



# Galway Get Together

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

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Galway, NY 12074 Phone: 882-6385. [www.galwaypubliclibrary.org](http://www.galwaypubliclibrary.org).

**Annual Taste of Chocolate with the Friends of Galway Public Library** – Scheduled for October 18 at the Galway High School Cafeteria from 1 to 3 p.m. Chocolate delicacies can be purchased at the event, and you may purchase vouchers for tickets to be used at the sale in advance at the Galway Public Library and from members of the board of the Friends of the Galway Public Library. The advance voucher for tickets costs \$5.00 but is worth \$5.50 when used at the event (you pay for 10 tickets, but get 11!). Tickets at the door cost \$.50 each and there is no admission charge. Many chocolate treats will be available!

**Volunteer Opportunity** - The Friends of the Galway Public Library Board has an opening for a new member. All meetings are on the third Tuesday of each month except December when there is no meeting. The meetings are held at the Galway Town Hall beginning at 7pm and generally last about an hour. If you are interested in joining the board please contact Barb at 882-6621.

**Healthy, Strong and Fit Personal Training Service** – by Patty Matthews, Certified personal trainer, nutrition coach and aromatherapist. Let me help you reach your fitness goals and prevent injury. I will do a free consultation so you can meet me and find out if you have imbalances that will eventually cause joint damage. If the damage has already occurred I can also do pain management and rehabilitation. Meet others from Galway and join our group. Call 641-8121.

**Octoberfest Beer Tasting Presented by the Galway Lions Club and the Cock 'n' Bull** - Octoberfest will be held on Tues October 14 from 6:30 to 9 PM at the Cock 'n' Bull. Over 30 micros, imports, premiums and Johnston's wine will be served, as well as many delicious food options like kielbasa, chili and hotdogs (steamed in beer) and much more! Pre-sale only so get your tickets early! Tickets are available for a donation of \$25. For more information contact Ted Lovelass at 882-1811 or 882-9049 or Galway Lions at PO Box 244, Galway, NY 12074.

**Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake High School 32nd Annual Craft Fair** – October 18, 10am-4pm at the High School, Lake Hill Rd., Burnt Hills. There will be over 80 crafters/artisans, food, free admission and parking. For more information contact Tracy Lanni, Community Human Services, 399-4624.

**The Burnt Hills Oratorio Society needs your help!** Now through 10/15 purchase beautiful gardening products at [www.flowerpowerfundraising.com/campaign?campaign\\_id=20218](http://www.flowerpowerfundraising.com/campaign?campaign_id=20218) and 50% of the purchase will go back to Burnt Hills Oratorio Society. Read through the website to see how you can help today!



***Nature Notes:** New England Asters – Mary Perez - In the Northeast, and certainly in our little corner of it, we are blessed with spectacular autumns – courtesy of oaks, maples, beech and ash (to name a few), down to the purple glow of New England Asters blooming from late August until mid October. The beauty of these wild native plants is enhanced by the company they keep – varieties of lesser asters, the fleabanes, with daisy like flowers in white, pink, purple and blue, and the striking yellow Goldenrod – not to be confused with the allergy producing Ragweed.*

**Hagaman's 23rd Annual Art Show** - Will be held on Sat, Oct 4 and Sun, Oct 5, 2014 from noon to 4 PM at Pawling Hall 86 Pawling Street Hagaman, NY. Free admission & refreshments!

**Pulled Pork Dinner:** Oct 4, 4-7 PM at St. Andrew's Church, 50 Sacandaga Rd, Scotia, NY; Adults: \$10; Seniors: \$9; Children under 12, \$7. Call 374-8391 for more information.





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***Your community news, ads, announcements and photos are always welcome!***

## **Galway Get Together Welcomes**

**New Editors** - We are very pleased to welcome Julie Ford Pasioka as the new Editor of the Galway Get Together. Supporting Julie will be Deb LaBreche, doing layout and design, and Evelyn Hanna continuing her role proofing and broadcasting the newsletter to all who have subscribed. If you'd like to subscribe, just go to the Galway Public Library website: [www.galwaypubliclibrary.org](http://www.galwaypubliclibrary.org). Mary Cuffe Perez, former Editor, will be a contributing reporter. We are looking for other reporters to send us news from the community. If you'd like to join our team, please email: [galwaygettogether@gmail.com](mailto:galwaygettogether@gmail.com). Special thanks to Marge Prasek who has provided all the color printed copies for the newsletter, and to those who have distributed the printed copies throughout the community.

**Did you know?**- Local community organizations and businesses are welcome to submit a posting to the library's Local Directory on the Community tab of the library website.

## **The Galway Food Pantry -**

Servicing the entire boundary of the Galway Central School District along with Towns of Charlton & Providence for over 35 years! As a not-for-profit organization, the pantry helps to alleviate hunger and to aid people who are in need, especially those facing crises situations without regard to age, gender, ethnicity or

religion. We are open every Thursday from 10 AM - 7 PM (and on an as needed basis by calling 882.5426). We are also available to assist families in obtaining SNAP (food stamps), HEAP (heating costs), Section 8 (housing) benefits and more. We also loan out wheelchairs, walkers and crutches free of charge (up to 3 months). The pantry is housed in the front part of the Galway Lions building located on East Street next to the Galway Ambulance Corps. We are both honored and privileged to be serving this wonderful community!

**Please be advised** that the Galway Town Board will hold a 2015 Budget Workshop on October 1, 2014 at 6:30 p.m.

**Roast Beef Dinner:** The Charlton Freehold Presbyterian Church located at 768 Charlton Road, Charlton is having a Roast Beef Dinner on Saturday, October 4 from 4-6:30 pm. The cost of the meal is \$12 adults, \$5 for children 5-10 (free for children under 5). The menu includes Roast Beef, Potatoes, Vegetable, Coleslaw and a variety of Pies for dessert.

**Brush Pick-up in the Town of Charlton** - October 27-31. The Highway Department will be collecting brush throughout the town, with only one pass through per street. Please have brush on the roadside by October 26. Also, please have the cut ends facing the road. If you have questions, contact the Charlton Highway Department at 399-3425.

## **The Dockstader Charitable Trust**

announces a November 1 deadline for filing grant applications for projects that benefit the residents of the Galway Central School District. Not-for-profit organizations may apply. To receive more information or request a grant application form, contact Julie Roy at 882-9101. Applications are available at the Galway Public Library and in the library and school websites. Funds for the trust were provided in the wills of Galway Village residents, Clayton R. Dockstader and his wife Katherine Flickinger Dockstader.

## **Galway Central School**

### **Homecoming 2014 to take place**

**Friday October 3<sup>rd</sup> and Saturday October 4<sup>th</sup>.** Many sports events, the Eagle Landing ribbon cutting, a pancake breakfast, fireworks and more will be taking place. For more information call 882-1221 Mrs. Donovan ext 3314, Mrs. Wilday ext 3206 or Mr. Mulroy ext 3512. See the school website at [www.galwaycentral.org](http://www.galwaycentral.org) for a complete calendar of events!

### **Super Soup Sale - Save the date:**

Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. The Galway Emergency Medical Services will be holding its 4th Annual Soup Sale at their building on East Street. The sale will begin at 11:00 and run until sell-out. There will be a large variety of soups to choose from at \$5 a quart or \$9 for two.

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*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.