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## Join the Festivities for Founders Day on September 24th

"The Coalition for a Better Brewster invites everyone to join us for the 26th annual Founder's Day Street Fair!! We're closing down Main Street again, so save the date - Sunday, September 24th from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

This year's line up of fun: Inflatables, of course, including that over the top, giant Velcro wall for grown-ups & kids alike! We have temporary Henna tattoos, the perennial favorite dunk tank, face painting and a Selfie Station with playful props! Want something a bit different than a photo? Come visit our Caricature artist - you'll be delighted with his sketches! Our stilt walker from last year was such a hit that he'll be making a return appearance plus we've added a roaming cowboy who'll entertain with rope tricks. We have a balloon expert who'll twist up animal shapes for you. And our wonderful DJ will be back spinning tunes for all to enjoy!



2016 Founder's Day Crowd

New this year - and straight from Arthur Avenue in the Bronx - we're pleased to welcome LCG Cigars! They'll be here with their high quality cigars for sale and they'll have one of their talented Cigar Rollers giving demonstrations throughout the day. Also for the first time, come and meet local artist, Eddie Dabrowski as he creates his unique, oversized paintings in real time during the Fair!

Joining a host of local, community organizations, the Brewster Fire Department will be on hand with their Public Safety and Education trailer which instructs folks on how to escape a fire as well as cooking safety and storm related emergency procedures. **Continued on back cover...**

## A Shindig to Remember!



Various 1957 cars were displayed at the BCOC 60th Anniversary Shindig!  
Picture by Margaret Carey

On August 6, 2017, The Brewster Chamber of Commerce invited the community to join them at Wells Park to celebrate their 60th Anniversary - 1957 style! This 1957 themed Shindig provided not only a family-friendly free event for the community but an opportunity for everyone to celebrate Chamber businesses and learn more about how the chamber plays a crucial role in Brewster.

Hundreds of local families joined in the celebration, which featured live music of the Top 100's of 1957 provided by Tony T. Entertainment. In addition, everyone was invited to participate in a Scavenger Hunt which encouraged everyone to visit our 30 exhibitor's booths and learn a little bit more about local business. There were games, a penny social with prizes donated generously by our local business, contests, arts and crafts, retro cars and so much more. The food was provided by local businesses as well; Fork in the Road Food Truck, Uncle Louie G, and The Italian American Club. The Brewster Chamber's goal for this event was to unite the community with the Chamber of Commerce in a fun setting and to provide a wonderful event for families young and old to enjoy.

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# THE STATE OF THE VILLAGE

## Change is Constant



Clerk & Treasurer Peter Brewster Hansen

That title sounds almost like a double negative, mutually exclusive, oxymoron but that is the beauty and the disadvantage of the English language; words can have multiple meanings. Change is constant because without change we would not have breathable air, clean water, renewable energy, or fossil fuel for that matter. Our very existence depends on change. Humans are adaptable because of change and we survive and prosper because of our adaptability.

We have discussed change in previous articles and will continue to do so as we watch the renovations unfolding around us. While we await the Transit Oriented Development and other Urban Renewal projects that will revitalize and energize our Village for decades to come, we can still recognize and appreciate the positive actions of those who trust in our future and invest in our community today.

The railroad, a primary lifeline of the Village since its founding in 1848 has again made a major investment. The Brewster Metro North Station is soon to be home to an improved power supply which has been under construction for a couple of years now. Metro North is hoping to be operational by the end of this calendar year. The expanded electric power will allow for more trains to run on the same tracks reducing the wait time between trains and speeding our commute into New York City and points in between. This investment will strengthen our appeal to city dwellers and empty nesters looking for a simpler more efficient way of life. This singular transformation will be a terrific advancement to the transportation hub of the Harlem Valley.

True to form, Lia Honda Brewster NY has framed two stories of their new showroom and is well on their way toward a grand opening in time for the holidays. This second significant investment in our community is a major improvement to our eastern gateway. Freshness conveys prosperity and prosperity improves the Village's image helping to raise awareness and a belief that the future holds possibilities for our visitors, taxpayers and residents.

The gas station rebuild is chugging along in the same area on Route 22 albeit at a much slower pace but given their regulatory hurdles and our necessity for clean water we want everything to be done properly and turn out nicely.

538 North Main Street has a framed two story building where the old Louie's Pizza was located. An empty lot for over a decade the parcel under construction now stands as a testament to the resurgence and vitality of our Village. Other renovated properties in the Village are providing more evidence of improved attitude and optimism. We thank everyone helping to make our Village a better place.

Wells Park is even more vibrant this year with healthier lawns and abundant flowers. Trustee Boissonnault and the generous volunteers who give their time and money toward improving this jewel of the Village are to be lauded for the dramatic strides gained in such a short time. More work will be done as the weather and resources allow so please share your thoughts on the Friends of Wells Park Facebook page or stop in to the Village Office to let us know your opinions. The Park is also available to rent for private events or major functions including bands, summer stage, farmer's market, flea market, movies, lawn or pavilion parties, etc. For more information the Wells Park Facility Guide and Rental Information brochure can be found on our website [www.brewstervillage-ny.gov](http://www.brewstervillage-ny.gov) under /Information/Forms or contact Peter Hansen by email at [phansen@brewstervillage-ny.gov](mailto:phansen@brewstervillage-ny.gov). Additionally, we can provide a copy in the Village office.



Brewster Honda Construction

Founders Day on September 24th is our annual street fair extravaganza sponsored by the Coalition for a Better Brewster that shuts down Main Street to vehicular traffic. Pedestrians are allowed unfettered access to vendors of all sorts from children's activities to crafts, traditional fair foods and ethnic specialties, and many other purveyors to make your day interesting and memorable. The turnout last year was the best ever and this year's promises to be even larger with a longer midway and more offerings. Every year Founder's Day is an exceptional event and we hope you will join us for this year's celebration.

**-Peter B. Hansen**  
Village Clerk & Treasurer

## Brewster Substation Nearing Completion



Metro-North is installing a new power traction substation with new feeders coming from local utility (NYSEG) at Brewster Station to support the anticipated future increase in ridership and provide power resiliency for the Upper Harlem Line.

This new power substation is a vault structure with electric components mounted on top that

feeds the tracks DC power third rail system via underground ducts and conduits. The expected completion date for this substation is at the end of 2017.

Once this substation is on-line, it will provide the much needed power capacity and operational reliability and redundancy in the electrified portion of the Upper Harlem Line (between North White Plains and Brewster).

New train cars, station upgrades and improved infrastructure are some of the benefits Metro-North riders will see in the coming years.

The railroad is in line to receive \$2.6 billion in funding as part of the MTA's \$26.1 billion

capital plan. The plan lays out what the MTA will spend over the next five years to fund important work across its entire system, including railroads, subways, and buses in 12 counties; Putnam being one of them. It is the largest capital spending plan in MTA history.

Historic buildings at the Ossining and Brewster stations will also get some Metro-North love in about two years. Each will have roof work, window upgrades and receive a coat of fresh paint. The ticket office and restrooms at Brewster will be rehabbed as well.

**-Paloma Domenico**  
Sources: MTA, Lohud, & Passenger Train Journal

# MAYOR'S CORNER



The Village is moving forward with the plans for renovation. Additionally, there are two bridges soon to be replaced. On the south side of the Village by Electrazone Field the Morningthorpe Avenue Bridge is scheduled for replacement by Putnam County using funds obtained through grants. The bridge is intended to become part of the recreation paths surrounding the Village and offering some scenic views away from the hustle and bustle of everyday life.

This project will offer us another place to decompress and do our bodies some good with physical exercise and mental calm. I am looking forward to spending time by the stream, maybe even casting a line now and then, or just listening to the peaceful babble of the waters as they slowly pass by. Standing there one would hardly imagine to be a little over an hour away from the edgy heartbeat of Manhattan or the thrill of Yankee Stadium.

