over 350 essays were received, which in turn were reviewed and voted upon by our Project Respect Committee and the People Are Beautiful Self-Advocacy Group. The Town of Webb students had some of the most unique essays as they

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## VHS Selects Employee of the Quarter



Sherry Krick of the Dietary Department at Valley Health Services, selected as the Employee of the Quarter

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each told stories of how you can show respect to all people, using a fellow student of theirs as an inspiration for their stories. In the end, we hope this project serves as a lifelong lesson for kids that we are more alike than we are different."

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Sherry Krick of the Dietary Department at Valley Health Services, was selected as the Employee of the 1st Quarter of 2017. Sherry joined the VHS staff in May 1989.

Her co-workers affirm that Sherry has been the backbone of VHS for 35 years, taking pride in her work, and always has a

smile on her face. Sherry puts the special touch on everything she does; she is a joy and blessing to work with. Sherry indicates that what she likes best about her job is cooking meals for the residents and making them smile.

VHS initiated the Employee of the Quarter program in an attempt to

recognize the outstanding performance of Valley Health Services' employees. The employees submit nomination forms with a brief description of why they feel an individual is deserving of the award. The winner is entitled to several perks over a three-month period.

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## Whatchamacallits



This week our Whatchamacallit is a little Mohawk Valley history lesson — sort of. Before upstate New York was largely settled, Dutch traders would venture up from Schenectady to trade with the indigenous residents (that's PC for native Indians).

We see here an original earthenware pot that was made and used by local Indians. They had been self-sufficient for centuries. However, once they were exposed to manufactured goods, they slowly became dependent on outside sources for some of their everyday items.

One such item was a brass kettle, like the one pictured. Perhaps they were enamored by a metal cook pot as opposed to their common earthenware ones — we can only speculate. Being a resourceful people, though, when the brass pots wore out or became unusable for other reasons, they would find other uses for the remaining metal.

The inset shows a replacement kettle ear and a few arrow points were made from a discarded pot. These items were found in a Mohawk Valley field.



**Do you have your own Whatchamacallit?**

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The final day of the

event on Sunday, May 21st will begin with Town wide garage sales, and a 9am Church service at Indian Castle Church. One of 3 mission churches, built several years before the Revolution Indian Castle Church was originally built in 1769 and underwent several different alterations in the years to come. A Car Show at the Town barn will take place from 11am-3pm, and trophies will be

awarded for best car, best truck, best motorcycle, best tractor and best ATV plus people's choice trophy. Aside from trophies during the show a DJ will be playing some good tunes, and refreshments will also be provided. A 50/50 raffle drawing, two winners, and a 100% payback are to take place during the Car show, as well as a Town history slide show presentation.

Supervisor for the

Town of Danube Rick Mosher says "It is with great pride and admiration that the town recognizes its 200th year anniversary with a celebration. From the Mohawk River to the Nowadaga Creek to the hills and farm land surrounding their valleys, we truly live in a blessed area of the world." Among all the others deserving a big "thank you" is the following Celebration Committee consisting of Diane

Fischer (Historian), Rick Mosher (Town Supervisor), Mary Mosher (Treasurer), Alicia Seeley (Secretary), Eileen Warner, Rich & Roxanne Congdon, Alicia Cook, Barry & Donna Staves, Jessica Fredericks, Rusty & Lisha Brown, Loren Horender (Bare Arms Gun Shop), Jim & Kay Lipiec, Horender Con-

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### MAY 12 - 13

**The Middleville United Methodist Church Rummage and Bake Sale**

Rt., 29, Middleville. Thursday 9 am-3 pm. Friday 9 am-5 pm. Saturday 9 am-Noon.

### MAY 12 - 28

**Things Fall FLAT: art work by Elise Incze** The Other Side, 2011 Genesee St., Utica. Opening reception 5:30-7:30 pm. For more information visit [www.theothersideutica.org](http://www.theothersideutica.org).

### MAY 13

**The Village of Ames Museum** 611 Latimer Hill Road, Ames. Open for tours 9 am-3 pm. Registering vendors and 5K runners for Sept. 16 festival. Vendor space is free. 518-673-5820. For more information visit [www.amesmuseum.weebly.com](http://www.amesmuseum.weebly.com).

### MAY 13

**H.A.L.O.'s Spring Trash & Treasure Sale** Polish Club, 319 S. Washington St., Herkimer. 9 am-4 pm. For more information call Debbie at 866-8608 or Fay at 823-0239.

### MAY 17 - 20

**Dolgeville Fun and Fitness Playground Station Installation** Helmer Avenue, Dolgeville. 8 am-4 pm. Volunteers needed. For more information call 315-429-3548.

### MAY 13

**Pierogi Sale** St. Mary's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, 324 Moore Avenue, Herkimer. 10 am-3 pm. \$8 dozen.

### MAY 18

**Baked Ham & Scaloped Potato Dinner** Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 594 E. Albany St., Little Falls. 4-7 pm or sold out. \$10 adults, kids 5 and under free. Free local deliveries and take outs available. Call 315-823-7009 day of.

### MAY 19

**Akiko Tsuruga-Joe Magnarelli Quartet** The Other Side, 2011 Genesee St., Utica. 8 pm. \$15, \$8 students. For more information or to reserve your seat call 315-735-4825 or email [kodomenico@verizon.net](mailto:kodomenico@verizon.net).

