



# The News of MENANDS ACTIVITIES

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## VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

The next Village Board meeting will be **Monday, April 1, 2024, at 6:00 PM at 250 Broadway**. The link to attend the meeting virtually is [meet.google.com/mre-txbp4-btk](https://meet.google.com/mre-txbp4-btk) or by phone (US) +1 401-646-0768 pin: 541-841-494#. All are encouraged to attend or submit comments in writing to Clerk Don Handerhan at [handerhand@villageofmenands.com](mailto:handerhand@villageofmenands.com) before noon on the day of the meeting.

## VILLAGE OF MENANDS PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the Village Law, the Preliminary Budget of the Village of Menands for the fiscal year beginning June 1, 2024, and ending May 31, 2025, has been duly filed.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing will be held on the second floor of the Menands Village Hall, at 250 Broadway in the said Village on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 2024 at 6:00 P.M. by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Menands to consider the Preliminary Budget, at which time and place the comments and suggestions of residents of the Village relative to such budget to be enacted will be received.

The Preliminary Budget is on file in the office of the Clerk-Treasurer and may be inspected during office hours.

The maximum compensation to be paid to the Mayor is \$16,063.00 and each of the four trustees, \$9,369.50.

Donald Handerhan

Village Clerk

Date: March 8, 2024

## VILLAGE OF MENANDS TREASURER

The Village of Menands, Albany County, New York is seeking a qualified candidate to serve as Village Treasurer to be responsible for the Village's fiscal and budget administration.

The position requires overseeing all financial aspects of the Village, including implementing, and maintaining accounting systems, managing payroll processes, overseeing purchasing activities, and preparing financial reports and analyses. The incumbent will work at the Village Office and report to the Mayor. They are appointed annually by the Mayor with approval from the Board of Trustees. Their tasks are assigned by the Mayor and Village board.

Salary commensurate with experience. The expected starting salary is \$62,000, The position is full-time with benefits including health care (medical, dental, vision) and participation in the NYS retirement system. Please submit a resume to be considered for this position, Email to [handerhand@villageofmenands.com](mailto:handerhand@villageofmenands.com)

Village of Menands residents are preferred, then Town of Colonie, then Albany County. The successful candidate should live within Albany County or be willing to move within the limits within the year of appointment.

## PARK RENTAL

Park reservations began **March 1, at 8:00 a.m.** for the 2024 season, which runs from April 15<sup>th</sup> to October 31<sup>st</sup> (weather permitting.) \$150 deposit and you must have a certificate of insurance from your homeowners or Renter's insurance. The park permit will not be issued until both deposit and certificate of insurance are received. \$100 will be returned after the event.

## 2024 SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Applicants must be residents of the Village of Menands and be between 14 years of age and college age. Applications for Employment **MUST** be completed and may be obtained from the Village Office Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Working papers (**if under the age of 18**) must be attached to the completed application and returned to the Village Office.

## SOUTH END WATER AND SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT

Public information meeting is available on the Village of Menands Website [www.menandsny.gov](http://www.menandsny.gov).

## SPECIAL PICK UP REMINDER

SPECIAL PICKUP is on WEDNESDAYS. SPECIAL PICKUP IS FOR BULK ITEMS THAT CANNOT FIT IN YOUR REGULAR TRASH.

You **MUST** call the Village Office (518-434-2922) of bulky or out of the ordinary items (furniture, etc.) Do not put items out until pick up has been scheduled.

DPW will not be pickup from any home that is not on the Special Pickup list.

If you wish to dispose of all appliances such as a refrigerator or stove, you must call and schedule the pickup a few days in advance.

WHEN THERE IS A HOLIDAY IN THE WEEK, THERE WILL BE NO SPECIAL PICKUP THAT WEEK.

WEIGHT & SIZE LIMITS

LIMIT THE WEIGHT OF FILLED TRASH CANS TO APPROXIMATELY 40 LBS. FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR CREW. THE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE SIZE OF RECEPTACLES IS 45 GALLONS.

### **Prohibited items.**

- ☐ Televisions
- ☐ Wet Paint (air dry or use kitty litter before disposal)
- ☐ Computer Monitors
- ☐ Medical Waste
- ☐ Propane Tanks
- ☐ Contractor's materials (**contractor responsible for disposal**)
- ☐ Tires
- ☐ Chemicals

More on the other side.....

### **MENANDS YOUTH EASTER PARTY**

Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

1:30 - 3:30 pm

Village Hall, 250 Broadway

Snacks, drinks, magician, activities, and a special visitor.

More information call Samantha Hall @ 518-992-5509

### **MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC.**

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co.#1, Inc will be held on **Tuesday, April 2, 2024**, at the firehouse at **7:00 P.M.**

### **MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC. AUXILIARY**

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co. #1, Inc. Auxiliary will be held on Wednesday, **April 10, 2024**, at the firehouse. The meeting time is **6:30 P.M.**

### **MENANDS CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Mark your 2024 Calendars with our *Key Dates!*

**Car Show:** May 19, 2024

**Parade & Picnic:** June 1, 2024

**Community Night:** August 21, 2024

**Centennial Gala (final event):** September 21, 2024

Stay tuned for more information and pop-up events.

