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TULLY NEWS

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Message from the Supervisor

In our June 10, 2020 meeting, the Board approved the special use permits for the three NB Dev. Solar sites. We also held a public hearing on local law #3 to establish a Pilot (payment in lieu of taxes) which will be an ongoing source of revenue for 15 years for the town.

The Board also voted to open Green Lake Beach with designated restrictions. The opening of the Town Hall was discussed, and it was decided to continue with the "appointment only protocol" currently in place. I believe any and all needs are being met and therefore, we will continue with the "conservative" approach. The Justice courts are reopening with restrictions established by the courts.

We, however, hope to have the July Town Board meeting in the Town Hall, maintaining social distancing. Since the number of people admitted into the building will be limited, we will continue to stream via the Facebook account and if possible, Skype. Please see the town web site for details as this date approaches.

Please enjoy your summer and stay safe, John Masters

Green Lakes Reopening Information

Green Lake Beach will open on Saturday, June 27 and remain open until mid-August for Town of Tully Residents only.

Beach Hours of Operation- 12:00 - 6:30 pm daily (the beach will close from 3:00-3:30 each day)

- ◆ When the beach closes, all guests MUST exit the beach grounds.
- ◆ Lifeguards will do a deep clean of all surfaces and restrooms.
- ◆ The beach will re-open at 3:30 pm for a new wave of beach guests.

Green Lake will be operating under the new NYS Covid-19 Regulations:

- ◆ -Maintaining a 50% beach capacity, which means the beach will operate at (35) max beach guests.
- ◆ -6' of distance is required between individuals, except for members of the same household.
- ◆ -Any time individuals not of the same household/family unit are less than 6 feet apart from one another, they must wear a mask.
- ◆ -No large group gatherings (10+) of any size are allowed.
- ◆ -Groups are expected to maintain proper social distancing from other groups.
- ◆ -Social distance areas will be set up in the grassy area of the beach.

- ◆ -No games, or group activities are allowed.
- ◆ -Playgrounds, and beach sport activities are prohibited.
- ◆ -Deep water lap lane is closed, the diving board is open but restrictions will apply.
- ◆ -When the maximum number of guests (35) is reached, the beach will be closed and new guests will be allowed in as others exit.
- ◆ -Everyone must register upon arrival to the beach.
- ◆ -Restrooms will be open and cleaned every 15-20 minutes.
- ◆ -Beach is open to Tully Residents only
- ◆ -Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

We ask if you are feeling ill, have a sore throat, dry cough, body aches or fever, **PLEASE STAY HOME!**

Swim lessons will be addressed at a later date, if the beach staff feels comfortable offering lessons, they will be set up for mid-July.

Off-duty Lifeguards will help maintain social distancing rules, we ask the Tully Community to please follow all rules. If we can not maintain a safe beach we will be forced to close. NYS has set strict guidelines and it is our responsibility to follow them. We hope that the Tully Community is able to safely enjoy Green Lake this summer!

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News for the Tully Free Library

We just celebrated our 85th anniversary! Tully Free Library first opened its doors on May 15, 1935, and we are happy to have finally been able to open them again this month for curbside pickup. As we work with other libraries in the Onondaga County Public Library System to continue to add services, we want to thank our community members for their patience over the last three months. We are proud to serve this caring community, and hope you'll continue to have patience with us as we get used to a new way of doing things.

Currently, we are open for curbside pickup only. Please check our website, www.tullyfreelibrary.org, for hours and instructions. Book returns are to be made through our bookdrop only at this time.

Our staff has been meeting regularly to discuss programming, especially regarding Summer Reading, which begins on Monday, June 29th. We are happy to announce that we expect to have the Zoo, the MOST, and the Bubbleman performing for us virtually this summer! More details about these and other programs will be announced on our Facebook page and website soon. This includes teen and adult programming as well: we're looking into activities such as summer reading Bingo, virtual book clubs, and more!

Thank you, and see you at the library!

Tully Alumni News

Uncertain as to how the re-opening of banquet facilities will unfold, the Tully Alumni Association has elected to NOT hold the annual Alumni Event, originally scheduled to be held at Orchard Vali on August 18th. It was determined to also be unfair for those out-of-town Alumni that would need to make travel arrangements. It is hoped that perhaps an informal social gathering could be planned with no formal program or food planned. Look for further information in a future issue of Tully Town News.

Country Peddler & Twice Read Bookstore

It is planned to re-open The Country Peddler Consignment Shop and Twice Read Bookstore on July 7th. Masks will be required, as well as use of hand sanitizer. In following with opening guidelines, all persons entering either building must sign in. No Consignments will be accepted at the Peddler for the time being. Donations of books at the Twice Read Bookstore will be limited to 1 box or 2 bags per week. We look forward to seeing and serving our customers.

Milk and Produce Giveaway

Onondaga County Dairy Princess Sasha was helping hand out free milk at Tully High School on Tuesday June 16th!

Lots of families will have an opportunity to get their 9 essential nutrients thanks to all of the volunteers, and of course the dairy farmers that work 365 days a year to make sure the milk is always safe and nutritious!

Although traffic was a little backed up, everyone got through and received their food and milk. Thank you all.