### MAY 20

**Rabies Clinic** East Herkimer Fire Department, 193 Main Rd., East Herkimer. 10 am-12 pm. \$5 donation. For more information or to pre-register email [www.herkimercounty.org](mailto:www.herkimercounty.org) or call 315-867-1176.

### MAY 20

**Fort Klock Opening Day-Experience the sights and sounds of 1776** 7214 State Highway 5, St. Johnsville. 10 am-4 pm. For more information call 518-568-7779.

### MAY 20

**The First Presbyterian Church of Little Falls Second Annual Wellness Fair** Burke Park and First Presbyterian Church Hall, 16 Jackson Street. 10 am. For more information email Cathy Carpineti at [lffirstpres@gmail.com](mailto:lffirstpres@gmail.com) or call 315-823-3004.

### MAY 22

**Historic Photo Project From The Kuyahoora Valley** Masonic Lodge, 7408 South Main St., Newport. 7 pm. Free and open to the public. For more information call Lori Burritt at 315-826-7242.

### MAY 23

**The Herkimer County Historical Society's Annual Dinner Meeting** Little Falls Travelodge. 5:30 pm. \$20 pp. To make a reservation for dinner call 315-866-6413.

### MAY 24

**Demand the Impossible with Bill Ayers and Bernardine Dohrn** The Other Side, 2011 Genesee St., Utica. 7:30 pm. \$10, \$5 students. For more information call Kim Domenico at 315-735-4825 or email [kodomenico@verizon.net](mailto:kodomenico@verizon.net).

### MAY 27

**USA Dance Chapter #3066 Presents Rumba for Roses** Utica Maennechor, 5535 Flanagan Road, Marcy. Free dance lesson 6-7 pm. Open dancing till 10 pm. For more information visit [www.meetup.com/mohawkvalleyusadance](http://www.meetup.com/mohawkvalleyusadance).



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East Herkimer Fire Department, 193 Main Rd., East Herkimer. 10 am-12 pm. \$5 donation. For more information or to pre-register email [www.herkimercounty.org](mailto:www.herkimercounty.org) or call 315-867-1176.

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## Lyme Disease

Spring is here, which means it's time for New Yorkers to take precautions to protect themselves from Lyme Disease. Lyme disease has become an important public health problem in New York State.

"Lyme disease is spread by the bite of infected deer ticks," said Lonna Hart, RN of Herkimer County Public Health.

"Ticks cannon fly or jump. They like to rest on low-lying vegetation and attach to a passing animal or person. Once on a body, ticks often attach to the more hidden areas such as the groin, armpits, and scalp," warned Ms. Hart.

Campers, hikers, outdoor workers and others who frequent wooded and tall grassy areas will be more likely exposed to ticks. Because new homes are often built in wooded areas, transmission of Lyme disease near homes can be a concern in some areas of the state. The risk of exposure to ticks is greatest along trails in the woods and on the edges of properties with tall vegetation, but ticks may also be carried by animals and pets into lawns and gardens.

Early stages of Lyme disease are usually

marked by one or more of the following symptoms and signs: fatigue, chills and fever, headache, muscle and joint pain, swollen lymph nodes, and/or a "bull's eye" red rash appearing on the skin at the site of the bite.

Lyme disease is often difficult to diagnose, because its symptoms and signs mimic those of many other diseases. Left untreated, Lyme disease can produce severe arthritis, or cause neurological or cardiac problems. However, with early detection and treatment with antibiotics, recovery from Lyme disease is usually rapid and complete.

"Domestic animals, such as dogs and outdoor cats, may become infected with Lyme disease bacteria, and some of these animals may develop arthritis," warned Ms. Hart.

Dogs appear to be more at risk from Lyme disease. Symptoms in dogs include lethargy, joint pain, fever, fatigue and kidney damage. While there is debate about whether cats suffer from Lyme disease, cats are thought to be highly resistant to the disease.

You can decrease you and your family's

chances of being bitten by a tick by following a few precautions:

- When in wooded and grassy areas which are likely to be tick-infested, wear light-colored clothing (to spot ticks) and tuck pants into socks and shirt into pants.

- After every two to three hours outdoors, check for ticks on clothing or skin. Brush off any ticks on clothing before they can attach to your skin. Also, check your children and pets for ticks.

- Do a thorough tick-check of your entire body at the end of the day. Pay particular attention to the back of the knees, behind the ears, the scalp, the armpits and your back.

- If you decide to use tick repellent, apply carefully following label directions

- Children may be at greater risk for reactions to repellents, in part because their exposure may be greater. Do not apply repellents directly to children. Apply to your own hands and then put it on the child. Never apply to the hands of small children.

- No one should apply repellents near eyes, nose or mouth. Also, use it sparingly around ears.

If any ticks are found, they should be removed

immediately. Use fine-tipped tweezers to carefully grasp the mouthparts of the tick close to the skin, and then gently and steadily pull the tick out without twisting or squeezing.

After removing the tick, wash the bite area thoroughly, apply antiseptic, and mark the area to watch for symptoms. Ms. Hart reminded people that gasoline, kerosene, petroleum jelly or hot matches should never be used to remove ticks.

