



## From the Supervisor: Good News/ Bad News/New News

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We will start with the good news. We have completed, and paid all of our contractual expenses associated with our new highway facility. Our final voter approved budget was 3.2 million. The good news is we have completed the project under budget ( not by much, but it is under ! ) I would like to compliment; John Greeley and Steve Robson ( Highway Department) Jeff Palin and Mark Chambers ( Project Engineers from C & S Companies) and Thomas Chartrand ( Town Accountant ) for doing an excellent job managing the largest municipal project in our history. This team proactively saved money by analyzing every dollar that was spent on this taxpayer funded project.

Next of course is the bad news. While undergoing remediation efforts at the old highway facility two environmental hazards were identified:

1. There is asbestos in the building. This is specifically located in the ceiling located between two roof sections in the garage area. This will be

- remediated properly through a certified abatement contractor.
2. During initial soil sampling petroleum residue was discovered in some areas in less than 12 feet of soil. Not surprising for this type of facility that was in use for 60 years. However, due to these results it will be necessary to notify and work with the New York State DEC. They will determine the course of action we will need to take to be in compliance with their recommendations. This will not be an easy or quick process, and unfortunately it may result in additional cost associated with this type of project. I will keep you updated as developments continue.

**New news:** We have a new board member joining our team. Kerry Evans has been appointed to fill my previous board position that came open after elections. Kerry has lived in the LaFayette area for 17 years. She is married to Steve Evans and has three children in school. Kerry has a Doctorate Degree in School Psychology and is an Assistant Professor at OCC. She is involved in many community organizations and will make a great addition to our team.

# From the Town Supervisor cont'd

**More new news.** There has been a lot discussion regarding the recent report from the Consensus group on municipal consolidation. For your convenience I have posted the report on our web site at [www.townoflafayette.com/concensus-report.html](http://www.townoflafayette.com/concensus-report.html) or located under the About tab on the main navigation bar. There are two versions; an 8 page summary and the full version at 83 pages. I would recommend reading the full version as it provides additional perspectives and rationale. A reminder that this report is from an independent

advisory group with no official or legal authority. The report is concept based, not detailed based, thus once you are done reading it you may have more questions than answers. They have included a public commentary time period and public meetings are being conducted. I would encourage you provide feedback via e-mail or by attending one of the public meetings. This information can be found at [www.consensuscny.com](http://www.consensuscny.com) .

[lafayettesupervisor@cnyemail.com](mailto:lafayettesupervisor@cnyemail.com)—**Andy Ohstrom**  
Town Supervisor

**ALMOST**  
 **1,000**  
**LIKES**

*We are almost there. We are very close to having 1,000 fans. Make sure you like the Town of LaFayette's facebook page to receive news, reminders, event announcements. Please feel free to contact us if you have an event for your organization that we can help promote.*

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# From the Highway Superintendent



**H**appy Spring Residents. The mild winter so far has allowed the Department to perform maintenance on summertime equipment in preparation for ditching and brush pick-up etc.

Thank you to all residents that dropped off Christmas trees for our recycling program. The trees will be ground into mulch and offered to residents "for free" starting May 7 th.

**Upcoming dates to remember:**

- "Earth Day" - April 22nd & 23rd. The Highway Department will accept trash that has been picked up by registered groups Friday until 3pm and Saturday 9 am to 2 pm. Please notify Highway Department if you have an area you would like us to pick up.
- Brush Pick-up: April 3rd – April 15th – All brush must be at roadside no later than the 15th.
- "Town Clean-up Days" - May 7th - 14th

Saturdays 9 am – 4 pm  
Week-days Noon – 6pm  
Closed Sunday.  
More info available as we get closer...  
Questions ? 677-9535



[johnlafhighway@yahoo.com](mailto:johnlafhighway@yahoo.com)

—**John Greeley**  
Highway Superintendent



# From the Town Clerk



Our Town has lost many young people. This is a part of the Eulogy I said at the service for Roger McElhannon. I am sharing it with you because it speaks about our Town and what wonderful people reside in LaFayette.

"Most recently and tragically we lost our dear friend, Ted Amidon, who coincidentally built Roger and David's "Man cave/ Barn that they loved. We have lost Sharon's sister, Sue Dodge, the Aungier family lost three members... Shannon, Leanne and Cole, along with Jessica, Meg Paige, MaryJo, Brittany, Kimberly, Janay, "Cookie" as his friends called him, and others whom were taken at young ages to be together in heaven.

