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Friends of the Galway Public Library Book Sale! November 15. This one will be held at the Galway Town Hall from 9:30am – 1:30pm

Are you planning to give books as gifts this holiday season? Galway Public Library is pleased to announce that Northshire Bookstore, 424 Broadway, Saratoga, has offered us a "book fair day" on Saturday, Nov. 8 from 10:00 am to 10:00 pm. This is their way of supporting local community initiatives. *Mention that you are there to support the Galway Public Library and 10% of your sales total will be donated to the library*. Your usual book shopping or holiday gift giving can make a difference for the library!

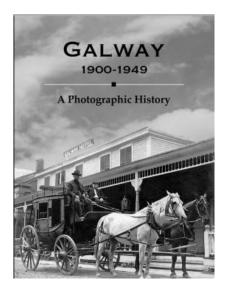
For Sale - Baby Corn / King snakes, 3 months old, nice colors, have shedded, eat thawed "pinkies," \$24.99 each; call 882.5426.

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Huge Estate Sale at the McKay's Home 3103 Galway Road, Ballston Spa 12020. Sat. Nov. 8 from 8 am to 3 pm. Photos will be available to view online along with more details on Wednesday, November 5th on the Resources page at www.onwardupward.com. Please call Laurie at 518-336-6112 if you have questions. **Galway Town Board meeting will be changed** from November 11 (Veteran's Day) to November 12, 7:30 at the Galway Town Hall.

Notes from the Oct. 14, 2014 Galway Town Board Meeting:

An update on the status of the Galway Public Library's proposed new building was given by two library board members who apprised the Town Board of the progress made and next steps to be taken. Through a grant, the library purchased property in the Village and has a significant sum already committed to the project, estimated to cost approximately \$3 million. Preliminary projection of a bond request for \$1.5 million is expected to be voted on at a referendum during the coming year. The plans for the library were based on community input from three wellattended public meetings. "We have considered all the steps," stated library board member Jim Hodsoll. The next step is an environmental review and determining the rate of interest on the bond the library will apply for through the Galway Central School District. The rate of interest on the bond, the change in operating costs, and the money raised preliminary to the referendum will determine the taxpayer's ultimate contribution, which will be publicized before the referendum. The public is invited to review the proposed plans displayed at the library.



The Galway Preservation Society announces the forthcoming publication of its newest book, Galway 1900-1949, A Photographic History of Life in the Town of Galway, Saratoga County, New York. The GPS plans to begin sales at the December 1, 2014 GPS meeting, which starts at 7:00pm and is open to the public. The GPS web site http://galwaypubliclibrary.org/gps/ will have more information about sales as it becomes available.

More notes from the Oct. 2014 Galway Town Board Meeting: A CDCHP representative outlined the benefits and costs of the recommended health insurance plan for the eight town employees who would be covered. The rate is actually reduced from last year; future increases are projected at 10-12%. The Board approved the plan.

Healthy Strong and Fit Personal Training Service by Patty Matthews RDH Certified Personal Trainer-Nutrition Coach and Aromatherapist 518-641-8121 Healthystrongfit@aol.com

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Send your news to: galwaygettogether@gmail.com Your community news, ads, announcements and photos are always welcome!

For Sale 2001 Heavy Duty Chevy Silverado 2500HD Double Cab: 100,300 miles \$8200. Call 281-7222.

Seasonal, part-time employment with the Polar Express train that

runs out of the Saratoga Springs train station. No experience necessary to apply but applicants must be enthusiastic and energetic! The train ride mimics the story depicted in the Polar Express book/movie. Contact Melanie Hartman 518-848-1604 rmzthartman@aol.com or Mark Salis salism@iowapacific.com 518-683-4628

The Burnt Hills Oratorio Society

will present *Salieri and Mozart: Of Myths and Men* on Nov. 23 at 3:00, at the Saratoga Springs United Methodist Church, 175 Fifth Avenue, Saratoga. See the website www.bhos.us for more information or to purchase tickets (\$20).

PTSA Book Fair – Oct. 30 - Nov. 7th with the Grand Event on Nov. 4th: Evening Book Fair 5:30-8pm coordinated by PTSA, EBT, BTA and beautification committee in the Elementary Gym. Help is always needed and accepted! Next PTSA Meeting: November 18th, 6:30 -Dessert Social and two special guests to present. Bring a dessert to share and be informed.

Volunteers Needed - The Greater Galway Food Pantry is in urgent need of volunteers to sub on any one of the four scheduled shifts every Thursday. "On the job training" will be gladly provided. Shift times are 10 am - 12:15 pm, 12:15 pm - 2:30 pm, 2:30 pm - 4:45 pm and 4:45 pm - 7 pm. If interested or want more info, please call 882,6990 Galway Holiday Food Basket Projects - Thanksgiving & Holiday / X-mas Food Basket Projects are now up and running. Completed family applications as well as blank apps may be returned and/or picked up at the food pantry on any Thursday between 10 am - 7 pm. If you may know of someone in need, please share this info with them. Call 882.5426 for more information.

Don't miss Over the Garden Wall,

mini series airing on Cartoon Network at 7pm, beginning Monday, November 3 and running for five nights to November 7. The series is a creation of former Galway resident and current Galway Lion, Pat McHale. Follow the link below for more information: https://pressroom.turner.com/us/carto on-network/over-gardenwall/cartoon-network-peeks-overgarden-wall#.VEAWwmd0zIW

The Town of Charlton announces the Saratoga County Veterans Service Agency will be holding their 3rd Annual Saratoga County Revolutionary Run for Veterans on Saturday November 8 at Ft. Hardy Park in Schuylerville. The run will benefit the Saratoga County Veterans Trust Fund. We are still looking for volunteers to assist on race day, and of course runners! Interested runners can register at the link below: https://runsignup.com/Race/NY/Sch uylerville/RevolutionaryRunForVeter ans

FROM THE EDITORS:

Chicken 'n' Biscuit Dinner – The Charlton Freehold Presbyterian Church located at 768 Charlton Road, Election Day, Tuesday, November 4th from 4-6:30 pm. The cost of the meal is \$10 adults, \$5 for children 5-10 (free for children under 5).

Harvest Ham Dinner & Country Store at the Galway United Methodist Church on Sat. Nov. 8, from 3:30pm – 6:30pm. Adults \$12; Seniors \$10; children 6 - 12 yr \$8; under 5 free. Takeout is available. Questions, call Debbie 882-6520 and leave a message.

Election Day Chicken & Biscuit Dinner and Bake Sale - Middle Grove United Methodist Church, Tues Nov 4 from 4-7pm. Eat in or take out available. Tickets \$10 adults, \$6 for children 5-10, children under 5 years old eat free! 429 Middle Grove Rd.

Town of Greenfield Historical

Society – Nov 18, meeting at 7 pm at the Community Center in Greenfield Center. Program: Mary Shartle will discuss her new book "The Truth and Legend of Lily Martindale," a novel about a woman living alone in the Adirondacks.

Town of Charlton invites residents to view current town news and official notice for the Budget Public Hearing and preliminary Budget for 2015 at the town's website: http://www.townofcharlton.org/pages/ CharltonNY

We're reaching more subscribers, & receiving more submissions, with each issue! The *Galway Get Together* is a completely volunteer, free resource, limited to one page - so please be aware we may need to edit submissions to fit, or hold until there's room. Thank you for your understanding, and for all your submissions!