For more information about Lyme disease, call Herkimer County Public Health at (315) 867-1176 or visit the New York State Department of Health website at [www.health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/lyme](http://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/lyme).

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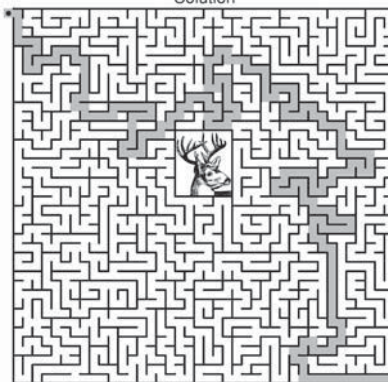
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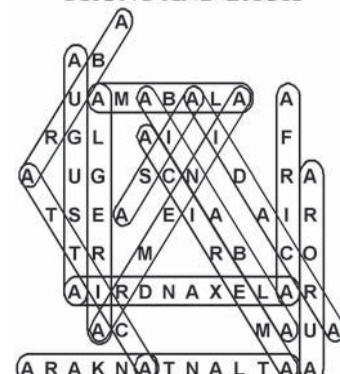
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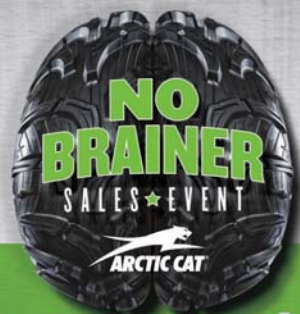
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## Figure Skating Legend Dick Button to Speak at Fenimore Art Museum on May 13

Dick Button offers fascinating insights on gardening, figure skating,

and why we do what we do in his talk "The Eye of the Beholder." Button is,

of course, an Olympic figure skating champion, but he is also an avid gardener. Here he considers the two art forms, exploring questions about the things we do, how we do them, and ways we invite others to view and participate. The program takes place at

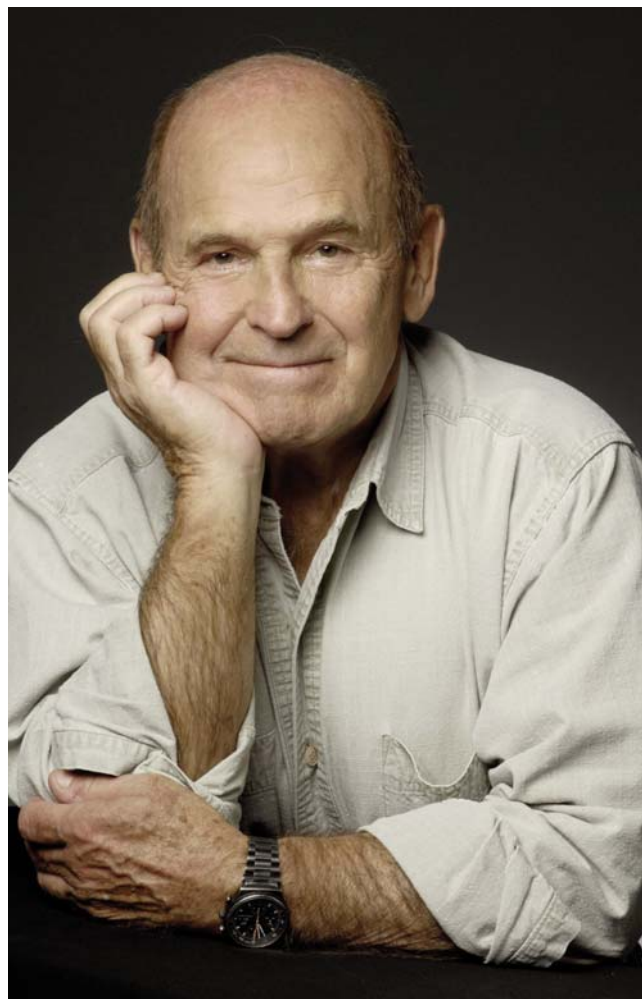
Fenimore Art Museum on Saturday, May 13 beginning at 2:00 pm. Cost: \$20 (museum

members) and \$25 (non-members). An excellent event to attend with your mother or loved one to celebrate Mother's Day weekend.

This program complements Fenimore's current exhibition The Art of

Figure Skating through the Ages: The Dick Button Collection, on view through December 31, 2017. Richard "Dick" Button is a former American figure skater and a well-known network television skating commentator. He is a two-time Olympic champion (1948 and 1952) and five-time World Champion (1948–1952).

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## *Tips for a fun family night out*

In its 2016 National Dining Survey, Zagat found that the average person dines out 4.5 times per week. That figure may seem high to some, especially parents with young children at home. While parents of young children may not dine out as often as the average person, there are ways for families to plan fun nights out on the town, no matter how young their kids might be.

- Find family-friendly restaurants. The establishments where families choose to do their dining can make all the difference. Trendy hotspots or upscale restaurants may not be great choices for family nights out. Such establishments may be too expensive or fail to offer kid-friendly fare, and parents of especially young children may feel uncomfortable if their tots begin to cry in the middle of dinner. When choosing a restaurant for a family night out, parents should look for a spot that's naturally more noisy so a crying baby or excited child won't make moms and dads or other diners uncomfortable. Diners or chain restaurants tend to offer kids' menus in addition to plenty of dishes that kids will readily consume.

