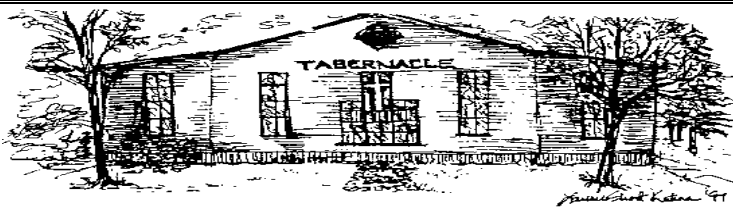


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TABERNAACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION *INFORMATION SHEET*

TABERNAACLE CHURCH SERVICES

A Catholic mass will be offered in the Tabernacle on July 19th at 8am. The preacher at the **10:30am** Protestant service is Elder Bill Porter, from the Park Central Presbyterian Church in Syracuse NY. Th Tabernacle Choir rehearses with Interim Music Director Diane Ames on Thursdays at 10:30am in the TIP Chapel and gathers at 10am on Sundays in the Tabernacle for a brief run-through session at 10am. All are welcome—just show up!

TABERNAACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RECREATION PROGRAM

KICKBALL every Monday through Thursday morning at 9am and Fridays at 9:30am

SOCCER on Mondays and Wednesdays at 10am and Fridays at 10:30am

SOFTBALL on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am

TENNIS instruction on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10am-noon, on the front tennis courts.

TABERNAACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION SUMMER (“RUMMAGE”) SALE

Saturday, July 18th, at the Corporation Barn, 9am to 11am [note: new hours!]

NO EARLY BIRDS, please. The 2026 sale features wooden and wicker furniture, a large number of bicycles, kids’ toys, linens, sporting goods, pictures and frames, kitchenware, glassware, lamps, and party stuff, etc. There is a “Treasure Table” with antiques, River and Island memorabilia, and special art pieces; there will be a silent auction with special bid items, and there are additional items in the popular “Make Us An Offer” section. A half-price sale occurs at 10am; bids close at 10:30am, and a bag sale ends the event at 11am! All purchases must be removed upon purchase, cash or checks only. No credit cards!

Bid items include an elliptical stepper, a pair of Henredon chairs, a round table with 6 chairs and 2 leaves, a wooden “hired man’s bed,” a painted bureau with mirror + 2 glove boxes, an ice cream cafe table with 2 chairs, a wicker plant stand, a tall corner cupboard, a rattan chair, a wooden storage bench, a wicker chair, 2 kayaks, and a glass top wicker table with 2 chairs.

TIP NON-PROFIT COALITION

Thanks to all who joined the COMMUNITY BURGER ROAST! Special shout out to the Guzzle and Wellesley Hotel who donated the burgers for the event. Thanks to the Griller Team and all the volunteers from the Coalition who helped with the set-up, collecting donations, and clean-up. Win Price's mic and speaker were a great addition this year. And, thanks to everyone who brought the delicious shareables. We also extend thanks for the donations of the rolls and condiments from local businesses. The community raised \$745.00 for Gwen's Pantry in LaFargeville.

THOUSAND ISLAND PARK LANDMARK SOCIETY

Congratulations to the WINNERS of the first TIP History and Trivia Night who received Guzzle Bucks prizes! 1st Place: Virginians, 2nd place: Del Roux, and a tie for 3rd place: NYC and Bonnies. A special thank you to the Nemec family for providing the popcorn machine and popcorn that made the evening even more enjoyable.

Don't miss the 20th COTTAGE AND GARDEN TOUR: "Let's Eat! Kitchens, Dining, and Picnics Through the Years" on July 23rd. Morning and afternoon tours will feature five cottages and one boathouse! Tickets may be purchased at Landmark or on our website at tiplandmark.org.

Please join us on July 22nd from 5:30-7pm in the Wellesley Hotel Garden for our Member Event and Thank You. This special gathering is open to all TIPLS members and also serves as an opportunity to thank the many volunteers, homeowners, and supporters who make the Cottage and Garden Tour possible.

ILLUMINATION NIGHT on July 25th is right around the corner! Lanterns and LED lights will be available for purchase while supplies last, so shop early to ensure you have what you need to shine bright!

The Landmark Shop and Resource Center is open Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from 11am to 2pm. Stop by to browse new merchandise, research your cottage, or find out information about upcoming events.

