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#### Dear Cortlandt Residents,

Over the years we have completed many recreation projects with more to come in 2021: 1. Softball fields with lights at Sprout Brook Park.

- 2. An outdoor pavilion at Sprout Brook Park that has a capacity of 200 people.
- 3. A playground at Sprout Brook Park which is open year round.
- 4. Expansion of our Muriel H. Morabito Community Center which is off West Brook Drive.
- 5. A playground at the Community Center which is handicapped accessible.
- 6. The Christopher Bisordi Memorial Outdoor Basketball Court at the Community Center.
  - 7. Outdoor Bocce Courts and a Horseshoe Facility at the Community Center.
  - Renovation of Charles Cook Pool including a new concrete surface, drainage system, filtration system, bathhouse upgrades, a new play-ground and "frog slide", landscaping and other amenities. (A 2 million dollar project) and renovation of the swimming lanes was completed in 2006.
- 9. The Steven Hebert Memorial Skate Park at the Community Center which is off of West Brook Drive.
- A Roller Hockey Rink adjacent to the New York State Police Headquarters. (Off Route 9A) with lights and a playground.
- 11. Completion of the Historic Tollhouse for a regional information tourist center. Open on weekends May through October.
- 12. Community space use (4,000 sq. ft.) at the Cortlandt Town Center is available for rental (Contact our Recreation Department).
- 13. Steamboat Dock River Park and Overlook in Verplanck are restored and with construction of an outdoor pavilion and a pedestrian trail. We also have plans for the next phases of Broadway Streetscape and new plans for Meahagh Park.
- 14. The Hudson Highlands Gateway Park (Hill point property) is designed for passive recreation (Trails) off Sprout Brook Road. (352 acres of passive land).
- 15. Many beautification projects throughout the town. (Flowerbeds, gazebos, plantings and our Veterans Parks)
- 16. C.U.E. (Cortlandt Upper Teens Entertainment Center) open for all freshman, sophomores, juniors and seniors on Friday and Saturday nights and is supervised by qualified adults.
- 17. Completed the Oscawana Boat/ Kayak Launch.
- 18. A playground, tennis courts and basketball court was built off of Croton Avenue.
- 19. A little league field and a soccer/all-purpose field both at Sprout Brook Park opened in 2008.
- 20. Construction of a Cortlandt Dog ("Pooch") Park at Sprout Brook Park. Grand Opening took place on November 2, 2008.
- 21. A Computer Center at the Senior Citizen Center.
- 22. Renovation of the Town Hall Courtyard and entranceway (New lights, benches, bricks, doors, flowers, new steps etc.)
- 23. A playground at the Roller Hockey Rink off Memorial Drive in memory of Peter Cutignola.
- 24. An annual Cortlandt event "Cortlandt Family Fun Day" (Off Route 9A by the State Police and Roller Hockey Rink).
- 25. Renovation of the swimming lanes at Cook Pool.
- 26. Annual Golf Outing to benefit our first responders at the Hollow Brook Golf Course each year.
- 27. A youth and recreation multi-purpose facility opened in 2009 for ages 11 to 18. It is fully supervised.
- 28. Cortlandt sponsors the D.A.R.E. programs and the Cortlandt Coalition to educate our youth about substance abuse and awareness prevention.
- 29. Quadricentennial projects were completed in 2009 to honor Henry Hudson's discovery of the Hudson River including a time capsule at Town Hall.
- 30. Saved Furnace Dock Lake and the watershed area. It is now owned by the TOC for passive parkland.
- 31. At the former Martin Property now owned by the Town: a boat launch for the community, an aviation theme playground, benches by the Hudson River.
- 32. A Veteran's Park at Steamboat Dock dedicated July 20, 2012.
- 33. Completed a new half-court basketball court in northern Cortlandt June 2012.
- 34. The public boat launch at Cortlandt Waterfront Park was dedicated in the sprin of 2013.
- 35. Annual 5K Run in October.
- 36. A Purple Heart Memorial dedicated at Cortlandt Town Hall.
- 37. Support of the Cortlandt Community Rowing Association (Go to website for more information).
- 38. Free outdoor Concert and Movie Series at Cortlandt Waterfront Park in Verplanck for the summer season.
- 39. Our Community Garden at Meahagh Park.
- 40. Opened our new water spray park in 2016.
- 41. Dedicated a new lacrosse field/all-purpose field at Sprout Park.
- 42. Dedicated new hiking trails at golf course in 2016.
- 43. Will plan for more fields at land purchased from Con Ed in June 2016.
- 44. Dedicated a Vietnam Memorial at Town Hall.
- 45. Mini golf course at the Town pool in 2019.
- 46. Dedicated a new Fitness Trail at Charles J. Cook Pool Park in 2018.
- 47. Established a new Historical Advisory Council, June 2018.
- 48. A new bathhouse at the Charles J. Cook Pool in 2021.
- 49. Working on a town trail system by the river.
- 50. A new snack bar at Charles J. Cook Pool in 2021
- 51. A new basketball court at Charles J. Cook Park in 2021.

All have been completed without raising Town taxes (on average for 30 years)

many other projects are being considered and planned. If you have any suggestions for recreation projects please write or e-mail my office at:

#### 1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567

Thank you,

Linda D. Puglisi lindap@townofcortlandt.com Cortlandt Town Supervisor



From Left to Right: Debra A. Carter, James F. Creighton, Linda D. Puglisi, Richard H. Becker, Francis X. Farrell



The following are articles written by Supervisor Linda D. Puglisi discussing some of the many achievements and important issues addressed during her years as Supervisor of the Town of Cortlandt. Her family and colleagues join her.

We hope you enjoy reading them and join us in congratulating Linda and all those in her administration who have always been dedicated to our community and to all who call our Town Home.

We wish Linda the best of retirement (12/31/21).





# "30 YEARS" SUPERVISOR LINDA D. PUGLISI (1992-2021)

# "THANK YOU

to the Cortlandt Community for your trust and support over the 30 years. It has been an honor to serve as Town Supervisor. I love Cortlandt and all of you!<sup>11</sup> – Linda D. Puglisi

# CORTLANDT SUPERVISOR LINDA PUGLISI TO RETIRE 12/31/21 AFTER 30 YEARS AS SUPERVISOR

In November 2020, I announced my retirement for the end of this two year term effective December 31, 2021. It is with a heavy heart and sadness that I make this announcement since I love Cortlandt and all its wonderful people very much. It has been an honor to be Cortlandt's Supervisor for all of these years. I will have served this great town for thirty years as Town Supervisor and prior to that four years as a Town Councilwoman. Therefore, for thirty four years I have had the privilege of serving this great community.

I have always taken the trust that people have given to me when they elected me to be the leader of Cortlandt seriously, humbly and with great pride. Every single day I always said to myself how can I make Cortlandt even better than it already is and how can I reach out to every neighborhood, organization, group and individual to make their lives better. That has always been my goal.

I raised my two children (twins) Ali and Jeff in Cortlandt. They have gone on to lead very successful lives and are truly kind and giving people. They are my pride and joy and my legacy. They have their roots in Cortlandt and have so many fond memories of growing up in this excellent community that gave them lasting friendships, a good education and values that stay with them today. My daughter and her husband (Tom) have two boys, my grandsons (Oliver and Jeremy). They are amazing and are the light of my life.

I am very proud of all the achievements and accomplishments I have worked on over these three and a half decades including: our Advanced Life Support (ALS/Paramedics) programs and for bringing in the 911 system to Cortlandt. Also, I was the original supporter and negotiated with Lakeland School District to purchase their then closed elementary school for our Town Hall. I've been the first elected Supervisor in our lovely Town Hall. I also negotiated with Metro North to build the Cortlandt Train Station (in two phases). I promised 30 years ago to keep town taxes very low and have delivered on average for 30 years only increasing town taxes by 1% for this entire period at the same time having very low debt, a completion of over <sup>\$</sup>160 million in capital projects (infrastructure, paving, water tanks, etc.) and will be leaving a strong fund balance (savings account) of close to <sup>\$</sup>20 million dollars, four times of what was in this fund when I started.

I've been so proud to work with our Veterans on their many important issues, to put up many memorials and to hold many wonderful Veteran ceremonies throughout the years. These men and women are heroes. I have worked hard over the 30 years to monitor the safety of Indian Point, to co-chair important closure task forces and now to be part of the overview of the soon to be decommissioning project. Also, I have always been there for our residents throughout the major storms, power outages, the pandemic still ongoing and of course the tragic day of 9/11/2001. Our Youth, Senior and Recreation programs are the best anywhere and I'm so proud of my initiatives to expand upon them over these years; Cortlandt Waterfront Park located on the Hudson River, Community Center expansion, water spray park, mini golf, new tennis courts, a new bathhouse and snack bar and playground all at our town pool campus; lacrosse, softball, soccer and little league fields, many other playgrounds, roller hockey rinks and of course our Youth Center was constructed during my administration to name just a few. I've worked on economic planning along with our economic advisor and Town Board.

I have been able to increase our open space for trails and parkland by 100%, saved and preserved lakes, ponds and streams, passed many strong environmental laws (wetlands, tree, aquifers and steep slopes, etc.) to which we never had before and balanced all of this with rational economic growth (Cortlandt Town Center, Cortlandt Crossing, many smaller businesses have opened during these years) and our hospital has expanded and is now owned by the NY Presbyterian Hospital system. Many new jobs have come into Cortlandt over the years and more to come.

I feel proud that the majority of our employees (200) reside in Cortlandt and that all of our summer youth jobs are Cortlandt residents, as well. Also, along with our team I have completed three Master Plans.

The following events have been my ideas and initiatives implemented by our Recreation and Conservation Department, DES – Parks Division and my staff and supported by our Town Board: Cortlandt Family Fun Day, 5K Run, Winter Wonderland, Egg Hunt in the Spring, Dog Park and Dog Parade at Halloween, outdoor concert and movie series at our Waterfront Park and I have supported all of our senior and youth center events each year. There are too many to list but I'm so very proud of these achievements. I have enjoyed working with all of our excellent employees over the years and serving with many town board members who have made contributions, as well.

Also, I've enjoyed working with everyone in our two Villages (Buchanan and Croton-on-Hudson). I especially love attending activities for our Youth and Scouts.

I pledge to work with the next leaders (Supervisor and Town Board members) elected next November and to make it a very smooth transition in order to achieve my original goal to do what's right for this very special town and for the many residents and families who call CORTLANDT HOME.

Thank you so very much. I love you all and I love Cortlandt!

finda D. Ruglisi

Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor

"I have had the pleasure of working with the following Town Board members during these 30 years. I thank them all for their support and dedication to our Cortlandt Community." - Linda Puglisi

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Left to Right: Rosemary Boyle-Lasher, **Edward Carter** 



Left to Right: George Oros, Thomas Carulli, Linda Puglisi

Left to Right: George Oros, Joseph Cerreto



Supervisor Linda Puglisi

# CORTLANDT TOWN HALL 29TH ANNIVERSARY AND ITS HISTORY

- "Our Town Hall was a former Lakeland School District Elementary School which was put up for sale by the district in 1989.
- The Town of Cortlandt government after a successful public referendum vote in 1991 purchased the school for Town Hall office purposes. The cost was \$1.1 million dollars and was paid in full without bonding from a special fund established for a town hall purpose.
- In my first year as Supervisor, early in 1992, a \$500,000, 5-year note was voted on by the then Town Board to complete necessary improvements before the majority of Town offices could move into our new town hall. This note is now completely paid and therefore no debt is left on our town hall.
- Additional renovations over the years have either been paid for by state grants or from annual budget funds. Once again, no debt.
- The Cortlandt Town Hall is located off Oregon Road on Heady Street and sits on six acres. The main building is 30,000sq. ft. and has offices for the Supervisor, Town Clerk, Receiver of Taxes, Human Resources, Assessor, Town Attorney, Engineering, Planning, Comptroller, Code Enforcement, Recreation; as well as, the Town Court and County Police offices. The smaller building is for Purchasing, Central Supplies and the Department of Technology.
- About half of the Town employees (100) work at this location and the others work out of the Departmentof Environmental Services (D.E.S.) operations buildings/garages and the Community Center, Youth Center and Nor-West.
- After a one-year renovation period of this former school to make it suitable for town government offices, the move took three days in early December of 1992.
- Vincent Nyberg who was the Town's longtime Code Enforcement Director also was a licensed architect and engineer (P.E.). Therefore, he was the perfect choice to be appointed the project manager of our New Town Hall renovation project. Vinny did a wonderful job with input from the Supervisor and Town Board, all of the departments and a citizen committee which helped to select color schemes, furnishings, etc. Our general meeting room is named in his memory.
- I had the honor of being on the original negotiating team, as a town council member, with the Lakeland School District and the Town administration. The negotiations began in 1989 and resulted in the Cortlandt community having a beautiful Town Hall to be proud of, to have a central government office building and to add to Cortlandt's identity.
- The Town Hall is also historic. The first wing was a WPA project in the 1930's. The original brickwork was preserved. The second wing was constructed in 1957 and the third in 1974.
- Our Town Hall dedication ceremony took place on a Sunday afternoon on December 5, 1992. There had been a snowstorm the day before but we went forward with the ceremony the next day and had a packed house of about 300 people. It was a very festive and special day for Cortlandt.
- I have been privileged to serve as the Town Supervisor who had my first offices in the Croton Municipal Building and being the first Supervisor in our new Town Hall having been sworn in as Town Supervisor on January 1, 1992. I always knew that this former elementary school recycled into a town hall would serve our community well and it has done just that for twenty-nine years.

In closing, one of the best parts of my position as Supervisor is to greet young students and scout groups touring our Town Hall and to talk to them about the importance of local government in our lives. I always say to them, I hope you will consider public service in your future and perhaps become a Town Supervisor in our lovely Town Hall. Thank you!"

finder D. Duglisi

Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor



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# "I AM VERY PROUD OF HAVING BEEN ABLE TO PROTECT AND PRESERVE THE FOLLOWING OVER THE PAST 30 YEARS DURING THIS ADMINISTRATION:"

- Rezoned the outdated Emery Mine property (in the 1990's) to residential on Colabough Pond Road only seven (7) homes can be built in the future on these 110 acres. To date no construction has taken place. Still privately owned but no mining allowed.
- 2. Rezoned the Emery Mine off Croton Ave to residential; 61 homes were built instead of mining on these 100 acres. (in the late 1990's)
- 3. Voted to not allow a proposal for 300 town houses off Oregon Road (too dense). Now currently 14 single family homes instead- called "Blue Jay Estates" (in the 1990's).
- 4. There was a proposal for a cluster of 360 single family homes on the property then called "Hillpoint". The property is a steep incline and never could have sustained that density of building. After two years of negotiating with the property owner the Town with several partners including N.Y.S, Scenic Hudson, Westchester County, and some residents purchased these 360 acres, which is now dedicated parkland for hiking to a beautiful summit. It's now called the "Gateway to the Hudson Highlands" in Cortlandt, (the collective cost was \$6 million. The Town contributed \$1 million)
- 5. The "Jessye Norman Property" off Mt. Airy Road previously owned by the late opera star Jessye Norman is a very sensitive and important ecological property in our community. The town in 2015 purchased the majority of these thirty (30) acres to preserve the land. Only three homes can still be built on the remaining property. The rest is preserved.
- 6. Saved Furnace Dock Lake off Furnace Dock Road by purchasing the lake and watershed area from Con Edison. One third of the pur-chase price of the \$300,000 came from the adjoining property owner/developer of a proposed townhouse plan. Saving this lake was critical to preserve the wildlife and biodiversity of the area.
- 7. "Abey Rose" property off Maple Ave / Furnace Dock Road the town recently acquired approximately 129 acres from the property owner to protect the integrity of this land and area. The property cannot be built upon and is preserved.
- 8. Reduced the "Habitat Lafayette" development from 300 to 117 homes in the early 1990's. It is now called "Cortlandt Estates" and this took several years to reduce the proposed over-development.
- 9. Fifty (50) Acres off Sniffen Mountain Road/Furnace Dock Road were preserved when we asked the Valeria developer to donate this very sensitive land to the Town of Cortlandt instead of building ten (10) single family homes. They agreed and now the town has added this very special parcel to its areas of hiking trails/open space.
- 10. Hamlet of Verplanck/Town of Cortlandt:
  - Purchased the former Newman property on the Hudson River for \$600,000, in the 1990's, reclaimed the land for several years using Brownsfield grant funding and now it's our Cortlandt Waterfront Park after there was discovered an underground oil leak.
  - The former Martin trailer parkland was deeded to the town in a negotiated life estate agreement in the early 1990's. After Mr. Jim Martin passed away and after allowing the mobile homes to remain for an additional ten years, the entire property is now a town park, contiguous with the Cortlandt Waterfront Park.
  - Steamboat Dock and the Overlook also an extension of this town's lovely park area was preserved with a lovely gazebo and for an area for fishing and reflection of the river.
  - We purchased 99 acres from Con Edison off Broadway, which abuts the Hudson River for recreational and/or municipal purposes.
  - We turned town property near our Lake Meahagh into a lovely park, recreational site and added a community garden.
- 11. Oscawana Island a beautiful property near the Hudson River is leased to the Town of Cortlandt by Westchester County into the future.
- 12. We protected wetlands, aquifers, watershed, lakes and trees with legislation and ordinances for the present and for our future.
- 13. A total of 3,000 additional acres has been added to our Open Space inventory and has been used for recreational purposes and/or for protection of the environment. This has been balanced with Economic Growth in the appropriate areas of Town.

"I'm looking forward to continuing the efforts to balance economic growth in the right locations with protecting our residential neighborhoods and preserving sensitive environ-mental areas and parkland"

finder D. Duglion

Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor



# ECONOMIC GROWTH OVER MY 30 YEARS AS CORTLANDT'S TOWN SUPERVISOR

"I'd like to feature our town's economic growth which is equally important in any level of government but, especially at a local level. I have always felt that balancing the open space with economic growth is critical in the evolution of a community for many reasons: Businesses, current and new, small and large employ many residents and provide full-time and part-time jobs. Also, businesses bring in tax revenue to our town's treasury and help to offset tax increases for residential property owners. Businesses provide interesting shopping experiences, dining, grocery stores, delis, catering venues, professional services and, of course, commercial or industrial.

Cortlandt has approximately 200 small businesses. I have attended many ribbon cuttings over the years giving out proclamations and have welcomed in new businesses to be part of our business family (hair salons, restaurants, medical offices, insurance businesses, realtor's offices and many more).

Our largest taxpayer and employer of course was always Indian Point and the two operating nuclear plants currently owned by Entergy, Inc. It is located in the Village of Buchanan and in the Town of Cortlandt, as well. These plants will be permanently closed this April and will be dismantled /decommissioned by a new company for 20 to 60 years. Only about one third of the 900 jobs will remain and significantly reduced revenue will result.

Due to this closure and the challenges it brings, the Town is seeking new businesses with an economic consultant to help offset the loss of revenue. We work closely with the Village of Buchanan, the Hendrick Hudson School District which will also be affected and with residents on our local task forces.

During the thirty years there was a large expansion of our major shopping mall called the Cortlandt Town Center (for identity) off Rte. 6, which we call the Cortlandt Boulevard (also for identity). It doubled in size, brought in additional tax revenue, many new jobs and exciting new stores, restaurants and a movie theater (still opened today). This took place in the late 1990's. More recently, across from this Center a smaller but lovely shopping mall opened named "Cortlandt Crossing" with a clock tower that I insisted on for aesthetic purposes. This produced once again more jobs and revenue and a different variety of shopping for our residents.

Some stores recently closed in these malls nationally or regionally but I am in constant communication with the mall owners

and they tell me new stores/restaurants will replace them very soon. We have worked with our local contractors, builders, developers to build new housing areas (apartments, affordable units, condos, townhouses and subdivisions) which adds to our growth, as well. I was instrumental in lobbying Metro North for a state of the art new Cortlandt train station (identity, once again), which opened in 2000 where many of our residents and business owners can commute if need be to New York City. The fact that we are only one hour from Manhattan is important to a company or a business looking to locate in Cortlandt. Along with our economic consultant, board members and staff we have many exciting possibilities for our future ecnomic growth.

The town has a new brand which is a trademark called "Where Life works". We believe this logo/brand tells our successful story in Cortlandt.

Each Spring we host a month long emphasis on a "SHOP/DINE/DO BUSINESS" event to showcase our many businesses. Incentives from the small businesses are given out to our residents their consumers. It is a lot of fun! However, I always say every day of the year everyone should SHOP/DINE/DO BUSINESS in our wonderful community.

We also have an expanded hospital center in Cortlandt recently purchased by New York Presbyterian Hospital of NYC bringing in addi-tional medical services and jobs of all kinds to our community. We've also seen expanded nursing homes and soon will have a Senior Living Complex in town. All add to our overall economic and service oriented story.

In conclusion, I am very proud of our economic growth during my thirty years as Town Supervisor. We have a vibrant and healthy economy and we have also assisted our smaller businesses navigate the Pandemic by giving them infor-mation and guidance."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor

Town Board with Supervisor Puglisi

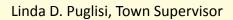


# KEY STUDIES AND PLANS THROUGHOUT THE YEARS OF THIS ADMINISTRATION (1992-2021)

- 3 Master Plans completed each are 10 year guides for a town government
- Cortlandt Train Stations (lobbied Metro North for our new Cortlandt train stations)
- ZORP (Zoning Ordinance Review Plans)- to review our zoning town wide
- Croton River Unique Area- to assist with safety and environmental issues
- Various Moratoriums including townwide while we reviewed planning and zoning issues along Route 6, 9A, 202
- Hamlet of Verplanck Waterfront Study and Plans (VEP and several throughout the years and currently)
- Montrose Enhancement Plan (MEP) and current Montrose Area Study Police Plans for our town 1990's and current (with the County and State Police Departments)
- Indian Brook Watershed study with other municipalities including Croton, Ossining and New Castle
- Shared Services planning to meet mandates, to be efficient and to save taxpayers money. We were leaders in sharing services early on.
- Historic Roads and Walls Reviews and ordinances
- ALS/Paramedics Study (which resulted in our current Cortlandt Regional Paramedics)
- Many traffic studies in key areas of town and ongoing.
- Economic Development Task Forces and studies over the years to assist our local businesses and to also bring in new businesses.
- Formed the Northern Tier Coalition for Recycling to meet a state mandate in 1992
- Lakes/Ponds/Streams Study to protect our waterbodies, biodiversity and wildlife plans
- MOD (Medically Oriented District)/TOD (Transit-Oriented District) –both still pending and were Master Plan recommendations.
- LWRP (Local Waterfront Revitalization Program) with the Village of Buchanan- properties along the Hudson River.
- Various Biodiversity studies townwide
- The two outdated emery mines which resulted in them closing (off Croton Ave and Colabough Pond Rd.) to preserve the quality of life in residential neighborhoods.
- Aaron Copland Preservation Homestead Committee which preserved his homestead for aspiring musicians. (He lived in Cortlandt for the last 30 years of his life)
- Recreation projects and events which resulted in many with our Recreation Board and Department
- A charrette/committee for the now current Hollow Brook Golf Course (originally 3 options by the developer the golf course was by far the BEST)
- REP (Roundabout study a work in progress for northern Cortlandt)
- Northern Westchester Water Works Committee which concluded with our water works plant(s) to filter our water and to meet an EPA mandate. I'm a member of the Executive Committee.
- GIS (Geographic Information Systems Planning)
- Several Realtors forums (to show what Cortlandt has to offer and our brand, "Where Life Works"
- Planning for Veterans, Seniors and our Youth to address their issues and needs.

"I have chaired, coordinated, established and presided over all of these studies, plans, task forces or committees in order to address issues in our community and to plan for improvements to enhance our quality of life in Cortlandt."

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# **RECREATIONAL AREAS AND PROGRAMS**

"Another very important part of a local government is its Recreation activities, sports programs, projects and special events for all age groups. I am very proud of all of the new amenities, recreation areas, programs and events we have initiated and developed over my thirty years as Cortlandt's Town Supervisor.

Here is a list of some of these enjoyed by all: A new Youth Center, an expanded Senior Center, many new playgrounds (one is handicapped accessible), softball fields with lights, a lacrosse field and a soccer field, a very popular dog park, and outdoor pavilions for gatherings and picnics.

In addition, an outdoor roller hockey rink and a skate park are enjoyed by our youth, as well as, new bas-ketball courts, tennis courts and a public boat launch on the Hudson River and a wonderful fitness trail and many other trails have been part of our achievements over the years.

We have purchased open space areas over the years that have allowed us to expand our programs and to hold special events. For example, an annual "Cortlandt Family Fun Day" with fireworks, many Halloween events, an Egg Hunt in the Spring, a 5K run and a "Winter Wonderland" in December each year.

Summer outdoor concerts and movies are held on town property by the Hudson River free of charge to our residents. Our seniors and our Veterans hold many wonderful ceremonies and events at our many park areas. Little Leagues and other youth leagues use our fields, as well. We host a community garden and this year will construct pickleball courts, which are very popular.

We are very proud of our Charles Cook Pool and campus. This property was an acquisition by the late Town Supervisor – Charles Cook – administration decades ago.

At this recreational site, we have an expanded swimming pool and swimming lanes, a water spray park with many features, new tennis courts and a basketball court, as well as, a 9-hole miniature golf course at no charge to our residents.

Summer camps enjoy this lovely area and this year we will dedicate a brand new State of the Art bathhouse and snack bar. All completed in my administration of 30 years. I thank the current and past town boards for their support.

Our fitness trail is on this campus as is Nor-West, which provides excellent services for individuals of all ages who are challenged and have special needs. I am especially proud of this important program.

We also have a very successful Rowing Association (crew) started by Councilman Frank Farrell.

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Therefore, in conclusion, adding to our recreation-al amenities has been one of my priorities to ben-efit our families in our wonderful town."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor

#### TOWN OF CORTLANDT

# RECREATIONAL AREAS & PROGRAMS

DURING SUPERVISOR PUGLISI'S 30 YEARS AS CORTLANDT'S TOWN SUPERVISOR

# **INFRASTRUCTURE AND CAPITAL PROJECTS**

"A big part of being a Town Supervisor is planning to repair, improve and construct new infrastructures throughout the Community.

For example: water storage tanks, traffic signals, replacement of waterlines, drainage projects, road improvements including paving a number of roads each year (the Town of Cortlandt averages \$2 million dollars each year).

Also, we seek grants to assist us with traffic calming measures, new sidewalks, improved traffic signal areas, roundabouts, sewers, etc.

The Town during my administration passed a local law to annually adopt a C.I.P., a Capital Improvement Plan. A staff committee and I put together this five year plan each year and list of needed projects each over \$50,000 for the Town Board to consider and to vote on. It totals millions of dollars each year and some of these projects are phased over a couple of years.

It is a very good way to plan for necessary infrastructure and capital projects to address the needs of a community. This C.I.P. can range from large vehicles such as snowplows (250K) to playgrounds, ball fields, water tanks, paving, expansion of our Senior Community Center, a new bathhouse/snack bar (done this year at our town pool) and many more.

This C.I.P. also helps me as Supervisor and our Comptroller to budget for these expenses each year. A percentage of the costs of these large projects come either from our town's fund balance or bonding and are also offset from grants at the State or Federal level.

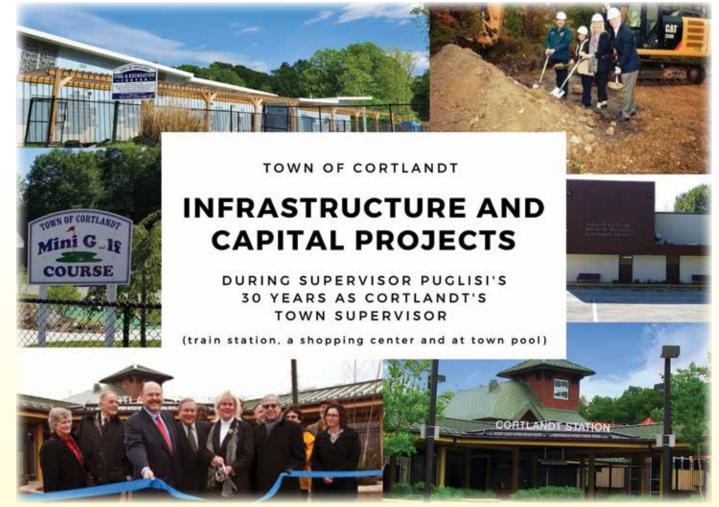
Sharing services with other municipalities is another way to help pay for these major projects especially for unfunded mandates. For example, when we received a mandate from the EPA/Federal Government to filter our town's water in the 1990's we formed a Northern Westchester Joint Waterworks with two other towns and a smaller water district to share in the costs of building a new filtration plant. This waterworks continues to this day. I serve on the executive board. The Town of Cortlandt saved \$8 mil-lion by sharing in this cost with our partners.