Lately, I've heard several times, "what is going on in LaFayette?", "this Town is cursed" "maybe we should get out of here". I am pretty sure many other towns have had their share of tragedies also, but, I am not convinced that other towns react in the way LaFayette people react. This Town bonds together whether it's an illness, a sudden tragic death, a funeral, or a benefit for someone in need. That's what LaFayette is all about.....For that, we should all be proud.

**TRASH / RECYCLING** For missed pick-ups, please contact Feher directly at (315) 422-0715. The hours of pick-up may vary between 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM

**HOLIDAYS THAT INTERRUPT TRASH SERVICE** Memorial Day, 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's Day. If the holiday falls before your pick up day within that week, **pick-up is delayed one day**. Any new customers or change in grade of service level must be done by calling Minnie Dancks at **683-5679**.

**Dog Licensing** Just a reminder; **"ALL DOGS MUST BE LICENSED"**. You have the option of licensing your dog for one to three years now. The cost per year is \$8.00 for spayed and neutered dogs and \$20.00 for unsprayed and unneutered dogs. **Dog Control Officers: Ken Johnson (315) 263-1000 and Mike Johnson (315) 663-6378**. If you have any questions or situations involving a dog, please call dog control. If you have a concern regarding wild-life animals, you may call (607) 753-3095. If you see any suspicious/strange acting animals (possible rabies) please contact the Department of Environmental Conservation Police at (315) 426-7431.

**RABIES SHOT CLINICS/ONONDAGA COUNTY HEALTH—**  
**see Upcoming Events Calendar back page**

**Handicap Parking Permits** Forms for both temporary and permanent disabilities are available at your Physician's Office and the Town Clerks Office. Once completed by yourself and your Physician, we will also need a copy of your Driver's License in order to issue your Handicap Parking Permit.

**Marriage Licenses** To obtain a Marriage License, you will need the following information: Birth Certificate , Picture ID (Driver's License), Certified copies of any past divorce or annulment papers, \$40.00 fee (check, money order or cash) and completed and signed informational form. (Please stop in during the Town Clerk hours, call or email [lafayettetownclerk@cnyemail.com](mailto:lafayettetownclerk@cnyemail.com) and I will get them to you ahead of time. You may also access them at [www.townoflafayette.com](http://www.townoflafayette.com). The license will take effect 24 hours after it is issued and it is valid for 60 days.

**Facilities Rentals** If interested in using the Community Center or Pavilions at Stafford Park, please make your reservations early, as these facilities book up fast. The deposit is \$50.00 for Stafford Park and \$60.00 for the Community Center. The rental also remains at \$100.00 for residents and \$250.00 for non-residents and businesses, excluding non-profit.

**Questions???** *Answers to most questions, forms or information you may need can be found on our website at [www.townoflafayette.com](http://www.townoflafayette.com), or email me [lafayettetownclerk@cnyemail.com](mailto:lafayettetownclerk@cnyemail.com); or my deputy, Kristin Colburn at [lafayettedeputytownclerk@cnyemail.com](mailto:lafayettedeputytownclerk@cnyemail.com) or call (315) 677-3674. We are happy to help assist you in anyway needed.*

**PASSPORT REQUIREMENTS** Application forms are available on-line at <http://travel.state.gov>, or may be picked up at the Town Clerk's Office. Passports can be processed at the Town Clerk's Office during regular office hours. ***Please call to schedule an appointment to process passport applications.*** **What to Submit with your Application:** Proof of U.S. Citizenship (i.e. Birth Certificate); Proof of Identity (i.e. Driver's License); One recent 2" x 2" passport photo. Fees: \$135.00– U.S. Dept. of State (If 16 or older) \$105.00 – U.S. Dept. of State (If under 16) checks or cash.

Coming soon—Dump Days May 7-14 and Shredding Day May14th. Look for all details in May newsletter.

Please be save, happy, health and kind!

—Jackie Bush Roorda—Town Clerk

# From the Parks Department

The mild winter, so far, has been a boon to those who enjoy using the recreation path.

Warm temperatures and low snowfall have made the task of keeping the path clear much easier this year and has resulted in it being "open" several days. Please keep in mind that when the path is deemed to be hazardous due to ice or snow, or if inclement weather is expected, the path will be "closed."