THOUSAND ISLAND PARK LIBRARY

The Library is open Monday/Wednesday/Thursday/Friday, 9am-4pm; Tuesday/Saturday, 9am-2pm, with Story Time for ages 3-5 years on Mondays and Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:30-10:30am (capacity is 15; must be potty-trained OR accompanied by an adult), and Kids' Club, for ages 6+, from 11am-12noon (capacity is 12). Thank you to all of the pie bakers and pie buyers that made the annual Friends of the Library Pie Sale and delicious success! Tickets for the TIP Library Fish Fry (sponsored by Lots O'Leaks) on August 8, 2026, at 5pm are available in the Library. Don't wait to get yours...only 150 tickets will be sold.

FRIENDS OF ROCK RIDGES NATURE TRAIL

On Friday, July 17th at 10am, Rock Ridges is presenting Dive into Aquatics. Wear water shoes and bring a towel and meet at the Treehouse at 10am. On Thursday, July 23rd, the Campfire theme will be a Pioneer Evening. Make “Brown Bears” for dessert and listen to tales; meet at the Firepit at 6:30pm. On Friday, July 24th there will be a scavenger hunt along the Trail—meet at 10am at the Treehouse.

TIP MUSEUM

Despite a hot start, slightly cooler days have brought a large number of people to the Museum on the Wellesley Hotel porch. The Vivekananda display has expanded, plus we have a number of new artifacts including Yacht Club flags, a Red Comet Fire Extinguisher, and binders of new photos and post cards. The Museum is open every day from 11am to 3pm (4pm on Fridays and Saturdays). Although we have several adult volunteers, they are supported by our paid youth docents. Our newest Youth Docent is a 6th-generation River Rat from the Isle of Pines. Her great-great grandfather was a contractor for the building of the bridge. Visit the Museum and she can also tell you about the time Meat Loaf visited her family’s island. Our docent Wilson is our Westminster expert, but his years of experience at the Museum make him an expert on all River history. Please help us continue this program that allows us to teach our young people about the history of our River by teaching them how to teach us.

🎸 CONCERTS IN THE TABERNACLE 🎸

Featuring Loren Barrigar with Special Guest Jay Lesage
Friday, July 24 at 7:30 PM

Looking for the perfect summer night? Join us for an unforgettable evening of acoustic music featuring two of the most engaging and talented musicians on the scene today. **Loren Barrigar**, joined by his son **LJ**, brings masterful finger-style guitar in the tradition of Chet Atkins and Tommy Emmanuel. Together, this father-son duo delivers a heartfelt tribute to timeless favorites — from George Harrison to Glen Campbell — reimagined with warmth, virtuosity, and soul. Opening the evening is **Jay Lesage**, a captivating pianist-vocalist whose sound blends soul, sophistication, and storytelling. His voice moves effortlessly between smoky intimacy and soaring clarity, bringing rare emotional depth to every song. 🎫 Tickets start at just \$25 — grab yours now at rivertakemehome.org, as seats for this special evening are sure to go fast!

COMMUNITY NOTES

Densmore Church Concert at 7pm on Sunday night, July 19th: Jay Nash, in concert!

Composting: contact them at TIPCompostcoalition@gmail.com for more information. Free compost buckets for your cottage are available, and the regular drop-off of food waste is on Mondays between 10am and noon.

Recycling: drop off your returnable New York State bottles and cans can in the blue barrels on the trailer parked by the Corporation Barn (near the back tennis courts!); refund \$\$\$ benefit the TIP Playground.

- **TIP Security: 315-215-2851**
- **TIP Corporation Office: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-4pm; Saturday, 8:30am-noon (315-482-2576)**
- **TIP Gas Dock: Open seven days a week, from 9 am - 4 pm**
- **The Guzzle: Tuesday-Sunday, 8 am - 9 pm. Closed Mondays (315-203-2166)**
- **The Wellesley Hotel: Dinner service 5pm – 9pm Tues-Sun; Sun Jazz Brunch, 10am - 1pm; Closed Mondays. Reservations via *OpenTable*. <https://www.opentable.com/r/wellesley-hotel-restaurant>**

Support the Tabernacle Community Association! Mail your check to the **Tabernacle Community Association** at its POSTAL ADDRESS: **PO Box 362, Wellesley Island NY 13640**. *You can hand an envelope to Coach Win at Morning Rec or drop an envelope directly into the locked wooden “ballot box” on the wall in the TIP Post Office OR use the Tabernacle Community Association’s new QR code!*

Contributions for any of the eight TIP 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organizations—the Tabernacle Community Association, the Library, the Landmark, the TIP Museum, the TIP Library, the Yacht Club, the Friends of Rock Ridges Nature Trail, Atelier, and the TIP Foundation—can be dropped into that wooden community ballot box—no postage needed!