One of my first major projects I worked on also in the 1990's was to lobby Metro North/MTA to build a new larger train station in Cortlandt and they did (The Cortlandt Train Station). It's in the central part of our town and services many of our commuters and those wanting to take an occasional trip into the City.

So, I'm very proud of all of these major improvements and of the new funding plans we developed to benefit our community."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor



# **VETERANS AND SENIOR CITIZENS**

"Two other groups in our community that have always been very important to me are the Veterans (men and women) and our Senior Citizens. Both groups deserve and have earned our deep respect and gratitude for everything they have contributed to our Country and to our community.

My late father, coming out of college enlisted in the Marines at a very young age. He was eventually sent over to guard what was left of Pearl Harbor after the attacks during WWII. I'm sure those years stayed with him his whole life. He often told me if I ever have an opportunity to give back and assist Veterans to please try my best. I have tried to live up to my father's request as Supervisor.

First, myself and the late Michael Mongero, a WWII veteran who actually landed on Normandy Beach when he was only 17 years old and survived, started our first Cortlandt Veteran's Committee, which has grown to become regional back in 1992 my first year as Supervisor. Mike was also a Cortlandt Town Councilman in the 1980's and a great person! After Mike's passing away, Fremont Reif became our Chairman and currently, it is headed by Willy Nazario, a Purple Heart Vietnam Veteran and another dedicated leader for our Veterans.

We have held monthly meetings ever since this committee was formed and had speakers on many important issues for our Veterans. We also hold very special Veteran ceremonies for Memorial Day, Veterans Day and Pearl Harbor Day and for all other occasions. I have felt privileged to be the Master of Ceremonies at these events over the years. When I hear "Taps" played I get tears in my eyes.

Our Veteran's Committee along with our Town Board and I have fought to keep the FDR VA Hospital open and to keep and increase services for our Veterans (men and women) who have defended our great Country. I always say, "Our Veterans fought for us and now we need to fight for them".

We were successful in our efforts to keep the VA open, increase services, to have built a new indoor pool for Veterans and to have the only NYS Veterans Nursing Home for spouses, as well, on this campus in the region. We are very proud of this distinction.

Through the years I am proud to say that the Town has built many memorials paying tribute to our Veterans; a Purple Heart memorial, a Vietnam Era memorial, a memorial honoring all branches of the service an enhanced WWII memorial and a memorial honoring all Veterans throughout the years at our Hudson River Waterfront Park. We also have a Veteran's banner tribute along two of our major corridors.

I consider all of our Veterans and their families dear friends and cherish the memories of those who have passed away. They are all proud of their service and we are proud of them.

We also have many senior citizen clubs, programs, activities and events for our Seniors. Our community center is used solely by our seniors during the week supervised by an excellent staff: A Director, Assistant Director, a nutrition and kitchen staff and others who join the seniors for informational programs.

Our Center is named after Supervisor Muriel H. Morabito, the first woman Town Supervisor (in the early 1970's). There have only been two women supervisors. I am the only other woman Supervisor in the 233-year history of Cortlandt.

The Senior Clubs go on approximately twelve interesting trips during the year and have special luncheons and events/ parties that I have loved attending during

my thirty years as Town Supervisor.

Hundreds of our Seniors attend our clubs and programs. During the pandemic the center was closed due to Covid-19, but our staff made a point of making calls a few times during the year to check in on them. The staff was still working at the center and could be reached to assist the Seniors with their questions and needs.

So, in conclusion helping both the Veterans and the Senior Citizens in every local government is a priority and certainly has been for me. Once again, I truly love and respect each Senior and Veteran and always enjoy hearing them talk about their families and lives."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor (1992-2021)



# **FAMILY VACATIONS**

In the Spring and Summer, we look forward to our family vacations. I have so many great memories of family vacations with my parents and sisters, with my two children and now with my grandsons.

So much fun, laughter, good times which included going to the ocean, to lakes, to visit my paternal grand-parents in Ohio, to Disney World, Cooperstown, Niagara Falls, California and a couple of times to Europe and others over the years.

I always love the excitement of planning for the trip, developing an itinerary and what to pack and just talking to my family about the expectation of being together.

I'm sure everyone has similar fond memories and new ones to make for the future. Don't forget the photo albums to reminisce on all of the fun and of course stored in our gallery on our cell phones now.

My daughter, Ali, her husband Tom and my grandsons, Oliver and Jeremy have been so kind to include me on many of their vacations to Cape Cod, Niagara Falls, to a lovely Connecticut beach trip and of course to Disney World. The boys were younger then and I had so much fun experiencing this wonderful destination through their eyes just as I did with my children (twins) when they were young. I might add we're all kids when we go to Disney World!

I told you recently about a special trip my son Jeff took me to, Cooperstown, and of course I'll never forget when he surprised me with a trip to California to attend "Dancing With the Stars". He knew someone with the show who got us great seats.

I also had many great trips with my parents, as I mentioned, and with my sisters. Cape Cod was and is our usual vacation spot, but we're talking about other places, as well, in future years.

In conclusion, I wanted to share with you my thoughts about family vacations and always being fortunate that I have them. I love my family very much and have been blessed!

I also say that it's so much fun to go away for a few days or a week on family vacations but it's always great to come home to Cortlandt, where I've made wonderful memories with our community and its residents.

I love Cortlandt and all of you. Enjoy each other and your families.

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor (August 2021)









# A REFLECTION ON FAMILY VACATIONS

Supervisor Linda Puglisi and Her Family















# SEPTEMBER IS BACK-TO-SCHOOL MONTH AND TOWN YOUTH PROGRAMS

In September, our children go back to school. The relaxing days of summer are now behind us; going to the town pool, taking family vacations, playing sports, summer concerts, barbecues, neighborhood parties, fireworks on July 4th and all the other great times.

However, the education of our children is very important and we are fortunate to have excellent School Districts in our community.

The Town kicks off the Fall months with our annual Cortlandt Family Fun Day (this year on September 18, raindate September 19) with fireworks. Then we go into our October events, a 5K Run for all ages, and several Halloween parties including a Dog Parade. Yes, they are also dressed in festive costumes. Lots of fun!

I was a part in creating our first Youth Center in a small house leased to the town off Albany Post Road many years ago. When we outgrew this space then the Town Board and I agreed to build a new Youth Center off Memorial Drive, near the New York State Police headquarters. It opened September 2009 and has been a great and safe environment for many young people throughout the years. The Director and staff are all highly qualified to supervise our children. We also have a drop in center called the C.U.E. with a pool table, games, TV, etc. near the movie theater at the Cortlandt Town Center. Also, well supervised.

The Town Recreation Department has dedicated individuals who run our many youth programs: basketball, lacrosse, softball, soon pickleball, assist with football and many other programs.

Of course, we are very proud of our town pool campus with all of its amenities and our summer camps are always a big hit. For the very young chil-dren we have a network of playgrounds and other activities for their enjoyment.

Over the years, I have enjoyed handing out the trophies for all our sports teams to the boys and girls. Each child receives a trophy. Special thanks to our volunteer coaches who make these programs memorable.

Another very special part of being Supervisor is when young people come into the Town Hall to meet with me to learn about our local government. It could be Boy Scout or Girl Scout troop or classrooms from the various schools. Sometimes it is just one student doing a report interviewing me. All of these are wonderful. They always have great questions and suggestions, I may add. I tell them when they grow up perhaps they will be Town Supervisor, the Governor or even the President. I also tell them they can become whatever they want to and that whatever is in their future I know they will be great!

Therefore, in summary, as a parent, a grandmother, and as a former Pre-School Director, I love working with and meeting our Cortlandt youth. They are the best!

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor









# **INDIAN POINT UPDATE**

"Indian Point's nuclear plants formerly owned by Entergy Corporation now owned by Holtec Inc. for the decommissioning of the closed three plants/ reactors (closed on 4/30/2021).

These 240 acres will be in a dismantling operation for many years (approximately, for 20 years, but the NRC said it could take 60 years); It is a very complicated process. The Village of Buchanan and the Town of Cortlandt have formed a committee (CAP), chaired by the Mayor of Buchanan and Vice Chair, the Town of Cortlandt Supervisor, to monitor all aspects and the safety of these next steps."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor

# PATRIOT AWARD

On Thursday, April 15th, Supervisor Linda Puglisi received an honorable Patriot Award from the Department of Defense for being an Employer Supporter of the Guard and Reserve Program. This

award recognizes the exceptional support an employer gives to an active member of the Guard and Reserve. A special thanks to Lieutenant Stephen Hetman of the New York Army National Guard for his nomination and service. The Town of Cortlandt is proud to support members of the National Guard and Reserve who protect and serve our Country, domestically and abroad.

"It is my honor to receive this prestigious award from our nation's Department of Defense and I am grateful to Lieutenant Hetman for his nomination of me. I have and will continue to be an advocate of our National Guard and of all men and women serving our great Country."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor



# A SEPTEMBER 11, 2001 REMEMBRANCE BY SUPERVISOR LINDA D. PUGLISI AND TWENTY YEARS LATER

"This year (2021) marks the 20th anniversary of 9/11. A very sad and tragic day for our Country, region and for our community, as well. September 11, 2001 was a Tuesday and it started out as a bright, sunny day right after Labor Day. People were back from their summer vacations, children were back in school and everyone was back to work preparing for a good and successful year as we embarked on a new decade.

Then suddenly our entire world and our lives changed when we learned early that morning around 9:30am the World Trade Center, the Pentagon had been attacked and a commercial airplane went down in a field in Pennsylvania all by terrorists who wanted to destroy us. Like the Pearl Harbor attack on December 7, 1941, this day will also "live in infamy" to quote President Franklin D. Roosevelt so many years before.

As Supervisor I sent all of our employees home, locked our doors and stayed at Town Hall to receive information and then pass it along to our board and community. I was joined by three other key department heads to assist me that day. I remember contacting the Governor's office (George Pataki), other elected officials at various levels of government and was in communication with Indian Point (nuclear plants) representatives. The plane that struck the World Trade Center actually flew over Indian Point and the Hudson River. We were fearful another attack would occur at these plants. It was a very difficult and sad day.

In Cortlandt, Croton and Buchanan we lost the following wonderful individuals:

William F. Abrahamson, Town of Cortlandt FF George C. Cain, 1st Responder, FDNY PO Stephen P. Driscoll, 1st Responder, NYPD James A. Oakley, Town of Cortlandt Gregory E. Rodriguez, Village of Croton-on-Hudson Thomas E. Sinton III, Town of Cortlandt Randall L. Sprance, 2nd Responder, U.S. Dept. of Treasury Joseph J. Zuccala, Town of Cortlandt FF Michael R. O'Hanlon, 1st Responder, FDNY

We held moment of silence ceremonies and had clergy present to pray with us for those we lost, for their families, for our community and for our nation.

Many of our first responders went down to Ground Zero to assist in the search and rescue effort. They are all Heroes.

Every year since we've held memorial services on 9/11 and this year will be the 20th. I can't believe it's been twenty years. I will never forget and I know you won't, as well.

The second important part of our remembrance is that a 9/11 committee was formed in-cluding Cortlandt with Buchanan and Croton-on-Hudson.

The chair of this committee is a wonderful person, Janet Mainiero, who spearheaded our effort to design, find the right location (Croton Landing) and to have a large bronze statue sculpted (Lauren Davis, the sculptress). The designer/architect is James Rhodes and the name we all selected is "Reaching through the Shadows." It's a woman reaching towards the sky reaching for her lost loved ones on 9/11. It's very beautiful and is adjacent to the Hud son River. One can walk to this area and reflect on that tragic day.

We are all grateful to the members of this committee who devoted years on this important project. The statue includes a piece of the twisted steel structure of the World Trade Center. We were able to receive it from the Port Authority and a group of us including first respond-ers went down to an airport hangar, covered it in an American Flag, and bought it back to our community to be stored until it became part of the memorial statue project.

Thank you all. We will never forget and God Bless America."

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Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor











#### Military Order of the Purple Heart Memorial

### Dedicated on October 30, 2015

Located in front of the Cortlandt Town Hall, 1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, NY

# **CORTLANDT MILITARY TRIBUTE BANNERS**

The Town of Cortlandt is proud to announce that we are sponsoring a **Military Tribute Banner Program** in the Town of Cortlandt. The banners are a beautiful tribute to honor all of our men and women who have defended our Country and fought for our freedoms in America. The banners will be displayed from Memorial Day to Veterans Day along Route 9A near the VA Hospital in Montrose. After this period, they will be taken down and given to the family or business that purchased the banner as a keepsake. Then the next cycle takes place.



For additional details regarding these special banners and for ordering/payment information, please follow this link:

https://militarytributebanners.org/current-programs/cortlandt-manor-ny.html or by visiting the Contact the Supervisor's Office at 914-734-1002 or DianneC@townofcortlandt.com for more information.



# VIETNAM MEMORIAL AT CORTLANDT TOWN HALL

The Town of Cortlandt constructed and dedicated a Vietnam Memorial on the front lawn at Town Hall. The Town of Cortlandt honored the men and women Vietnam Veterans for the 50th anniversary of the Vietnam War. This memorial will be a living tribute to those who defended our Country and to those who sacrificed their lives for our freedoms in America.

We also have a glorious Veteran's Memorial at our Cortlandt Waterfront Park by the Hudson River in our hamlet of Verplanck.

Our Cortlandt Regional Veteran's Committee meets monthly at our Community Center off Westbrook Drive and our chairman, Willy Nazario (a Purple Heart Vietnam Veteran) and his fellow Veterans represent the pride in Country that is reflected in all of our Veterans throughout the years. It has been my privilege and honor working with Veterans over the years, building memorials to honor them and to host our Veteran's committee and ceremonies.

