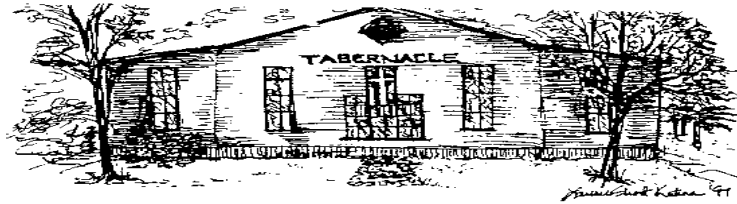


The Tabernacle Community Association's weekly *Information Sheet* can be picked-up in the TIP Corporation Office and in the TIP Post Office. There is NO DOOR-TO-DOOR delivery of the *Information Sheet* this summer. To access a digital copy of this *Information Sheet* and/or the updated TIP 2020 Community Calendar, please go to www.tiparkcorp.com and scroll down towards the bottom of the page.



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TABERNACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION *INFORMATION SHEET*

Time to turn your green 2020 TIP Community Calendar over to the August side! Print copies of the Calendar are available in the TIP Corporation Office.

CHURCH SERVICES, August 2nd

Church services in TIPark are held under New York State guidelines for re-opening: All persons must wear masks or face-coverings, and all persons must practice physical distancing by staying at least 6-feet apart. Hand sanitizer is available at all services. If you or someone in your family/household is feeling ill, please do not come to church services. There are many elders and multi-generational households in Thousand Island Park; they are especially vulnerable.

A Catholic mass will be offered in the Tabernacle on August 2nd at 8am, with Father LaBaff from St. Mary's. Attendance is strictly limited to 50% of the usual seating, and everyone must wear masks and practice physical distancing.

The 10am Protestant service on August 2nd will be at the Gazebo, with the Rev. Molly Macsherry MacWade preaching. Please come in your golf cart, or bring your lawn chairs or blankets; please wear a mask and practice physical distancing. Hand sanitizer and a basket for your offerings to support these church services will be available on the lawn.

NOTE: the Town of Orleans Food Bank in LaFargeville urgently needs canned goods, etc., to share with neighbors in need. Canned vegetables, soups, fruit cocktail, ramen noodles, saltine and graham crackers, and jams are especially desirable. A basket for food donations is in the TIP Post Office, and at the Gazebo on Sunday mornings. Please be generous!

TABERNACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION Chautauqua of the North

Friday, August 7th: Author Becky Farrell Ferrigno will speak on *Minna Anthony Common and T I Park in the Gazebo at 4pm*. Ferrigno is the author of *Blazing a Trail: The Story of Minna Anthony Common*, published in 2019. She will be talking about her research on Minna Anthony Common, and copies of her book will be available for sale. This event is co-sponsored by the TIP Tabernacle Community Association and the Friends of Rock Ridges Nature Trail.

Tuesday, August 11th: Preservationist Katie Eggers Comeau will lead a Talk & Walk on "*Porches of TIP, Round 2, starting at the Gazebo at 2pm*". Katie will do an overview on porches and then lead participants on a walk/golf cart drive to view actual porch architecture in the Park. This event is co-sponsored by the TIP Tabernacle Community Association and the TIP Landmark Society.

Chautauqua of the North events are underwritten with mini-grant support from the TIP Foundation.

TABERNACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RECREATION PROGRAM

Your annual contributions to the Tabernacle support these FREE sports and recreation programs.

The Tabernacle's 'Morning Rec' program continues at 9am on weekday mornings, with Coach Win Price and his Youth staff, on Reinhardt Field at the Four Corners. All Morning Rec staff members are wearing masks and special t-shirts. In order to be NYS compliant, all spectators **MUST** also wear masks and be spaced at 6-foot or greater intervals. **PLEASE** send kids with an identifiable water bottle. Children should wear masks; all children must provide contact information for their parents/guardians. The Rec staff is supervising two levels of play, with both soccer and kickball! Please encourage smaller children to play in the Younger Kids' game, while older kids are playing in a separate game. Hand sanitizer is available before, during, and after games; equipment is disinfected before, during, and after games.

The Adult Power Walking class, with Coach Cheryl Zulick, is on Monday mornings at 8am, starting from the Wellesley Hotel porch for physically-distanced power walking with stops for functional fitness exercises. Coach Zulick also leads an Adult Total Fitness+ class on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:30am, outside in the Upper Pavilion and on the Lower Green. Participants must bring their own masks, yoga mats and hand weights. Hand sanitizer will be provided, and physical distancing is required. The Fitness+ class is also available via Zoom; to participate via Zoom, please email Coach Zulick <cherylzulick@gmail.com>.

