This is the final *Tabernacle Information Sheet* for the summer of 2025. You can pick up a copy in the TIP Post Office, the Corporation Office, the Guzzle and the Library. It is posted in the triptych kiosk at the Four Corners, and is available digitally on the TIP Corporation website at *www.tiparkcorp.com*.

Ellen Detlefsen, Editor/Publisher



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TABERNACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INFORMATION SHEET

CHURCH SERVICES, August 31st

A Catholic mass will be offered in the Tabernacle on Sunday, at 8am. There is NO Protestant service at 10am; you are welcome at the 8am Mass in the Tabernacle, or at the 9am service at the Fineview United Methodist Church or at the 11:15am service at the Episcopal Church of St. Lawrence in Alexandria Bay.

If you are getting to the end of your summer stay in TIP, please remember that there are baskets for your contributions of <u>unopened</u> canned goods, paper products, personal hygiene supplies, etc., for Gwen's Pantry, the Town of Orleans Food Bank in LaFargeville, which definitely needs your donations. Baskets for donations are in the TIP Post Office; Tabernacle volunteers will take your contributions to the Food Bank. The volunteer-run food pantry is a project of the Town of Orleans Council of Churches, and it currently supports 90+ needy households in the Town!

TABERNACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RECREATION PROGRAMS

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

The Tabernacle's regular 'Morning Rec' program ends on Friday, August 29th

A round of applause for the Tabernacle Recreation Director Win Price, Assistant Coach Benny Brown, Tennis Coach Dalton Munson, Art Camp Director (and Stretch 'n Sit leader!) Nickie Foley and the members of the teen staff for Morning Rec and Art Camp--THANK YOU ALL SO VERY MUCH!

Chautauqua of the North Concert & Block Party

WIN PRICE & FRIENDS!

Sunday, August 31st, 6pm to 8pm, at the Four Corners

This FREE end-of-the-summer concert is a "food raiser" to benefit the food pantry in LaFargeville; we plan to fill an SUV with items for the food bank in the Town of Orleans. Please bring your canned goods or boxed items or cleaning products, etc. St. Lawrence Avenue from Rainbow to Oak will be blocked to all vehicles—NO cars, golf carts, bikes! Bring your lawn chairs! A limited number of special handicapped-accessible parking places for golf carts will be available near the Chapel for those requiring it.

This Tabernacle Community Association concert is underwritten with mini-grant support from the TIP Corporation.

TABERNACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION **VOLUNTEERS**

We celebrate and thank the 60+ individuals and families who volunteered at one or more of the many Tabernacle Community Association events during the Sesquicentennial Summer of 2025!

Ali Ross, Ann Reininger, Avery Palma, Beth Adams, Beth Brasser, Beth Weldon, Betty Nichols, Brasser Family, Brenda Carhart, Chip Reynolds, Chris Palma, Christina Nemec, Clifford Family, Cochran Family, Crystal DelGuidice, Debbie Boland, Ethna Henrichsen, Glenda House, Jane Scanlon, Jean Ris, Jeff Pennington, Jenni Werndorf, Jennie Waldron Moore, Jim Brown, Joan Scherdin, Joe Thibodeaux, Joe Vay, John DelGiudice, Josh de Cesare, Karen Monna, Kathy Grajko, Kevin Monna, Libby Evans, Linda Foster, Marie McAllister, Marie Vayo-Greenbaum, Marjorie Snelling, Mark Greenbaum, Mary Beth Vay, Mary Langan, Marylin Shaikh, McKenzie Carhart, Mike Stedem, Morgante Family, Nick Nichols, Nina Brown, Patty Bartfay, Patty Cherry, Paulette Roux, Rick Gefell, Rita Gefell, Rob Gefell, Ruth McKenzie, Susan Nelson, Sam Dean, Sid Foster, Stedem Family, Steve Baker, Steve Ris, Susan Casciani, Tegan Palma, Tommy Mintel, Valerie Roux, Vera Costello, Windsor Price Jr., Zach Dean.



Annie In The Water

A Labor Day Saturday Dance Party and a fun concert to enjoy with friends and family in the best concert venue, and on the new Tabernacle stage.

With Special Guest, Emilie Cardinaux

Save \$ with adv sale tickets at rivertakemehome.org

THOUSAND ISLAND PARK LIBRARY

The TI Park Library will be open on Friday, August 29th and Saturday, August 30th, as usual. Winter borrowing begins on Saturday. There are also BONUS September Saturdays when the Library will be open, on September 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th, from 9am to 2pm. Remember that the TIPark Library is a member of the North Country Library System and books signed out from the TIP Library can be returned to any NCLS member library.

