

# From the City Manager Brandon M. Lovett

The long-awaited Route 5 Corridor Project is in the final design stage and is scheduled to be built in 2023. This project will be transformative for Pedestrian Safety along Route 5 between Sherrill Road and Betsinger Road.

The nearly \$8 million dollar Wastewater Treatment Plant upgrade project, which is the first major upgrade in nearly 40 years, is about 75% complete, and pending supply chain issues, we expect this to be completed in early 2023.

By this time, everyone should be aware of Oneida County's West Hamilton Ave. Bridge Project and the updates that have been shared on the City's Facebook page and via email. On August 3, 2022, Kevin Revere from the Oneida County Executive's Office provided Mayor Vineall with the following update:

**Week of September 26, 2022** – Bridge beams finish manufacturing.

**Week of October 10, 2022** – Contractor finishes bridge demolition work.

**Week of November 28, 2022** – Contractor finishes bridge construction.

**Week of December 5, 2022** – Road reopens to the public.

There are only four green waste collection dates left for 2022: September 12 & 26, and October 10 & 24. Homeowners may dispose of their green waste any time at the DPW Garage on Elmwood Place.

Curbside Leaf Collection will begin late October and continue into early November. Details on this will be made available on the City's website, Facebook, and via email.

Our Recreation Department, under the leadership of Barry VanDreason, continues to offer amazing community events and programs for all. The Annual Fall Touch a Truck event at the CAC will be on Columbus Day again this year, along with a parade that will feature the large trucks and equipment. The City teamed up with NFL Flag to offer a flag football program

for our youth which is set to kick off in September. Fall Fest is returning this year on September 17 and will feature live music, food trucks, Copper City Brewery and Fireworks. The City is also planning a variety of other community events. Details will be announced on the City's Facebook page, at Sherrillrec.com, on the City website and via email soon.

On behalf of the City of Sherrill I would like to congratulate former WWTP Superintendent Kevin Mumford on his recent retirement. Kevin served the city for over 30 years and was a great asset to the Community and helped to spearhead the WWTP upgrade project. Matt Stevens was promoted to Superintendent and is doing an excellent job for the City. Police Sgt. Shawn Platt has also retired, and Patrolman Joe Pruckno was promoted to Sgt. Thank you, Sgt. Platt, for your dedication and service, we wish you the best in retirement. Chad Murphy was hired to backfill Sgt. Pruckno's former patrolman position. Chad comes to the City of Sherrill from Camden and has 10+ years of full-time police experience under his belt. Welcome aboard Officer Murphy.

Wishing you a happy fall!

Brandon M. Lovett

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Police Department- Please note these numbers and use the correct one for efficient response.

Emergencies- 911 Dispatch- (315) 363-3200 Leave a message- (315) 363-6221

#### **Sherrill Police Department News**

- -School is back in session! Drivers should stop for all stopped school buses and be aware of children crossing the roads.
- -Studded tires are allowed October 15-May 1.
- -The "No Parking" on city streets ordinance resumes November 1-April 30 and applies to all streets 2-7am.
- -Please be aware of scams and do not send money or give out information unless you can verify the request.
- -Please remove all valuables from vehicles and keep doors locked.

#### **Sherrill Fire Department News**

Thank you to everyone who supported the lawn mower raffle and the Chicken BBQ! The fire department was able to purchase a new Flir thermal imager with the proceeds from the lawn mower raffle. This will help with firefighter safety and rescue efforts.

-Membership- The department is always looking for members! If you're interested in firefighting, EMS or scene support and are 18 years or older for adult membership, or 16 years for junior, visit the station during weekly Wednesday night drill at 6:50pm.

-House Numbers- Please look at your property to enure your address is clearly displayed. Emergency services like Police, Fire and EMTs, as well as utility companies, USPS and others rely on being able to identify your property by numeric address. It is also a requirement of the Property Maintenance Code which adopted by the State and enforced by the City. If you are missing your numeric address please repir or install, as soon as possible.



Replace Smoke Alarms Every 10 Years



Age matters when it comes to your smoke alarms. Check the manufacture dates on your smoke alarms today!