The open/closed status of the recreation path is communicated via signage at the park and through social media (Facebook). Signs indicating whether the

path is open or closed are posted at the entrance to Stafford Park's three parking areas and at the entrances to the recreation path from the parking areas. Please observe the signs and do not use the path when it is "closed" – consider taking advantage of the Community Council's indoor hall walking program at Grimshaw School, weekday evenings 5-8 p.m.



**REMINDER: ALL dogs are REQUIRED to be on a leash at Stafford Park. Please clean up after your dog – waste bags and a disposal receptacle is located in each section of the park.**



—Dave Prince  
Parks Department

# Court Corner

Winter weather, along with bad driving conditions, is upon us. Please be mindful of the road conditions and other drivers around you. We all want to get to our destinations safely. Remember the **Move Over Law** is in effect, which means you have to move over safely to the other lane whenever you see an emergency vehicle performing their duties on our roads. This is a 2 point violation if you don't.

Our hours are 9:30-12:30 & 1:30-5:00pm Monday-Thursday. We are closed on Fridays. Our phone number is (315)677-9350. Our fax number is (315) 677-4622.

**Please visit our webpage for answers to most questions: [www.townoflafayette.com/court.html](http://www.townoflafayette.com/court.html)**

Court nights are every Wednesday starting at 6:00pm. Evictions are also on Wednesday at 5:30. Please call court to schedule. District Attorney nights are the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month starting at 5:30pm. After we schedule your appointment, a confirmation letter will be sent to you.

District Attorney requests can be mailed to:

**LaFayette Town Court**  
PO Box 135  
LaFayette, NY 13084

***When you come to court you are expected to be dressed in presentable attire.***

***Remove your hats.***

***Turn your cell phones off.***

***A sign in desk with instructions is located upon entry into the court.***

**DID YOU KNOW:** There is a posted speed for our school zones. It is important that you follow the speed restriction as this is for the safety of our children and the school buses. The fines and points are considerable if you don't. You also don't want to cause unnecessary injury to our children or our school buses.



Please stop for school buses and watch out for our children!

**-Carleen, Debbie & Katey**

# LaFayette Public Library

Imagination Lab events for March. Registration is not required but appreciated so we know how many to prepare for:

3/2 - Dr. Seuss Day!

3/9 - Rainbow Science!

3/16 - Lego Leprechaun Trap Challenge!

3/23 - Let's Make Origami!

3/30 - Fun 8with Engineering!

Tuesday tea – March 15– 2-4 p.m. Tea/coffee and cookies. Bring your book club, or your knitting, or a good book and relax

We have an ongoing teen book club that meets at 6:00 on Tuesdays. The first book scheduled for March is “Ophelia and the Marvelous Boy” by Karen Foxlee.

Hope you can join us!

As we mentioned previously, in addition to the student art that we have on display the Lafayette library is looking to celebrate the artists in our community. We would like to display your pieces of

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art around the Library. Bring your art (paintings, drawing, pottery, etc.) to the library with a name plate. This is an ongoing display. Come visit the library to see the talent of others in the community.

We would like to shout out to County Legislator Dave Knapp for getting the LaFayette Library additional funding for technology, so we can continue to provide a valuable to our patrons.

A reminder that we have a children’s computer that has over 60 educational programs on it. It is very popular and we encourage everyone to come and use it.

As always, we are constantly updating our collection, whether it is print, audio, or video. Come on in and “check out” the collection (pun intended).

We continue to offer computer training for our patrons. This is a one on one session by appointment only. Please call 677-3782 and ask for Scott to make arrangements.

Connect with us at: <http://lafayettelibrary.org/>

—Scott Kushner



Pictured are Scott Kushner, Library Director and Dave Knapp, County Legislator along with new computers with funds secured by Dave Knapp for technology.

It's story  
**TIME**  
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Wednesday

10:30 am– 11:30 am

Thursday 6:30—7:30

# From the LaFayette Optimists

Well, it's been an unusual Winter weather wise but it's business as usual for the Lafayette Optimists. We elected a new slate of Officers to oversee the club for the new year. In keeping with the great traditions of our company we managed to have a change in power without bloodshed. I would never reveal the inner workings of the club to the general public but I will say we have a great representation of our Town in our membership. It's not about your religion, net worth, how many kids you might have, political affiliation, color etc...for the Optimists it's about your commitment to the kids and the community.....emphasis on the kids.