# CORTLANDT FIRST RESPONDERS TRIBUTE BANNERS

The Town of Cortlandt is proud to announce that we are sponsoring a new **First Responders Banner Program** for residents in the Town of Cortlandt. The banners are a wonderful way to honor and thank our residents who are employed as healthcare workers, emergency personnel and those on the front line protecting all of us and our families in our community each and every day, especially throughout this pandemic.

The banners will be displayed for a six-month period (May 2021 – November 2021) along Route 202 near the NewYork-Presbyterian Hudson Valley Hospital.



After this period, they will be taken down and given to the family or business that purchased the banner as a keepsake. Then the next group of banners will be displayed the following year.

For additional details regarding these special banners and for ordering/payment information, please follow this link: https://militarytributebanners.org/current-programs/new-york/cortlandt-manor-ny-first-responders.html.

**Contact the Supervisor's Office at 914-734-1002** or **DianneC@townofcortlandt.com** for more information. In honor of our Town of Cortlandt Disabled Veterans and their spouses, the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department will offer half prices for all recreation programs offered in this brochure.

# **TOWN OF CORTLANDT 2021 GOALS**

- Continue our excellent financial record. Moody's upgraded our bond rating to Aa1 in 2020 for our good record. Also, to keep the town tax increases very low. In 2019 the increase was only 0.9% (equals \$15 for the year) and overall for 29 years only on average a 1% town tax increase in total. The 2020/2021 town tax increases are 0%. I'm very proud of this record which includes very low town debt.
- 2. Continue our Military Veterans Banners on Albany Post Rd. along the corridor in front of the V.A. and also along Oregon Rd. in the northern part of Cortlandt. (Contact my office @ 914-734-1002 to learn more or go on our town's website at www.townofcortlandt.com.)
- 3. To oversee and monitor the closure and decommissioning of the two operating Nuclear Plants at Indian Point (located in the Village of Buchanan and Town of Cortlandt). We work closely with the Buchanan Mayor and officials, as well as, the Hendrick Hudson School District both of which will be fiscally impacted by the loss of revenue when the plants close in 2021.
- 4. The town's new bathhouse will be completed this year and snack bar in 2021 for the season at our town pool location. Also, new golf carts and half court basketball courts
- 5. Continue our economic growth in the right locations in the town to offset our upcoming loss of revenue from Indian Point (\$800,000 a year, 2% of our annual revenue) including on town property and in the Hendrick Hudson School District Area to assist them.
- 6. More sewer projects in the town. We received a grant from NYS to offset the costs for the properties along Albany Post Rd. in Montrose and other sewer projects are being developed, as well.
- 7. During the pandemic we had to take a PAUSE for safety purposes but we are looking forward to our "Cortlandt Family Fun Day" and "Winter Wonderland" resuming this year.
- 8. Sustainability issues are very important to us in this administration and we will continue energy programs (i.e. solar projects and HVAC at the Town Hall)
- 9. We have expanded our social media opportunities (i.e. Instagram) and will continue these important efforts for communication.
- 10. We've been successful removing blighted structures and will continue to do so along with the removal of all billboards town wide. They have become outdated due to many other ways to advertise.
- 11. Cortlandt Waterfront Park along the Hudson River in the Verplanck hamlet has become a center of activity for our community (summer concerts etc.). We are completing plans for a Discovery Center at the park this year.
- 12. We will work with the successful Cortlandt Community Rowing Association started by Councilman Frank Farrell to construct a new hangar for storage of the crew boats and in many other ways to promote this important program.
- 13. Many infrastructure projects and our extended paving plan will continue in 2021. We are very pleased that <sup>\$</sup>3 million of resurfacing was completed in 2019 and <sup>\$</sup>1.5 million in 2020.
- 14. We have many important programs and activities for our Seniors and youth at our centers and many recreational programs. (See our quarterly recreation brochures to learn more.)
- 15. Work with new entrepreneurs wanting to locate in the Town as a result of our new branding campaign, "Where Life Works" kicked off in 2020.
- 16. As always, we support our Veterans and those defending our Country today and will continue our Veteran's committee and our many ceremonies.

"It is an honor to be Cortlandt's Town Supervisor. It is a privilege that I take very seriously to take care of our community and all of the wonderful residents of our town. Thank you."

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# TOWN OF CORTLANDT FINANCIAL RECORD

**30 Years of Tax Caps** 

1992-2021

(Only 1% on average for town tax increases for the entire 30 years) **30 Years met the NYS Tax Cop** (never went over)

**30 Years of a Balanced Budget** 

**30 Years of NO DEFICITS** 

**30 Years of an Increased Savings Account** 

(Tripled in this adminstration)

30 Years of a Surplus (Each year)

30 Years of Low Town Debt

(Only 1.2% of the total bonding capacity has been used)

**30 Years of Major Improvements and Capital Project** 

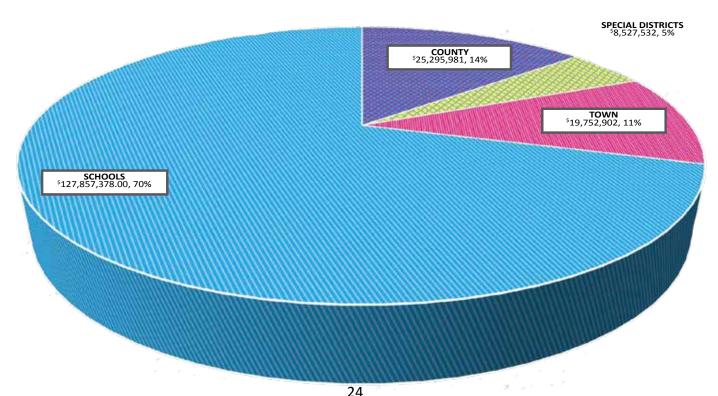
(Over \$160 million dollars)

"A record that we are very proud of which has benefited our community, residents, and local businesses during this administration.

- Linda Puglisi, Town Supervisor

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2020 TOWN, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, SPECIAL DISTRICTS & SCHOOL DISTRICT

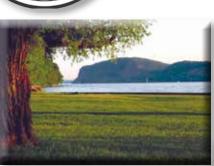


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**Otocast** provides a mobile application used for audio and visual guides of specific points of interest such as historical and recreational sites in any participating location. **The Town of Cortlandt** is now a part of this incredible easily accessible mobile application.

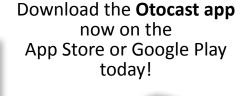




Croton Point Park



Cortlandt Dog Park









Town Hall



Aviation Playground at Cortlandt Waterfront Park

# Never miss another collection day

The Town of Cortlandt Announces

 View your collection schedule online or download the mobile waste app.

Hester App

 Sign up for collection day reminders - get them by email, phone call or text message!

# Full details at

www.townofcortlandt.com/sanitationschedule



# **Town of Cortlandt Emergency Notification System**

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This system enables the Town of Cortlandt to alert you about emergency situations affecting areas of concern to you with in the Town of Cortlandt. You can register multiple technology devices (such as personal cell phone, work cell phone, home phone, personal emails, or work email) specifying the best way to reach you in an emergency.

Uses

The code Red system will be used to send critical communications, from evacuation notices to missing child alerts.

#### **Caller ID**

When you see the following displayed, you will know the call is from us. If you would like to hear the last message delivered to your phone, simply dial the number back.

Emergency Notifications 1-866-419-5000 or Emergency Comm General Notifications 1-855-969-4636 or General Comm

#### Privacy

Your contact information remains private and will only be used for community notifications.



# **STORM PREPAREDNESS** TOWN OF CORTLANDT INFORMATION

Town Supervisor Linda D. Puglisi

Town Board Members Richard H. Becker Debra A. Carter James F. Creighton Francis X. Farrell

# **Important Resources and Links**

#### Con Edison 800-752-6633 www.coned.com

Sign up for alerts on the Town of Cortlandt Website: hwww.townofcortlandt.com

# Town of Cortlandt, DES Highway Division

**914-737-0075** highway@townofcortlandt.com for downed trees and/or wires

## *Town of Cortlandt Town Hall and Website* 914-734-1000

hwww.townofcortlandt.com

Town of Cortlandt Facebook www.facebook.com/townofcortlandt

Optimum Cable, NY- Bronx/ Brooklyn/ Westchester

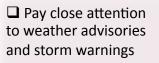
Residential Customer Service,

718-860-3513 www.optimum.net

## Verizon FIOS

800-837-4966 www.verizon.com/home/fios/

NYS Police - Non Emergency Phone, 914-737-7171 Westchester County Police - Non Emergency Phone, 914-864-7701 Emergency - 911



□ Keep a flashlight and fresh batteries handy

Refuel vehicles and ensure they are in good working condition

□ Have a battery powered radio to keep in-formed of restoration efforts

Have a plan to check on vulnerable neighbors and family members

Stock water and pack-aged or canned foods that do not require refrigeration

□ Have a phone that does not require an electric outlet to operate; Charge cell phones or have a car cell phone charger

□ Ensure adequate supplies of medications, cash, and other necessities

















THINK SAFETY

- Stay at least 30 feet away from downed power lines, and lines that may be entangled and hidden in fallen trees. Assume a downed line is live.
- Avoid using candles for illumination.
- Never use outdoor gas or charcoal grills, indoors as they pose a fire hazard and, over time, can give off deadly carbon monoxide gas. Use these appliances outdoors only, with proper ventila-tion. Operate motor vehicles outdoors only, and never in the garage.

# TOWN OF CORTLANDT ADOPT-AN-ISLAND PROGRAM & APPLICATION



The Town of Cortlandt Adopt-an-Island Program offers companies, civic groups, institutions and individuals the opportunity to adopt a traffic island or other neighborhood space and help us beautify the Town of Cortlandt.

## **GUIDELINES AND PROGRAM SPECIFICATIONS**

- Identify a traffic island or roadside area that you wish to enhance and contact **Fred Pardee** at fredp@townofcortlandt.com 914-737-0047 in our DES/ Parks Division.
- You or your group will be responsible for purchasing all items, including plants, mulch, etc., planting/ installing, and maintaining your island (including weeding, trimming, garbage removal and watering) throughout the season.
- All material must be natural and plants must be kept under 30" as to not interfere with traffic safety.
- A sign with your name will be provided by the Town of Cortlandt and will be placed on the island. Please give your information to our DES office by emailing fredp@townofcortlandt.com.
- Most of all, the Town asks that you stay safe while working on your island and always use common sense, especially in high traffic areas and always wear bright clothing for safety purposes. Your organization is solely responsible to follow all safety precautions and guidelines while working on your project.
- The Town has the right to remove any planting that is deemed necessary.
- The Town has the right to terminate the Adopt-an-Island Program at any time and in doing so will remove signage for the island.

Name of Sponsor/ Business:	
Contact Person:	
Contact Telephone #:	
Contact Email:	
Island Location:	

# **HELP US BEAUTIFY CORTLANDT!**

Contact Information:

Fred Pardee Of the TOC Department of DES.

# 914-737-0047

Email: Fredp@townofcortlandt.com





# SUSTAINABLE CORTLANDT OUR MISSION

To protect and enhance the quality of life of our residents and the unique environment of our area by establishing programs and policies which integrate sustainability into Town governance and planning, at the same time we want to encourage and enable Town residents and businesses to adopt sustainable practices.

# TO THE CORTLANDT COMMUNITY

Sustainability is the promise to our children and grandchildren that they will inherit a tomorrow that is better than today and hopefully better. Achieving this promise will call for the participation of each and every one of us. Our Town has a long standing record of environmental stewardship exemplified by our leadership in protecting open space, natural resources, and smart growth practices. Visit www.townofcortlandt.com Sustainable Cortlandt to learn more. The Town Board and I are fully committed to this important effort and we look forward to your participation in becoming a sustainable community.

Town Supervisor

# ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV) OUTLET STATION



Through a grant provided by the New York Power Authority in 2014, The Town of Cortlandt was able to install two electric vehicle charging stations at Town Hall. Please download the free EV Connect mobile app which is available in the Apple App Store and Google Play Store or at http://www.evconnect.com/charging-app/ and register for an account. Once registered, you will receive a confirmation link through email. You may also register at http://network.evconnect.com. If you would like to do a one-time charge, please call EV Connect driver support line at 866.816.PLUG (7584). *Please note:* Public drivers will need to setup a PayPal account and have it associated to their EVC account prior to using the stations.

## Remember to RECYCLE to save our ENVIRONMENT!

This guide is printed on *RECYCLED PAPER*; As a result, approximately five (5) trees were preserved. To schedule and appointment and for more information about chemical clean up and H-MRF (Household Material Recovery Facility) contact Westchester County at **914-813-5425** or visit **www.westchester.gov.** 



The Town has established regular pick up routes for organic yard waste. Yard waste will be picked up town wide on these dates. Yard waste must be placed in **Brown Biodegradable Bags** or loosely in garbage cans. Plastic bags cannot be composted. Organic waste in plastic bags will not be picked up. Please visit the website for further details **www.townofcortlandt.com/sanitation** 

The Town of Cortlandt Town Hall will host a **Permanent Medical Drop Box** to offer our Town residents the opportunity to safely discard unwanted prescription drugs. The box is located in the Purchasing Building at the **Town of Cortlandt Town Hall Campus** at **1 Heady Street Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567** The hours of operation will be Monday– Friday • 9:00 AM-3:30 PM The drop box is monitored by the Westchester County State Police.

# For your safety House Numbers must be posted to facilitate the ENHANCED 911 SYSTEM - FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Building enumeration is a vital component of the E911 System. Local Law No. 5-1988 mandated the posting of your home number for the use of emergency response personnel. Public education and awareness of the requirements of E911 is difficult without the assistance of the general public and our local media. Please advise your neighbors of the need for house enumeration. We want to use all resources available to us to speed the delivery of emergency ser-vices to your homes and families. Thank you for your cooperation on this important issue. At all times we thank our first responders who protect our residents and our community. - Linda D. Puglisi, Town Supervisor.