Garden flags are available for purchase at the Village Office, and the committee welcomes any historical photos you may have regarding the Village. Email [100thanniversary@villageofmenands.com](mailto:100thanniversary@villageofmenands.com) for any questions.

### **MENANDS SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION**

The next Board of Education meeting has been scheduled for **April 24, 2024, at 6:30 P.M**

### **MENANDS FATHER DAUGHTER DANCE 2024**

It's a LUAU!! April 27, 2024, from 4:30-6:30pm

\$25 per family at the Menands Fire Department

(Financial assistance is available please text Kelley (518)-423-1595 or email [kelleylemyre11@gmail.com](mailto:kelleylemyre11@gmail.com))

Dinner, Snacks, Dancing and more! All fathers and father figures invited to bring their special little ladies! Dress to Impress! You do not have to live in Menands to attend!

### **MENANDS SENIOR NEWS**

Debbie Teitsch now has 2024 Membership Cards and is taking renewals. If you need to renew by mail Debbie's address is 3 Cornell Drive Menands, N.Y, However, mandatory lanyards cannot be mailed. Questions, call Debbie, 518-487-4583.

### **TRIPS PLANNED FOR 2024**

**4/16/2024**, "BEEHIVE," a 60'S MUSICAL, Hunterdon Hills Playhouse, Hampton, NJ. Dinner and a show; featuring the music of Aretha Franklin, Tina Turner, and Janis Joplin.

**5/-5/11/2024** Timeless Hits "My Boyfriend's Back," "Son of a Preacher Man," and "You Don't Own Me." Gift shop and Bakery on premises. \$80

**5/5-5/11** MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA:

Hotel accommodation on the beach. Tour Includes: Dinner Cruise, 2 Fabulous Shows, Tours of Georgetown, SC, Barefoot Landing. \$1,105ppdbl, \$1,484ppsingle, \$1,085pptriple. Day trips are for all Seniors members. The \$10 difference in price is only for out-of-town residents. Overnight trips are open to everyone, regardless of age or residence.

### **MENANDS SCHOOL PTA NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**

The Menands School PTA is looking for several volunteers willing to serve as members of the PTA board for a 2-year term starting July 1st, 2024. The PTA is looking to fill the positions of President, Vice President, and Secretary. The PTA provides enrichment opportunities for the students and families of Menands.

### **Menands School PTA needs volunteers (continued)**

school. Parents, grandparents, community members, anyone looking to make a difference in their community can be involved in the PTA. For more information or if you are interested in joining the PTA board you can email the nominating committee at [clstout@gmail.com](mailto:clstout@gmail.com) or visit our website at [menandsschoolpta.com](http://menandsschoolpta.com) or stop by our next general membership meeting at the Menands School Library, March 20th at 6:30pm.

### **MENANDS T-BALL & COED BASEBALL LEAGUE**

Now enrolling for the 2024 Menands T-Ball and Coed Baseball League. Ages 4-11. Please visit our website [www.Menandsbaseball.org](http://www.Menandsbaseball.org) to enroll. The starting day is Saturday 4/27. Enrollment closes 4/1. We are always looking for coaches! Please let us know if you are able to help. Any questions on the league please feel free to reach out to Karyn Steurer 518-496-2411 or email us at [menandsbaseball@gmail.com](mailto:menandsbaseball@gmail.com)

### **SPONSORS NEEDED**

Menands T-ball and baseball is looking for local businesses to help sponsor teams. We offer a variety of different ways to help. Please reach out if you have any interest or know anyone that may be interested in naming a team after their business or having a sign made for the outfield fence. We are also always looking for helping coaching!

### **NOW HIRING**

Now hiring umpires for the 2024 season.

### **MENANDS PUBLIC LIBRARY**

4 N. Lyons Ave, Menands NY 12204

Phone (518) 463-4035

Mon: 10 am - 2 pm, Tues: 12 noon - 7 pm

Wed: 10 am - 2 pm, Thurs: 12 noon - 7 pm

Fri: 12 noon - 5 pm, Sat: 10 am - 1 pm, Sun: Closed

Check the library's calendar on our website for a complete list of programs.

### **Menands Public Library Foundation**

The Menands Public Library is pleased to announce the establishment of the Foundation of the Menands Public Library which will assist the library in its mission to provide excellent library service to the Menands community. Your donations will help the library achieve the level of service that our community deserves. With this support, we can expand our collections and provide more programs for all ages.

**Donations may be mailed to:** Menands Public Library Foundation, 4 N Lyons Ave Menands NY 12204

The Foundation of the Menands Public Library is an independent 501 (c) (3) nonprofit corporation. Contributions to the Foundation of the Menands Public Library are tax-deductible under the extent of the law.

### **Menands Seed Library**

The Menands Public Library is proud to officially announce its new seed library! Please pop in to see our selection of free seeds for 2024. Happy gardening!

### **Ms. Sherry's Cooking Classes, 4:30-5:30 pm**

Please call-in advance to register.

April 11th: French Fries

May 16th: Vegetable Pizza

Items to be included in the next edition of the Menands Activities dated April 5, 2024, WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THE VILLAGE OFFICE AFTER 9 A.M. Monday, April 1, 2024.