- Choose the right time. Dining out at night can be difficult for families, as kids might be growing tired. Instead of a night out on the town, book a mid- to late-afternoon out. Restaurants tend to be less busy during these times of day, and parents can relax and enjoy the company of their children while still getting out of the house for a family meal together.

- Bring along some entertainment. Some kid-friendly restaurants may provide crayons and placemats that kids can use to create their own artistic masterpieces. But parents should bring



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backup entertainment just in case. Pack some crayons and coloring books or bring along a book to read to your children while you wait for your meal to be delivered. Bring along a couple of toys to keep especially young children occupied as well.

- Practice your night out. Parents of young children who have yet to try

dining out as a family can make a few practice runs at home.

Choose a night at home to teach kids how to behave at restaurants. If kids tend to squirm a lot or take long periods

of time to eat meals at home, explain to them that such behavior is unacceptable at restaurants, encouraging them to sit still and focus on eating their meals during your practice run.



Nights out on the town as a family may make parents of young children nervous or hesitant. But there are a handful of ways to make sure such excursions are fun for kids and parents alike.

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**ORCCHIETTE 17**

 Parmesan Crema, Peas, Prosciutto  
**TENDERLION TIPS 21**  
 Gnocchi, Plum Tomato, Mushroom

**Large PLATES**
**LOBSTER & SHRIMP 12**  
 Lobster Broth, Chile Pepper, Parmesan Risotto

**PROSCIUTTO WRAPPED SHRIMP 25**  
 Lentils, Crispy Carrots, Spinach

**BISTRO CHICKEN 19**  
 Spring Pea & Prosciutto Risotto

**FILET MIGNON 28**  
 White Truffle Mushroom, Risotto, Red Wine Jus

**HADDOCK OREGANATO 16**  
 Parmesan Risotto & Sautéed Spinach

**CHICKEN FRANCAISE 17**  
 Capellini, Spinach

**SIDES**
**HOUSE CUT FRIES 6**  
**CAPELLINI MARINARA 6**  
**SAUTEED BROCCOLINI 7**  
**PARMESAN RISOTTO 7**
**FLATBREADS**
**CANOLE CLASSICO 12**  
 Tomato Sauce, Mozzarella

**MEDITERRANEAN 14**  
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 Caramelized Onions, Ricotta, Arugula

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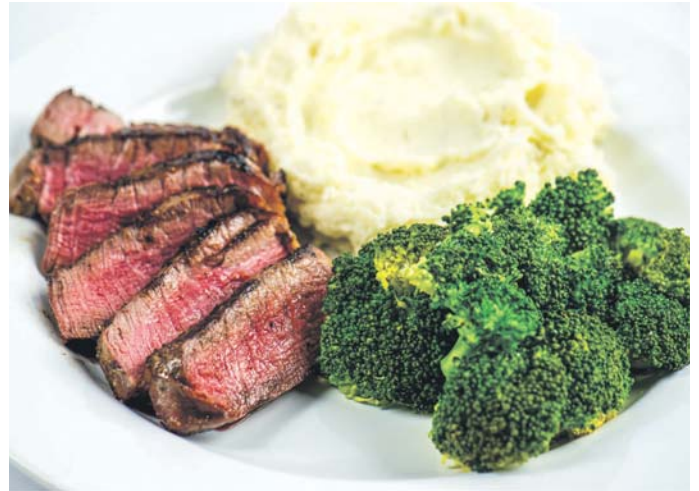


## Facts about your favorite foods

Food is more than just a way to sustain life. Food can make a person feel good, provide avenues to engage with family and friends and serve as a way to experience other cultures.

Certain foods are universally enjoyed, while others may appeal to only a few people. Many people have favorite foods, even if they know little about these foods. Check out these fun facts about some popular foods.

- **Pasta sauce:** If enjoying a plate full of pasta topped in rich, red marinara sauce can cure what



Is a meal of steak and potatoes your favorite dish?

Red meat actually can be good for the body.

ails you, then you will be happy to learn that cooked tomatoes are very good for personal health. Tomatoes are naturally high in vitamin C, and the process of making tomato sauce increases the antioxidant activity in tomatoes, which can make the body less susceptible to illness. Tomato sauce contains lycopene, which might reduce your risk of heart disease, cancer and macular degeneration.

- **Red meat:** Steak or a juicy burger is a favorite for many people. But through the years there have been mixed reviews on the benefits and disadvantages of eating red meat. Iron in red meat is easily absorbed by the body, and beef also supplies vitamin B12, which helps maintain healthy nerve and red blood cells. Red meat has a bad reputation because it can be high in fat and cholesterol. However, choosing the right cuts, such as lean eye round roast and sirloin, can offset the negative aspects of red meat. There's also evidence that grass-fed beef contains two to five times more omega-3 fatty acids than grain-fed beef.

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• **Macaroni and cheese:** Macaroni and cheese is the No. 1 cheese recipe in the United States and has remained on the list of America's top 10 comfort foods for decades. While it is beloved in the United States, macaroni and cheese is believed to trace its origins to Italy. The first



known recipe for this dish is from the thirteenth century in southern Italy. That recipe called for lasagna sheets and fermented cheese. Boxed versions of the food arrived in the 19th century. Today, there are many different mac and cheese recipes, from classic to gourmet.