For additional information call: 914-734-1040 (House Enumeration), 914-734-1010 (Location and # Size)

# AMANDA'S LAW: CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM REQUIREMENTS GO INTO EFFECT FEBRUARY 22, 2010

As a result of recent legislation, Amandas Law went into effect on February 22, 2010. Amanda's Law was named in honor of Buffalo resident Amanda Hansen, a teenage girl who lost her life to carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning from a defective boiler when sleeping over a friend's house in January 2009. It requires essentially all residences, both new and existing, to have carbon monoxide alarms installed. The specific requirements differ for new and existing residences and also on when the buildings were built and subcategories of occupancy groups.

# **ATTENTION HOME OWNERS**

If your home is equipped with an alarm system it must be registered with the Town by obtaining an alarm permit with pertinent information relative to your home. (i.e., animals, contact persons, etc.) These permits are valid for long as you own your home. A new permit must be obtained when ownership changes. The permit information is distributed to the appropriate emergency services to enable them to respond to the alarm more efficiently. Applications can be by mail and can be obtained from the code enforcement office. Call 914-734-1010 for any further information or application.

Your local Volunteer Ambulance Corps & Fire Departments urgently need volunteers to help their effort to provide Emergency Services to our Community Join your local department and learn new skills, make new friends and know you are helping to save lives and property and provide a real service to you community.

Call the "house" number, listed in the phone book for more info or call:

Volunteer Fire Departments		Volunteer Ambulance Corps	
Buchanan Fire	914-737-3481 or 914-737-0334	Cortlandt (CCVAC)	914-739-0881
<b>Continental Village</b>	845-739-1020	Croton	914-271-2693
Croton-on-Hudson	914-271-2693	Mohegan	914-526-1005
Mohegan	914-526-0823	Verplanck	914-788-6943
Montrose	914-737-8919	Peekskill	914-737-5310
Verplanck	914-788-6943		
Peekskill	914-737-2760		

## What do you know about the Town of Cortlandt Heating Oil Plan, CHOP? This is an initiative of your Supervisor and Town Board, designed to save you

This is an initiative of your Supervisor and Town Board, designed to save you money on the high cost of heating your home this winter. Members of CHOP will be able to purchase oil at a discount, through our bulk purchasing arrangement. The cost will be 30 - 40 cents per gallon above the wholesale cost to our local distributors, averaging approximately 20 cents per gallon less than the homeowner can obtain. This results in a savings for our homeowners.

This is a totally voluntary program, in which all homeowners may join our oil plan by paying a <sup>\$</sup>5.00 membership fee. For additional information, frequently asked questions and for participating oil companies, visit www.townofcortlandt.com/chop for more information.



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# SOLUTIONS TO STORMWATER POLLUTION

Easy Things You Can Do Every Day To Protect Our Water



Stormwater is water from rain or melting snow that flows from rooftops, paved areas and lawns that doesn't soak into the ground but runs off into waterways, like streams, ponds, lakes, and rivers.

As it flows, stormwater runoff collects and transports soil, animal waste, salt, fertilizers, oil and grease, pesticides, litter and other potential pollutants. This pollution can enter groundwater, streams, lakes, ponds, and rivers and can even affect the quality of our drinking water.

Increase in impervious surfaces cause more stormwater runoff. Because less water is soaking in, flooding can become more frequent and more destructive.

The Town of Cortlandt is a regulated community and has enacted updated Town ordinances governing stormwater. To learn more, visit our website at: www.townofcortlandt.com/stormwater

# What can you do to help with Stormwater Issues?

#### Lawn Care

Most lawns tested in Westchester County DO NOT need more phosphorus. If you must fertilize, use phosphorus-free fertilizer (where the middle number on the bag is zero). Excess fertilizer flows into streams, lakes, rivers, and reservoirs, where it can degrade drinking water, lead to algae and plant growth and contribute to fish kills. Don't fertilize when rain is expected. Leave grass clippings on the lawn to recycle nutrients. More information on lawn care is available in the Town of Cortlandt Recycling brochure.

#### Septic System Maintenance

Failing septic systems can contaminate groundwater, drinking water and surface flows. Most of the Town of Cortlandt is serviced by individual septic systems. Your septic system should be pumped and inspected regularly. Generally, septic tanks should be cleaned out every 3-5 years, depending on the size of the tank. Do not pour chemicals, paints, fats, or excess medications down your pipes. Driving on or parking on septic field may damage them.

#### Scoop the Poop

Please pick up after your dog or cat. It doesn't matter the size of the animal- all animal waste has an impact. Animal waste is easily carried by runoff, washing off roads and lawns. Pet waste contains harmful bacteria and phosphorus that can promote the growth of weeds and algae.

#### Landscaping Helps

Keep vegetation and organic material on the soil, especially on slopes. Landscape to limit the steepness or length of slopes. Build a buffer of vegetation by watercourses to help filter sediment. Replace the lawn at water's edge with shrubs, hedges or trees. Anything that slows the flow of water will help us give time for the pollution to be removed.

#### Care for your Car

Little drops of oil and gas add up. One pint of oil can cause an oil slick the size of a football field. Take used motor oil to gas stations. NEVER pour it down the drain. Take other fluids to approved recycling locations. Use saw dust or kitty litter to clean up leaks and spills in your driveway. Wash your car on your lawn if possible to capture runoff.

#### **Reporting Stormwater Polluters**

Your actions or the action of your neighbor can affect water resources. We are all downstream of someone. No polluted water should be allowed to go into our stormwater system. If you notice pollution of Stormwater you can report the details to the Town of Cortlandt Stormwater Hotline at Town Code Enforcement at 914-734-1010.







# HOW TO REGISTER FOR RECREATION PROGRAMS ONLINE

Fall 2021 Online Registration will begin on: Thursday, September 9, 2021 at 8:30 AM!



To create a family account and register for programs, follow the instructions below or on the Community Pass site.

#### How to Create a Family Account:

- 1. Go to www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline
- 2. From the Town of Cortlandt Community Pass login homepage click on the "Create an Account" tab.
- 3. On the next page complete the "Account Creation" fields and click on Create at the bottom of the page.
- 4. On the next page you will see the Community Pass Privacy Statement. After reading, click 'Accept.' Then click 'Finish.'
- 5. Please save your login and password for future use.

#### *How to Register for Programs:*

- 1. Go to www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline to log back into the system.
- 2. Log in using the permanent username and password for your account.
- 3. Click the 'Click Here to Register' button.
- 4. Select the applicable Catalog by clicking the 'Continue' button next to your choice.
- 5. Verify email. Click 'Continue'.
- 6. Select the person registering, then 'Continue'.
- 7. Select the program (s) you wish to attend.
- 8. When finished with selections, click 'Continue'.
- 9. Complete payment information.

# If you have any questions concerning account activation, registration or payments, please call or email: 914-734-1050 or reconline@townofcortlandt.com

# **IMPORTANT REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

• Registration can also be mailed to the Recreation office (PLEASE NOTE: Due to the popularity of our programming, and accessibility of online registration, mailing in your registration may result in waitlist); Office Hours 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM.

#### Town of Cortlandt Recreation & Conservation 1 Heady Street Cortlandt Manor, New York 10567-1254

- Use the appropriate registration form included in the back of this brochure for registrations.
- Include cash, a check, or a money order payable to THE TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION for the total amount.
- Individual checks are necessary for separate courses and camp programs.
  - If a check is returned to the Recreation Division due to insufficient funds, there will be a \$20.00 service charge.
  - Checks CANNOT BE REDEPOSITED. Cash or Money Order will be required immediately to replace returned check and service charge.
- There is a point when a program must be canceled or modified if there is insufficient registration. All programs require a high level of coordination often including facility scheduling, staffing, volunteer recruitment and purchasing of supplies. Please register early!
- It is recommended that your registration be completed a minimum of two (2) weeks prior to the start of the program.
- If space is available in any program (Including camp) one week prior to the start of the program, nonresidents will be allowed to participate by paying a 20% surcharge of the higher fee.

#### THE TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION DEPARTMENT DOES NOT ACCEPT AMERICAN EXPRESS.

# TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION PHOTO ID CARDS & HOLLOW BROOK GOLF STICKERS

The fees listed for programs differ for those participants with or without a Town of Cortlandt Recreation Photo ID Card. **Note that all valid photo ID cards have expiration dates.** Please check your card.

- Previously issued ID cards are NOT acceptable as current proof of residency.
- THE TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION DEPARTMENT DOES NOT ACCEPT AMERICAN EXPRESS.
- Adult and Youth ID Card fee, \$7.00.
- Senior Citizen ID Card fee (60+, must provide identification), \$3.50.

#### Town of Cortlandt Recreation Photo ID Cards via community pass and email procedures:

The fees listed for programs differ for those participants with or without a Town of Cortlandt Recreation Photo ID Card. Note that all valid photo ID cards have expiration dates. Please check your card.

- 1. Residents must first create an account through Community Pass (\*Please be sure to enter every household member into your family account that you would like to have registered for a Town of Cortlandt Recreation ID Card):
  - Go to <u>www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline</u>
  - From the Town of Cortlandt Community Pass login homepage click on the "Create an Account" tab.
  - On the next page complete the "Account Creation" fields and click on Create at the bottom of the page.
  - On the next page you will see the Community Pass Privacy Statement. After reading, click 'Accept.'
  - Then click 'Finish.' Please save your login and password for future use.
- Each adult resident in the household requesting an ID Card must submit two forms of proof of residency (Drivers license, current utility bill, current paystub, check with Town of Cortlandt address, car registration, etc. Previously issued ID cards are NOT acceptable as current proof of residency), via email to recidcard@townofcortlandt.com, along with the following.
  - Residents must also specify which family members in their account would like an ID Card
  - Residents must also submit photos of each family member requesting an ID Card
    - In color
    - Taken within the past 6 months, showing current appearance.
    - Use a clear image of your face. Do not use filters commonly used on social media.
    - Full face, front view with a plain background.
    - Have someone else take your photo. No selfies.
    - Do not wear a hat or headgear.
    - Do not wear sunglasses.
- 3. Office staff will then register each family member for their ID Cards.
- 4. Residents will be notified when their ID Cards are registered through Community Pass. Once they ID Cards are registered in Community Pass, residents must login to their Community Pass accounts and pay their ID Card balance.

#### Families will not be eligible to register for any other program through the Town of Cortlandt Community Pass Online Registration Software until the balance for their ID Cards is paid in full.

5. Finally, office staff will print the physical ID Cards, and mail them to the address on the residents Community Pass account.

Residents may also get Town of Cortlandt Recreation Photo ID Cards in office. Residents may call the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department Office at 914-734-1050 and make an appointment. Appointment hours are between 9:00 AM– 3:30 PM, Monday - Friday.

Buchanan and Croton residents may use their Village ID card to receive our ID card rate for all programs except our summer swim passes and summer swim lessons. If you have a Buchanan or Croton Village ID Card and wish to register for a program online, please contact the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department at recidcard@townofcortlandt.com.

# **GENERAL TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

#### **CREDITS/ REFUNDS**

A full refund will be issued for any program cancelled by the Recreation Department.

- Any refund request because of illness or accident must be submitted in writing and be accompanied by a Doctor's Note. Refunds will be prorated based on the date received. **Requests must be made prior to the end of the program and will not be considered when a program is half over.** All requests must be submitted in writing.
- All other refund/credit requests (Other than medical) must also be submitted in writing and will be assessed a
   <sup>\$</sup>15.00 processing fee and issued a prorated program credit based on the date received. The credit must be used
   within two years from the date and must be mailed in with your application to ensure proper credit towards your
   next program or league registration. The credit is not replaceable original form must be sub-mitted for credit.
- Whether the initial registration is paid via cash, check, or credit card, all refunds will be issued via check.

#### **SLIDING FEE SCALE AVAILABLE**

It is the intention of the Town that no resident of the Town be denied the ability to participate in programs because of an inability to pay. Income Tax backup is necessary, unemployment information, and any other paper work is request- ed for financial help already received by any other agencies. The fee reduction can be used with any program registra- tion, sports league or resident pass in the Recreation Division. Fee reduction applications are available in the Recrea- tion Office through Emma Giovinco at emmag@townofcortlandt.com or 914-734-1054 or John Palmiotto, Director, Town of Cortlandt Recreation & Conservation at 914-734-1051.

#### **RECREATION SUGGESTION BOX**

There may be an activity or program that you enjoy which is not presently offered by the Recreation Division. You may also have ideas for new programs or constructive comments on the improvement of existing programs and services. In either case, the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Division encourages Town residents to express their particular ideas and concerns. Please help us to offer to you the programs and services, which you desire. Send all ideas and comments to tocrec@townofcortlandt.com

#### HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBILITY

Programs described in this brochure have been audited by our staff to determine general accessibility. All Town of Cortlandt facilities and Schools that are used to hold our programs are barrier free. For programs that are held out- doors please call the Recreation Department at 914-734-1050 for information.

#### TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS AND COVID-19

- It is critical to emphasize that maintaining 6-feet social distancing remains important to slowing the spread of the virus. CDC is additionally advising the use of simple cloth face coverings to slow the spread of the virus when social distancing is not possible.
- Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the constantly changing directives coming from federal, state and local authorities
  all programs in our brochure are subject to date, location change and cancelation. We anticipate that many factors
  will be impacting our programs this season including facility availability from Schools, Health Clubs and County
  Parks. The Town of Cortlandt Recreation will be following all directives from the CDC, New York State and the
  Westchester County Health Department including the wearing of face masks and social distancing . Please be sure
  to read the information we have included in this brochure regarding COVID-19. We thank you in advance for your
  consideration. The safety of our participants and staff is our number one priority.

