# Galway Get Together

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# A bi-weekly online newsletter promoting local resources and opportunities

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Toro Proline gas trimmer—with 18 inch cutting width, 2 cycle engine. Dual line cutting. Extra line and small gas container included. Was \$189 new a few years ago. Still works - we're simply replacing it with a lighter trimmer/edger. 882-5001.

**Nancy Hart Piano**—by Grand Piano company upright spinet with bench. You pick up! 322-9592.

**Poplar Firewood**—cut in 16" +/- chunks. Easily accessible to load directly into truck or trailer. Approx. 3-5 full cords. Call 882-6419 if interested.

**Blue male parakeet** — Approximately 6 months old; finger trained. Comes with cage and supplies. 322-9592.

#### For Sale

Eagles View Farm U-pick blueberries
—Come and pick first of the year blueberries from 8-11am every Monday,
Wednesday, Saturday. Located on Rte
29, just West of Barkersville Rd.

**Fresh Eggs**—from Three Bear Farm (one mile from Galway School). \$3 per dozen. Contact:

lisa.temoshok@gmail.com or 256-2710.

**Sweetbriar Flower Shop**—Hermance Road, Galway, has beautiful locally grown flowers for your wedding. Call us at 882-5132.

# *Services Available*Summer Fine

Art—Individual or group classes, studio art (drawing, water-color, 2-D and 3-D design, collage). Portfolio development. Call 882-1790.

Upcoming Calendar for OrchardView Camp registration ending July 6. If interested please contact me soon as there are only a few spots

left! Camps run from July 23 – August 3. The Annual Garage and Bake Sale will be held on Friday, July 13 from

Pre-registration for 2012-2013 After the Bell and Discovery Days open now.

**NEW 4-day science camp** planned for August 20 - 23. Watch for complete description next week.

**Homeschool calendar** (Sept-Dec.) will be available in July. Look for science, math, music, research, writing and teen classes.

Contact Orchard View Education Center at <u>518-469-2873</u>, or email: <u>Mrs.M@OrchardViewEducation.com</u>.



Saratoga County's 17th Annual "Sundae on the Farm" was held June 17 at Eildon Tweed Farm on Eastern Avenue in the Town of Charlton. The annual event showcases the breadth and significance of agriculture in Saratoga County and is enjoyed by approximately 2,500 visitors each year.—Photo by Penny Heritage

The Annual Garage and Bake Sale will be held on Friday, July 13 from 9am-5pm and Saturday, July 14 from 9am-3 pm at the Galway United Methodist Church, corner of Route 147 and County Route 45 in the village.

All are invited to attend this multifamily sale held indoors come rain or shine. Items for sale include: toys, tools, furniture, clothing, household items, electronics, sporting goods, books and much more.

#### **Galway Senior Events**

July 5 - Regular meeting, 1pm Galway Town Hall.

July 19 - Author, Mary Cuffe Perez will discuss her book based on the life of Rachael Scripter, 1pm, Galway Town Hall. Books will be available for sale.

*The Galway Get Together* seeks to help build a stronger, more cohesive and conservation-minded community through local trade and networking. The Galway Public Library is not responsible for the outcome of any exchange. To receive the newsletter and to submit postings go to:

www.gettogether.galwaypubliclibrary.org. Inquiries? Email: mcuffeperez@gmail.com.



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## Community Announcements (cont'd)

Mark your calendar! Save the date! August 25 is the date of the 5th Annual Wings 'N Wheels Showcase, held at the Galway Airport. Please go to the Galway Lions Club website

(www.galwaylionsclubny.org) for additional information and to view/ print the flyer.

### Galway Public Library "2nd Wednesday of every month" Open Mic at the Cock and Bull Restaurant

Do you write poetry, essays, stories, memoirs, songs? Do you sing, play an instrument, tell jokes or read aloud? Or do you just enjoy hearing other people perform? Then come enjoy an evening of open mics at the Galway Cock n' Bull Restaurant on the second Wednesday of each month starting July 11 at 8pm. Images and words from the recently published "Reflections of Galway" color coffee table book will be digitally projected as a special addition to the events. All welcome to this free event. For more information call the library at 882-6385 or visit www.galwaypubliclibrary.org.

### **Art & Cartooning Classes**

Discover your inner Rembrandt or Charles Schultz. Art Classes for all ages every Thursday 6:30 – 8pm with master artist Benno Kolleger.

Cartooning classes for ages 3—12 will be offered every Tuesday, 4-5pm with published cartoonist, Len Powers. Bring your own supplies or the library will supply them. Free. Call the library for more information or visit the website.

### **Movies By Moonlight**

Bring your family to free movies every Wednesday night, beginning at 9pm in the Galway Village Park. A great chance to take in a family-friendly movie and enjoy the great outdoors at the same time. Movies will be run all summer long.

Classic and new movies will be shown on a 14 foot screen. It's your chance to see old favorites, like the Wizard of Oz, in a beautiful outdoor setting.

Bring blankets, chairs and snacks if you would like.

### Two Area Farmer's Markets Not to be Missed:

Greenfield Farmer's Market, Middle Grove Park, open June 29 through October, Fridays, 4-7pm. Each week, the market features local talent, including musicians, authors, and artists to entertain you as you browse through the vendors. At this market you'll find locally grown vegetables, baked goods, free-range meats, and handmade crafts. To find a schedule of events and more information visit: www.greenfieldhistoricalsociety.com.

### Ballston Spa Farmer's Market,

open June—Oct., Thurs., 3-6pm and Saturdays, 9am—Noon. Located in Wiswall Park, corner of Front and Low Sts. You can purchase everything from maple syrup to honey, to corn, and beef thanks to the large amount of local vendors offering up a variety of products. Visit their website for more information: www.ballston.org/EatLocal.



# Wild Parsnip: Beware of This Plant

Wild parsnip shown above is especially dangerous to humans because of the interaction of the sap with sunlight when it comes in contact with exposed skin. It can cause severe burning and inflict scars that can last for months. If it happens to get in your eyes it will cause temporary or permanent blindness. And it grows just about everywhere in our area.

During much of July, August and early September wild parsnip is one of the most visible yellow-flowered weeds in roadside ditches, public recreation areas, around sports fields, fence rows, and along railroad tracks. It will just as happily grow in your lawn if it is allowed to.

Best method for eradicating it is digging or hand pulling (with protective gloves and clothing, of course). If you mow it, do it while the flowers are budding, around mid June. Mowing after the seeds have formed only helps to spread this dangerous plant. Learn more at:

https://www.dot.ny.gov/dangerous-plants/wild-parsnip

### Seeking your submissions to the Galway Get Together.

Ads, announcements, news, observations, photos and MORE *Submit ads or community announcements:* www. gettogether.galwaypubliclibrary.org. *Submit articles and photos*: mcuffeperez@gmail.com.