Look at the back of the alarm for the date of manufacture.







Put the alarm back on the ceiling or wall if it is less than 10 years old.



A closed door may slow the spread of smoke, heat and fire



Test smoke alarms at least once a month by pushing the test button.



If the smoke alarm sounds, get outside and stay outside. Go to your outside meeting place.



Install smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each separate sleeping area, and on every level of the home, including the basement. Larger homes may need more alarms. For the best protection, make sure all smoke alarms are interconnected. When one sounds, they all sound.



Call the fire department from a cellphone or a neighbor's phone. Stay outside until the fire department says it's safe to go back inside.

For more information about smoke alarms, visit usfa.fema.gov and www.nfpa.org.

# RECREATION





Tuesday September 13, 2022

Joey Fiato



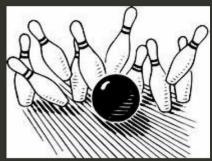








September 16, 2022 Sonic 2 CAC 7pm



Bowling Leagues and Open Bowling start after Labor Day email bvandreason@sherrillny.org

Youth Bowling Begins Oct.1st



# **NFL FLAG Arrives**



#### For all VVS boys/girls- K through 12th grade

- -Games: Sundays 45-50 minutes at Noyes Park -Games start September 18th - October 30th -Practice starts September 7th
- -Five on five
- -Easy commitment- meet twice a week

City of Sherrill Recreation Department Register at: https://sherrillny.myrec.com Have questions contact: Barry VanDreason-315-271-9062

## Pitch League starts







#### Trunk or Treat



October 29 th 1pm-3pm sherrillrec.com



October 28th
October 29th
October 39th



3 x 3 Basketball League Thursday's 7pm-9pm Nov. 3rd Halfcourt Games sherrillrec.com



Beat the Chief! 11/24-12/23 sherrillrec.com



CAC Craft Fair December 3, 2022

Questions email bvandreason@sherrillny.org

#### News from the Sherrill-Kenwood Free Library

We're now on Instagram! You can always visit us online at https://www.sherrillkenwoodlibrary.org/ and Facebook, too! Quote: "Happiness is having your own library card!" – Sally Brown, Peanuts



#### **Current Hours:**

Monday & Tuesday: 11am–4pm Wednesday & Thursday: 11am–7pm

Friday: 11am-4pm

Open Saturdays starting September 10 Closed Sundays and all federal holidays

Director's Note: I would like to thank everyone throughout the city for their very warm welcome over my first couple of months as the new Director of your library. Sherrill is a truly special place, and I'm grateful to you all for welcoming me with open arms and allowing me to be a part of the community. My predecessor, Mary Kay Junglen, worked tirelessly as leader of your library for the past seven years, and served nearly 25 years total here as a friend and helper before retiring on July 1. For many of you, Mary Kay simply is the library, and I will work to ensure that your library is still the same friendly, helpful place you've known it to be under her guidance. I'm very excited to be part of the next chapter in our library's story, and I hope that if you haven't already, you'll stop by to say hello, visit with our excellent staff, and see all of the neat things our library has to offer, including a park pass to the Rosamond Gifford Zoo (and all other Onondaga County Parks) and even snowshoes! See you soon! Best regards, Bill

Community Art Wall: Do you have a talent you'd like to share? Our Community Art Wall displays artwork in a variety of mediums, including paintings, ceramics, photography, paper cuttings, and more! We have recently showcased the some of the incredible work of Daniel Militello, and will host photography by Babette Jones in September and the talents of Pam Lynch in October. If you're interested in sharing your abilities with our community, please contact us!

Ongoing and Upcoming Programs: Please visit our website for our full list of programs, clubs, book discussions, art classes, and more!



September is National Library Card sign-up month! We encourage community members who do not yet have a library card to sign up. You will need a valid ID. Stop by the library to fill out an application or you can begin your library card application online using

this QR code. When you register online, you will receive a temporary barcode number that you can use to access online library materials. To receive your permanent library card,



visit our library to pick one up. Once you have your permanent card, you can check out items. A parent or legal guardian must co-register for a card with a child under 17, and is responsible for any fines incurred on the child's card.