• **Pizza:** Most people eat pizza regularly, with some enjoying a slice or more each week. Pizza accounts for more than 10 percent of all food service sales in the United States. The word "pizza" dates back more than 1,000 years and was first mentioned in a Latin text in 997 CE. It likely described what we now call focaccia, or a leavened round crust of cooked dough, as tomatoes were not yet available. Pizza now comes in many varieties, ranging from flatbread to thin crust to deep dish.

## APPETIZERS

Greens Daniele  
Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail  
Eggplant Neapolitan  
Fried Calamari  
Stuffed Long Hot Peppers  
Rappini With Oil & Garlic  
Ahi Tuna  
Antipasto Platter  
*Sopressata, Provolone, Olives, Peppers and Giardiniera Salad*

## SALADS

Fresh Tomato & Mozzarella Salad  
Granny's Orange Salad  
Mixed Field Greens, Oranges, Granny Smith Apples,  
Walnuts, Gorgonzola Cheese with a Shallot Poppy Seed  
Vinaigrette  
Cold Antipasto  
Individual For two  
Crisp Tossed Salad  
Dressings: Italian, Russian, Creamy Bleu, Parmesan  
Pepperoni, Crumbly Bleu

## SOUPS

Homemade Chicken (Wedding Soup)  
with Meatballs & Pastine  
Five Onion Soup  
Crock with Homemade Crouton & Melted Cheese  
Pasta Fagioli  
with Homemade Cavatelli  
Greens & Beans

## PASTA

Homemade Ricatelli (Hats)  
Homemade Ravioli  
Homemade Cavatelli  
Linguine Aglio e olio  
Fettucini Alfredo  
Chicken Rigatoni  
Vodka Rigatoni  
Spaghetti  
Ziti  
Linguine  
Add Clam Sauce (red/white) includes 12 Fresh Clams  
Add Meatball and Sausage to any Pasta \$2.50 each

## STEAK & CHOPS

Sliced Tenderloin  
*Two 4 oz. with Portabella Mushrooms*  
Pan Fried Pork Chops  
*Two 8 oz. with Potatoes & Cherry Peppers*  
Lamb Chops  
*Two 8 oz. Fresh Cut Loin Chops*  
Veal Chop  
*Single 14 oz. Center Cut Chop*  
Filet Mignon  
8 oz. 12 oz.  
Prime Rib (Sat. Only):  
Queen Cut King Cut

## PESCE (FISH)

Grilled Tuna  
With Risotto Milanese  
Frutti di Mare  
Scallops, Calamari, Clams, Mussels, Shrimp  
Scallop & Clam Provencal  
Fresh Mushrooms, Cherry Tomatoes, & Scallions sautéed in a  
White Wine & Butter Sauce  
Baked Haddock  
Baked Haddock Oreganato  
Haddock Marinara  
Fish Fry Served (Friday Only)  
With French Fries & Cole Slaw

## CHICKEN

Chicken Francese  
Chicken Scarparelli  
*Chicken on the Bone, sautéed with Roasted Garlic Hot Peppers, in Sherry Wine*  
Chicken Daniele  
*Chicken Cutlet Topped with Sliced Vine Ripe Tomatoes, Red Onion, Fresh Basil & Olive Oil*  
Chicken Bianco  
*Mushrooms, White Onions, Escarole, Scallions, sautéed in White Wine*  
Chicken Scaloppini  
*Sweet Peppers, Mushrooms, Filletto Sauce, White Wine*  
Chicken Marsala  
*Boneless Breast of Chicken sautéed with Fresh Mushrooms, finished with a Marsala Wine*

## VEAL

Veal Cappelli  
*Prosciutto, Mushrooms, Scallions, Sweet Vermouth*  
Veal Scaloppini  
*Sweet Peppers, Mushrooms, Filletto Sauce, White Wine*  
Veal Oscar  
*Lump Crab, Artichoke Hearts, Scallions, topped with Light Alfredo*  
Veal Francese  
Veal Daniele  
*Eggplant, Greens, Mushrooms, Prosciutto, Fontina Cheese*  
Veal Piedmontes  
*White Onion, Prociutto, Artichoke Hearts, White Wine Sauce*  
Veal Marsala

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## Guide to restaurant tipping

Tablesides service is one of the benefits to dining out. Dining out can be a welcome change from preparing meals at home, and diners love that, once the meal is finished, someone else is there to clean everything up.

Leaving gratuities for exemplary restaurant service may not be mandatory. However, in many areas of the world, proper dining etiquette suggests diners should tip their servers when paying for the meal. Many restaurant employees count on tips to supplement their salaries, and servers may even be paid below-average wages because tips are factored into their earnings.

Diners routinely struggle when leaving a gratuity. Tipping, because of the money involved, also can

cause heated debates. Various experts have weighed in to help customers determine the right way to proceed with tipping. This tipping guide helps clarify when and how to tip.

