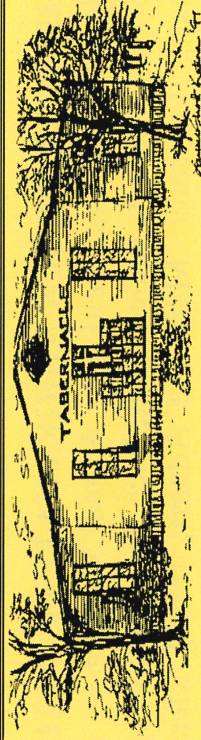


This is issue #9 of the Tabernacle Community Association's *Information Sheet* for 2026. *There is NO house-to-house delivery in August!* Copies of this issue can be picked up in the Corporation Office, the TIP Post Office, the Guzzle, and the Library. To access a digital copy of this *Information Sheet*, go to www.tiparkcorp.com; look at the bottom of the page for a link to a PDF for the issue.



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TABERNAACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INFORMATION SHEET

CHURCH SERVICES

A Catholic mass will be offered in the Tabernacle on August 23rd at 8am. The **10:30am** Protestant service is the annual celebration of **MUSIC SUNDAY**, *with a special message for the Tabernacle community from the Rev. JIM BROWN, delivered in absentia* by Ellen Detlefsen. There will be lots of singing as we celebrate the great work of the Tabernacle Choir under the able direction of Interim Music Director Diane Ames. You don't want to miss this end-of-the-summer service!

If you are getting to the end of your summer stay in TIP, please remember that there are baskets for your contributions of canned or boxed goods, paper products, etc., for the food pantry in LaFargeville; the baskets are available at the Sunday services in the Tabernacle, and in the TIP Post Office. The need is great!

TABERNAACLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RECREATION PROGRAM

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

- KICKBALL on Monday through Thursday mornings at 9am, and at 9:30am on Friday
- SOCCER on Mondays and Wednesdays at 10am, and on Fridays at 10:30am
- SOFTBALL on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am

CHAUTAUQUA OF THE NORTH 2026

The Chautauqua of the North is a free August series of concerts and talks organized by the Tabernacle Community Association, and made possible by a mini-grant from the TIP Corporation

♦ CLASSICAL ORIGINS: ROME and TI PARK

Thomas Nemec
Colgate University

Thursday, August 27th, 4pm, TIP Chapel

♦ WIN PRICE & FRIENDS, IN CONCERT!

A "Foodraiser" End-of-Summer Concert & Block Party

To benefit Gwen's Food Pantry, LaFargeville

Sunday, September 6th

6-8pm, TIP Four Corners

Please bring canned goods, condiments, and paper goods, etc.!

FAMILY-FRIENDLY MOVIE NIGHTS AT THE TABERNAACLE

The next two Tabernacle Community Association Family Movie Nights are on **Saturday, August 22nd**, and **Saturday, August 29th**. More information about the movie will be posted at the playground kiosk, and on Facebook. Admission is free. Concessions (including popcorn!) will be sold throughout the movie (cash only).

THOUSAND ISLAND PARK LIBRARY

Story Hour and Kids' Club are over for the season! Beginning on August 26th, the Library will have modified hours. From Wednesday (8/26) through Saturday (8/30) the Library will only be open from 9am to 12 noon. Stop in to see Mary Popovich who will be holding down the fort from Thursday to Saturday while Jean attends her niece's wedding in Minnesota.

FRIENDS OF ROCK RIDGES NATURE TRAIL

The Friends of Rock Ridges Nature Trail held their Annual Meeting on August and elected their officers and board members: President: Anne Gillett; Vice President: Crystal DelGuidice; Secretary: Tammy Leonard; Treasurer: Mary Pat Adams; Board Members: Ellen Detlefsen, Heather White, Chris Brown, Jen Coon, Nickie Foley, Sara Miller, Karen Monna; Ex Officio: Marie Vayo-Greenbaum, Renee Waterbury, Rob Gefell, Penny Partlow; Trail Maintenance: Rob Gefell and Joe Vay; Education: Heather White and Renee Waterbury; Website and Media Outreach: Sarah Miller, Ellen Detlefsen, David Finger; Publicity: Nickie Foley and Jen Coon; Advisors/Special Projects: Ed Gillett, Chris Brown; Volunteer Recruitment: Jen Coon. Your gifts to support the Trail and the Treehouse can be left in the donations box in the TTP Post/Security Office, or by visiting our website at www.tiprockridges.org. Thank you!

LANDMARK SOCIETY

This week we say thanks and goodbye to Juliana Keicher who has been our Summer Educational Coordinator. Juliana hosted a Cottage Research Workshop on August 12th. The materials that Juliana organized are available at Landmark for you to find out more about your cottage. We wish Juliana a successful junior year at the SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry (ESF) in Syracuse. Now that it is August, why not learn more about your cottage and neighborhood utilizing the detailed Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps, which show all of the cottage and commercial and community structures in the Park from 1905, 1914, and 1924? The maps are in our resource center at the Landmark. It's not too late to join or renew your membership at Landmark, or to stock up on those items that remind us of TTPark in the off season! Pillows, books, notecards, ornaments, the Union Ave. print, and more! The shop and resource center will be open Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from 11am to 2pm. We are still in need of a few volunteers to help us keep our doors open through Saturday of Labor Day Weekend. Please consider helping out!

COMMUNITY NOTES

- The **Densmore Church Concert** is at 7pm on August 23rd. singer/songwriter Brand Gould.
- **Recycling:** Drop those NY State returnable bottles & cans in the barrels on the trailer parked by the Corporation Barn (nearby the back tennis courts!). No sorting or washing needed! Refund proceeds support the TTP Playground.
- **Composting:** contact them at TTPCompostcoalition@gmail.com for more information. Free compost buckets for your cottage are available; the regular drop-off of food waste is on Monday mornings, 10am-noon behind the Corporation Barn. Volunteers are always welcome on Monday mornings!
- **TTP Security:** 315-215-2851
- **TTP Corporation Office:** Open Monday to Friday 8:30am-4pm; Saturday 8:30am-12 noon (315-482-2576)
- **Gas Dock** at the Pavilion: Monday through Friday, 10 am to 2 pm; Saturday, 9 am to 3 pm; closed on Sunday
- **The Guzzle:** Open 6 Days (Closed on Mondays), 8am–9 pm. (315-203-2166)
- **The Wellesley Hotel Restaurant:** Dinner service 5pm–9pm Tuesday-Sunday; Sunday Jazz Brunch, 10am–1pm; closed on Mondays. Please use OpenTable for reservations!

The TTP Tabernacle Community Association is a registered 501(c)(3) not-for-profit charitable/educational organization, and your contributions are tax-deductible! What does the Tabernacle Community Association do? We provide this weekly *Information Sheet*, the Morning Recreation program every weekday, the free family-friendly 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 July 4th flag raising, the 'Chautauqua of the North' series of talks and a concert, the Summer "Rummage" Sale, and the TTP Triathlon. All of these activities happen because the Tabernacle Community Association brings them to you and to the Park. 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 TTP 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. Please send your donation to our POSTAL ADDRESS: **TTP Tabernacle Community Association, PO Box 362, Wellesley Island, 13640**, or put your envelope in the locked "ballot box" on the wall in the TTP Post Office or use our new QR code found on the TTP Non-Profits brochure. We are grateful for your support!