That's why our activities are usually youth oriented , and local and our Crown Jewel , as it were, is Stafford Park. Last fall we finished installing the exercise area and we are reviewing lots of ideas for further improvements.

We dropped the Winterfest this last season and replaced it with the Second Annual 7th and 8th Grade Boys Basketball Lafayette Optimist Invitational Tournament . The event was very well attended again and money was raised again and contributed to two separate local families in need. At that age the kids have great attitudes and energy and it was a very positive event all the way around. Sure there were winners and losers but handling that is an important life lesson. We had certified counselors available free of charge for any child or adult who needed disappointment counseling or low self esteem therapy. Furthermore we arranged for empathy ceremonies before and after each game. And , of course , verbal cheering and clapping were banned as well but ghost clapping was permitted as long as it wasn't sustained and no more that three people in a row were involved in the activity. You could have up to 5 people in two rows or on the diagonal. Hey, I'm just pulling your leg here...had you going for a while there didn't I? It was a great event and the kids had a good time and that's what matters.

Upcoming for the Optimists are the Dictionary Giveaway project ..the best part is getting the thank

you letters from the little kids. They are touching to read. We sponsor the Oratorical Contest held at the High School in March as well as the Fishing Derby in May and the Bike Rodeo in June.

Again to highlight the nature of our club we also arrange a spring cleanup at the Stafford Park where the members gather to pick up trash, clear brush, weed whack the creek area , move mulch and otherwise get the park ready for the Spring. This is hands on muddy stuff and we have a great member turnout to get things done.

Let me close with another line from the Optimist Creed. Promise yourself to be just as Enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your

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as you are about your  
own”*

own. Success is not binomial. Basketball is binomial. There is one winner and one loser. We can both be successful. Just because someone else is successful doesn't mean you can't be successful as well. Luckily there is

no finite amount of success or love to go around. We Optimists like to believe that anyone in this great country with hard work, luck, skill and persistence can be successful. And in that equation skill is the smallest factor. Celebrating the success of others does not undermine you or cost you and hopefully will inspire you onward and upward to your own success. The great Zig Ziglar said it best “ Your attitude, not your aptitude, will determine your altitude.” Now get out there and prove me right!

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**—Joe Barry  
Secretary, LaFayette Optimist Club**

# LaFayette School District Sports Hall of Fame



There is an ongoing effort to establish a First-Ever LCS Sports Hall of Fame that is working towards inducting the first class in Year 2016.

The purpose of the Hall of Fame is to assist in maintaining the rich heritage and tradition of excellence in the athletic programs at the LaFayette Central School District. In addition, it will serve as a means of recognizing, preserving and honoring the athletes, teams, coaches and individuals / contributors who have made a significant contribution to these athletic programs.

The inaugural Hall of Fame (HOF) Committee is a collaborative effort that includes former LCS Alumni and the LaFayette School District.

The HOF committee is seeking nominations for consideration for this initial class of inductees. Nominations will be due no later than April 1, 2016 and should be sent to:

**Attn: LCS Sports Hall of Fame**  
**LaFayette Central School District**  
**5956 Rte. 20**  
**LaFayette, NY 13084**

*Deadline April 1, 2016*

Individual Athletes, Teams, and individuals who have made significant contributions may be nominated in the following categories:

**Class**

**Player**

**Coach**

**Contributor**

**Team**

**Posthumous Candidate**

## Nomination Instructions

The person(s) nominating an individual or team should supply the LaFayette School District Sports Hall of Fame Executive Committee with the information on the Candidate Recommendation Form. A detailed explanation should be provided as to why you believe this individual or team should be inducted into the LaFayette School District Sports Hall of Fame. Your explanation should reference all sports played or coached and any awards, records, or recognitions garnered while a student, coach, special contributor, or team at LaFayette Central School. Please include any relevant post high school athletic or coaching activity of your nominee's candidacy. Be as accurate and specific as possible.

Please contact: Mr. David Knapp, LCS HOF representative @ [dknappmb@aol.com](mailto:dknappmb@aol.com), 315-558-0154, or Mr. Jerry Kelly, LCS Athletic Coordinator / LCS HOF representative @ [jkelly@lafayetteschools.org](mailto:jkelly@lafayetteschools.org), or 315-677-3087 to assist with any questions that you may have.