Our other bridge scheduled for replacement is the Carmel Avenue Bridge which crosses the train tracks by the Fire House. The current bridge built around 1931 is past its period of probable usefulness and a new one must be built. Fortunately, New York State Department of Transportation is working with the Village to fulfill one of the goals of our recently revised Master Plan by realigning the intersection on the east side of the bridge where Michael Neuner Street meets Route 6.

By realigning the bridge we can accomplish a few goals for the betterment of the community and our State's finances. The bridge can be completed in approximately half the time as work can be done without having traffic on the span. A shorter time schedule means a lower project cost, saving the State a substantial amount of money.

Finally, realignment will bring order to a chaotic intersection where pedestrians literally had to run for their lives when crossing the street because traffic came from several directions at once.

Cars darting out from Michael Neuner and North Main Street will be a thing of the past with a traffic signal controlling the flow of vehicles and pedestrians.

On a related note, just north of the Village the Prospect Hill Road bridge is slated for replacement by Metro North opening up a much missed route between the Village and Route 312. The reopening of the road will help emergency responders and residents alike with a more fitting alternative than the Route 6 traffic detour and fixing a mistake made years ago when the bridge was shut down.

Shortly our Village will have a new car dealer showroom, new bridges for pedestrians, bicycles and vehicles and upgraded train service for our Brewster Station. Brewster is going places. Hop on for the ride.

**-Mayor James J. Schoenig**



*Brewster Chamber Board Members and dignitaries, including Village Mayor Jim Schoenig, Deputy Mayor Christine Piccini, Trustee Mary Bryde and Trustee Tom Boissonnault. Picture by Candice Sciarillo*

## Legislative Update

Each year on the first Monday in December the Village Board of Trustees convenes the annual reorganizational meeting. On December 5, 2016 that meeting was held with the Trustees and the Mayor, collectively or individually, being unanimously approved for a one year term to oversee each of the critical Village functions.

On June 22, 2017, some of those responsibilities were reassigned. Mayor Jim Schoenig put forward two separate motions to remove Erin Meagher as Sanitation Commissioner and as Main Street Beautification Coordinator due to her excessive absences and failure to fulfill her obligations. Each motion was seconded and approved with a 4-0 vote.

Mayor Schoenig then motioned that Deputy Mayor Christine Piccini be approved as the new Sanitation Commissioner since she had already stepped into the breach, assuming those functions over the course of the last year. Trustee Mary Bryde seconded and the motion carried 4-0. The next motion from Mayor Schoenig was to appoint Trustee Bryde as Main Street Beautification Coordinator with Trustee Tom Boissonnault seconding and a 4-0

approval. The new assignments will remain effective until the next reorganizational meeting on December 4, 2017.

Additionally, the Board of Trustees has been receiving complaints about excessive noise from several different sources. Early morning use of lawn equipment has been named as disturbing quiet weekend mornings and roosters are reported to be crowing throughout all hours of the day. In response, revisions to the Village Code Chapter 159 Noise ordinance are proposed to adjust the hours for and sources of noise on certain days of the week. If the proposed changes are approved, the use of noise-emitting lawn and gardening equipment would be prohibited before 8:00 AM and after 8:00 PM Monday thru Saturday; Sunday hours remain unchanged with use permitted only from 10:00 AM until 8:00 PM.

Finally, the Board of Trustees scheduled two Public Hearings for September 6, the first of which will hear comments about amending Village Code Chapter 263-17. If adopted as Local Law #4 the Village Code would no longer allow roosters to be kept in the Village and would restrict the number of hens permitted on



any Village property. Text of the proposed Local Law will be available in the Village Clerk's office or online at [www.brewstervillage-ny.gov](http://www.brewstervillage-ny.gov).

The second Public Hearing is part of the public comment requirement in the El Dorado Special Exception Use application for a cabaret at its existing site.

**-Deputy Mayor Christine Piccini**

# LIFE IN BREWSTER

## The Zoo with the Roo Visited the Brewster Public Library & Summer Recap

The Library's summer programs had excellent attendance this year; there were kids events almost every day for July and early August. That included the summer science program, reading events, and the Two by Two Zoo with the Roo.



One of the highlights this summer at the Brewster Library was a visit from the Two by Two Zoo- the zoo with the roo! Although the weather was rainy, it didn't put a damper on the fun! The travelling zoo was set up in the main reading room of the library and the show went on! The presenter Heather talked about respect for animals, why some animals do not make good pets and provided everyone the opportunity to touch some of the animals, including a tortoise, a boa constrictor and a Joey kangaroo! Toward the end of the program the rain stopped long enough for the animals to be setup outdoors; visitors and passersby enjoyed a petting zoo on the lawn of the Brewster Public Library!



The main attraction was Chloe, the red kangaroo!

All text and pics provided by Amy Campanaro

## Collaborations Enable Putnam CAP

**Collaborations enable Putnam Community Action Partnership to effectively provide services to our neighbors in need of a hand up:**

Putnam CAP recently distributed school supplies to local children in need. Parents were able to select nearly all the items that the schools required, ensuring a positive start to the new school year. Putnam CAP firmly believes in the value of education and works to support the future of our children. Providing them with the tools they need puts them on course for success. The School Supplies Program is a collaborative effort and we would like to extend our thanks to the entire Putnam community that supports this program through donations of all the supplies that we distribute. Special thanks are extended to the First United Methodist Church of Brewster for allowing us to use their space. Brewster Girl Scout Troop 1435 once again coordinated Gabby's Closet, offering great selections of gently used teen clothing to our families. Our gratitude is also extended to Jen Jakic who purchased 150 Halloween costumes for young children and was able to distribute them to the families accessing the School Supplies Program. The Putnam Hospital

Center Breast Cancer Screening Program and the Girl Scouts, Heart of the Hudson also joined with us during this program to disseminate important information to our clients.

Our Summer Youth Employment Program is just wrapping up. Through this program, entry level jobs were found for 21 young people this year, allowing them to earn an income and gain relevant experience to help prepare them for their futures. Many local employers acted as worksites for the youth and we wish to extend our thanks to them: The Village of Brewster, MHA in Putnam, Extreme Designs, Camp Herrlich, WestCOP Head Start, Town of Kent Highway Department, Putnam Nursing & Rehabilitation, East of Hudson Watershed Corp., Advanced Health NY, Mahopac-Carmel Chamber of Commerce, Kidz Country, Putnam County Office for Senior Resources, Sclafani Energy and Dunmore Corporation. Our thanks are also extended to the Brewster Theater Company, the Hudson Valley Federal Credit Union, to Tina Campbell of Master Networks along with Mahopac and Carmel Chapters, and finally to Judy Cleary, Onyx Wright and Cindy Jackson for their contributions to the youth training. This is just another example of the value of collaborative initiatives.

-Judy Callahan

## Brewster Public Library Moving Forward with Expansion Plans

Libraries are for everyone, regardless of age, gender, economic or educational status, or physical ability. But the Brewster Public Library cannot accommodate those it is meant to serve. Our community is poised to make things right and ensure all residents have an equal opportunity to access our library services.

This fall, construction will begin at Brewster Public Library to replace the deteriorating entrance ramp and increase the size of the program room to meet community demand. This project is being financed by the library's Capital Fund, as well as a matching grant of over \$100,000 through the State Aid for Public Library Construction Program. The new construction will venture onto previously unused property conveyed to the library by the Town of Southeast. This is Phase 1 of a larger undertaking, a "Phase 2 Expansion," to double the size of the library.

### What is the Phase 2 Expansion?

The plan is for a larger construction project which will include a community room to accommodate up to 50 people, private study rooms, and most importantly an ADA compliant elevator and restrooms - all while respecting and retaining the historic façade of the building and the main Reading Room.

### Why the change?

A primary concern of the Library Board is that the facility is not fully compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Libraries are educational institutions that must be accessible to all. In addition, library services have changed drastically since our building was constructed in 1931. For example, the original building was intended to house up to 10,000 books. Currently, there are over 26,000 items in the library, including music CDs, books on CD, DVDs and Blu-rays, periodicals, etc. Many of these items are not easily accessible due to

overcrowding and shelf height.