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# CORTLANDT FAMILY FUN DAY

Saturday, September 18th 4:00 PM- 8:00 PM Town of Cortlandt Youth & Recreation 3 Memorial Drive, Croton, NY 10520

\*Event details are subject to change due to COVID protocols.\*

# LIVE MUSIC FOOD TRUCKS FIREWORKS

Follow the Town of Cortlandt on Social Media for more information! Website: www.townofcortlandt.com Facebook: Facebook/TownofCortlandt Instagram: @townofcortlandt

Parking at the Cortlandt Train Station Rain Date: Sunday, Sept. 19th





Join us for the Second Annual

# CORTLANDT WINTER WONDERLAND

# Join us for an afternoon of winter family fun!

Saturday, December 4, 2021 Rain/ Snow date: Sunday, December 5, 2021 Festivities begin at 3:00 PM Town of Cortlandt Youth & Recreation Center 3 Memorial Drive, Croton, NY 10520

## Follow the Town of Cortlandt on Social Media for more information!

# Website: www.townofcortlandt.com Facebook: Facebook/TownofCortlandt Instagram:

@townofcortlandt

Sponsored By: Supervisor, Linda Puglisi Town Board: Richard Becker Debra Carter James Creighton Francis Farrell





# **TOWN OF CORTLANDT SENIOR SERVICES THE CORTLANDT GOLDEN CONNECTION** Director for Senior Services, Dawn J. Mahoney

To be **ELIGIBLE** to participate in any of the following Programs and Services you **MUST** be a **TOWN OF CORTLANDT RESIDENT** with proof of residency – a current Con Ed bill or telephone bill required and **MUST** be least 60+ years of age. For more information on Senior Citizen programs, call **914-528-1572**.

### **CLUBS**

Nor-Cort, Cortlandt and Crompond Club meetings take place at the Muriel H. Morabito Community Center on Westbrook Drive.\* Verplanck Club meets at the Verplanck Schoolhouse, 6th Street, Verplanck. Special trips information symposiums and socials are all part of club membership. To be a member of any of the above-mentioned clubs, you must be a resident of the Town of Cortlandt.

### NOR-CORT AND CORTLANDT SENIOR CITIZENS' CLUBS

The Senior Citizens' Clubs of the Town of Cortlandt meet at the Muriel H. Morabito Center on the following days: *Nor-Cort Seniors' Club* - TBD Tuesday, meeting begins at 10:30 a.m. *Cortlandt Seniors' Club* - TBD Wednesday, meeting begins at 10:30 a.m. Coffee and cake will be served.

### Ongoing Golden Connection Activities at the Muriel H. Morabito Community Center:

Monday	10:30 AM-11:30 AM Line Dance Exercise Class
	12:15 PM - 1:15 PM Tai Chi Class
	12:30 PM - 2:30 PM Ceramics Class
Tuesday	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Nor-Cort Senior Club
Wednesday	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Cortlandt Senior Club
Thursday	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM Chair Yoga Exercise Class *No class when Veteran's meetings are held*
-	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Verplanck Senior Club
	(Verplanck School house)*
	11:30 AM - 2:30 PM Crompond Senior Club
Friday	10:15 AM - 11:15 AM Low Impact Exercise Class
-	12:15 PM - 1:00 PM Zumba Gold Exercise Class

### **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

We offer a myriad of ongoing exercise classes throughout the year at no cost to Town of Cortlandt Seniors.

### Mondays - Line Dance • 10:30 AM-11:30 AM • Instructor: Cameron Kelly

Come Line Dance! Love to dance but don't have a partner! No problem! Come on over and burn some calories, get some exercise, have some laughs, and meet some great people who love to line dance.

#### Mondays - Tai Chi • 12:15 PM-1:15 PM • Instructor: Kim Cercena

Come embrace your mind, body, and spirit in this ancient Chinese martial art. You will improve muscular strength, flexibility, fitness, and ultimately, the overall quality of life.

#### Thursdays - Chair Yoga • 10:30 AM-11:30 AM • Instructor: Karen Lett

The plan for the chair yoga class is to offer seniors health benefits by working on their physical activity. Seniors can find yoga to help their balance and stability. The participants will learn to work their breath, movement, and energy for balance and stress relief.

#### Fridays - Low Impact Aerobics and Muscle Strengthening/Flexibility • 10:15 AM-11:15 AM • Instructor: Lori Barr

Come join this low-impact aerobics/muscle strengthening/flexibility class done to fun music in a safe, supportive, welcoming atmosphere. You'll burn fat, improve your heart health, build stronger muscles, and bones and increase your flexibility. This class is very appropriate for beginners and modifications will be demonstrated for several experience levels. All levels are welcome!

#### Fridays - Zumba Gold • 12:15 PM-1:00 PM• Instructor: Suzi Tipa

Perfect for our active older adults, Zumba Gold incorporates all of the energy, fun, and international rhythms of a traditional Zumba class, but at a lower intensity. Our class introduces easy-to-follow Zumba choreography focusing on balance, range of motion, and coordination. You can modify any of the movements to suit your personal fitness level and goals. Come ready to sweat, and prepare to leave feeling empowered, strong and energized!

\*Non-resident senior rate available for exercise class only. Please call 914-528-1572 for more details/information\* Depending on the current state of COVID-19, some classes will be held in person, zoom or both. Check by calling the center. The following programs are funded under the Older Americans Act of 1965 as amended, through the cooperation of: *The Department of Health & Human Services New York State Office of the Aging* 

### Westchester County Department of Senior Programs & Services Town of Cortlandt

**TOWN OF CORTLANDT SENIOR PROGRAM INFORMATION** - To assist seniors with other agency program information a Social Worker is available as needed. Call 914-528-8377 for referral.

### **BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT**

Bereavement support is available to those who are grieving a recent death and provide a safe and supportive environment where people can verbalize feelings associated with a loss. Beth Miller, LMSW will be available for support by appointment only. Please call 914-528-1572 for more information.

### **BUS TRANSPORTATION TO THE MURIEL H. MORABITO COMMUNITY CENTER**

Funded through the US Department of Health and Human Services-Administration on Aging (AoA), New York State Office for the Aging, Westchester County Department of Senior Programs and Services, and the Town of Cortlandt. Transportation is available Monday thru Friday to the Muriel H. Morabito Community Center for lunch and/or senior programs. Seniors are picked up in the morning and returned back home in the afternoon. In order for the Bus Service to operate, *a minimum of 6 seniors are required*. The contribution for bus transportation to and from the center is <sup>\$3.00</sup>. For congregate meals and bus transportation call (914) 528-5164. Seniors must call the day before by 11:00 AM to secure lunch and/or transportation and some restrictions apply.

### COMPUTER LAB AND TECH ASSISTANCE

Community Center staff is available to assist with basic cell phone questions, ie. Connect to Wi-Fi, create a contact, or even on how to take a selfie. The computers are available for daily use from 9:00 AM– 2:00 PM; except during pre scheduled computer classes.

### **NUTRITION PROGRAM**

An on-site and home delivery service that provides persons age 60+ with a nutritious and well-balanced noon-time meal. Those needing or knowing of individuals needing the Home Delivered Service must call for eligibility requirements or for procedure to have lunch at the Muriel H. Morabito Community Center. The contribution for seniors who attend the Nutrition Program is \$3.00 and for Home Delivered Meals is <sup>\$</sup>4.00. For Home delivered meals call 914-528-8377. Grab N Go meal service will continue so that seniors can pickup a hot lunch and take it home.

### **OPERATION SNOWFLAKE**

The Town of Cortlandt Senior Services Division offers a snow shoveling service for eligible Senior Citizens who reside in the Town of Cortlandt based on availability. Seniors who are unable to shovel their walkway should call the Muriel H. Morabito Center at 914-528-8377 for eligibility and registration.

### SENIOR CITIZENS MEDICAL & PHARMACY TRANSPORTATION

This service offers transportation to area doctors, medical facilities, pharmacies and back home again to those eligible Town of Cortlandt Seniors. The Medical car runs on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Transportation available to the following areas: Yorktown, Jefferson Valley, Lake Peekskill, Peekskill, Cortlandt Manor, Buchanan, Verplanck, and Croton on Hudson. For advanced reservations and information call Becky Ferguson at 914-528-8377. The contribution for the medical car is \$5.00. \*Some restrictions apply. Seniors must be independent and/or have a companion to ride/assist.

### **SHOPPING**

The shopping bus will pick up Cortlandt Seniors at their home to go to the Cortlandt Town Center every Thursday and to the Jefferson Valley Mall on the 3rd Monday of the month. Seniors will be returned to their homes after shopping. The contribution for the shopping bus is <sup>\$</sup>3.00.

Every Thursday Cortlandt Town Center, Rte. 6 • 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

3rd Monday of Month Jefferson Valley Mall • 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

(If the 3rd Monday is a holiday, the mall bus will run the following Monday.)

Call 914-528-8377 for reservations and information.

\*Some restrictions apply. In order for shopping bus to operate a minimum number of 6 seniors are required.

*Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic and constantly changing directives coming from Federal, State and Local Authorities - all programs are subject to cancellation.* 

# SENIOR SERVICES SPECIAL EVENTS AND CLASSES

### AARP DRIVER SAFETY COURSE

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Drive,
	Cortlandt Manor
Day/Date:	TBD, 1 session
Time:	8:45 AM- 3:45 PM - (bring driver license, pen, pad & lunch)
Fee:	TBD
Checks payable to: AARP, no cash accepted	

Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns. Max. 40

### **BINGO AFTERNOON**

Join the staff for fun, friends, and cash prizes! Pots vary.

- Location: Muriel H. Morabito Community Center
- Day/Date:Wednesdays: 9/1, 10/13, 10/27, 11/17, 12/15Time:12:30 PM- 2:30 PMFee:\$7.00 cash entrance fee paid in advance which includes 1 card for each game. Additional cards, daubers, and bonus games may be purchased the day of the event.

Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.

### BOCCI

Stop by the center and enjoy a free game on our bocci courts!

Location: Muriel H. Morabito Community Center Dav/Date: Tuesdays

Time: Drop in, mornings Fee: Free

Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.

### FLU SHOT DAY

To help support the health and safety of the members of our community, our friends at Save Mor Pharmacy have offered to host a Flu Vaccine clinic at the Muriel Morabito Community Center this fall!

### Wednesday, September 22nd between 10:00AM-2:00PM.

No appointment necessary, this clinic is open to all seniors, just bring your Medicare card (other insurance cards are acceptable too).

Help fight the Flu with a shot of prevention this fall!

### **MOVIE DAY**

Enjoy a movie on our big screen TV. Day includes movie, pizza, drinks, & dessert. Location: Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt Manor Day/Date: Friday, October 1 **Bohemian Rapsody** Friday, November 5 A Beautiful Day Friday, December 3 The Last Holiday The Call of the Wild Friday, January 7 Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM (or until movie ends) Fee: <sup>\$</sup>5.00 per person. *Must register and pay the week before each movie showing.* 

### SENIOR BILLIARD PLAYERS WANTED

Whether you are a beginner or an expert, stop by for some friendly tips and competition.

Location: Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt Manor

Days: Monday– Friday

Time: Drop In between 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM

Fee: Free

Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.

### IPAD CLASS

Learn the basics of the IPAD. Bring your own IPAD or use the Town's IPAD. \*No phones accepted.\*

- Location: Muriel H. Morabito Community Center
- Day/Date:Wednesday September 22 & Thursday September 23

Time: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

**Fee:** \$20; must pre-register with payment.

Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.

### WATERCOLOR PAINTING CLASS Instructor, Hillary Hostetler

Join friends and make new ones. Paint various floral and landscapes with Hillary. Full instruction will be given for beginners through advanced. Bring your own supplies as per supply list. You will receive a supply list when you register. If you can't get your own supplies the fee is an additional \$12 pp for the 8 sessions. Instructor will NOT provide materials for first class.

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt Manor
Day/Date:	5 sessions - Thursdays, September 30, October 7, 14, 21, 28
Time:	12:30 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 50; checks payable to Town of Cortlandt

*Please register no later than one week before. Maximum number is 10 participants. Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.* 

### WII BOWLING

Play Wii Bowling on our large screen TV. New bowlers welcome!	
Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center,
	29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt Manor
Day/Dste:	Thursdays
Time:	11:45 AM
Fee:	Free *Wii Drop In times available
Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.	

### **YC GAMING**

Seniors are welcome to stop by the Youth Center and utilize the game tables including: ping pong, pool, air hockey, and foosball. Participants must provide two proofs of residency and complete a form their first day.

Location:	Cortlandt Youth Center, 3 Memorial Drive, Croton
Day/Dates:	Tuesdays, April 6—June 22
Time:	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Fee:	Free

### **CARD SHARKS**

Play Wii Bowling on our large screen TV. New bowlers welcome!All table games; Cards, Mahjong, Canasta, Rummy cube and much more! Available for play on Thursdays, 12 noon to 2pm.

### **BASIC LIFE SAVING CLASS**

Certified Instructor Les	ley Popkin, will teach seniors an overview on how to be prepared for emergencies.
Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt Manor
Day/Date:	Tuesday, September 21 OR Tuesday, September 28
Time:	10:30 AM- 12:30 PM
Fee:	Free
Please call 911-528-	1572 for more information and to register for <b>one</b> of the listed dates

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Join other Veterans once a month for coffee and bagels for an informal meeting held, generally, on the last Thursday of the month. (Call 914-528-1572 to check dates.) The meeting is held at the Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Dr., Cortlandt Manor, NY at 11:00 AM. Come meet your fellow Veterans to find out what is happening at the V.A. and other important information pertaining to Veterans. The Town of Cortlandt Hudson Valley Veterans Committee along with the Town of Cortlandt host a Veterans Day Ceremony every year and invite you to join us as we honor all veterans who have served and are currently serving.



### **MEET THE CANDIDATES**

Come and hear the ca	andidates running in the local election. Listen to what each candidates' platform will be.	
Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center	
Day/Date:	Wednesday, October 20	
Time:	10:30 AM	
Fee:	Free - Pre-registration required. Please call 914-528-1572 to reserve your spot.	
	Light Refreshments will be served.	

#### **GINGERBREAD HOUSE MAKING**

Take a break from holiday shopping and get messy with us! All supplies will be provided. Creative, holiday spirit is a must!

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center
Day/Date:	Monday, December 13
Time:	12:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 10.00 includes all supplies—cash only.

*Please register no later than 12/3 with payment. Class limited to 10 participants. Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.* 

#### **MEET, EAT, & GREET AT OUR OPEN HOUSE**

New comer's coffee hours are geared toward seniors new to the area, those whom have never visited the center or those recently becoming a "senior". Meet the staff and find out all about what the Town of Cortlandt offers its senior citizens. Light refreshments will be served.

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center
Day/Dste:	Sunday, October 24
Time:	11:00 AM- 1:00 PM5
Fee:	Free
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Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.

### **COMPUTER LAB**

The computers are available for use daily from 9:00 AM—2:00 PM except during computer classes. Center Staff is available to assist with basic cell phone questions, ID— Connect to Wi-Fi, create a contact or even how to take a selfie.