THOUSAND ISLAND PARK LIBRARY

The Library is open! In order to keep the community safe and healthy, we are limiting our building capacity to no more than 3 patrons at a time. Everyone must wear a mask, observe physical distancing, and use the hand sanitizer by the front door upon entering the building. There is curbside pickup for patrons who are not comfortable with in-person services; we sanitize high-touch areas like doorknobs, require staff to wear masks, and quarantine library materials for 96 hours after they are returned to the drop box on the Library porch. There is a story hour in the Gazebo on Mondays and Fridays at 10am. All ages are welcome, and yoga mats are available or bring your own towel or mat; story hour is weather-dependent, with a 15-child limit. Children should be masked. The last 2020 story hour will be on Friday, August 14th.

Don't forget the *Friends of the Thousand Island Park Library's* virtual Pie Sale! There are three ways that you can participate: 1--through our PayPal account which can be found at the cherry pie button on the library's web page at <tiparklibrary.org>, or 2--send a check to the Library's post office box at Unit #239, 42822 St Lawrence Ave, TIP NY 13692, or 3--put your check in the special donations 'ballot box' in the TIP Post Office.

THOUSAND ISLAND PARK LANDMARK SOCIETY

London Hainsworth, the Landmark's 2020 summer intern, will be hosting a *Crash Course on Victorian Architecture* on Wednesday, August 5th at 7pm at the Gazebo. Please bring your mask and your lawn chair or golf cart. The Landmark office is open on Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from 11am to 2pm. Check out the new additions to the resource library, research information on your cottage, and purchase TI Park items for sale. Landmark Society members are invited to stop in for a pack of Michael Ringer Pavilion notecards. The community is invited to stop by the Landmark's front porch at any time to see the second installment of this summer's "Celebration of Porches in TIP" exhibit *Porches, Piazzas, and Verandas: Architectural Elements*. You are also reminded that Landmark volunteers may be taking photos and notes about your cottage in the coming weeks as they try to complete the National Register Update Survey. If you have questions or want to volunteer, email <tipregistry@gmail.com>.

FRIENDS OF ROCK RIDGES NATURE TRAIL

The Rock Ridges "Explorer Packs" for family use on the Trail will still be available for sign out at the Gazebo between 11am and noon on Friday morning, July 31st, to be returned (or swapped for a different bag) on the following Friday, or dropped off in the TIP Post Office. All bags are sanitized between sign-outs. Please note that the TILT Kids Camp has been cancelled on August 7th.

COMMUNITY NOTES

- **L'Atelier** art studio on the Wellesley Hotel porch welcomes kids for crafts on Tuesday through Sunday afternoons from 1:30-4:30pm. For information or to register your child, contact Nia Gillett (call/text 585-282-2088 or email <lateliertip@gmail.com>)
- The **TIP Marina** (315-486-0384) is open seven days a week, from 9am to 5pm.
- The **Guzzle** (315-955-3049) is open seven days a week, from 11am to 8pm.
- The **Wellesley Hotel Bakery** (315-482-3698) is open six days a week, from 7:30am to 9pm (*closed on Wednesdays*).
- The **Wellesley Hotel Restaurant** (315-482-3698) is open Friday, Saturday, and Sunday evenings for physically-distanced dining on the porch and in the hotel. Hotel lodging is available through September 13th.
- There are **NO Tabernacle Movies** and **NO Densmore Church** concerts this summer.

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The Tabernacle Community Association is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit charitable/educational organization, which provides community activities for you and your family each summer. Your contributions are tax-deductible: please send your generous annual donations to the TIP Tabernacle Community Association, 42822 St. Lawrence Ave–Unit #75, Thousand Island Park NY 13692, or drop it in the wooden box in the TIP Post Office.

Remember that you can support any or all of the seven TIP non-profit organizations by popping your check(s) into the new wooden 'ballot box' on the wall in the TIPark Post Office. Now is a great time to support your TIP Tabernacle, TIP Library, Rock Ridges Trail, Landmark Society, TIP Museum, TIP Yacht Club, and TIP Foundation.

Practice the three Ws: Wear a face covering; Wash your hands frequently; Wait six feet apart. If you or someone in your household has arrived in TIPark from any of the following 36 "hotspot" states, districts, and territories, please observe a 14-day quarantine before attending any events and activities in the Park. As of July, these states are AK, AL, AR, AZ, CA, DC, DE, FL, GA, IA, ID, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MD, MN, MO, MS, MT, NC, ND, NB, NM, NV, OH, OK, PR, SC, TN, TX, UT, VA, WA, and WI. <<https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory>> Thank you!