Friends of the Library Used Book Sale: Friday, September 16, 4– 7pm and Saturday, September 17, 9am–12pm (bag sale starting at 11am) The Used Book Sale will be held at St. Helena's Church at

202 Primo Avenue. Materials may be dropped off at St. Helena's on Thursday, September 15 from 3pm-7pm, and Friday, September 16 from 9am-12pm. Discolored and damaged items will not be accepted, nor will encyclopedias, text/medical books and magazines. Please do not leave materials outside St. Helena's or the library. If anyone would like to help with the Book Sale, the Friends would gladly welcome volunteers. Please contact Nancy Carroll at njcarro@gmail.com or (315) 363-0432. Friends of the Library Meetings: Thursdays, September 22 and November 17 at 4pm. All are welcome!

**Save the Date:** The Friends of the Library Cookie Walk will be held the morning of Saturday, December 3!

#### **Sherrill Garden Club News**

The club began in 1956 and joined the Federated Garden Clubs of NYS in 1966. The purposes of the club are to offer educational programs on garden issues, beautify places in the community, and to model and teach conservation principles.

The club will meet September 6 at the Sherrill Library. After the business meeting Marilyn Findley, award winning arranger and Sherrill Garden Club member, will create a beautiful flower arrangement using flowers from her own and other members' gardens. The table decoration and refreshments will be prepared by Leroy and Val Scott who will also provide the Garden Topic and prize for the World Gardening drawing. On October 4, Michelle McNamara will present "All About Mums." Mums, or chrysanthemums, are herbaceous perennials in the daisy family and one of the most popular fall garden flowers. The table decoration, refreshments, Garden Topic and World Gardening prize will be prepared by Jo English and Fran Durant. The November 1 meeting will feature Kathy Chiarmonte from the Clinton Garden Club. Kathy wears many hats in District 5 of the FGCNYS, Inc. from editing the District newsletter, The Gleaner, to reporting on Bats, Bees, Birds and Butterflies, and coordinating the World Gardening program which is promoted by the National Garden Clubs, Inc. Kathy will explain and illustrate how our donations to World Gardening are bringing fresh water to people in Sudan and the Navajo Nation in the United States. Hostesses, Leneta Planck and Joyce Smith, will provide a table decoration and refreshments as well as the Garden Topic and World Gardening prize. The December 6 meeting will be a Holiday Party hosted by Jo English and Shirley Kristan. The

club will decorate two Christmas trees in the Sherrill Library, have an "auction" of wrapped items to raise money for the World Gardening program, collect items to be donated to a local DSO, and lastly celebrate the holiday season. The meetings begin at 6pm on the first Tuesday of the month and welcome people from the community who are interested in the meeting topic and want to learn more about the club. For more information, call (315) 263-7138.

Plymouth Alliance Church News
169 Kinsley Street, (315) 363-5642
Rev. Kurt Johnson

Sunday School, 9:15am for preKadults, Sunday Worship 10:30am

Mission Conference 2022, Sunday, September 18—Wednesday, September 21, Each night there will be different events. Everyone is welcome.

Wacky Wednesday at the Sherrill CAC, September 21, 6-7:30pm and then the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month through May 2023. A free dinner starts the night off at 6pm then our leaders play games with the children. Parents can stay or drop their child off and come back and pick them up at 7:30pm. Anyone in Grades K-6 is welcome.

Release Time- Beginning Thursday, October 13, 8—8:45am, This is our Religious Education Program for any student who attends E.A. McAllister School. Your child will learn a Bible lesson, sing songs & enjoy games before the school day begins. Grades K-6 welcome. You do not have to attend the Church to have your child attend.

Oneida Community Mansion House News



## Let's Communicate!

The City of Sherrill communicates with its residents in many ways.













#### Looking for information?

Check out our website: www.sherrillny.org

**E-Mail Blasts:** You can sign-up to receive e-mail notifications on our website. (located at the bottom of the home page)

Please note that this is a two-step process. Once you enter your email and submit, you will then need to confirm your email address.

