



MENANDS ACTIVITIES

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VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

The next regular Village Board meeting will be **November 4, 2024, at 6:00 PM**. The link to attend the meeting virtually is 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 dhanderhan@menandsny.gov before noon on the day of the meeting. The next Village Board regular meeting will be Monday, November 18th.

ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, November 5th is Election Day. The Polls open at 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. on the second floor at 250 Broadway in the Fire Hall. The Menands Fire Company Auxiliary will be holding a bake sale there also.

VETERANS DAY

The Village Offices, Court and DPW will be closed on Monday, November 11th for Veteran's Day. Monday's Trash will be picked up on Tuesday. There will no heavy pick-up that week and Recycling Day remains the same.

LEAF PICK-UP

The DPW will begin leaf pick-ups on October 15, 2024, through **December 13, 2024**. Leaves must be raked to the side of the road or in bags. No sticks please!

MENANDS FIRE CO. #1, INC.

The next meeting of the Menands Fire Co.#1, Inc will be held on **Wednesday, November 6, 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 **November 13, 2024**, at the firehouse. The meeting time is 6:30 P.M.

MENANDS SCHOOL PUBLIC ADVISORY

School is back in session. NEVER pass a school bus when the red lights are flashing. Please be aware of students crossing streets around bus stops. Please mind your speed. Be safe!

FARMER'S MARKET

The Capital District Regional Market will be closing for the season on **Saturday, November 2, 2024, from 9 AM to 1 PM. Look for POP UP events**. See you in the Spring for the regular weekly Saturday market day.

MENANDS SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next school board of education has been scheduled for **November 12, 2024, at 6:30 P. M.** at Menands School Library.

MAYOR'S CORNER

---The CPKC Holiday Train will be stopping in Menands again this year on November 25th! Watch for details on our webpage MenandsNY.gov

---The Menands DPW reminds residents that certain items are illegal to dispose of as household trash. Lithium batteries can be a fire hazard and ignite in our garbage truck. Items such as wet paint, tires, propane containers, electronics, oil / solvents / chemicals – all are illegal and may result in a CODE ENFORCEMENT violation/Fine. Call the office with questions before you toss it!

---Village flags and military banners will be removed after Veterans Day for the season.

---We had hundreds of children (and adults) participate in this year's Trunk or Treat hosted by the Menands Farmers Market. What a great time! Check out our Village of Menands FB page for photos.

---Election Day is November 5th – PLEASE take the time to vote.

MENANDS CENTENNIAL PUBLICATION PREORDER

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Payment **must** be received to reserve your copy. Venmo: @VoM-CentennialComm

Check: Made payable to VoM Centennial Committee, **280 Broadway, Menands, NY 12204**

Questions? Email 100thanniversary@menandsny.gov

MENANDS SENIOR NEWS

SENIOR TRIPS OVERNIGHT, TWO OR MORE DAYS

12/10-12/12/2024 Holiday Sights and Sounds of Lancaster, PA., Featuring "Daniel" and "Joy to the World" at American Music Theatre & Gettysburg Battlefield Tour! 2 nights lodging, 2 breakfasts, 2 dinners including a Smorgasbord Dinner. We will shop. Cost: DBL \$615, SINGLE \$765., \$595 TRIPLE. There is still room.

4/27/2025-5/4/2025, A Taste of Ireland, 7 days – 6 nights \$3,595 pp double, \$4,240 pp single. This short and sweet Ireland tour is the perfect introduction to the Emerald Isle. Taste of Ireland hits all of the greatest highlights from Blarney Castle to the Cliffs of Moher. There is still room.

More on the other side.....

FOURTH ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF TREES

Join the Menands St. Patrick's Club for the fourth annual festival of trees! Help us light up the Ganser-Smith park with a walk-thru tree spectacular. Families, organizations, or businesses can purchase a tree for \$100.00 and then come out on December 8, 2024, at 2:30 pm to decorate your tree. Each group or family will be in charge of bringing their own outdoor LED lights and decorations. Trees can be decorated as a family tree, in honor of or in memory of someone or to highlight your organization or business. There will be a special tree honoring veteran. Everyone is invited to put an ornament on for a veteran at no cost. At 4:00 pm the same day, we will light up our trees. If you have additional questions, you can email menandsstpats@gmail.com. To purchase a tree to decorate, please fill in the below form or fill it in online by scanning the QR code or going to <https://forms.gle/RwHjRdYuJ8QJ8N4Z9> and send with payment by Friday, November 22, 2024 to Menands St. Patrick’s Club 280 Broadway Menands, NY 12204. Checks payable to Menands St. Patrick’s Club.



Name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone number: _____
Email address: _____
Wording you would like to put on your tree plaque (in honor of ... In memory of ... By the family of ...)

MENANDS SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB

Now enrolling for the Menands Ski and Snowboard Club. This program starts on Wednesdays and runs 7 weeks long and is held at Jiminy Peak Mountain in Hancock Mass. A Yankee trail bus is provided in the cost of the program. The bus leaves the Ganser Smith Park at 3:30 sharp and arrives home around 9:00. You can also drive yourself. The program has different enrollment options. Prices range from \$220- \$320. Children must be accompanied by an adult unless they are in 5th grade and above. Program begins 1/8/25. This program is open to ALL ages! Any questions or to enroll please reach out to Karyn Long. klong@cbpp.com 518-496-2411. Deadline to enroll is 11/27.

MENANDS PUBLIC LIBRARY

4 N. Lyons Ave, Menands, NY 12204
Phone: (518) 463-4035
Website: <https://www.menandslibrary.org/>
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
NEW HOURS STARTING NOVEMBER 1ST

Items to be included in the next edition of the Menands Activities dated November 15, 2024, WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THE VILLAGE OFFICE AFTER 9 A.M. Tuesday, November 12, 2024.