Library services have been redesigned at the community's request to include programs for all ages that address civic and community engagement, digital learning, early childhood literacy, economic development, and job skills. Technological advances since 1931 have put the public library at the center of meeting the needs for basic access to technology through broadband internet and WiFi and public computer access; something that the library's footprint and electrical wiring systems were never designed to handle.

The demand for meeting space has sky rocketed. Over the past several years, we have turned away many requests from the public to use our facilities for community events and meetings. The Phase 2 Expansion will allow us to accommodate many of these requests and fulfill our role as an educational and civic center of the community.

Libraries have a long history of a positive, substantial return on the community's investment. According to the State Education Department, local communities realize \$7 in services for every \$1 allocated. The Brewster Public Library has been serving the Town of Southeast since 1896. It has changed quite a bit over the years to adapt to the community's needs. These much needed changes will allow the library to continue to meet those needs well into the 21st century.

For more information about the library's plans, drop by the library or visit [www.brewsterlibrary.org](http://www.brewsterlibrary.org). You may also email the Library Director, Gina Loprinzo, at [director@brewsterlibrary.org](mailto:director@brewsterlibrary.org) or the Board of Trustees at [trustees@brewsterlibrary.org](mailto:trustees@brewsterlibrary.org).

--Amy Campanaro

# WELLS PARK HAPPENINGS



## A Shindig to Remember! *continued...*

Joining in the Shindig were elected officials who delivered celebratory proclamations to the Chamber on its milestone anniversary. In attendance: Dylan Miyoshi, Mid-Hudson Valley from Governor Cuomo's office; Frank Lombardo, representing Sen. Terrence P. Murphy's office; Assemblyman Kevin Byrne; County Legislators Joseph Castellano and Paul Jonke, on behalf of Putnam County Executive MaryEllen Odell and Putnam County Legislature respectively; as well as Town of Southeast Council members Lynne Eckardt and Edwin Alvarez along with Mayor Jim Schoenig, Peter Hansen, Mary Bryde, Deputy Mayor Christine Piccini and Tom Boissonnault of the Village of Brewster.

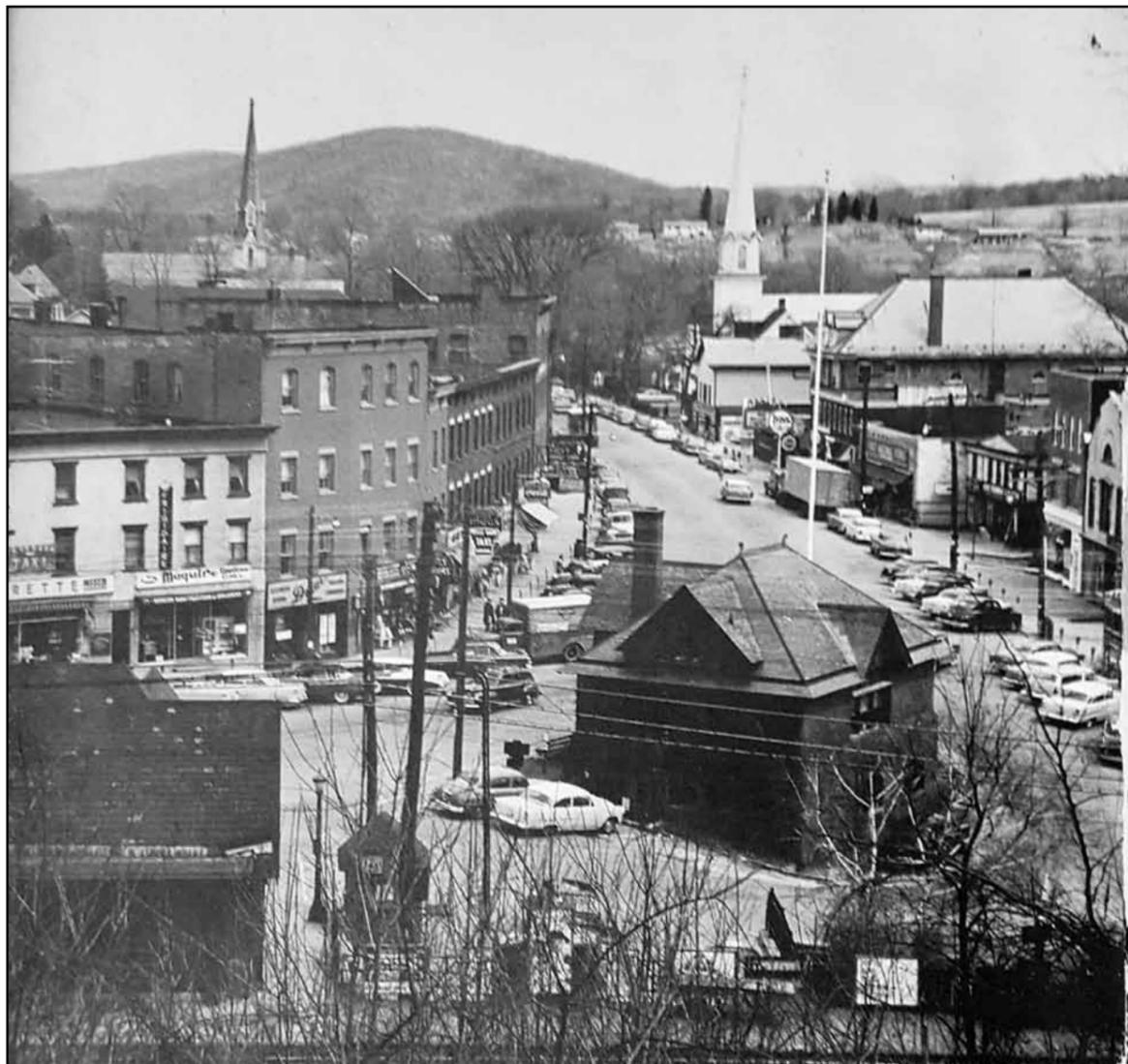
This incredible event could not have been possible without the countless hours of volunteer work the planning committee headed by Bill Flash of Edward Jones, Candice Sciarrillo of Pegasus Therapeutic Riding Inc., along with many members of the Brewster Chamber of Commerce put into this event and the generous contributions from Tompkins Mahopac Bank, Hudson Valley Federal Credit Union, and Ti Takk Inc.

To find out more about the Brewster Chamber of Commerce, visit [www.BrewsterChamber.com](http://www.BrewsterChamber.com).

**-Margaret Carey**

*At left: Showcasing the history of Brewster Sports, Robin Greene of the Brewster Sports Foundation was one of the many exhibitors. Picture by Margaret Carey*

## Celebrating 60 Years and 1957 with the Brewster Chamber of Commerce at Wells Park



*Many thanks to all who brought out their beautiful 1957 cars! Picture by Eric Gross*



*Potato Sack Racing was one of the many fun games enjoyed by children at Wells Park. Picture by Candice Sciarrillo*

*At Left: The Village of Brewster c. 1957*

During the planning stages for the Chamber of Commerce's 60th anniversary event Rose Aglieco, Executive Director and Bill Flash, Vice President, invited former and current residents to reminisce and share memories of Brewster life in 1957. As a 50's girl I joined the meeting along with other high school classmates from that time. It certainly was an enjoyable trip down memory lane for those of us who lived in that time.

A follow up meeting had a larger group including a classmate from the early 50's, classmates from 1956, 1957 1958 and a few more chamber members. Everyone was a contributor and the subjects were diverse; whether it was where and when we lived in the area, the one car families, the railroad system, the telephone party lines, school, social lives, families, businesses in the area. Some of us had different thoughts, opinions or viewpoints requiring more in depth discussions. Amazingly for some there was such a clear vision of every aspect of Main Street from one end to the other naming the stores, the types of stores, and

the owners. The Garden Street School was from kindergarten through senior year in high school. Our classes were so small compared to today's standard that we just about knew everyone from our freshmen to senior years.