Etiquette experts at the Emily Post Institute concur that 15 to 20 percent is the standard rule of thumb when tipping at a sit-down dining establishment. If the restaurant is buffet-style, a 10 percent tip may be adequate. Many people leave a 20 percent tip when dining out. That has become the norm for good service. Poor service may not be worthy of such a substantial tip.

When alcoholic beverages are part of the meal, some diners prefer to tip separately. That's

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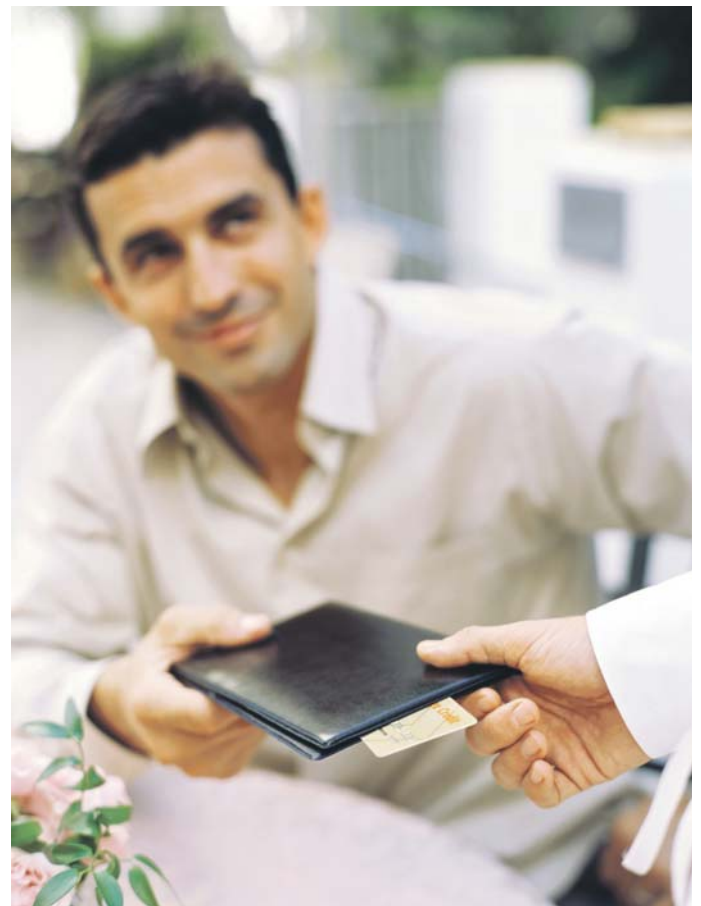
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because restaurants may implement a heavy markup on wine or cocktail prices. Tipping based on the bill pre-tax can be expensive. The safe recommendation is 10 to 15 percent. Those who sit at the bar before retiring to a table should offer 15 to 20 percent of the tab to the bartender; or, \$1 for beer or wine, \$2 for mixed drinks. iTipping.com suggests paying your bar tab before leaving for your table.

Although it can be tempting to refrain from tipping when service is poor, this isn't always the wisest idea. That's because some restaurants employ a shift system in which all of given shift's gratuities enter a pool and are divided by a point

system. Otherwise, each individual server is responsible for tipping his or her support staff, which includes a busser, a runner, a back waiter, and/or a bartender. Rather than punish the whole lot, reduce the tip and then discuss your misgivings with the restaurant manager.

Diners should know that gratuities are typically included in the bill for larger parties. Restaurants generally add an 18 percent gratuity to the bill. Restaurants put this in place to safeguard their staff. This gratuity should be mentioned on the bill or on the menu. If the service was excellent, diners may want to tip on top of the included gratuity.

Diners who have gone over budget should not compensate by reducing the tip. Diners who cannot afford to tip should not dine out.

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Bacon, Roasted Garlic

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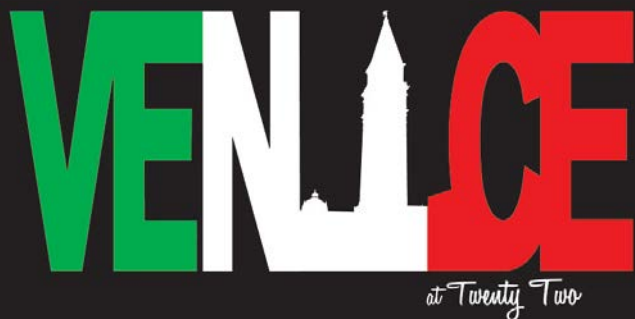
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Cup: 3.95 Bowl: 4.95

### Antipasti Platter 12.95

Sopressata, sharp provolone cheese, sweet roasted peppers, and calamata olives.

### Roasted Peppers

Sweet: 8.95 Long Hot: 9.95

Served w/cracked wheat garlic bread

### Greens 9.95

Made with prosciutto hot peppers and a squeeze of lemon juice, served with garlic bread.

### Shrimp Cocktail 10.95

Four jumbo size shrimp, served with cocktail sauce and fresh lemon.

### Coconut Fried Shrimp 10.95

### Fried Calamari 12.95

Breaded by hand. Served w/ Cocktail Sauce.

### Fried Ravioli 8.95

Filled with cheese & served with marinara sauce.

### Waterfront French Fries 5.95

Crispy shoestring style potatoes.

### Waterfront Chicken Wings 9.95

Choice of BBQ, Ranch, or Blue Cheese.