### HEALTHY COOKING FOR ONE OR TWO

Brought to you by the Westchester County Dept. of Senior Programs and Services; Nutrition Health and Wellness Unit. This class will provide tips, ideas, and healthy meal demonstrations which are appropriate for a one or two per-son house-hold. The focus will be on seasonal items available at your local farmers market.

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center
Day/Date:	Monday, October 18- 1 session
Time:	1:30 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee:	Free
Class limited to 2	10. Please call 914-528-1572 with any questions or concerns.

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### **ADULT PROGRAMS**

Senior Citizens 60 and over the fee for recreation programs is half of the rate listed with ID/ without ID (Proof required)

The half price rate for recreation programs will also be offered to Town of Cortlandt Disabled Veterans and their spouses (Proof required)

### HALF PRICE DISCOUNT FOR TOWN OF CORTLANDT RESIDENTS ONLY.

#### **RECREATION DIVISION-PROGRAM CANCELLATIONS INFO 914-734-1053**

THE TOWN DOES NOT PROVIDE ACCIDENT INSURANCE.

#### **BADMINTON**

#### Sanjeeb Dash, Director

This will be a non league badminton program designed for adults. The program is for fun and exercise. Come out and have a good time. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors will wear a mask at all times. It is recommended that participants also wear a mask, but it is not mandatory.

Course Number:	401-1F
Location:	Blue Mountain Middle School
Days:	Tuesday, starting date: October 12 (8 Sessions)
Time:	6:30 PM- 8:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 35 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 40 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 48 nonresident

### BASKETBALL (30 & Over) Steve Staiano, Supervisor

Free Play Basketball.	Registration closed after third session.
Course Number:	400-1F
Location:	Blue Mountain Middle School Gym
Days:	Saturday, starting date: September 25 (12 sessions)
Time:	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 50 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 55 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 66 nonresident

### BASKETBALL (18 & Over) Steve Staiano, Supervisor

Free Play Basketball.	Registration closed after third session.
Course Number:	400-2F
Location:	Hendrick Hudson High School Gym
Days:	Tuesday, starting date: September 28 (12 sessions)
Time:	8:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 50 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 55 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 66 nonresident

### CORTLANDT STAMP CLUB Bob Gioia, President and Roberta Gaudineer 914-737-4552

Join a group of worldwide stamp collectors for the excitement of a life-long hobby. Beginners are more than welcome. Participate in the Stamp Treasure Chest. Program is held year round. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times. Youths under 12 are welcome with an adult.

Location:	Hendrick Hudson Free Library
Days:	Wednesday, (2nd and 4th of each month) starting date: September 9- January 27
Time:	6:30 PM- 7:45 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 5 Yearly Donation to Cortlandt Stamp Club (Payable at Club Meeting)

#### DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE (6 Hours total) B.J. Jani, Instructor

This is an approved course by the Department of Motor Vehicles. Upon completion of this course the DMV will reduce points from the license and insurance companies give discounts on the Liability and Collision portion of the automobile insurance premiums. It is a great course that helps you learn techniques to become a safer driver. Please bring your drivers license and a pen.

Course Number:	403- 1F
Location:	Hendrick Hudson High School, Room 128
Day/Date:	Tuesday & Wednesday, October 12 & 13
Time:	6:30 PM- 9:30 PM
Fee:	$^{\$}45$ with ID/ $^{\$}50$ without ID/ $^{\$}60$ nonresident

### **DEMYSTIFYING MEDICARE & HEALTHCARE COVERAGE FOR SENIORS**

A comprehensive, upbeat, neutral, and free workshop for people who want to change the Medicare coverage they already have, and for those approaching Medicare eligibility, planning their retirement, or helping others with their healthcare decisions. Topics include Parts A and B, Advantage Plans, Part D prescription drug coverage, Medigaps, and various cost-saving programs (e.g., MSPs, EPIC and Extra Help). Free; pre-registration requested at (914) 231-3236.

444-1F
Town of Cortlandt Town Hall, Conference Room #1
Tuesday, November 9
6:30 PM- 9:30 PM
Free

### FOREVER FIT (Ages 50 Plus) Premier Personal Trainer

Strength training, stretching and cardio exercise for strong bones, flexibility and lower resting heart rate. Just what you need. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:	405-1F
Location:	Premier Athletic Club, 2127 Albany Post Road, Montrose, NY 10548
Days:	Monday starting date: September 27 (8 sessions)
Time:	Monday 11:30 AM- 12:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 80 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 85 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 102 nonresident

### GUITAR LESSONS (Youth & Adults Ages 14 and Over) Larry Del Casale, Instructor

This course is designed for beginners to intermediate level students. All students will begin on the guitar immediate-ly. You will learn songs that you want to play in addition to classic songs. Students will be taught proper technique and the fundamentals of reading music and chord charts for songs. Students must have their own functioning instru-ment. Instruction by NYS certified music teacher. Limited enrollment of 4 students. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:	407-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Days:	Saturday, starting date: October 2 (5 sessions)
Time:	2:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 100 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 105 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 126 nonresident

### GUITAR LESSONS - CLASSICAL (Youth & Adults Ages 14 and Over) Larry Del Casale, Instructor

This course is designed for beginners to intermediate level students. All students will begin on the guitar immediate-ly. You will learn songs that you want to play in addition to classic songs. Students will be taught proper technique and the fundamentals of reading music and chord charts for songs. Students must have their own functioning instru-ment. Instruction by NYS certified music teacher. Limited enrollment of 4 students. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:	408-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Days:	Saturday, starting date: October 2 (5 sessions)
Time:	3:15 PM - 4:15 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 100 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 105 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 126 nonresident

### INTRODUCTION TO LEARNING JAPANESE LANGUAGE (Ages 12 & Older) Nick DeMauro, Instructor

This course is designed to provide an introduction to spoken and written Japanese, aimed towards beginning to inter-mediate learners. Over the course of this 10 week session, students will learn the essentials of Japanese grammar, vocabulary, and writing. In addition, students will also receive an overview of Japanese culture and history in order to contextualize the language. Both adults and children welcome!

Course Number:	425-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/Dates:	Monday, starting date: September 20 (10 sessions)
Time:	7:30 PM- 8:30 PM
Fee:	\$150 with ID/ \$155 without ID/ \$186 nonresident

### ADULT KARATE (Ages 16 and Older) Jeff Butler, Instructor

TAE KWON DO (Korean) style of Karate. A sophisticated program to teach self-awareness, confidence, and physical fitness. Students are asked to wear loose clothing or Karate GI's (not required). A program for the beginner as well as those who have some experience. This program is affiliated with the World Tae Kwon Do Association. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:	410-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Days:	Thursday, starting date October 7 (10 sessions)
Time:	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 45 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 50 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 60 nonresident

### ADULT ADVANCED KARATE (Ages 16 and Older) Jeff Butler, Instructor

This class is for those that have passed the curriculums of the beginner. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number: 4	411-1F
	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Days: 7	Thursday, starting date: October 7 (10 sessions)
Time: 6	5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Fee: <sup>\$</sup>	45 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 50 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 60 nonresident

### INTRODUCTION TO SWORDSMANSHIP (Ages 12 & Older)

A fun class that teaches martial arts swordsmanship with science fiction twist. Class includes warm ups, technique western fencing, drills, and fight choreography. Participants are encouraged to wear gym attire clothes so that they can stretch freely. This class is taught like a martial arts class and uses combat strength sabers for safety. Anyone under the age of 16 must have a parent or guardian present.

Course Number:	432-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Sunday, starting date: October 3 (10 sessions)
Time:	6:00 PM- 7:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 45 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 50 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 60 nonresident

### MAHJONGG

Do you know how to play mahjongg and are looking to join a friendly group of players? Players must provide their own game set. Please call 914-739-1730 for more information. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number: Location:	431-1F Community Room, Cortlandt Town Center, Route 6, Cortlandt Manor
Days:	Thursdays, starting date: September 23 (12 sessions)
Time:	11:00 AM -2:00 PM
Fee:	Free

### **MEDITATION SEMINAR** Ruane M. Edge, Instructor

Meditation is calming the mind to relax. I will be teaching all of you many techniques to be able to calm your mind and relax more. Come and join us for this 2 hour seminar. Eat light before class, bring a pillow or mat to class to sit on. (Chairs are available) All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:	412-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Days:	Tuesday, December 14 (2 hour session)
Time:	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 25 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 30 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 36 nonresident

### NOR WEST REGIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES *Program Coordinator, Wendy Greenfield* THERAPEUTIC PROGRAMS FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL AND COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENTS

Nor West Regional Special Services Is a social service agency that provides community-based therapeutic recreation programs, respite and transportation services to persons with differing abilities residing in the northwestern portion of Westchester County. They serve ages 8-65 in a variety of community-based weekly programs and special events, de-signed primarily for individuals with developmental disabilities. Transportation is provided to catchment-area resi-dents from central stops in Peekskill, Cortlandt, Yorktown, and Ossining. Individuals living at home and enrolled in the Home & Community Based Services Waiver do not pay registration fees. For further information and current program information, visit their website: www.nor-west.org or call 914-737-4797.

### PILATES ON THE MAT Karen Lett, Instructor

Pilates is a system of exercises designed to improve physical strength, flexibility, and posture as well as enhance mental awareness. Bring water and a mat. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:	414-1F
Location:	Community Room, Cortlandt Town Center
Days:	Thursday, starting date: September 23 (10 Sessions)
Time:	8:45 AM - 9:45 AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 90 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 95 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 114 nonresident

TOWN OF CORTLANDT ADULT TENNIS INSTRUCTION (Ages 18 & Over) Dee Young, Instructor

All registrants must bring their own racquets. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors will wear a mask at all times. It is recommended that participants also wear a mask, but it is not mandatory.

Beginner	No previous instruction		
Intermediate	Can sustain rally, dependable forehand, and previous experience.		
Course Number:	Level	Day	Time
416-1F	Adult Beginner	Saturday	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
416-2F	Adult Intermediate	Saturday	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
416-3F	Adult Advanced Intermediate	Saturday	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Location:	Lake Street Tennis Courts, Montrose, NY 10548		
Days:	Saturday, starting date: September 18 (6 sessions)		
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 55 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 60 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 72 non resident		

### TAI CHI & CHI KUNG (Ages 16 and Over) Sifu Nat Costanzo, Instructor

Perfected over 2000 years ago, Tai Chi is a low impact workout designed to increase your mental and physical energy. Tai Chi is the most popular Chinese exercise in the world and is practiced daily by millions of people both young and old. The short form will be taught, as well as Chi Kung exercises and stretching to improve one's flexibility, balance and coordination. Chang style Tai Chi will help you achieve total harmony of body, mind and spirit. The slow rhythmic movements of Tai Chi will tone muscles, improve over-all fitness, endurance, and will increase your strength. Tai chi is also very beneficial in stress reduction and relaxation. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to so-cially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Beginner I	
Course Number:	415-1F
Location:	Blue Mountain Middle School Exercise Room
Days:	Monday, starting date: November 8th (4 sessions)
Time:	7:45 PM - 8:45 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 30 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 35 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 42 nonresident
Beginner II	(*Previously attended) Beginner I will be dismissed at 8:45 those who* will continue
-	for additional 15 minutes every week, depending on the number of participants.
Course Number:	415-2F
Location:	Blue Mountain Middle School Exercise Room
Days:	Monday, starting date: November 8th (4 sessions)
Time:	8:45 PM - 9:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 10 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 15 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 18 nonresident

### **VOLLEYBALL ADVANCED** Patrick Ferguson, Instructor

A non-league volleyball program designed for adults. Two co-ed Volleyball programs will be offered. These programs are for fun and exercise. Come out and have a good time!

419-1F
George Washington Elementary School Gym
Wednesday, starting date: September 22 (8 Sessions)
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
<sup>\$</sup> 32 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 37 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 45 nonresident

### WOGA: Weights and Yoga Ruane M. Edge, Instructor

As we get older, our muscle mass decreases. Using one pound weights, we will build muscle! As well as toning with yoga. We will end class with a five minute meditation. Do not eat two hours before the class. Bring water, a yoga mat, and one pound weight to class.

Course Number:	442-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Wednesdays, starting date: September 22 (10 sessions)
Time:	10:00AM - 11:00AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 90 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 95 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 114 nonresident

#### YOGA 2.0 Karen Lett, Instructor

An intermediate practice to decrease stress and increase strength, flexibility, balance, focus, and overall well-being as you refine your alignment and deepen your yoga practice. Bring a Yoga mat and water to class. Also bring blocks and a strap if you have them.

<b>Course Number:</b>	443-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Wednesday, starting date: September 22 (10 sessions)
Time:	6:30 PM - 7:45 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 90 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 95 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 114 nonresident



### YOGA ANYONE Ruane M. Edge, Instructor

Have you ever wanted to try yoga? Do you have stress in your life? This class will take you step-by-step thru begin-ner's yoga learning breathing techniques, yoga poses (for all parts of the body) and finally deep relaxation/meditation at the end of the class leaving you totally relaxed. Week after week you will feel your flexibility, strength and focus im-proving and stress going away. Do not eat one (1) hour before class! Bring water and a yoga mat to class.

**\*PLEASE NOTE:** Due to the popularity of this program, NON RESIDENTS will be auto-waitlisted. If space is available in the program one week prior to the start date, the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department will contact you and non residents will be allowed to participate by paying a 20% surcharge of the higher fee.

Course Number:	430-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Monday, starting date: September 20 (10 Sessions)
Time:	10:00AM—11:00AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 90 with ID, <sup>\$</sup> 95 without and ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 114 nonresident
Course Number:	430-2F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Monday, starting date: September 20 (10 Sessions)
Time:	6:15 PM- 7:15 PM
Fee:	$^{\$}$ 90 with ID/ $^{\$}$ 95 without and ID/ $^{\$}$ 114 nonresident
Course Number:	430-3F *some yoga experience required
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Tuesday, starting date: September 21 (10 Sessions)
Time:	10:00 AM- 11:00 AM
Fee:	$^{\circ}$ 90 with ID/ $^{\circ}$ 95 without and ID/ $^{\circ}$ 114 nonresident

### YOGA AND MORE Karen Lett, Instructor

An intermediate practice emphasizing good posture and incorporating additional elements of core, movement, strength, and energy work. Bring a yoga mat and water to class. Also bring and a strap if you have them .