I'm not sure how much Rose and Bill were able to learn from us at those meetings and if we were important contributors to the success of their 60th anniversary event but for the time they spent with us and stirring up such wonderful memories, allowing us to relive an important time in our lives we offer a sincere thank you. Here's to the 50's and congratulations to the Brewster Chamber of Commerce on a significant milestone on their journey to the future enriching business, community and industrial growth and development in Brewster and Southeast.

**-Mary Bryde, Village Trustee  
Commissioner of Public and Cultural Affairs**

# COMMUNITY EVENTS

## Free Farmers Market Shuttle Every Sunday to the The Hudson Valley Regional Farmers Market & The Brewster Farmers Market

Your **ONE** year-round community market!

Round Trip Runs Starting at 10:00 AM

100 Main Street 10:00, 11:00, 12:00  
50 Main Street 10:05, 11:05, 12:05  
80 Marvin Ave. 10:10, 11:10, 12:10  
(Mayor Mitchell)  
Stonecrest 10:25, 11:25, 12:25  
(Clubhouse & Bldg. 1)  
Market Site 10:30, 11:30, 12:30  
(15 Mt. Ebo Road S.)

Look For The White Bus With The Red Stripe, vehicle is Wheelchair Accessible.

For Questions or Information, please call: 845-629-2824 or visit our website at [www.hudsonvalleyfarmersmarket.org](http://www.hudsonvalleyfarmersmarket.org).

## Personalized Paw Print Benefitting Putnam SPCA During September

Make a memory to honor your pet forever while supporting our mission! Bring your pet in and get a custom paw print pottery during the entire month of September for only \$10.

Westchester Putnam Pottery is located at 54 Miller road in Mahopac. For additional information, visit their Facebook page or website: [www.westchesterputnampottery.com](http://www.westchesterputnampottery.com)

## Events at Brewster Elks #2101

September 2nd - Luau 6:00 PM  
September 3rd - Kids Carnival 3:00 PM then a BBQ & Movie Night in the Backyard at 7:00 PM  
September 11th - 9/11 Ceremony 6:00 PM  
September 17th - COTA Motorcycle Fundraiser  
September 22nd - SPCA Fundraiser

For more information, visit the website at [www.brewsterelks.org](http://www.brewsterelks.org).

For a PDF of this issue, please visit: [www.brewstervillage-nv.gov](http://www.brewstervillage-nv.gov). For additional information on upcoming events, visit [Village of Brewster, NY Facebook Page](#).

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## Steel Magnolias September 9th

The Cultural Arts Coalition is proud to announce the cast for a Staged Reading of Steel Magnolias by Robert Harling. The cast includes Diana DiMarco (Tarrytown), Lori Franzese (Carmel), Jenna Isabella (Cortland Manor), Karen Symington (Yorktown Heights), Diane Preston (Mahopac) and Kat Taylor (Tarrytown) and is directed by Margaret Carey (Brewster).

Between laughter, tears and southern charm, the vibrant and enthusiastic cast is embracing the heartwarming script and bringing the characters of Steel Magnolias alive.

The story revolves around a group of close-knit women who frequent Truvy's Beauty Salon, and have lots of time to gossip, and unshakable bonds that define them. Amid cuts, curls and free advice, these six glorious Southern belles share the joys and bear the sorrows of life together. With its mix of quick humor, quirky personalities and touching sentimentality, you'll fall in love all over again with a story and characters that are "as delicate as magnolias but as tough as steel."

The staged reading will be presented on Saturday, September 9th at 7:00 PM at the Cultural Arts Coalition's Studio Around the Corner at 67 Main Street in Brewster. The Avangrid Foundation on behalf of NYSEG, as the grand sponsor of this series. Reservations are strongly recommended due to limited seating for this FREE performance. Reservations can be made online at [www.CulturalArtsCo.com](http://www.CulturalArtsCo.com), email [info@culturalartscsco.com](mailto:info@culturalartscsco.com) or call 845-363-8330

## Putnam SPCA Chili's Fundraiser in Baldwin Place September 12th

Help support the Putnam County SPCA by having a meal at the Chili's on 80 Route 6, Baldwin Place, NY on September 12th from 4:00 PM to 11:00 PM.

10% of your food purchase will be donated to the Putnam County SPCA. **You MUST present the FLYER located on the SPCA Facebook page: @PutnamCountySPCA.** For additional information, call 845-520-6915.

## The Working Farm Roving Dinner September 16th

Join The Working Farm, SPACE on Ryder Farm's resident playwrights group, for an intimate progressive feast! Saturday, September 16 from 6:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Excerpts from eight new plays by award-winning playwrights and a singer/songwriter will be paired with an eight-course farm-fresh meal served at multiple historic locations around Ryder Farm.

Experience the flavors of SPACE on Ryder Farm and get a glimpse of brand-new works-in-progress by leading playwrights before they are produced. Our chef for the evening is Brendan Spieth, who has cooked at Egg and

*Continued..* Parish Hall in Brooklyn, under the tutelage of Maude Semas, Evan Hanczor and George Weld. His pick-back brine was recommended by New York Magazine. He has been known to tinker some songs out on a ukulele.

Visit: [www.spaceonryderfarm.org/events](http://www.spaceonryderfarm.org/events) for additional information.

## Patterson Rotary's Blues & BBQ Festival September 16th & 17th

The Sixth Annual Patterson Rotary Blues & BBQ Festival is a two day event presented by ACME Markets of Patterson NY. It will be held on September 16 & 17 FROM 12:00 to 7:00 PM. The Festival is filled with some of the best in Blues musicians from the Hudson Valley.

There will be incredible BBQ, great wine and beer. There's a section for children's activities, games, and crafts. This year there's also a dog tent, and two days of crafts and goodies for sale in the vendors mini market.

Bring your beach chairs, picnic blankets, kids, and dogs (who can handle crowds and loud noises), and get comfortable for a fun Saturday, Sunday, or all weekend full of great music, delicious BBQ, and family fun! After all, it's FREE ADMISSION!

There is a 50/50 raffle, and of course, Minnie the Blues Rotarian and keeper of the donations bucket, will be there for you to take photos with. Additional info at: FB [@PattersonBluesAndBBQ](https://www.facebook.com/PattersonBluesAndBBQ) or [www.pattersonbluesandbbq.org](http://www.pattersonbluesandbbq.org).

## Children's Expo and Public Safety Day September 16th



The Putnam County CAC, in partnership with the Putnam County Bureau of Emergency Services, are sponsoring the Children's Expo & Public Safety Day. It's a free family friendly day that encourages families to meet

local law enforcement fire departments and first responders, and learn about all the agencies and organizations that make Putnam County a great place to live and raise children.

This year, the fair was rescheduled on account of rainy weather and will be held on Saturday, September 16th from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM at the Donald B Smith Campus located on 112 Old Route 6 in Carmel.

Look for additional information and details on the Child Advocacy Center of Putnam County's Facebook Page: [@putnamcac](https://www.facebook.com/putnamcac). To learn more about other programs and how you can help, Please call 845-808-1400 or visit [www.friendsofputnamcac.org](http://www.friendsofputnamcac.org) for specific links to events and resources.

# COMMUNITY EVENTS

## Poverty Simulation October 17th

This fall, Putnam CAP will be hosting another Poverty Simulation. The event will be held at the Putnam County Golf Course on October 17th. It's a half day event and pre-registration is required. The event is being coordinated by the Health Action Priorities Network as part of their "Blueprint for Health Equity."

The purpose of the simulation is to educate the participants about the realities of living in poverty, simulating many of the barriers people living in poverty experience. Through role playing and the use of the simulated services, the participants get to experience the effects of poverty actually resulting in some of the participants feeling real stress.

Please call Putnam Community Action Partnership (CAP) for more information or to register for the event at 845-278-8021.

