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## What's Going On

### Music program welcomes members

Those interested in becoming a member of the Williamsville Summer of Music Program can sign up for these performance age groups: 5-8 string orchestra, 9-12 choir, 5-6 band, 7-9 band and Williamsville Community band for anyone in 10th-grade through adult. The Community Band rehearsals are from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Mondays at Transit Middle School, 8730 Transit Road.

### Lighthouses lecture to kick off series

The first speaker in the Amherst Museum's 2008 Lecture Series will be Joe Jukubik of International Chimney Corporation, whose lecture is set for 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 18, at the museum, 3755 Tonawanda Creek Road. During his lecture, Jukubik will describe his work moving lighthouses and other masonry structures. Lecture admission costs \$3, and free to museum members.

### Clearfield Library to host book club

Marcia Finton will host a book club and discussion group from 4 to 5 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month through June 18, at Clearfield Library, 770 Hopkins Road, near Klein Road, Amherst. Call 688-4955 for more information.

### Village Artisans offering bead jewelry class

Pat Prior of Pink Designs is holding a Bead Buffet Jewelry class from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Thursday, June 19 at Village Artisans, 5544 Main St. in Williamsville. For more information, call 633-2384 or e-mail [villageartisans@buffalo.com](mailto:villageartisans@buffalo.com).

### Firemen's Association hosting chicken dinner

The Williamsville Exempt Firemen's Association will host a Chivetta's chicken dinner from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 18, at the George F. Lamm Post Pavilion, 962 Wehrle Drive. The cost for tickets is \$8 for adults and \$5 for children 10 and younger. For advance tickets, call Paul Oehmler at 631-8683.

### STAR Adult adoptee group meetings set

A.C.E., an Adoption STAR support group for adult adoptees 18 and older, will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 18; Thursday, August 14; Wednesday, Oct. 15; and Thursday, Dec. 11, at 47 Plaza Drive, Williamsville. For more information, e-mail [Christian@adoptionstar.com](mailto:Christian@adoptionstar.com).

### Homewood Theatre presents comedy skit

"Giggles and Guffaws Guaranteed: Summer Fun and Comedy with The Homewood Theatre Company" will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, June 20 and 21, and at 3 p.m. Sunday June 22, at Ascension Lutheran Church, 4640 Main St., at the corner of Main and Burroughs Drive in Snyder. Tickets cost \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children 12 and younger.

### Garrison Park project seeking volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help assemble a new jungle gym toy at Garrison Park Friday, June 20, through Sunday, June 22. Call Noel Bartlo, 632-0011.

### Farmer's Market hosting concert series

Nan Hoffman and Joe Tumino will perform from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, June 21, at the Farmers Market at the Mill, 56 East Spring St., Williamsville.

### Breast cancer survivor to give lecture on book

Breast cancer survivor Patty Gelman will present a program based on her book "Humor After the Tumor" at 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 20, at Temple Beth Zion, 700 Sweet Home Road, Eggertsville. The program is free. For more information, call 836-6565.

### O'Connell & Company hosting diva debris sale

O'Connell & Company will hold their annual Diva Debris sale from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, June 21, at The Cabaret in The Square Theatre Snyder Square, 4476 Main St., near Harlem Road. A sneak preview of the event will be held from 5:30 to 9 p.m. Friday June 20. Admission is \$5.

### Acoustic concert series set for June 21

The Buffalo Friends of Folk Music will present an acoustic concert series at 8 p.m. Saturday, June 21, at the Village Meeting House, 5658 Main St., Williamsville. Admission is free. For additional information, call 684-2362 or visit [www.BFFM.org](http://www.BFFM.org).

### Lutheran churches hosting bake sale

The consolidating Lutheran churches of the Amherst/Cleve-Hill area will participate in the "Great American Bake Sale," presenting "Consolidating Churches Crusty Creations" from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday, June 22, on the front lawn at Ascension Lutheran Church, 4640 Main St., near Burroughs Drive. The proceeds will benefit child hunger in the United States.

### Community blood service seeks donations

Upstate New York Transplant Services will host blood drives from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 24, at University Orthopedics, 4949 Harlem Road, Amherst; and from noon to 4 p.m. Thursday, June 26, at Western Division Federal Credit Union, 6750 Main St., Williamsville and from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, June 30, at Zion Dominion Global Ministries, 895 N. Forest Road, Amherst. To schedule an appointment or to receive additional information, call 853-6667, ext. 7940.

### St. Monica's Guild barbecue lunch set

St. Monica's Guild will hold a basket auction and barbecue lunch from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, June 22, at St. Augustine's Church, 8700 Goodrich Road, Clarence Center. Basket drawings begin at 1 p.m. Tickets are \$3. For information or to donate a basket, call Jane at 741-3698 or Tammy at 400-8248.

### RSD support group meeting June 23

The Chronic Regional Pain Syndrome / RSD Support Group will have a meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, June 23, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 4007 Main St., near Westfield Road in Eggertsville. Contact Lynda at 896-0771 for more information.

### Kadimah School hosting dinner and auction

The Kadimah School will have a spring dinner and auction on Sunday, June 22. There will be an open bar from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. and a stationed dinner will be catered by the Hyatt. For more information, call 836-6903.

### Gay Men's Chorus to perform June 22

The Buffalo Gay Men's Chorus presents "Connections" at 4 p.m. Sunday, June 22, at the Williamsville United Methodist Church, 5681 Main St., near Evans St. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$18 for seniors, students and the disabled. Call 883-1277. Tickets can be purchased online at [www.buffalogaymenschorus.com](http://www.buffalogaymenschorus.com)

### Animal hospital hosting open house, pet show

All Creatures Animal Hospital, 6429 Transit Road, near Casey Road, is having an open house and pet show from 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday, June 22. For more information, call Mary at 636-3600.

### Christ UMC to host brunch

To benefit its mission work, the United Methodist Women will hold a Summer Sizzler Brunch from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, June 22, at Christ United Methodist Church, 350 Harlem Road, Snyder. The cost is \$8 for adults, \$4 for children ages 4 to 10 and free to those younger. Call 631-5506 for tickets.

### Chiropractor presentation set for June 25

East Amherst Chiropractor, Dr. Phyllis Burgio will conduct a workshop from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, June 25, at Feel Rite, 5425 Transit Road, between Maple and Klein roads.

### Resident seeks singles for coffee hour

If you are interested in finding someone to share you life with then contact Eva Torok at 877-4295 to schedule an appointment for a group coffee hour. Meeting days and times are flexible throughout June and July.

### JCC offers writing class June 25-July 30

The Jewish Community Center of Greater Buffalo Inc. will offer the writing program Growing Up in my Neighborhood from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the JCC's Benderson Family Building, 2640 N. Forest Road, Getzville. The class will start Wednesday, June 25, and continue July 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30. Tuition is \$75 or \$60 for JCC members. For additional information, contact Amy Stromberg at [astromberg@jccbuffalo.org](mailto:astromberg@jccbuffalo.org) or 688-4114, ext. 366.

### Garden Club schedules country gardens outing

The Forest Stream Garden Club will meet at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 26, for a tour at the Country Cottage Gardens, Darien.

### Museum presents Discovery Camp

The Amherst Museum, 3755 Tonawanda Creek Road, will present its Discovery Summer Day Camp from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, June 23, through Friday, June 27. Tuition is \$125, members with multiple children from the same family receive a discount.