—Bill McConnell

## CRITERIA AND NOMINATION FORM

Full details of criteria, rules and applications can be found on the Town of LaFayette Website on the Main Navigation Page under the more.... Tab or by clicking on the following link:

[www.townoflafayette.com/lcs-sports-hall-of-fame.html](http://www.townoflafayette.com/lcs-sports-hall-of-fame.html)

# From Cub Scout Pack 100

For the 2015-2016 Academic Year, the Lafayette Cub Scout Pack 100 consists of 17 boys under the leadership of Cub Master, Steve Kuhn. We have monthly Den meetings, which follows grade levels from Kindergarten through 5th Grade. Additionally, we meet as a Pack once a month for a meeting at the Fire House or somewhere special for an activity. Our first activity was a summer hike from Skaneateles Lake to lower Carpenters Falls for a cold swim. We had all hands on deck for the Apple Fest weekend. Like many local organizations, Pack 100 relies heavily on proceeds from this wonderful event to fund our activities.



Since Apple Fest, our activities have included hiking to the upper section of Tinkers Falls via Spruce Pond; Building Water Rockets from recycled materials; Indoor rock climbing; performing a Duty to God ceremony at the Lafayette Nativity Scene by

promised to do good works for family and community; Building cardboard castles; Holding a Christmas Party with Santa after one of his Firetruck rides through Lafayette; Racing Pinewood Derby cars for both Scouts and their siblings; Sleeping in the Museum of Science and Technology and Winter camping in a cabin at the Camp Woodland grounds in Constantia, New York where we Performed skits, sledded,



observed a saw mill in action as well as played indoor board games.

Future Pack activities until this September will



include another winter Cabin Camp-Out at Highland Forest; a model sailboat race called "Rain Gutter Regatta" at SUNY ESF; an Earth Day Clean-up along the streets and

businesses of Lafayette; Model Rocket launching at the High School; a Camporee with Scouts from all over Central New York at the Fair Grounds in Sandy Creek; and an exciting overnight stay on the U.S.S. Little Rock, a retired naval cruiser at the Naval & Military Park in Buffalo, New York.

This summer we will be upgrading our facility at the Apple Fest grounds so that we can better service Festival attendees. In mid-September we will host an Orientation Night at the Fire House for those interested in participating in our Scouting program for the 2016-2017 year. Notices will go out the first week of school.

I'd like to thank the Lafayette Firehouse for sponsoring our Pack and the Boy Scouts of

Troop 100 who have provided instruction and access to some of their gear for their younger colleagues. The success of our program has everything to do with the many volunteers, parents and guardians who have committed their time and energy to the development of our young citizens.

—Christian Borchert  
Cub Scout Pack 100 Den Leader

# From the Community Council

Questions about recreational activities can be found 24/7 on the town's web site at the following link [www.townoflafayette.com/lafayette-community-council.html](http://www.townoflafayette.com/lafayette-community-council.html), on the main navigation bar or by calling the Community Council phone, 677-7272. Messages will be retrieved twice per week and an LCC board member will return your call. You can speak to an LCC representative face to face during Town Hall Tuesdays every Tuesday from 6:00 pm to 6:30 pm. Emails are also accepted at [lafayettecommunitycouncil@cnyemail.com](mailto:lafayettecommunitycouncil@cnyemail.com). The mailing address is: LCC, PO Box 98, LaFayette, NY 13084

## Current Youth Sports:

Basketball - 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grades boys and girls; practices have begun and will continue Saturdays through March (5, 12, 19); 1-3 p.m.; Grimshaw gymnasium

**Upcoming Youth Sports:** Notices with details will be sent home from school for the following activities:

Baseball and ULA Lacrosse sign-ups – Tuesdays, March 15, 22, & 29; 6:00-7:00 p.m.; **Town Hall Commons** (NOTE: not at Grimshaw School)

Volleyball – 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade girls; Tuesdays and Thursday practices, possible Saturday scrimmages; beginning in April through May; time and location TBD.

First Aid and CPR/AED course - to be offered in April; time and location TBD

## Adult Exercise:

Men's Basketball – Mondays; 7-9 p.m.; Grimshaw gymnasium. Continues through April.

Daytime/Senior Exercise Class – Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays; 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.;

LaFayette Community Center. Current session (began February 16) ends March 24; cost is \$35 for the session or \$4/per class walk-in fee. Next 6 week session: March 29 – May 5.

Yoga – Mondays and Wednesdays; 6:30-7:45 p.m.; Grimshaw School. Current session (began January 11) continues through June 20.