## Putnam SPCA Annual Fundraising Dinner October 20th

Putnam SPCA will host their Annual Fundraising Dinner at the Putnam County Golf Course on October 20th at 7:00 PM. Tickets are \$60 and can be purchased on the website at [www.spcaputnam.org](http://www.spcaputnam.org) and select Dinner Tickets from the menu.

## Ragamuffin Parade October 28th



The exciting costume parade will be held on October 28th beginning at 10:00 AM starting at Markel Park.

The children will parade to the Trunk or Treat Zone and Amazing Mad Science in the FBC Brewster Main Street parking lot. 460 North Main Street. Rain date is November 4th

## Halloween October 31st

Attention Trick or Treaters – The Village Police will once again close Prospect Street from Eastview to Wells Lane and down to Center Street between 4:00 PM and 9:00 PM on October 31st to keep our children and their parents safe from vehicular traffic.

## SPACE's 2nd Annual Gala- November 6th

Join SPACE on Ryder Farm for our second annual gala celebrating seven seasons of artistry and growth. Monday, November 6, from 6:30 PM – 10:00 PM at the Metropolitan West.

We'll be serving bespoke cocktails and a farm-to-table feast in NYC's theatre district, with performances from our most celebrated artists and a live auction. For more information email [emily@spaceonryderfarm.org](mailto:emily@spaceonryderfarm.org).

## Putnam CAP's Annual Thanksgiving Baskets and Holiday Toys Programs Start November 18th



Every family should be able to have a Thanksgiving meal! Look for the Putnam CAP Food Drive at your local markets.



Putnam CAP provides over 400 families with food and supplies annually.

It may seem early, but it's not too soon to start thinking about the holiday season. True to tradition, Putnam CAP will look to mobilize the assistance of hundreds of volunteers to work on our Thanksgiving Basket and Holiday Toys programs. The food drives will take place on the weekend just prior to Thanksgiving, **November 18th and 19th**.

Holiday Toy distribution takes place on December 19th, 20th & 21st. Donations are gratefully accepted **through December 18th**. If you have

just a little bit of time on your hands and a desire to help others, please call the CAP office on 845-278-8021 to see what you can do to make the holidays special.

We at Putnam CAP are proud to live in a community where individuals and businesses have an acute awareness of the needs of others. We ask that you kindly keep these needs in mind and give help where you can. Visit [www.putnamcap.org](http://www.putnamcap.org) to learn more.

## Holiday Caroling and Tree Lighting Event December 2nd



Join us on Saturday, December 2 by 5:00PM to sing carols along Main Street, counting down to the tree lighting. Ring in the holiday season with your community, enjoy refreshments at Village Hall, and see SANTA!

Come early at 4:30 PM for a FREE Magic Show at the Southeast Museum located on 67 Main



Street or just meet us at 5:00 PM to begin caroling!

Thank you to the Brewster Flower Garden for decorating the tree. Refreshments provided by the Village of Brewster. For more information please call 845-279-7500 or email [info@southeastmuseum.org](mailto:info@southeastmuseum.org).

## Putnam Chorale Concert December 3rd

We will be performing at First United Methodist Church on December 3, Sunday at 3:00 PM. The Program is Baroque Classics by Vivaldi and Purcell.

We are planning for the fall rehearsal and performance season. All aspiring choristers interested in joining us for an open rehearsal this fall are invited to contact us (or just show up).

Rehearsals are Mondays 7:00-9:30 PM in the Carmel High School Music Room on Fair Street, Carmel, NY. Rehearsing begins on August 28th at 7:00 PM at the Carmel High School music building and runs through late April with the usual

holiday breaks. Occasional fun vocal training workshops and "run through" rehearsals are on Saturdays.

When schools are closed for holidays, we meet at: The Studio Around the Corner (behind the Southeast Museum) located at 67 Main Street, Brewster.

Scheduling conflicts for rehearsals are readily accommodated. Email us with any questions at [contactus@putnamchorale.org](mailto:contactus@putnamchorale.org) or visit the website at [www.putnamchorale.org](http://www.putnamchorale.org) for this year's Program which will include works from the Baroque period.

# MOVIES & CONCERTS

## The Inaugural Brewster Music Festival September 30th



Many bands have performed on the Wells Park stage since the grand opening in Spring of 2016.

Save the date for the 1st Annual Brewster Music Festival on September 30, 2017 from noon - 6:00 PM. This FREE family-friendly event will be held at Wells Park at 98 Oak Street in Brewster.

Bands include Special Sauce, Analogue, The Soul Proprietors and Fresh Paint with sound provided by K Bays Sound Concepts. Bring chairs and blankets and enjoy games and great local live music. Food trucks will be available.

Organized by Paul Toscano and George Krzyzewski on behalf of the Cultural Arts Coalition currently working towards restoring the Old Town Hall Theater located on Main Street. We are pleased to announce the Avangrid Foundation on behalf of NYSEG, as the grand sponsor of this event. Volunteers are welcomed to contact Judy Marano at [info@CulturalArtsCo.com](mailto:info@CulturalArtsCo.com). For more information, visit: [www.CulturalArtsCo.com](http://www.CulturalArtsCo.com).

## Jazz Concert by the Southeast Stompers



### Featuring Marty Elkins

The Southeast Museum is excited to present a jazz concert by the Southeast Stompers featuring Marty Elkins on Sunday September 10 at 3:00 PM. This special concert is part of the museum's Centennial Look Back series.

The series includes exhibits on America's entrance into WWI (1917) and NYS Women Receiving the Vote (1917). The concert will bring to life early jazz songs, sung only the way Marty Elkins can.

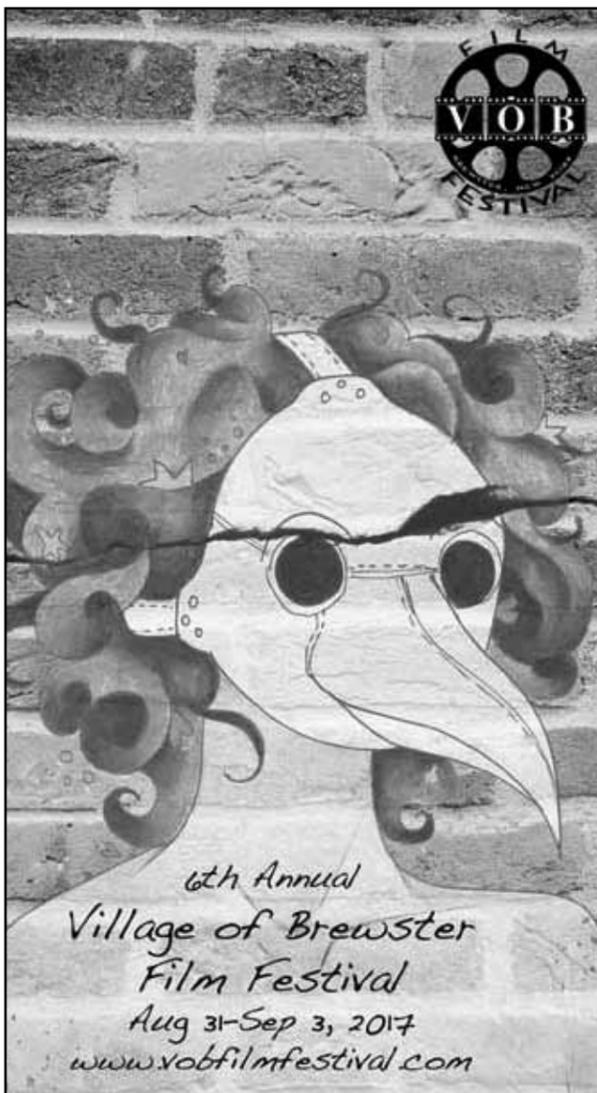
The wonderful indie label, Nagel-Heyer records have been releasing Marty Elkin's CDs, having released "Fuse Blues", the critically acclaimed debut and "In Another Life" - a duo effort with Dave McKenna. Her latest one is "Walkin' By the River", featuring Jon-Erik Kellso and Howard Alden.