We're on Facebook! Give us a like to stay informed.



#### **Looking for Parks & Recreation information?**

General information can be found on our website, however for more detailed information look no further than www.sherrillrec.com Once you create an account, this is literally your one stop shop for registering for programs within the City, as well as reserving parks & facilities.

And as always, just give us a holler we are but a phone call away!







City of Sherrill Offices (315) 363-2440

CAC/Recreation Office (315) 363-6525



# City of Sherrill WHITE GOODS COLLECTION 2022

Refrigerators, stoves, washers, dryers, etc. from a Sherrill residence will be picked up at the curb by City DPW Crews on **Wednesday, September 28, 2022** starting at 7:00 am.

White goods may be placed at the curb no earlier than 6:00pm on Sunday 9/25 and must be placed out no later than 6:00pm on Tuesday 9/27 to ensure collection.

Microwave ovens are NOT appliances but electronics and must be disposed of accordingly.

In order to schedule White goods pick-up residents must come to City Hall and pay for item(s) disposal and receive a collection sticker to be adhered to item(s). Fee schedule available at: <a href="https://sherrillny.org/departments/public-works/">https://sherrillny.org/departments/public-works/</a>

State law requires all doors be removed from refrigerators and freezers prior to placing at curb.



# please note

# curbside leaf collection







For Leaf Collection please place leaves curbside in the marginal strip between the road and sidewalk (where applicable).

Leaves shall <u>not</u> be placed in the road way or obstruct pedestrian traffic on a sidewalk or right of way.

Leaves shall not be placed near or around utility poles, guide wires, hydrants, vehicles, water shut offs, or any other obstructions.



thank you!



**Transfer Station Information**— The Transfer Station at the DPW is for Sherrill **residents only** and is open Saturdays 8am-1pm year round and Wednesdays from 4-7pm starting April 6, 2022 through October 26, 2022. **(Last night of Transfer Station is 10/26/22)** 

Fluorescent light bulbs, electronic waste & bulk items are not accepted at the curb but can be brought to the transfer station for proper disposal.

# REMINDER

### **HOLIDAY TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE**

Week of July 4th Monday

All routes delayed one day.

Week of Labor Day Monday Sept 5th

All routes delayed one day.

Week of Thanksgiving November 24th

All routes normal except Thursday and Friday is delayed one day.

Week of Christmas Sunday December 25th

No change in schedule.

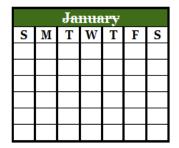
Week of New Years Sunday January 1st

No change in schedule.

Notice: Please place your bins out the night before holiday pickup, as daily pickup times may differ from your average schedule.







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#### RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION SCHEDULE

2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup> MONDAYS ONLY

April 11 & 25

May 9 & 23

June 13 & 27

July 11 & 25

August 8 & 22

September 12 & 26

October 10 & 24

Residents may NOT place green waste at the curb after Monday's collection date or prior to the Friday before the collection date.

Residents may drop off green waste at the DPW Garage on Elmwood Pl. anytime.

Please call the Sherrill DPW at 315-363-0370 if you have any questions.

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Days green waste can be put out to curb.

# **City of Sherrill** 377 Sherrill Road

Sherrill, New York 13461







**Waste Water Treatment Plant Upgrade Updates** 

MA Bonigiovanni Inc. have been progressing well at our WWTP. They are about 70% complete. As in the photos one of the final settling tanks covers have been reinstalled and put back in service while #2 was taken out of service to be rebuilt. The new UV unit is up and running as they construct the roof structure over it. The other pad and structure will be for the blower units to revamp the digester.

Green Mountain Pipeline has repaired and relined damaged sanitary lines in the city to help with infiltration to the sewer system. If you have any questions on how you can help with infiltration, which causes us to treat more than needed by moving sump pumps out of the sewer system and to a storm sewer system, we can help you find out if there is a storm line near you for this option. Feel free to call the Sherrill WWTP at (315) 363-2990.