Tabata (interval training) – Next session begins March 10 and runs through May 5; 6:15-7:30 p.m.; Grimshaw Cafeteria; \$25\* for the session or \$4/ class walk-in fee.

Zumba/Aerobics – Wednesdays; 6:30-7:30 p.m.; Grimshaw Cafeteria; Current session (began February 3) runs through June 15; \$50\* for the session or \$4/per class walk-in fee.

\*Reduced combined cost if doing both Zumba and Tabata

## Adult and Youth Activities:

Hall Walking – weekday evenings 5-8 p.m.; Grimshaw School

Ski club – Friday evenings; Song Mountain



The Town of LaFayette wishes Rainer Brocke, author of LaFayette Outdoors the very best get well wishes .

We miss your article and hope you will get better soon so we can enjoy your stories.

From all of us – Get Well Soon!!



# LAFAYETTE ALLIANCE CHURCH

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

WORSHIP SERVICES	SUNDAY	8:00 am and 10:45 am
SUNDAY SCHOOL	SUNDAY	9:30 —10:30 am
Youth Group	SUNDAY	6:00 PM
INTERACTIVE BIBLE STUDY	SUNDAY	6:00 PM

***A Christ-Centered Bible Teaching Church***  
 Robert Gates, Senior Pastor  
*Brian Mandigo, Associate Pastor of Discipleship*  
*David Booher, Youth Pastor*

~ Awana ~

This is a program for boys and girls, age 3 through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Awana meets every Thursday from 6:30 – 8:10 pm. The children enjoy Bible lessons, Scripture memorization, and game time. New clubbers are always welcome! Note that Awana will not meet when the LaFayette School District is closed for vacation or due to weather.

~ Battalion ~

This is a ministry for boys in 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade that meets every Monday night at 6:30 pm. Battalion emphasizes character building, Bible study, indoor and outdoor activities, service, and leadership skills. Come check us out!

~ Clothing Exchange/Give-away ~

We hold this event four times each year. We are planning the next Clothing Exchange/Give-away in March. Contact the church or visit our website for more details as they become available.

~ GriefShare ~

GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life’s most difficult experiences. You don’t have to go through the grieving process alone. GriefShare classes are coming in the Spring.

*At LaFayette Alliance Church we worship, serve, learn, and enjoy fellowship with one another and reach out to our world with the life-transforming truth of God’s Word. As part of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, we are a missions’ minded church. In the spring we have a missions weekend and in the fall a week-long mission conference with missionaries serving in various parts of the world and many opportunities to hear about their ministries. We are a Christ-centered church and care about you and your family. If you are looking for a place to belong, to grow, and to serve... come visit!*

~Easter Egg Hunt~

We invite you to our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Easter Egg Hunt, Saturday March 26<sup>th</sup>, @ 10 AM. There will be 2000 eggs and prizes!

~ Youth Group ~

Our Youth Group (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade) meets on Sunday evenings in our church from 6:00 – 8:00 pm. Our mission is to glorify God through seeing young people mature in Christ (Col. 1:28). We carry this out through Bible study, fellowship, prayer, and service. We also welcome guests!

<i>For Children...</i>		<i>For Youth...</i>		<i>For Adults...</i>	
Sunday School	Vacation Bible School	Sunday School	Battalion (boys 7–12th gr)	Sunday School	Retreats
Nursery	Bible Quizzing	Youth Group	Bible Quizzing	Bible Studies	Home Groups
Children’s Church	Awana (age 3-6th gr)	Youth Retreats	Outreach Events/Mission Trips/Girls Hang	Discipleship	Mission Trips
				Widow’s Care	Volleyball

***If you would like further information concerning our church or any of its programs, please contact the church office at 677-9810. We are located at the corner of Route 20 and LaFayette Road in LaFayette. The church is handicap accessible.***

***Check us out on the web! You can listen to Pastor Rob’s messages, read our monthly newsletter, the Lamplighter and find out even more details about our various programs.***

**[www.lafayettealliance.org](http://www.lafayettealliance.org)**

# Columbian Presbyterian Church



For a full schedule of upcoming events, find us online at [Columbianpresbyterianchurch.com](http://Columbianpresbyterianchurch.com) or follow us on FACEBOOK

