

## What's Going On

### St. Benedict's to hold book fair

St. Benedict School will host its book fair from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. through Friday, Oct. 20 at the school, 3980 Main St. The fair will also be open after 5 p.m. Mass Saturday, Oct. 21 and from 8:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22.

### Family support open house set

The Family Support Services Council of the Western New York Developmental Disabilities Service Office will host an open house from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18 at the University at Buffalo Center for Tomorrow on the corner of Maple and Flint roads. To register, call 877-1111 ext. 20.

### Meet the Candidates Day set Oct. 18

The Western New York Independent Living Project Inc. will host the Nov. 14th election candidates in a Meet the Candidates day from 2 to 6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18 at 3108 Main St. in Buffalo.

### Rotary Club to host Supervisor at meeting

The Eastern Hills Sunrise Rotary Club will host Supervisor Satish Mohan of the Town of Amherst for a dinner meeting at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18 at LaS-cala Ristorante, 9210 Transit Road in East Amherst. Call 881-3010 or visit [www.ehsrotary.org](http://www.ehsrotary.org).

### St. Leo the Great to hold open house

St. Leo the Great will hold an open house from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18 at 903 Sweet Home Road in Amherst. Learn about the pre-K through eighth grade program. For more information, call the school office at 832-6340.

### Rose Society to host meeting

The Western New York Rose Society will be holding its October meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18 at St. Stephens-Bethlehem UCC, 750 Wehrle Drive. For more information, contact Dave Swanka at 833-5549 or at [sumit95@usadatanet.net](mailto:sumit95@usadatanet.net).

### Benefit to be held in memory of volunteer

A gourmet cocktail party, Bouquets for Barbara, will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19 at Frog Grill Restaurant, 561 Main St. in Tonawanda. The silent auction will benefit Barbara Feuz, who lost her battle with cancer in Jan. 2006. Proceeds will benefit Feuz's Food Court at the Franklin Street Boys and Girls Club. Call 692-5104 or 692-5252, for information.

### Garden club to meet Oct. 19

The Forest Stream Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19 at the Forest Elementary School, 250 North Forest Road in Williamsville. A speaker from the Education Department of the Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens will present a program on Victorian Gardening.

### Lecture to be taught at JCC

"Literature You Can Eat" will be taught from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19 at the Jewish Community Center, 2640 North Forest Road. The course has a nominal fee and is open to all Erie County residents 60 and older.

### JCC to host series of presentations

The Jewish Community Center, 2640 North Forest Road will host a series of presentations by Buffalo-area theatre artistic directors at 10:30 a.m. Thursdays, Oct. 19 and Nov. 9.

### Alterra to host holistic health night

Alterra Clare Bridge of Williamsville will host a free seminar on holistic health from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19 at 6076 Main St. Alterra is an assisted living residents designed for people Alzheimer's disease and other forms of memory loss. For reservations, call 632-7123.

### Director of conservancy to speak at restaurant

Jonathan Holifield, director of the Olmsted Parks Conservancy, will present "Challenges of Maintaining and Improving Buffalo's Olmsted Park System" to the League of Women Voters of Buffalo/Niagara at 11:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 20 at Scotch 'n Sirloin Restaurant on North Bailey Road at Maple Road. Call 633-7069 for reservations. The cost is \$13.

### Social worker to start breast cancer group

Christine Bylewski, a social worker, will start a monthly support group for women diagnosed with Stage IV Breast Cancer. The group will meet from 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct. 21 at 180 Park Club Lane in Williamsville. Women with Stage IV Breast Cancer are asked to call Bylewski at 565-2092 for more information.

### Homewood Theatre hosts family night

The Homewood Theatre Company will stage an evening of family entertainment, "Autumn Leaves Jack-O-Lanterns and Ghost Stories" at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 20 and 21 at Ascension Lutheran Church, 4640 Main St. The event will raise funds for the Amherst Lions Club.

### Barbecue set to be held at church

A chicken and ribs barbecue will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 20 at the Amherst Community Church Child Care Center, 77 Washington Highway in Snyder. For tickets, call 834-9701.

