



# Galway Get Together

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*A bi-monthly online newsletter promoting local resources and opportunities*

A community service of the Galway Public Library, P.O. Box 207, Galway, NY 12074 Phone: 882-6385.

## **For Sale**

**Village Wide Yard Sale** — Saturday, August 9, Galway Village.

## **Services Available**

**Two Spruce Pottery** — Handmade stoneware pottery by Nancy Niefield. If you need a gift, a dinner set or just want to know what is in stock, please call or email: 393-5011; nancy@twospruce.com

**Dream Ponies and Zoo** — Pony rides, buckaroo birthday parties and more. Owned and operated by Steve and Heather Parker. For information and for rates call 882-1654 or: [www.DreamPoniesAndZoo.com](http://www.DreamPoniesAndZoo.com).

**Child Care** — available in my NYS registered family day care home for infants through preschool. I have 20+ years of experience and a B. S. in Education, and I provide age-appropriate activities, preschool skills and socialization. Most importantly, I offer your child loving care in a safe environment. Call 882-5001 for information or an interview.

**Healthy Strong and Fit Personal Training Service** —Patty Matthews-Certified Personal Trainer, Nutrition Coach and Aroma Therapist. Do you like to exercise outdoors? Offering aquatic aerobics, stand-up paddle boarding, kayaking, spinning, core training, reformer pilates, etc. Meet other Galway women and have fun in the sun! Call for a free consultation: 641-8121.

**Sweet Briar Flower Shop** —Offers wedding consultations. Bring us your ideas and we will make them happen . Open 10am—3pm. Located at 1363 Hermance Rd., Galway. Call 882-5132.

## **Community Announcements**

### **Galway Public Library Book Sale**

— August 9, from 9am—1pm behind the library. This annual summer fundraiser offers a wide variety of books, media, and other items. Members of the Friends of the Galway Public Library may start shopping 1/2 hour early. Same low prices: Children's books .25; hard-cover books \$1; paperbacks .50; media (DVDs, CDs, VHS, 8-track tapes, etc) .50.

Visit the Galway Public Library's website at [galwaypubliclibrary.org](http://galwaypubliclibrary.org) to learn more about library programs and resources. There's still time for adults, teens, and kids to sign up for the Summer Reading Program. Have fun tracking your



reading, attend programs, and be eligible for a chance to win a Kindle! Registration and details on the homepage. While you're there, check out the New Building page!

*The Galway Get Together* seeks to help build a more cohesive and conservation-minded community through local trade and networking. The Galway Public Library is not responsible for the outcome of any exchange.



*Photo courtesy the Eagle View Farm's Website*

## **Where to find local blueberries:**

**Blueberry Hill Solar Organic Farm**, 2186 Alexander Rd., Galway. Pick your own. Call 859-6925 for hours and rates.

**My Other Garden**, 2197 Cook St. (just off Rte. 67), Charlton. Call 882-5416 for hours and rates. **Also, visit My Other Garden at the Galway Farmer's Market, Fridays, 3-6pm.**

**Eagle View Farm**, 2089 Route 29, Galway. Open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, 8-11am. \$2.20/lb.

**Arnolds Farm Fresh Produce**, 1319 Sacandaga Road, Charlton, open 10am–6pm. **Also, a vendor at the Galway Farmer's Market.**

**New Area Business: Galway Meadows Farm 2 Market**, 1525, Route 29, Galway. Specializing in farm fresh USDA approved beef, veal, pork, and chicken. Also sells local vegetables, bakery products and condiments. Call 522-5780.

**Corn is in** — Shop for locally grown corn, tomatoes, lettuce, onions, eggplant, squash and the full range of seasonal vegetables along with fresh fruits, preserves and condiments, baked goods and more at the **Galway Farmer's Market, Fridays 3-6pm.** Food vendors and music, too!



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**K-12 Back to School BBQ** — August 27, 5:30-7:30pm at the Galway Elementary School Pavilion. One-half chicken dinner for \$12 or a hot dog dinner for \$7. Food provided by Giffy's BBQ. Music by Legacy Live Audio. Contact Barb Agresta at 882-1291 x4240 to pre-order.

