



# 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.  
[www.galwaypubliclibrary.org](http://www.galwaypubliclibrary.org).

**Sixteenth Annual Rosie's Walk for Diabetes** 10a.m. Sept. 12 at the Galway High School. Walkers start at 10a.m. on a 3.8 mile route; runners at 10:30am on a 5.3 mile route. Run or walk & collect \$25 pledges to receive a tee shirt, refreshments and eligibility for trophies/prizes. **This year 1/3 of our proceeds go to the American Diabetes Assn, 1/3 to the Juvenile Diabetes Assn and 1/3 to community needs -- \$1,000 to the Power to Push project and the rest to local diabetes education & focus.** Advertise and support: Platinum Partnership for \$500 and Gold Partnership for \$250. Each sponsorship receives a logo on 150 T-shirts. Silver Partnership at \$125 will have day-of-event signage at two locations; and Bronze Partnership at \$75 will receive day-of-event signage at one location. Vendors may donate "in kind" prizes and refreshments – and anyone may contribute in any amount.

Please make checks payable to "Galway Lions Club" and send to P.O. Box 244, Galway, NY, 12074. Rosie's Walk sign-up sheets, Pledge Forms and Advertise and Support Forms: at local businesses or contact John Sutton 882-9630 (office) or 577-3975 (cell) [JohnS147@aol.com](mailto:JohnS147@aol.com); Donations are tax deductible.

**The Galway Preservation Society's book, *Galway 1900- 1949, A Photographic History of Life in the Town of Galway, Saratoga County, New York*** is still available for purchase at the Galway branch of BSNB for \$40.



Photo courtesy Sharyn Kalinkewicz

Above: Assemblyman **James Tedisco** and Library Board of Trustees president **Arlene Rhodes** at the library's property on East St, Galway, at the Sundae Social on August 23, 2015. The event was held to introduce the community to the site of the proposed new library building and to inform voters about the upcoming referendum. The library's New Building Page on the website [galwaypubliclibrary.org](http://galwaypubliclibrary.org) has FAQs and more about the project. **A referendum on the building project will be held on September 23 from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Galway Town Hall.** Please don't forget to vote! Your support is important!

**Come out and welcome the Evans family home** as they run down Route 147 through the Village of Galway on September 6 – Shamus Evans, 9, riding in his specially-built wheel chair pushed by his father, Shaun, will be passing through their home town of Galway as they continue their 3,200 run across America scheduled to end in New York City on September 1. Rachael Shrome, long-time friend of the Evans family, is urging everyone to come out and line the streets to support the family, as they come through Galway, with welcome home signs, banners and cheers. **While the family is not expected to be stopping as they pass through, they will be at the Cock n Bull Restaurant on October 4,** for a meet-and-greet for the family and the community.

Not just on the sidelines – Funds raised by the Evans family will support the efforts of the Ainsley's Angels of America group (learn more at <http://www.crowdrise.com/power2push/fundraiser/AinsleysAngels>), which works to include children with special needs in endurance events. Last February Shawn, who is an ultra marathon runner, spoke to the membership of Galway Lions about his journey which began on July 4 and his quest to not only make his own son's dream come true, but to make it possible for other children with special needs to join the race, rather than watch it go by.





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**Send your news to: [galwaygettogether@gmail.com](mailto:galwaygettogether@gmail.com)**  
**Your community news, ads, announcements and photos are always welcome!**

**Galway Seniors** meet the first and third Thursday of each month at the Galway Town Hall at 1:00. On September 17 the speaker is Pat Latimer, AARP Representative: *When is it Time to Stop Driving?*

**The Town of Greenfield Historical Society's POT LUCK DINNER** before the Meeting/Program at the Community Center in Greenfield Center. Sept. 15, 2015 at 5:30. Bring a dish to pass and your own place setting. Meeting starts at 7 p.m. There will be a MUSICAL PROGRAM BY JOHN KIRK AND TRISH MILLER after the meeting. Everyone welcome; you don't have to be a member to attend.

**West Charlton F.D. Golf Tournament** September 26<sup>th</sup> Pioneer Hills G.C. 9:30am Tee off. \$70.00 per player. Lunch at turn. Dinner and awards after. Prizes for: Longest drive; Closest to the pin; Low score; High score; Team ball; Craziest dressed; Putting contest; 50/50; And others! Contact: Capt. Steve Parker @ 775-3985

**Galway Players Youth Theatre** will hold auditions for our Fall musical production - *Bah, Humbug - Scrooge's Christmas Carol* on Sunday, September 13th, 2015 at 1:00 pm in the Galway High School auditorium 5317 Sacandaga Road, Galway, NY 12074. Performances will take place November 21st at 7 pm and November 22nd at 2 pm. The production will include 20 principal roles and an unlimited chorus. Children in grades 3-12 are welcome to audition. <http://www.galwayplayers.org/>

**The Galway United Methodist Church** will host its first annual **Golf Tournament** Sept. 19, 2015 at Pioneer Hills Golf Course, 3230 Galway Road, Ballston Spa. \$70 per player includes: 4 man scramble format; 18 holes of golf w/cart; hot & cold buffet. Door prizes, raffles, & prizes for first place, longest drive, closest to the pin. Registration 8:00; shotgun start at 9:00. Public is welcome to attend. More info: Bob Clute at 441-6022. Download a registration form from the library's community bulletin board page: [www.galwaypubliclibrary.org/community-resources/bulletin-board/](http://www.galwaypubliclibrary.org/community-resources/bulletin-board/)

**Healthy Strong and Fit Personal Training Service** by Patty Matthews Certified Personal Trainer, Nutrition Coach and Aromatherapist. Free Consultation- 518-641-8121

**Middle Grove Church Chicken BBQ & Pie Sale:** Sat., Sept 12 from 3-6pm (or until sold out). \$12.00 ticket includes 1/2 chicken, baked potato, coleslaw, roll, cookie & bottled water. Homemade Pies can be pre-ordered at 893-7662 or 893-7786 and be picked up on Sat., Sept 12 from 3-6pm at the church. Middle Grove church is located at 429 Middle Grove Rd. (corner of North Creek Rd & Middle Grove Rd.)

**Galway Boy Scout Troop 5 is celebrating 60 years of scouting** on September 19 from 2-5pm at the Galway Elementary School Pavilion. <http://galwaytroop5.org/>

**Galway Farmer's Market is open** on Fridays through September 18, from 3-6pm on Route 147 in the Town Pavilion.

**Free Rabies Clinic** September 15, 7pm - 9pm 4-H Training Center, Middleline Road, Ballston Spa. Cats in carriers 7 - 8; Dogs on leashes 8 - 9; Domestic Ferrets 7 - 9 in cage or carrier.

**The GGCSA Food Pantry** is open on Thursdays from 10:00a.m. to 7:00p.m. We welcome your donations of non-perishables, as well as fresh produce from your garden. If you have extra vegetables and cannot get to the pantry during open hours to donate, call 882-9884.

**Pilates:** 2 chances to increase your core strength and spinal flexibility at CDYMCA-sponsored classes in the Galway High School library on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:15 - 6:15. Participants need not be a member of the YMCA. \$45 for a six week session or \$10 per class as a drop in. Continuing Pilates for those with previous experience begins Mon., Sept. 21 and continues through November 2; no class on October 12. All Levels Pilates begins Wed., Sept. 30 and continues through November 4. Previous experience is not required. Both classes are taught by ESA certified instructor, Sharyn Kalinkewicz. Contact her at 882-9520 for more information.