"Marty Elkins runs her own voodoo down. It will remind you of no one else out there. Her voice is always doing those things a jazz singer will do. Marty Elkins is a jazz singer..." Stanley Crouch, liner notes on Fuse Blues (Nagel-Heyer Records) Admission is free. Special thanks to our program sponsor NYSEG. This project is made possible, in part, through the Putnam Arts Council's Arts Link Grant Program, with public funds from Putnam County.

The Southeast Museum is located at 67 Main Street in Brewster, NY. For more information, please call the Museum at (845) 279-7500, e-mail [director@southeastmuseum.org](mailto:director@southeastmuseum.org) or find us on Facebook.

-Amy Campanaro

## Village Film Festival August 31st - September 3rd



The VOB Film Festival holds its annual Labor Day event throughout Putnam County during Labor Day Weekend, August 31st - September 3rd. The Film Festival is a celebration of juried independent films from around the world. During this year's festival, 57 films will be shown in four different locations throughout the county.

Highlighting the weekend is the Dinner and a Movie event on September 1st. This event sells out every year and is held at the Bull and Barrel Brew Pub in Southeast. The event includes a full dinner and two hours of great independent film. This year it is a combination fund raiser for both the Brewster Theater Company and The VOB Film Festival.

Movie descriptions and times can be found at [www.VOBFilmFestival.com](http://www.VOBFilmFestival.com). The Film Festival will be held at the following locations and times:

Thursday, August 31st - 7:30 PM

Opening Night; Two hours of independent films. Independent Film Center at Drew Methodist Church - Carmel, NY

Friday Night - September 1st 6:00 PM

Dinner and a Movie at Bull and Barrel Brew Pub - Southeast, NY

- Includes a full dinner and independent films. Tickets must be purchased in advance at [www.VOBFilmFestival.com](http://www.VOBFilmFestival.com).

Saturday Morning Cartoons - September 2nd 10:00 AM - Noon at the Independent Film Center at Drew Methodist Church - Carmel, NY

Two hours of independent animated films plus a continental breakfast. Film maker panel to follow films.

Saturday at the Lake - September 2nd - 2:00 PM Arts on the Lake - Kent, NY

Two hours of independent films with a film maker panel to follow.

Ryder Farm - September 2nd - Approximately 8:00 PM (Weather Permitting) - Southeast, NY

Join us for a picnic and films at sundown on the great lawn at Ryder Farm. Bring your own food and hang out. Films start at sundown (Approximately 8:00 PM). This event is free to attend. The lawn opens at 6:00 PM for picnics.

Sunday at The Lake - September 3rd Arts on The Lake - Kent, NY

- Sunday, Session One 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Two hours of Independent films (see website for film descriptions and times)
- Sunday, Session Two 1:15 PM - 3:30 PM Two hours of independent films (see website for film descriptions and times). Independent film panel to follow
- Sunday, Session Three 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM Two hours of independent films (see website for film descriptions and times)

For more information and to purchase tickets, visit [www.VOBFilmFestival.com](http://www.VOBFilmFestival.com) or email [info@vobfilmfestival.com](mailto:info@vobfilmfestival.com).

# GOOD TO KNOW

## Have you been to the Patterson Recreation Center?



Our facility, located on Front Street, is home to a 10,000 square foot gymnasium, a rec room, arcade, full kitchen, conference room and a multi-purpose room. We hold a variety of special events throughout the year including a Fall Festival, Breakfast with Santa and Community Tag Sale to name a few. We also host events such

as the Military Show and the Hudson Valley Wine and Chocolate Festival. Our programs are for children of all ages, adults and senior citizens and encompass all areas of recreation, not just sports!

Patterson Recreation programs are open to all. There are no additional fees to non-residents. Our mission is to provide all people the opportunity to enhance their quality of life through programs, events and services which promote a healthy lifestyle and foster positive interaction.



Patterson Recreation Counselors

Patterson Recreation is available for rent to individuals, businesses and community organizations. We offer great rates and perfect spaces for parties and events. Get all the facts and see what's happening on our website at [www.pattersonrec.org](http://www.pattersonrec.org) or find us on Facebook and Instagram. Call us at 845-878-7200...or just stop in. We are open 7 days a week and located at 65 Front St, in Patterson.

## The Diverting Reservoir Trail

-Veronica Roche

**Entrance on Railroad Avenue just steps south of the Village**



The trail is on Railroad Avenue in the Village of Brewster, across the street from Electrazone Field/Veterans Park. You DO NOT need a DEP permit to access this trail. Park alongside the road. If you happen to live in the village of Brewster, its a five minute walk to the trailhead. The trail, which is flat and mostly shaded by a canopy of trees, provides an opportunity for outdoor recreation in the Village of Brewster and the Town of Southeast. It is an out-and-back trail, one mile each way; just follow the trail markers. The first part of the trail follows the route of old Nelson Boulevard, which also follows an old native American trail. Where the old Nelson Boulevard heads uphill toward the off-limits train tracks, the trail will bear left to continue to follow the edge of the reservoir. When you get to the end, take in the scenery, catch your breath, and then head back out the way you came in.

This hike is unique to Putnam County Land Trust (PCLT) since it does not own the land beneath the trail. In fact, this isn't technically a PCLT preserve at all. The trail is located on water supply property owned by New York City, and this project represents a collaboration between PCLT, New York City's Department of Environmental Protection, local Boy Scouts, the town of Southeast and the non-profit group; Concerned Residents of Southeast. These groups work together to maintain the footpath.

Public use and activities along the Diverting Reservoir Trail is for passive recreation such as hiking, bird-watching and snow-shoeing.

The trail property is located alongside the

Diverting Reservoir, a water supply property owned by New York City. The Diverting Reservoir holds 900 million gallons at full capacity, is one of 12 reservoirs in New York City's Croton Water Supply System, and is the smallest of the city's 19 reservoirs. It was built by impounding the East Branch of the Croton River, and it was placed into service in 1911. Its 8 square miles of watershed is located completely in the Town of Southeast.

The trail opened on August 22nd, 2014 and in the year leading up to the opening ceremony, volunteers from the Putnam County Land Trust, Concerned Residents of Southeast (CRSE), the Southeast Highway Department and members of Boy Scout Troop 440 (one scout, Kenny Hauser, adopted the Diverting Reservoir Trail as his Eagle Scout Project) cleaned and cleared the trail. Work included the removal of old tires and other debris, along with invasive plants such as barberry and knot weed. Concerned Residents of Southeast has agreed to maintain the trail in the future.



Rich Marshall from the show "Rogues on the Road"

Talking about the opening of this trail, DEP Commissioner Emily Lloyd explained "In recent years, DEP has partnered with several nonprofit groups to develop recreation trails on water supply lands that were once off limits to the public. These trails allow people to learn about the incredible water supply that provides more than 1 billion gallons of high quality drinking water to 9.4 million people every day, and it allows local residents a safe place to run, walk, bike and maintain a healthy lifestyle. The



Diverting Reservoir Trail is the sixth recreation trail opened on water supply lands owned by New York City. The five that preceded it were all located in the Catskills. " This is the first one in Putnam County. All have been built through partnerships with local nonprofit groups that focus on land conservation, hiking and outdoor recreation.

### A Little Bit of History:

The area around the trail was an old farmstead, at one time known widely as the Brady Farm, and Valley View Farm before that. This farm was somewhat of an American icon - photos of the farm were used in ads and such nationwide. The farm was also the home to brothers Jedediah & Nemeniah Wood. Legend has it that during the Revolution, infirm soldiers stayed at their farm, and the two teenage brothers carted them to the military hospital in Danbury. They would have carted those soldiers right down the old Nelson Boulevard. Records tell us that Nemeniah served in the militia during the Revolution. Jedediah did not serve until later, but was said to have reached the rank of Captain, and drilled with his troops in a nearby field. Jedediah loved the land so much that he and his wife are buried on a hilltop of the old farmstead. He died in 1857 at the age of 91.

# TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULES

## NEW Train Schedule - Additional Times & Delays Included

WEEKDAY June 4 - October 7				WEEKEND June 4 - October 7			
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8 16	8 25		5 17	5 20	9 15	9 28	CH 9 32
8 47	8 55		5 37	5 40	10 16	10 29	
9 24	9 30	C 9 32	5 48	5 52	11 15	11 28	CH 11 32
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4 39	4 46		8 52	8 55	7 15	7 28	
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5 15	5 22		10 14	10 17	8 46	8 59	
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### HARLEM LINE \*CHANGES DUE TO SERVICE Effective June 4, 2017 - October 7, 2017

- Seventeen AM Peak trains will operate between four minutes earlier and six minutes later due to the reduced track capacity in the area between Mount Vernon West and Crestwood.
  - Five AM Reverse Peak trains will operate between six minutes earlier and three minutes later to accommodate track work in the area.
  - Eleven PM Peak trains will operate between two and six minutes later.
  - Six PM Reverse Peak trains will operate between four and eight minutes later.
  - No changes to weekend or holiday service required.
- \* INDICATES SNOW BUS ROUTES ONLY**
- BUS DELAYS: Tune in to WHUD 100.7 FM
  - HOLIDAYS: Bus System does not operate on New Year's Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas.
  - BUS FARES: \$2.50 One-Way. Seniors & Disabled with Office for Aging I.D. card, MTA (disabled) card, Medicare card, and/or a Half-Fare card issued by the Putnam County Planning Department are acceptable proof for half-fare (\$1.25). Children under 13 (\$1.25) no I.D. required. Students (\$1.25) with a Student I.D. card. Infants ride free. Transfers (.75¢) or (.25¢) for seniors/disabled. Exact change required.

- C - Connecting Service. You must change trains during this trip.
- B - Connecting substitute bus service.
- R - Stops only to receive customers.
- D - Stops only to discharge customers.
- H - 5 minutes earlier than the time shown.

For More MTA Train Service Information, Visit: [www.mta.info](http://www.mta.info)  
 For Additional Bus Route Information, Call 878-RIDE (7433) or Visit: <http://www.putnamcountyny.com/planningdept/transitschedules>

## Bus Schedule

	MONDAY - FRIDAY														SATURDAY ONLY													
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Town Center (Rte. 22 & 312)	~	~	~	8:14	9:23	10:23	11:23	12:23	1:23	2:23	3:23	4:23	5:23	6:23	7:23	8:23	9:23	10:23	11:23	12:23	1:23	2:23	3:23	4:23	5:23			
Rte. 312 & North Brewster Rd.	~	~	~	~	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c	o/c		
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Peaceable Hill Rd. & Rte. 6	~	~	~	~	9:35	10:35	11:35	12:35	1:35	2:35	3:35	4:35	5:35	6:35	7:35	8:35	9:35	10:35	11:35	12:35	1:35							

# VILLAGE MUNICIPALITY DETAILS

## Village of Brewster Meeting Schedule

Start time: 7:30 PM.

All official public notices appear at least 5 days in advance of the scheduled meeting in the Official Newspapers: The Putnam County Press, aka Putnam County Times, aka Brewster Times.

Notices also appear on our website: [www.brewstervillage-ny.gov](http://www.brewstervillage-ny.gov) and on the Village Hall Bulletin Board. The Village Clerk maintains an email distribution list for important notices and press releases. If you would like your email added please send a request to [phansen@brewstervillage-ny.gov](mailto:phansen@brewstervillage-ny.gov).

As of September 5th, Labor Day  
Office Hours will return to:

8:30 to 4 M-F.  
50 Main Street (Village Hall),  
Brewster, NY 10509

Office: 845.279.3760  
Fax: 845.278.7653  
Court: 845.279.4020

The Village Offices will be closed on  
the following holidays:

Monday,	September 4th	Labor Day
Monday,	October 9th	Columbus Day
Friday,	November 10th	Closed for Veteran's Day
Saturday,	November 11th	Veterans' Day
Thursday,	November 23rd	Thanksgiving Day
Friday,	November 24th	Day After Thanksgiving

Month	Day	Board Meeting Type
September	6	Regular Meeting
September	19	Planning Meeting
September	20	Regular Meeting
October	4	Regular Meeting
October	17	Planning Meeting
October	18	Regular Meeting
November	8	Regular Meeting
November	21	Planning Meeting
November	29*	Regular Meeting (4th Wednesday)
December	4	Organizational

## Trash Pick-up

TRASH HOLIDAY

TRASH/RECYCLE BULK SEPT. 18\*

SEPTEMBER					OCTOBER					NOVEMBER				
MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI
				1	2	3	4	5	6			1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	13	14	15	16	17
18*	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31				27	28	29	30	

## Residential Bulk Pick-Up: September 18th

ITEMS MUST BE CURBSIDE BY 12:01 AM ON  
THE 3rd MONDAY OF SEPTEMBER: THE 18th

RESTRICTIONS:

- DO NOT put out prior to Saturday prior to pick-up date.
- DO NOT put out any appliance containing FREON (i.e. refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, etc.). Freon must be removed by an authorized Freon Recovery Dealer and a sticker from the dealer must be attached to the appliance or it WILL NOT be picked up.
- DO NOT put out any propane tanks including those from barbeque grills. They WILL NOT be picked up.
- DO NOT put out any air tanks including those from scuba gear or with helium. They WILL NOT be picked up.
- Water base paint cans must be open and dried up (full cans WILL NOT be picked up).

Oil base paint and cans WILL NOT be picked up. You can contact \*Putnam County Recycling to determine date to dispose of these.

- DO NOT put out flammable liquids or hazardous materials (i.e. car batteries, gasoline, oil, etc.). You can contact \*Putnam County Recycling to determine date to dispose of these.
- DO NOT put out gas powered equipment (i.e. lawn mowers, weed whackers, tractors, etc., without removing gas, or they WILL NOT be picked up.
- DO NOT put out more than two major appliances of the same type for pick-up. (i.e. two refrigerators, two stoves, two sinks, two water heaters, etc.). Refrigerators/ freezers must have doors removed.
- DO NOT put out any construction materials (i.e. insulation; drywall; treated or untreated lumber & composites; roofing and gutters; fencing; siding; ceiling, wall or flooring tiles;

studs, beams, plaster board, cement, cement blocks, landscape timbers, wood pallets or other building materials.

- DO NOT put out any tires.
  - DO NOT put out any brush, leaves or logs. If mixed in with bulk, your bulk WILL NOT be picked up.
  - DO NOT put out any ELECTRONIC DEVICES. Televisions, Computers, and other Electronics may be dropped at the Town of Southeast highway department on Palmer Road. Electronics WILL NOT be picked up.
  - DO NOT put out mattresses with your bulk, mattresses WILL NOT be picked up.
- Landlords please notify all tenants. Summonses will be issued to any property owner who violates these restrictions.
- For more information, please visit our website: [www.brewstervillage-ny.gov](http://www.brewstervillage-ny.gov); Water, Sewer & Solid Waste ↵ Refuse ↵ Bulk Pickup.

EL PUEBLO DE BREWSTER RECOGERÁ BULTOS Y BASURA RESIDENCIAL. LOS ARTÍCULOS DEBEN ESTAR ACERA ANTES DE LAS 12:01 AM

RESTRICCIONES:

- NO coloque la basura antes del sábado antes de la fecha de recogida.
- No coloque ningún aparato que contiene el gas FREON (ejemplo: refrigeradores, congeladores, aire acondicionado, etc.) Freon debe ser quitado por un comerciante autorizado de la Recuperación de Freon y una pegatina del comerciante debe ser conectado al aparato o no se recogerá.
- No coloque tanques de propano, inclusive éstos que se usan para parrillas. Estos no serán recogidos.
- No coloque ningún tanque de oxígeno, inclusive éstos tanques de gas helium. Estos no serán recogidos.
- Las latas de pinturas de base de agua deben ser abiertas para que se evapore la pintura. Las latas llenas no serán recogidas. La pintura a base de petróleo no serán recogidas. Contacte al Departamento de Salud del Condado de Putnam para

averiguar cuando pueden ser botadas.