**Galway PTSA Dance Registration** will be held August 27, 5:30pm—7:30pm at the Joseph Henry Elementary School, during the Back to School BBQ. Classes will be offered Monday evenings, beginning September 8 for children four years old through 12th grade who reside within the Galway Central School District. For information, email: [ptsa\\_dance\\_gymnastics@yahoo.com](mailto:ptsa_dance_gymnastics@yahoo.com).

**Lake Desolation Fire Company's Chicken BBQ** — August 9 at LDFD Park at the lake. Event starts at noon; chicken served at 5pm. Tickets: \$20 for the all-day event. Lower prices for kids. For more information, call Aida at 580-0391.

**The Providence Volunteer Fire Department is looking for new members** to join their ranks. You are invited to drop in on any Wednesday night to learn more about fire service. There are many opportunities available. We are neighbors helping neighbors every day. The Hagadorn Station is located on Fish House Road, and the Barkersville Station on Barkersville Road, Providence.

**Barkersville Christian Church Son-Rock Kids Camp Vacation Bible School** — Monday, August 4—Friday, August 8, 6–9pm. Free to kids 3-13. Come and enjoy Bible stories, games, crafts, snacks, music, skits and prizes. **Walk-ins welcome** or pre-register at [barkersvillechristianchurch.com](http://barkersvillechristianchurch.com). Call 882-9854 for more information.

**The Greater Galway Food Pantry is celebrating its 35th year in operation!** The Pantry serves approximately 130 families residing within the Galway Central School District and the towns of Charlton and Providence. Open every Thursday from 10am - 7pm. Located in front of the Galway Lions building, East Street. Call 882-5426 for more information.

**Galway Seniors** are taking reservations for the following bus trips:  
Aug. 21—Sweet Dreams, Patsy Cline Tribute, the Log Cabin, Mass.; dinner of lobster, chicken and ribs.  
Sept. 17—Lake George Dinner Theatre, dinner and play, *Lake Effect*.  
Oct. 23 — Essex Steam Train and Riverboat. This is the only steam and riverboat connection in the country. To register or for more information, call Doris Hersey at 882-9903.

**Fish House Fish and Game Club, 3-D Archery Shoot and Pancake Breakfast** — Sunday, August 17. Registration: 7am-12pm. Located at 478 Fayeville Road, Providence. Entry fee for Archery Shoot is \$10 per archer; \$5 for children under 12. Breakfast with pancakes, scrambled eggs, potatoes, sausage and beverage, \$8 per person; \$4 for 12 years and under. Public welcome!

**Fish Fry Take Out or Drive Thru** — August 22, 3:30—6:30pm. West Charlton United Presbyterian Church, Routes 67 and 147, Charlton. Includes fish fry, coleslaw, roll, potatoes, beverage and dessert.

**Two Exciting Musical Events at the Cock n Bull Restaurant**, Parkis Mills Road, Galway:

**The Lonely Hearts String Band** August 14, 7:30pm — Combining instrumental virtuosity, 3-part harmonies, and a deep understanding of Bluegrass and Appalachian music.

**Miché Fambro** — August 15, 8pm — Performance includes selections from his latest recording, *Between You and Me*. Miché's performances fuse elements of flamenco, jazz, classical, pop and soul into a style all his own.

**Charlton Freehold Presbyterian Church will host their Annual Craft Fair** September 13, 9am – 4pm. If you have crafts to exhibit and sell and would like to join us, please call 982-5841 for more information.

**Saratoga PLAN Hosts Two-Part Peak to Creek Series: Guided Hike at Hadley Mountain -- August 2, 9am --** Family-friendly hike through some of Saratoga County's most scenic uplands. We will be climbing the Western Ridge, then head north to the summit to enjoy extensive views of Sacandaga Lake. Moderately strenuous hike of several miles over rocky terrain with some steep climbing. Sturdy footwear and hiking poles are recommended. Bring water and a lunch. Free.

**Guided Paddle on the Upper Hudson River** — August 9, 10am — A leisurely 5.5 mile paddle in canoe or kayak on a beautiful flat-water reach of the River. This section is dammed at both ends and boasts an undeveloped, forested shoreline. Please bring a PFD, appropriate paddles, sunscreen, bug spray, bag lunch and water. This paddle is capped at 10 boats so please RSVP to [devin@saratogaplan.org](mailto:devin@saratogaplan.org). Free and open to the public - donations always welcome. **For directions to both sites and more information, go to: <http://www.saratogaplan.org/newsevents.php>.**