### Stuffed Artichoke Hearts 10.95

Filled with Boursin cheese.

### Chicken Tenders 9.95

Served with honey mustard or BBQ sauce.

### Mozzarella Sticks 8.95

Served with marinara sauce.

### Onion Rings 8.95

### Jalapeño Poppers 8.95

Served with marinara sauce.

### Sweet Potato Fries 7.95

Served with ranch dressing.

## LUNCH MENU

All sandwiches include choice of French Fries or coleslaw.

### 1/2 Sandwich & Cup of Soup 8.95

Barbie's homemade soup.

### Reuben Sandwich 9.95

Corned beef brisket, sauerkraut made with our special recipe. Russian dressing on rye bread then grilled.

### Turkey Club 10.95

Made w/freshly smoked turkey breast on premise.

### Waterfront Wrap 9.95

Ask about the wrap of the day.

### Haddock Sandwich 9.95

Breaded and fried until golden. Served with tartar sauce.

### Waterfront Burgers:

8 oz. Angus beef on Heidelberg roll.

### Plain Burger 8.95

### Cheeseburger 9.95

### Bacon Cheeseburger 10.95

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### Carolina Pulled Pork 9.95

Made with our freshly smoked & shredded pork. Piled high and drizzled with BBQ sauce. With

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### Covered Meatball 9.95

Homemade meatballs, served on garlic bread made from Costanzo Italian Bread.

### Open Steak Sandwich 12.95

USDA 8oz. Sirloin served on toasted garlic bread.

### Reina's Chicken Sandwich 9.95

Char-broiled chicken breast topped with bacon, lettuce, & tomato on a Costanzo roll.

### Clam Roll 9.95

Served on a Costanzo roll with tarter or cocktail sauce.

### Roasted Garlic Pizza 8.95

Baked individual 8" freshly made dough topped with our roasted garlic and mozzarella.

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Baked individual 8" freshly made dough topped w/our marinara, basil & mozzarella.

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## How to stay healthy when dining out

Dining out is wildly popular. The convenience of letting someone else do the cooking and the opportunity to try new types of cuisine is too great to resist for many people.

According to Zagat's 2016 National Dining Trends Survey, people go out to eat (not counting breakfast) an average of 4.5 times per week. While it can be easy to count calories and adhere to other dietary restrictions when eating at home, that's not always the case when dining out. Fortunately, there are ways for people who love to go out to eat to have their gourmet cuisine and eat it, too.

- Request that items be cooked a certain way. While diners might not be able to order off-menu

dishes, they can try their luck at asking for dishes on the menu to be prepared a certain way. For example, if a menu is loaded with fried foods, try asking for dishes to be grilled instead of fried. Researchers affiliated with the Harvard School of Public Health found that people who ate fried food at least once per week had a greater risk of both type 2 diabetes and heart disease than those who avoid fried foods, and that their risk increased with each additional fried meal they consumed. In addition, researchers also found that eating fried foods away from home posed the greatest risk, as the frying oil used may not be fresh. Reused oil is more easily absorbed by foods than fresh oil that has yet to degrade, and that increased absorption can contribute to high cholesterol, high blood pressure and weight gain. Many restaurants are amenable to diners who want to avoid fried foods, but diners must ask.

- Eat only half the meal. Restaurant portions tend to be bigger than portions diners would make for themselves at home. In fact, the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute notes that food portions at restaurants have doubled or tripled over the last 20 years. Diners who want to dine out but prevent overeating can ask that half of their entrées be boxed before the meal even makes it to the table. In addition, avoid appetizers and choose coffee or tea as dessert instead of high-calorie and sugar-laden baked or frozen desserts.

- Make sure salads are healthy. Some diners mistakenly believe that all salads are the same. However, salads loaded with bacon and cheese and smothered in creamy dressings can be just as detrimental to diners' waistlines as large entrées



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cooked in an unhealthy way. When ordering salads, make sure the salad is loaded with healthy fare like raw vegetables and choose a low-calorie, low-fat dressing.

- Peruse menus before leaving home. Perusing menus online before leaving home allows diners to find restaurants that offer the kind of healthy fare they're looking for. Arriving at a restaurant without knowing its menu increases the chances that diners will simply choose something from the



menu, regardless of how healthy it may be.

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## Securing party reservations and other restaurant special requests

Restaurants can be ideal spots to celebrate special occasions or simply get a night off from cooking. One of the joys of dining out is having a delicious meal prepared and served without having to worry about post-meal cleanup.

Dining establishments are in the business of keeping customers happy, but diners can do their part to make their next dining experience as enjoyable as possible.

When planning your night out, call the restaurant or make a visit in person to inquire about the establishment's reservation policy. Find out how far in advance reservations must be made, and discuss the size of the party you plan to bring. Restaurant employees can advise you as to which

days tend to be the least busy and which times ensure you will have a smoother dining experience, especially if your dinner party will be large.

If possible, become a regular patron at a particular restaurant you like. This allows you to develop a rapport with the staff and possibly even the owners. Like the restaurant's page on social media and sign up for email alerts about specials so you receive advance notice about upcoming events.