- No coloque líquidos inflamables ni materiales peligrosos (EJEMPLO: baterías de coche, gasolina, aceite, etc.) Usted puede contactar al Reciclaje de L Condado de Putnam para determinar la fecha para deshacerse de éstos.
- No coloque máquinas a gasolina sin sacarle la gasolina primero. (EJEMPLO: cortacésped, vapuleadores de hierba, tractores, etc.)
- No coloque mas de dos (2) aparatos del hogar a la misma vez. (EJEMPLOS: dos refrigeradores, dos estufas, dos fregaderos, dos calentadores, etc.) Los refrigeradores/ los congeladores deben tener puertas quitadas.
- No apagar cualquier material de construcción (es decir, aislamiento; drywall, tratados o sin tratar la madera y materiales compuestos; techos y canalones; esgrima; apartadero; techo, azulejos de la pared

o de suelo, espárragos, vigas, tablero de yeso, cemento, bloques de cemento, paisaje maderas, palets de madera u otros materiales de construcción.

- No coloque ninguna llanta/ gomas de carros.
- No coloque hojas, ramas de árboles ni los troncos. Si usted mezcla estos materiales con otras cosas, su bulto no se recogerá.
- Por favor no pongan articulos electronicos en la cera para la basura. No se la recojeran puede llevarlo al departamento de highway en el Town de Southeast (Palmer Road) encontraron un recibidor para electronicos reciclable gratis.
- No coloque los colchones con su mayor , colchones no serán recogidos.

PROPIETARIOS POR FAVOR NOTIFIQUEN A SUS INQUILINOS DE ESTAS REGULACIONES. SI HAY VIOLACIONES DE ESTAS RESTRICCIONES, LOS DUEÑOS DE LAS PROPIEDADES SERAN MULTADOS.

# WORK & PLAY IN BREWSTER

## 40th Senate District Women of Distinction



Senator Terrence P. Murphy honored Amy Campanaro, of Brewster, the Executive Director of the Southeast Museum, as one of 14 women in the 40th Senate District to receive the Women of Distinction Award for 2017.

Ms. Campanaro was the unanimous choice for this award by the Village of Brewster Board of Trustees. Amy was selected for her continuous support of today's community and her dedication to the history of our Village and the region. Amy is always first to volunteer her time with educational workshops, arts and crafts, and seasonal festivities for children and adults in addition to her normal duties as Southeast Museum Director. Her volunteer work and community involvement in the Village of Brewster is truly exceptional and we are a better community because of her efforts.

In addition to her position at the Southeast Museum Amy is also an Adjunct Lecturer at Western Connecticut State University.

Amy was instilled with a love of history from her high school teacher, Mrs. Mancini, and went on to earn Bachelor's and Master's degrees in history from SUNY Albany. Because of her academic accomplishment in history, Amy was a panelist at the Researching New York History Conference in 2015, and was awarded the Putnam County Historian's Office Award for Exemplary Work in 2011.

Amy is a member of the Old Southeast Church Cemetery board, a non-profit, as well as a member of the Tilly Foster Advisory Board. She is a past President of the Lower Hudson Conference.

She keeps herself busy with ongoing community events such as the annual holiday caroling parade and tree lighting, year-round children's programs, oral history programs with seniors, and working with the Putnam County Veterans Service Agency in conjunction with the Putnam County Historian's office.

Amy is married, and in her free time, enjoys hiking and motorcycling. Her steadfast support of the Village of Brewster has made an unforgettable impact on our community. Congratulations to Ms. Campanaro for her exemplary work as an extraordinary contributor making the Village of Brewster a better place to live, work and play.

**-Terrence Murphy and Peter B. Hansen**

## Founders Day Continued...

And the Putnam County Sheriff's Department is returning with their Operation Safe Child fingerprinting program.

The response to all of the delicious food offerings last year was overwhelming - so we've added 2 more food trucks to tempt your taste buds - one for mouth-watering BBQ delights and the other is dedicated to the mighty Meatball! Bring your appetite!

And, last but certainly not least, we have an outstanding collection of superb product Vendors - so come do your Holiday shopping early! You'll be sure to love the assortment of unique gifts to choose from. We'll be featuring our Vendors on our Facebook page **@BrewsterFoundersDayStreetFair** so be sure to like and follow us! **-Laurie Manning**

## Help Putnam County Secure Military Stories with VET Scan

Putnam County Veterans and their families are invited to participate in a free digital scanning initiative to secure military memories of the past for research and prosperity. The Digital Scanning Workshop is being held by the Putnam County Veterans Service Agency, Historian's Office, and the Southeast Museum, in conjunction with Founder's Day.

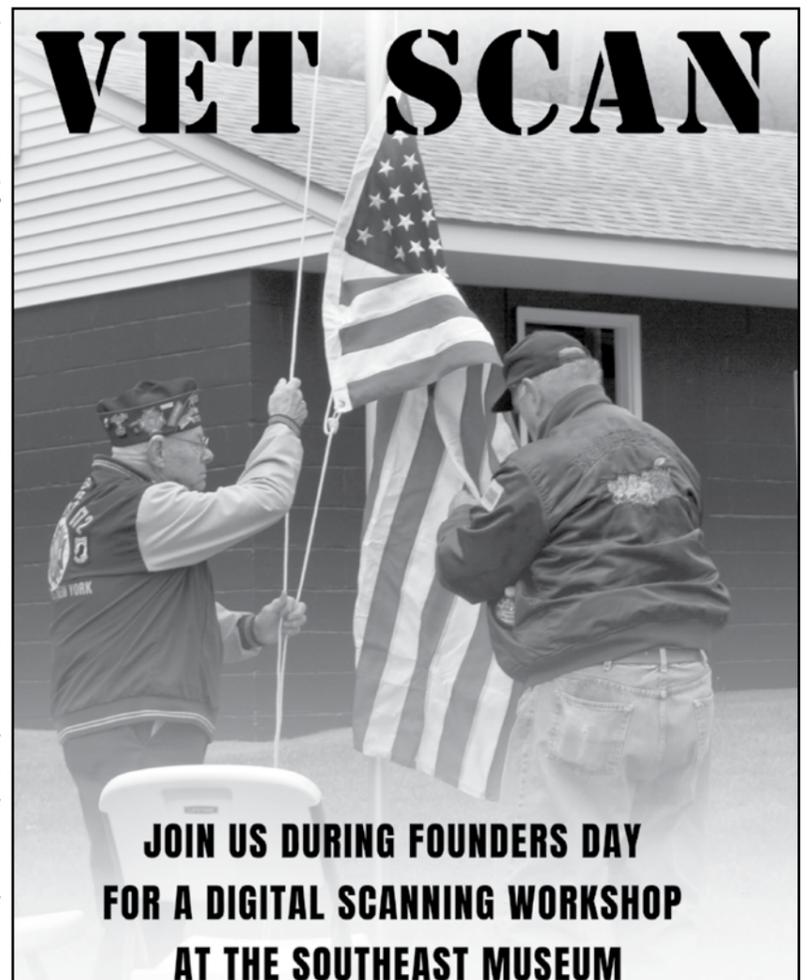
The event will be held on Sunday, September 24, from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM at the Southeast Museum located at 67 Main Street, in Brewster.

Putnam County families with military memorabilia are invited to attend this workshop to have old letters, documents, photographs and military memorabilia scanned and recorded on a digital memory device, free of charge.

Don't lose your loved one's story of service, participate in Vet Scan today!

Qualifying materials include:

- Photographs
- Slides
- Letters
- News clippings
- Service Records
- Keepsakes



*Sorry, NO weapons, magazines or professional photographs can be scanned.*

Scanning day is open to all Putnam County residents with military memorabilia regardless of the town/country origin of military service. Reservations are recommended. To RSVP contact the Museum at 845-279-7500.