[www.facebook.com/pages/LaFayette-Columbian-Presbyterian-Church](http://www.facebook.com/pages/LaFayette-Columbian-Presbyterian-Church)

**Pastor Shawn Reyburn**

Corner of Route 11 & Route 20

LaFayette, N.Y. 13084

(315) 677-3293

[Columbianpresbyterianchurch.com](http://Columbianpresbyterianchurch.com)

cpresbyt@twcnny.rr.com

Sunday School 9:30am

Worship Service 11:00am

## March

**Close to My Heart [scrapbooking] Workshop**, Saturday, March 5, 10am-10pm in the Session Building

**Men's Breakfast**, Monday, March 7, 6am in the Session Building

**God's Girlz**, Tuesday, March 8, 2:30-4:45pm in the Session Building

**Easter Egg Hunt**, Saturday, March 19, games @ 10:30am and the hunt @ 11am

**Family Worship Service**, Palm Sunday, March 20, 6pm

**God's Girlz**, Tuesday, March 22, 2:30-4:45pm in the Session Building

**Stone Soup Supper** to benefit LaFayette Outreach, Thursday, March 24, 6pm

**& Maundy Thursday Worship Service**, 7pm

**Good Friday Tenebrae Service**, Friday, March 25, 7pm

**Easter Sunrise Service**, [location TBA] Sunday, March 27, 7am

**Easter Sunday Service**, Sunday, March 27, 10am

## April

**Men's Breakfast**, Monday, April 4, 6am in the Session Building

**God's Girlz**, Tuesday, April 5, 2:30pm in the Session Building

**Chicken-N-Biscuit Dinner**, Tuesday, April 5, 4-7pm in the Session Building

**Chicken BBQ**, Saturday, April 16, 11am in the Session Building

**Family Worship Service**, Sunday, April 17, 6pm

**God's Girlz**, Tuesday, April 19, 2:30pm in the Session Building

**Youth Breakfast**, Friday, April 22, 7am in the Session Building



Thank you – to everyone who helped make *A Taste of Chocolate* a big success.



**Our Chicken BBQ season begins SATURDAY, APRIL 16**  
To pre-order call 677-3293 before noon on Friday for pick-up on  
Saturday morning.

**Order ahead -- WE SELL-OUT BY 11:30AM!**

**Full dinners \$11 \*\* chicken-halves \$6**

**April 16 \*\* May 21 \*\* June 18 \*\* July 16 \*\* August 20**

**Monday, May 30, 8am-noon Memorial Day Benefit for Lafayette Outreach.** If you would like to help, or if you can donate new, antique, or hand-made items for the silent auction, or plants or baked goods for those sales, contact the church office at 677-3293 or send an email to [cpresbyt@twcnny.rr.com](mailto:cpresbyt@twcnny.rr.com). **Thank you for your continued support.**

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### Upcoming Events

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	ADD'L INFO
March 5, 2016	Rabies Clinic	SPCA 5878 E. Malloy Rd. Mattydale	10:00 am—12:00 pm
March 15, 2016	Town Board Meeting	LaFayette Commons	7:00 pm
March 15, 2016	Southern Hills Garden Club	Carol Watson's Greenhouse	7:00 pm What's new in horticulture for 2016
March 19, 2016	Easter Egg Hunt	Columbian Presbyterian Church	10:30 am
March 24, 2016	Rabies Clinic	NBT Stadium Lobby 1 Tex Simone Dr. Syracuse	5:00 pm—7:00 pm
March 26, 2016	Easter Egg Hunt	LaFayette Alliance Church	10:00 am
April 5, 2016	Chicken & Biscuit Dinner	Columbia Presbyterian Church	4:00—7:00 pm Session Bldg.
April 7, 2016	Rabies Clinic	Beaver Lake Nature Center E. Mudlake Rd. Baldwinsville	5:00 pm—7:00 pm
April 12, 2016	Town Board Meeting	LaFayette Commons	7:00 pm
April 3—15	Brush Pick Up	Roadside no later than Apr 15	
April 16, 2016	Chicken Barbecue	Columbian Presbyterian Church	11:00 am Session Bldg.
April 21, 2016	Rabies Clinic	St. Lucy's Church 432 Gifford St. Syracuse	5:00—7:00 pm

More detailed calendar is located at: <http://www.townoflafayette.com> If you have an event you would like added please email [lafayetteinfoofficer@cnymail.com](mailto:lafayetteinfoofficer@cnymail.com)

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