For special requests that go beyond regular restaurant offerings, consult with the manager well in advance of your party. Many restaurants are able to accommodate special requests, such as renting out the space or bringing in flowers. The restaurant may have a set of protocol they follow or vendors with whom they contract, and that can make the dining experience even more special. Discuss the extra costs involved and work out the details thoroughly so nothing is left to chance. Call ahead a few days in advance and confirm the reservation and special plans, if any. This way there will be no surprises come the night of the dinner.

Always be on time for a reservation, especially when you have a large dinner party. The restaurant's job is to turn over tables, and while



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Grilled organic chicken topped with Roasted Red Peppers and Provolone Cheese. Served w/ fries.



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you want to have a relaxing meal, you do not want to be late

or dawdle past an acceptable time. Consider the restaurant's business and be a good patron.

Remember to reward exceptional and friendly service during your meal and when paying the bill. Generous diners who treat the staff courteously and go above and beyond in terms of gratuity will likely be remembered the next time they dine out. Go out of your way to praise exemplary service and offer to give positive reviews of an establishment online.

Hosting a special occasion at a restaurant can be even more enjoyable with some pre-dinner planning and by working with restaurant staff you trust.



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### Monte Cristo Panini

Turkey, Choice of Bacon, Swiss, Tomato & Homemade Honey Mustard Dressing.

### Roasted Veggie

Roasted Portabella, Red Peppers, Tomato, Onion, Spinach, Eggplant, Zucchini & Balsamic.

### Texas Beef Panini

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## Wraps - Served with Choice of Side

### Chicken Club

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### Falafel

Falafel, Feta, Lettuce, Cucumbers, Tomatoes & Homemade Greek Dressing in a Pita.

### Greekness

Chicken, Romaine, Tomato, Onion, Feta & Olive Spread Rolled in a Garlic & Herb Tortilla.

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Chicken, Tabooli, Feta, Sautéed Onions, Cucumbers, Lettuce, Tomato & Greek Dressing in a Pita.

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Hummus, Tabooli, Alfalfa Sprouts, Lettuce, Tomato & Onion.

### Julius

Grilled Chicken, Lettuce, Tomato, Parmesan Cheese & Homemade Caesar Dressing.

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## Make the most of 'al fresco' dining

When the weather permits, many people enjoy eating meals outside. Al fresco dining may be available at both high-end restaurants and more intimate cafes.

Al fresco comes from the Italian term for "open air." Restaurants have recognized the draw of outdoor seating and many have expanded their offerings. While many people need nothing more than an outdoor table and some nice weather to enjoy eating outside, there are some ways to make al fresco dining experiences as pleasant as possible.

- Do your research before visiting. Drive or walk by a restaurant before dining there yourself. Check out how outdoor diners are treated and if

the service is as prompt as it is indoors. Pay attention to foot and vehicle traffic near the tables to determine if the spot is conducive to eating. Too much noise or car exhaust can detract from the meal.

- Look for covered tables. It's one thing to sit outside and enjoy some cool breezes. It's quite another to spend an hour or more directly under the blazing sun. Dine at an establishment that has a gazebo, portico, overhang, or individual patio umbrellas at each table. This way you can be comfortable and avoid sunburn.

- Call ahead for seating. Because al fresco dining is so popular when the weather is warm, outdoor tables can fill up quickly. For those planning to sit outside, call the restaurant and reserve an outdoor spot. This way you will be guaranteed a table.

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- Dress appropriately for the weather. Plan ahead for al fresco dining by bringing some accessories along. A light jacket or sweater can keep you warm if a breeze picks up, and sunglasses are recommended in sunny conditions. A hat worn indoors may be a social faux pas, but it is acceptable to wear one outside to block the sun.

- Expand your dining options. Instead of traditional restaurants, try the offerings at food trucks, take-out places and other spots that serve food. Set up your meal at nearby picnic tables or another outdoor place and enjoy.

- Bring a friend or relax by yourself. Eating outdoors is entertaining with a friend or alone. If you are dining with a group, take your time and linger in the fresh air, enjoying the conversation. If you are dining alone, you can still relax and take your time with the meal. One hidden benefit of al fresco dining is that it provides you the opportunity to relax and watch the world go by.





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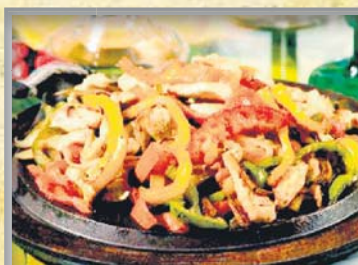
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### LUNCH SPECIALS

SOUP - 16oz *Take-Out Only*

Chicken Egg Lemon - or- Chicken Tomato

GREEK SALAD - Small / Large  
Served w/ pita bread.

### APPETIZERS

CALAMARI

GRAPE LEAVES

TZATSIKI DIP - or - HUMMUS

CHEESE - or - SPINACH PIE

### SANDWICHES

Grilled & wrapped in Pita with  
Tomatoes, Onions and Tzatziki Dip

LAMB - CHICKEN - GYRO

### GREEK SPECIALTIES

Served with Salad, Rice & Vegetables

**MOUSAKA ACROPOLIS**

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### ACROPOLIS SPECIALS - NEIGHBORHOODS

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### DINNERS

Served with Salad, Rice, Vegetables, Tzatziki Dip & Pita Bread

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