LANDMARK SOCIETY

Thanks to all who supported the TIP Landmark Society through membership, participation in events, Victorian Photos, and purchases of the two newly published books that both keep the history of TIP alive as we celebrated 150 years, and the Sesqui Merch depicting artist work submitted in 2024. We will be calculating the amount of Sesqui Merch profit on sales to make the donation to the Tabernacle Restoration Project as announced this summer. As we close out this Sesquicentennial season, we are beginning to plan the Cottage and Garden tour that will be held on Thursday, July 23, 2026. We are looking for volunteers to help with the tour, both in planning and on the day of the tour. We will need docents, golf cart drivers, greeters, and lunch support. Let us know either at Landmark, or by reaching out through our email: tipregistry@gmail.com. The Landmark Shop will be open Friday and Saturday of Labor Day weekend from 11am-2pm. Stop by to ask about your cottage, or to SHOP for those off-season gifts! Depending on our volunteer staff, we may have some extra hours into September. A sign will be posted on the door to alert you of additional hours.

FRIENDS OF ROCK RIDGES NATURE TRAIL

The Friends of Rock Ridges would like to thank the community for your participation and donations this Sesquicentennial year! We hope you enjoyed the trails, the Treehouse and programs and we look forward to exploring our beautiful trails with you next year. The Friends of Rock Ridges hosted more than a dozen special events and classes this summer that were attended by over 200 participants. Be sure to visit the Treehouse before you head home for the season. The finishing touches have been completed, including memorial plaques celebrating our major donors. We welcome your suggestions for programming next year. Please consider a season's end donation to help support our work. You can give via the "Donations" box in the post office, or online at tiprockridges.org. Thank you for your support and enthusiasm this season!

TIPCOA: TIP COTTAGE OWNERS ASSOCIATION

TIPCOA will hold its end-of-the-season board meeting on Saturday, August 30th, at 9am, in the TIP Chapel. TIPCOA members are welcome to attend the Board meeting.

COMMUNITY NOTES

The Community Composting drop-offs end on Monday, Sept. 1st. You can contact them at *TIPCompostcoalition@gmail.com* to learn how you can participate in 2026. You can turn in your green can, thank them, and admire their handiwork beside the Corporation Barn on Monday, September 1st, from 10am 'til noon.

Water off date is Tuesday, October 14th.

- TIP Security: (315-215-2851)
- > TIP Corp. Office: Mon. to Fri. from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM; Sat. 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM (315-482-2576).
- ➤ TIP Community Calendar: <u>www.tiparkcorp.com</u>

<u>THE GUZZLE</u> Open 6 Days (Closed Mondays) 8:00 AM to 8:30 PM. Kitchen closes at 4:00 PM. Open through September, but with a reduced schedule.

<u>THE WELLESLEY HOTEL RESTAURANT</u> Dinner service $\sim 5:00$ PM to 9:30 PM, Tues. to Sat. Dinner will be served through September, but with a reduced schedule. Sunday Jazz Brunch with LCO $\sim 10:00$ AM to 1:00 PM. The last Sunday Bruch is 8/31! End of Summer Soirée Sept. $\sim 7^{th}$ from 2 to 5 PM Featuring THE SHADOWS! An afternoon filled with great music and elegant bites

Have you made your annual contribution to the Tabernacle this year? What does the Tabernacle Community Association do? We provide this weekly *Information Sheet*, the Morning Recreation program every weekday, the Friday night family movies at the Tabernacle, a program for food contributions for the local food bank, church services on Sundays, the Tabernacle Choir, the Arts & Crafts show, the Kid's Art Camp, the July 4th flag raising, the 'Chautauqua of the North' lecture series, the Summer "Rummage" Sale, and the TIP Triathlon. All of these activities happen because the Tabernacle Community Association brings them to you and to the Park. The Association depends on you to support these activities with your donations of dollars and volunteer time. Our primary sources of funding are your donations, the Summer 'Rummage' Sale, and small grants from the Town of Orleans (for youth activities) and from the TIP Corporation (for the Chautauqua of the North events). Please think about all the good stuff that the Tabernacle Community Association does each summer, and give generously. The TIP Tabernacle Community Association is a registered 501(c) (3) not-for-profit charitable/educational organization, and your contributions are tax-deductible! We also qualify for employer matching programs. Please send your donation directly to this POSTAL ADDRESS: TIP Tabernacle Community Association, PO Box 362, Wellesley Island NY, 13640, or put your envelope in the locked "ballot box" on the wall in the TIP Post Office.

Post Office.	
Name:	
TIP address:	Email address:
Winter address:	
Donation: \$100 \$200 other	r.
I'd like to volunteer for a Tabernacle Community Ass	sociation activity in 2025:
July 4 th Kids Parade & Carnival	The TIP Triathlon
Arts & Crafts Show & Sale	Tabernacle Church Services & Choir
The Summer "Rummage" Sale	The Weekly Information Sheet
The 'Chautauqua of the North" events	The Food Bank
Kids' Art Camp	The Friday Night Movies
I have an idea for a new or different Tabernacle activ	vity in 2026: