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TULLY NEWS

SERVING THE PEOPLE OF TULLY

In Memory of Hans Christopherson

In January, Tully lost a great friend and servant to the Town. Hans Christopherson, the chairperson for the Tully Planning Board passed. Hans had served on the planning board for over 20 years and was respected by all. His knowledge as a land surveyor and his love for our Town made his service invaluable.

Joe Puccia, who served on the Planning Board with Hans for many years, provided the following:

“A great Asset to the Tully Planning Board has been lost with the untimely passing of Hans Christopherson.

He was a professional land surveyor and maintained a professional and friendly attitude throughout his life. He provided the planning board with insight to up to date procedures regarding erosion control of worksites and clarification of conflicting property lines.

His opinions were based on knowledge, fairness, and common sense.

Along with other board members comments, I’m sure, the applicants were satisfied with plan review results.

The Planning Board wishes to extend its sympathy to Hans’ wife Amy for her great loss.”

Joe Puccia

Thank you, Joe, for your comments.

The Tully Town Board would also like to express our appreciation for Hans’ contribution and express our deepest sympathy.

Tully Town Board



Town of Tully Spring Clean-Up Day

Saturday, May 8th

9:00am to 3:00pm

Village Treatment Plant

Community Drive, Tully, NY

The **CLEAN-UP DAY** is **ONLY** for Village of Tully and Town of Tully residents. You must show proof of residency and accompany vehicle at drop-off site. Proof of residency must have your street address on it.

A Post Office Box will not be accepted as proof of residency.

NO PROOF OF RESIDENCY – NO DUMPING

All items must be less than 10 feet in length.

All oil, gas and antifreeze products, **which are not acceptable for disposal**, must be drained from tanks and equipment.

*****IF YOU HAVE UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS ON BOARD, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON SITE*****

WILL ACCEPT: Most General Rubbish, Appliances, Metal, **Computers (Flat Screens Only)**, Electronics, Lawn & Garden Waste, Vehicle Batteries, Empty Drums and Pails cut in half

Tires will be accepted off the rim at a cost— (Prices subject to change)

Please have the correct amount of money.

16-inch and smaller tires: \$3.00

17-inch and larger-truck tires: \$7.00

Large tires: \$25.00

Saturday June 26th, 2021

Otisco Lake

6:00 am—3:00 pm

13 & under class finalists awarded trophies! The first 50 kids registered get a free bag of goodies on the day of the event! Cash prizes awarded to the top 3 biggest Bass in the 14-17 class and the 18 & up class!

Print or download our entry form on our Facebook page or email us at THSFishTourney@gmail.com



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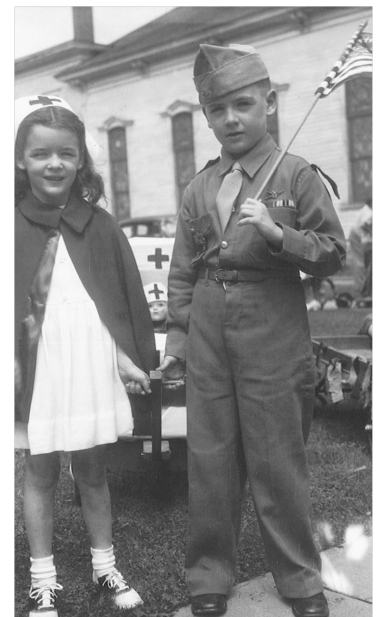
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Looking for Identity of Young People

The Tully Area Historical Society would appreciate learning who these young folks are. This picture was taken on Red Cross Day sometime in the 40's most likely; perhaps early 50's. It was taken on the lawn of the Baptist Church. There may have been a parade, as there appears to be a float in the background to the right of the young man, as well as a decorated golf cart behind the young pair. Please call 315-696-4681 with any information; or put a note on our website: tullyhistoricalsociety.org



TULLY ROTARY OPENS OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP THE ENVIRONMENT

Tully, NY — The Tully Rotary Club has begun several projects that are aimed at helping to improve our environment. Rotary Club Presidents Mary Ann Murphy and David Perkins, along with the Rotary Club Board of Directors and members have undertaken three interconnected projects that will kickoff on April 24th at 10am at the Quality Inn hotel on Route 80. All three projects that day are open to the public and a great way to make our community better for all of us.



First, the Tully Rotary Club will join with other Rotary clubs in the country for The Great Lakes Watershed Cleanup. Here, Rotary club members from several states will join forces to clean up trash, plastics and other littered items along lakes, streams and waterways that feed into the Great Lakes. Tully Rotary members will focus on Onondaga and Butternut Creek areas.

The Tully Rotary Interact Club, a service group made up of local teenagers from Tully, LaFayette and Fabius, will focus on cleaning up trash and debris surrounding the four corners in Tully. The teenagers are eager to help clean up our environment and help the community and have done Earth Day cleanups since the group was founded fourteen years ago.

Finally, the Tully Rotary Club has teamed up with the New York State Department of Transportation in the "Adopt-A-Highway" program. Tully Rotary Club members and Interactors will begin cleaning up trash strewn along Route 11 in Tully. The effort to keep that stretch of road clean will continue several times each year.

The Tully Rotary Club is excited to undertake these new efforts to help the environment, but we cannot do it alone. The Rotary club is always looking for new members to join and help improve our community. The Tully Rotary Club invites residents of Tully, Lafayette, Fabius and Otisco to join us for cleanup events on April 24th or join our regular meetings. To find out how being a part of our Rotary club can make you more effective and the world a better place, email us at: tully.rotary@gmail.com or message us on our Facebook page. Serve to change lives

“Peg” Bandy’s 100th Birthday Military Tribute

On March 27th Tully welcomed the celebration of “Peg” Bandy’s 100th Birthday, hosted by Honor Flight of Syracuse. Peg currently lives with her Son, Rick, of Tully. She is a lifelong resident of Central New York and was raised in Liverpool. At the start of World War II, Ms. Bandy enlisted in the Marine Corps. She conducted training at Camp Lejeune and was deployed stateside to support operations abroad. Ms. Bandy served as the only woman attached to the 10th Tank Battalion and marched at President Roosevelt’s funeral. She was awarded Good Conduct, National Defense, World War II Victory, and American Defense Medals. After the war, Ms. Bandy would become the first woman to be sworn in the Marine Corps Reserves in Syracuse. Ms. Bandy went on to work in the then “Women’s Department” at the Syracuse Herald-Journal and Herald American, where she met her husband Richard, who was also a Marine and decorated World War II veteran. Ms. Bandy’s brother, Robert, was killed in action during the war. She remained active in the community and in several veteran groups including the Marine Corps League and Salt City Women Veterans.

Commander Francis Conole formally read a proclamation in honor of “Peg” issued by the State of New York. The Liverpool VFW did a three-volley salute. This was followed by the playing of the Marine Corps Hymn and presentation of a wreath. Senator Rachel May and Assemblyman, Al



Stirpe spoke of their congratulations. County Legislator David Knapp read congratulatory comments from Congressman, John Katko. David also conveyed his sentiments and words of congratulations. Honor Flight then presented Ms. Bandy with an American flag, which had flown over the White House.

Traveling from as far away as Ithaca, the Patriot Guard Riders were also present.



News From Tully Free Library

Tully Free Library patrons can now sign up with Hoopla! Hoopla is a digital platform that allows users to borrow music, movies, audiobooks, ebooks, comics and TV shows. You can stream content or download it to enjoy later offline. We are excited to offer this service and hope you enjoy exploring it! Let us know if you have any questions.

Make sure to check out our Book Sale, going on now! We have lots of items available in fiction and non-fiction, for adults, teens and kids, all for free will donation.

April is National Poetry Month and we are holding events to celebrate! Friday, April 23rd is William Shakespeare's birthday, and we're celebrating with a Zoom Watch Party of "Twelfth Night." Wednesday, the 28th, our children's librarian, Mrs. Shepherd, is hosting a special story time, "Rhyme Time." Children of all ages are welcome! Teens and adults are encouraged to sign up for this month's craft night – "Creating Blackout Poetry." All supplies are included. Please register on our website for all these events; you'll receive the log-on link in your email.

We are delighted to have received a grant from Syracuse University to support our programming. With a theme of "Inspiring Invention Through Story," this grant is helping us to offer STEM activities for students in grades K – 6. These programs are by appointment only and will start soon. Contact the library at 315-696-8606 if you'd like more information on this programming, or check our website for more information.

You no longer need to make an appointment to come into the library for browsing. We hope to see you here soon!

Chicken BBQ

at Tully United Community Church Parking Lot; Sat., April 24th – 11:00 a.m. until gone. Pre-Order at: TUCChicken@gmail.com until 8:00 p.m. on April 23rd. Half Chickens, no sides.

PARKS and REC

The Tully Parks and Recreation Department is looking to fill an open board position. Anyone interested is asked to submit a letter of interest to:

Parks and Recreation Director - Ryan Dando (PO Box 536, Tully NY 13159 or emailed to tullyparksrec@gmail.com)

Tully MOO Run 2021

Saturday, June 12th

Race Starts at 9:00 am

Crooked Lake 5K Course

Look to register later this Spring - at www.active.com (search Tully, NY)

Tully Community Garden

Did you know that there is a vegetable garden right in the center of town (behind St. Leo's) that is open to all? It is planned, planted, harvested, and tended by a small group of devoted gardeners who take, for the price of their labor, whatever their family will use. Members can schedule gardening time whenever it is convenient.

Our crops for the coming year will consist of potatoes, onions, beets, carrots, radishes, tomatoes, lettuce, herbs, peas, broccoli, beans, eggplant, peppers, cucumbers, zucchini, yellow squash, spaghetti squash, butternut squash, leeks, shallots and garlic.

Being part of our local garden is a chance to eat fresh vegetables, meet neighbors, teach children about gardening, and help the environment by avoiding the packaging and energy used in transport. In addition, our crops are mostly organically grown, without pesticides and without fertilizer except for the compost provided by OCRRA.

We need new members to keep this project alive, and membership is FREE! To join, contact Kathy Vernay, kvernay@twcny.rr.com, 315-416-6629. Our gardening season starts in April and continues to the



Save the Date!



Saturday, May 22, 2021
4:00-7:30 pm (while supplies last)
@ Tully United Community Church

Tully Boy Scout Troop 62
Spaghetti Dinner
and
Silent Auction

- Includes spaghetti, meatballs & sauce, Italian bread, salad, and dessert
- \$10/meal (cash only)
- Drive-thru only

Proceeds will be used to help fund summer camp and other activities for the Scouts.

Please mention _____'s name when purchasing tickets.