### Museum to host Trick-or-Treat event

The Amherst Museum will host a Halloween Trick-or-Treat event for children 3 to 10 Friday and Saturday, Oct. 20 and 21 at 3755 Tonawanda Creek Road in Amherst. The museum hours are from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday and from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Saturday.

### Church to hold spaghetti dinner

St. Paul's Lutheran Church will host a spaghetti dinner from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at 68 Eagle St. in Williamsville. The cost is \$7 adults, \$4 children and free for toddlers under 3. For information, call 634-2330.

### Film series to host puppet troupe

Family Day featuring a selection of shorts will be held at disABILITIES film festival at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at the Market Arcade Theatre in Buffalo. The featured speakers will be from People Inc's Kids on the Block Educational Puppet Troupe.

### Crafters needed for show to be held Oct. 21

Crafters are needed for a Holiday Craft Show which will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at St. Stephens Bethlehem, 750 Wehrle Drive in Amherst. To rent a table for \$15, call 632-4226. Proceeds benefit the church school.

### Craft fair seeks more crafters

The Sweet Home Parent-Teacher Association is seeking crafters for its annual craft fair to be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at Sweet Home High School, 1901 Sweet Home Road in Amherst. Proceeds will provide scholarships for graduating Sweet Home seniors and fund field trips for district schools. Space reservation is \$40. Call 694-5329.

### Mensa to hold testing day

The Western New York Mensa Society will be holding a testing session on Mensa Test Day at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at the Reinstein Library, 2580 Harlem Road in Cheektowaga. Arrive 20 minutes early so the test can begin on time. For more information or to register, contact Dave Swanka at 833-5549 or at [sumit95@usadatanet.net](mailto:sumit95@usadatanet.net).

### School to hold annual Oktoberfest

St. Mary's School in Swormville will hold its annual Oktoberfest Celebration from 6:30-11 p.m. Saturday October 21, in the Parish Center, 6919 Transit Road, East Amherst. Tickets are \$25 per person and that includes German Cuisine, dessert, beer and wine. The Frankfurters will be the featured entertainment for the evening. Call Terri at 688-1277.

### Theme tray auction set Oct. 21

A Fall/Holiday Theme Tray Auction will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at Friedens UCC and Friendship Lutheran Church, 1280 N. French Road in Amherst. The cost is \$5. For more information, call 688-5431.

### Spaghetti dinner to be held at church

An all you can eat spaghetti dinner will be held from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at Trinity United Methodist Church, 711 Niagara Falls Blvd. in Amherst. The cost is \$6, \$3 for children 7 to 10 and free for those 6 and under.

### St. Paul's to host spaghetti dinner

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church will host a spaghetti dinner and theme tray auction from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21 at 68 Eagle St. in Williamsville. It will benefit Interfaith Hospitality Network, Friends of Night People, and Habitat for Humanity. For information and/or tickets, call 634-2330.

### Society to sponsor lecture at JCC

The Jewish Genealogical Society of Buffalo is sponsoring a lecture at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22 in the Lippman Lounge at the Jewish Community Center, Bendersen Building, 2640 North Forest Road in Getzville.

### BFFM to present concert at meeting house

Buffalo Friends of Folk Music Acoustic Concert Series presents Mustard's Retreat at 7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 22 at the Village Meeting House, 5658 Main St. in Williamsville. The Cost is \$15 general; \$12 Member; \$6 Student. For information, visit [www.BFFM.org](http://www.BFFM.org), or call 684-2362.

### Women to host monthly meeting Oct. 23

The Amherst Republican Women will hold their monthly dinner meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 23 at the Scotch N' Sirloin restaurant at 3999 Maple Road in Amherst. The Guest Speaker will be Kelly Dixon, an Immigration Legislation Specialist who will speak on current and pending legislative concerns. New members are welcome and may call 688-9016 for dinner selections and information.

### Hadassah Book Club to discuss "Sarah"

Buffalo Hadassah will meet at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 23 at Canterbury Woods to discuss "Sarah" by Marek Halter. Call 688-7083.

### Garden club to hold meeting at gardens

The Amherst Garden Club will hold its Business Meeting at the Buffalo & Erie County Botanical Gardens at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 25.

### Osteoporosis group to meet Oct. 25

Northtowns Osteoporosis Support Group will meet from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 25 at 2235 Millersport Highway. Call 862-2263.



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