Course Number:	433-1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/Date:	Tuesday, starting date: September 21 (10 sessions)
Time:	6:30 PM- 7:45 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 90 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 95 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 114 nonresident

# **YOUTH PROGRAMS**

### **RECREATION DIVISION-PROGRAM CANCELLATIONS INFO 914-734-1053**

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### AMERICAN RED CROSS BABYSITTING COURSE - (Ages 11-15) See YC SPECIALTY PROGRAMS ART EXPLORERS (Grades 1st-4th) Cathy Carabee-Faiella. Instructor

Enjoy elbow deep excitement experimenting with materials & techniques including 3D fun, painting, drawing, paper Mache, and collage in an encouraging supportive environment. Your young artist will stretch their imagination & observational skills to develop their own artistic voice while drawing inspiration from famous artists & art from around the world. Creative risk taking was never so much fun!

Course Number:	300 - 1F
Location:	Cortlandt Youth Center
Days:	Monday, starting date: September 13 (5 sessions)
Time:	4:00 PM - 5:15 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 145 with ID / <sup>\$</sup> 150 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 180 nonresident
Course Number:	300-2F
Location:	Cortlandt Youth Center
Day/Date:	Monday, starting date: November 1 (5 sessions)
Time:	4:00 PM- 5:15 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 145 with ID / <sup>\$</sup> 150 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 180 nonresident
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### ART QUEST (Entering Grades 4th-9th) Cathy Carabee-Faiella, Instructor

ALWAYS NEW PROJECTS! Your young artist will be challenged to OBSERVE, INNOVATE, DISCOVER, TAKE RISKS & SELF EVALUATE while drawing inspiration from famous artists & art from around the world. Explorations using quality fine arts materials.

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Course	Number:	301 - 1F	

Course Number:	301 - 1F
Location:	Cortlandt Youth Center
Days:	Monday, starting date: September 13 (5 sessions) NO CLASSES 10/11 & 10/25
Time:	5:30 PM - 7:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 175with ID / <sup>\$</sup> 180 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 216 nonresident
Course Number:	301 - 2F
Location:	Cortlandt Youth Center
Day/ Date:	Monday, starting date: November 1 (5 Classes)
Time:	5:30 PM - 7:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 175with ID / <sup>\$</sup> 180 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 216 nonresident

### AFTER SCHOOL BOWLING (Ages 8-15)

This program is designed for the Town of Cortlandt Youth so that they can experience bowling in a league format with friends and schoolmates. Participants play 2 games of bowling, free shoe rental, trophies, and a year end party.

Course Number:	302 - 1F
Location:	Cortlandt Bowling Lanes
Day/ Date:	Friday, starting date: September 24 (12 weeks)
Time:	4:00 PM - 5:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 125 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 130 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 156 nonresident

### BROADWAY ALL STARS (Grades 3rd- 8th) - See YC SPECIALTY PROGRAMS

### **BUMPER BOWLING** (Ages 5-8)

An early developmental program designed for youth that are interested in exploring fundamentals of bowling with guaranteed fun and success. Participants play 2 games of bowling, free shoe rental, trophies and a year end party. Parents are encouraged to stay and help with scoring and supervision.

Course Number:	303 - 1F
Location:	Cortlandt Bowling Lanes
Day/ Date:	Friday, starting date: September 24 (12 weeks)
Time:	4:00 PM- 5:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 125 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 130 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 156 nonresident

### **BALLER SPORTS**

Baller Sports Programs are designed to enhance the skill sets and knowledge base of athletes. Weekly classes reinforce fundamentals while introducing more advanced concepts including strategy and situational awareness.

# BALLER SPORTS - BASKETBALL

(Ages 6-8) Course Number: Location: Days: Time: Fee:	318 - 1F Charles J. Cook Recreation Center Saturday, starting date: September 25 (6 sessions) 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident
(Ages 9-11) Course Number: Location: Days: Time: Fee:	318 - 2F Charles J. Cook Recreation Center Saturday, starting date: September 25 (6 sessions) 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident
(Ages 5-7) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:	318 - 3F Charles J. Cook Recreation Center Wednesday, starting date: September 22 (6 Sessions) 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident
(Ages 8-10) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:	318 - 4F Charles J. Cook Recreation Center Wednesday, starting date: September 22 (6 Sessions) 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident
BALLER SPORTS - BASEB (Ages 5-7) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:	ALL 317 - 1F Foxy Field, 8th Street Verplanck Saturday, starting date: September 25 (6 sessions) 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM \$155 with ID/ \$160 without ID/\$192 non-resident
(Ages 8-10) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:	317 -2 F Foxy Field, 8th Street Verplanck Saturday, starting date: September 25 (6 sessions) 12:00 PM- 1:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 non-resident
(Ages 5-7) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:	317 - 3F Foxy Field, 8th Street Verplanck Tuesday, starting date: September 21 (6 Sessions) 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident
(Ages 8-10) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:	317 - 4F Foxy Field, 8th Street Verplanck Tuesday, starting date: September 21 (6 Sessions) 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM <sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident
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### **BALLER SPORTS - FOOTBALL**

(Ages 6-8) Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:

### (Ages 9-11)

Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:

(Ages 6-8)

Course Number: Location: Day/ Date: Time: Fee:

### (Ages 9-11)

Course Number:332 - 4FLocation:Sunset FieldDay/ Date:Monday, starting date: September 20 (6 sessions)Time:5:00 PM - 6:00 PMFee:\$155 with ID/ \$160 without ID/\$192 nonresident

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

332 - 1F

332 - 2F

332 - 3F

Sunset Field

Sunset Field

Sunset Field

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Sunday, starting date: September 26 (6 sessions)

\$155 with ID/ \$160 without ID/\$192 nonresident

Sunday, starting date: September 26 (6 sessions)

<sup>\$</sup>155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup>160 without ID/<sup>\$</sup>192 nonresident

Monday, starting date: September 20 (6 sessions)

\$155 with ID/ \$160 without ID/\$192 nonresident

### **BALLER SPORTS - GOLF**

(Ages 6-8)Course Number:321 - 1FLocation:Charles J. Cook Park Recreation CenterDay/ Date:Friday, starting date: September 24 (6 Sessions)Time:4:00 PM - 5:00 PMFee:\$155 with ID/ \$160 without ID/ \$192 nonresident

### (Ages 9-11)

Course Number:321 - 2FLocation:Charles J. Cook Park Recreation CenterDay/ Date:Friday, starting date: September 24 (6 Sessions)Time:5:00 PM - 6:00 PMFee:\$155 with ID/ \$160 without ID/ \$192 nonresident

### **BALLER SPORTS - GIRL'S SOFTBALL**

(Ages 6-8)	
Course Number:	335 - 1F
Location:	Foxy Field, 8th Street Verplanck
Day/ Date:	Sunday, starting date: September 26 (6 Sessions)
Time:	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident

#### BASKETBALL PROGRAM - CLINIC (1st & 2nd Graders as of September 2021) Ray Glashoff, Instructor

A clinic for 1st and 2nd graders designed to teach the basics of Basketball such as dribbling, passing and shooting. Also defensive fundamentals will be stressed in a non-competitive atmosphere. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors will wear a mask at all times. It is recommended that participants also wear a mask, but it is not mandatory. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students are students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students are students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

### 1st Graders

Course Number:	304 - 1F
Location:	Buchanan Verplanck Elementary School Gym
Days:	Saturday, starting date: January 8 (8 Sessions) (NO CLASS FEB 19th)
Time:	9:00 AM- 10:00 AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 65 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 70 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 84 nonresident

### 2nd Graders

Course Number:	304 - 2F
Location:	Buchanan Verplanck Elementary School Gym
Days:	Saturday, starting date: January 8 (8 Sessions) (NO CLASS FEB 19th)
Time:	10:15 AM - 11:15 AM
Fee:	\$65 with ID/ \$70 without ID/ \$84 nonresident

### **BASKETBALL PROGRAM - YOUTH FREE PLAY (Ages 8 - 14)**

A supervised open gy	m basketball program on Saturdays. NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Location:	Furnace Woods Elementary School
Days:	Saturday, starting date: January 8 (8 Sessions)
-	(No Free Play February 19th)
Time:	9:00 AM - 10:45 AM
Fee:	FREE

### CREATIVE COOKING ON ZOOM (Grades K - 2nd) Shari Munitz, Instructor

Let's mix it up and do some live cooking with a screen in between. This program will be a mix of cooking, baking, pre-paring, recipe reading and more. Your young chef might even prepare something to share with the whole family! We'll be cooking together (apart) in this digitally-live creative cooking class. The full session ingredients list will be provided before classes begin, so please register early. An adult assistant is required for all attendees.

Course Number:	643 -1F
Location:	Online on Zoom
Days:	Tuesday, October 5 - November 9 (6 classes)
Time:	4:15 PM - 5:15 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 85 with ID <sup>, \$</sup> 90 without ID <sup>, \$</sup> 108 nonresident
Registration:	\$85 with ID; \$90 without ID; \$108 nonresident Pre-registration required; limited spaces available.

### CREATIVE COOKING ON ZOOM (Grades 3rd- 5th) Shari Munitz, Instructor

Let's mix it up and do some live cooking with a screen in between. We'll do some creative skill building cooking togeth-er (apart), while making something new every week -- from meals to snacks to desserts and more! As a bonus, through the learning process, your young chef will often prepare something to share with your whole family. The full session ingredients list will be provided before classes begin, so please register early. An adult assistant should be close by and readily available to assist.

Course Number:	643 - 2F
Location:	Online on Zoom
Days:	Wednesday, October 6 - November 10 (6 classes)
Time:	4:15 PM - 5:15 PM
Fee: Registration:	<sup>\$</sup> 85 with ID; <sup>\$</sup> 90 without ID; <sup>\$</sup> 108 nonresident Pre-registration required; limited spaces available.

### **HIDING IN PLAIN SIGHT: CAMOUFLAGE**

Maybe it's stripes, fake eyes on the body or looking like something else – these might help an animal survive in the wild. Find out by learning some tricks that animals have, then playing camouflage games and testing your powers of observation. (For ages 5 years and older.)

902 - 1F
George's Island Park, Montrose 10548.
(At end of Dutch St. Look for sign on right side of brown gatehouse.
Saturday, October 2
1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
\$5 with ID/ \$10 without ID/ \$12 nonresident

### HOME, SWEET, HOME: ALL ABOUT ANIMAL HOMES

High, low, and in-between, animal homes abound in nature. How many can we find on this hike? (Children under 5 should be accompanied by an adult.)

Course Number:	907 - 1F
Location:	George's Island Park, Montrose 10548.
	(At end of Dutch St. Look for sign on right side of brown gatehouse.)
Day:	Saturday, October 23
Time:	1:00 PM- 2:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 5 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 10 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 12 nonresident

HOME ALONE (Grades 5th-8th) - See YC SPECIALTY PROGRAMS GUITAR LESSONS (Youth & Adults Ages 14 and Over) See Adult Programs

GUITAR LESSONS - CLASSICAL GUITAR (Youth & Adults Ages 12 and Over) See Adult Programs

### YC CLEAN UP (Grades 6th-12th) - See YC SPECIALTY PROGRAMS

### YOUTH KARATE (Ages 10-15) Jeff Butler, Instructor

TAE KWON DO (Korean) style of Karate. A sophisticated program to teach self-awareness, confidence, and physical fitness. Students are asked to wear loose clothing or Karate GI's (not required). A program for the beginner as well as those who have some experience. This program is affiliated with the World Tae Kwon Do Association. An adult must accompany the child. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors and participants must wear a mask at all times.

Course Number:306 - 1FLocation:Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town CenterDays:Thursday, October 7 (10 sessions)Time:6:00 PM - 8:00 PMFee:\$35 with ID/ \$40 without ID/ \$48 nonresident

### YOUTH ADVANCED KARATE (Ages 10-15) Jeff Butler, Instructor

This class is for those	that have passed the curriculums of the beginner.
Course Number:	307 - 1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Days:	Thursday, starting date: October 7 (10 sessions)
Time:	6:00 PM- 8:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 35 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 40 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 48 nonresident

### LIVING LIKE A LENAPE

The Lenape were the native people living in this region before Henry Hudson sailed up what we now call the Hudson River. In a short hike you will learn what they used to build their homes, what they ate, and what they used for medicine. You will also play some Lenape games, make one to take home, and hear a Lenape story or two.

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Location:	Georges Island Park, Montrose, 10548.
	(At end of Dutch St. Look for sign on right side of brown gatehouse.)
Day:	Saturday, October 9
Time:	1:00 PM- 2:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 5 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 10 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 12 nonresident
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### MINDFULLNESS FOR TEENS (Ages 14-17)

This class provides experiential understanding they can apply to real situations everyday immediately. They experience a literal shift, they feel better, see more opportunity, experience setbacks with greater resilience and positive outcomes important to them! Schedule your time now to find the synergy between Joshua's business and your mindfulness group. Distractions increasingly assail our perception, yet not many consciously calm ourselves during our most chaotic moments to let the mind "re-boot." This is the antidote to stress and constant fight or flight responses. As you practice shifting attention, experiencing the greater sense of presence, confidence and connection to align and engage your greater purpose, you offer this to those you coach. As they practice and achieve greater performance, you get the credit.

Course Number:	334 - 1F
Location:	Community Room (CUE), Cortlandt Town Center
Day/ Date:	Saturday, starting date: September 25 (8 sessions)
Time:	10:00 AM- 11:00 AM
Fee:	\$70 with ID/ \$75 without ID/ \$90 nonresident

### NOR-WEST REGIONAL RECREATION SERVICES

### PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT - SEASONAL

Nor-West offers employment to students ages 16 and up, working with children and adults. Good working experi-ence for persons interested in working in the Human Services or Special Education fields. Make your own work schedule, flexible hours. Call Nor-West for an application 914-737-4797 or visit our website: www.nor-west.org

### THERAPEUTIC RECREATION

Are you looking for a local recreation program for a child with a developmental disability? Nor-West Regional oper-ates three weekly youth programs during the Fall session, including Instructional Bowling, Afternoon Adventure Trips, and Instructional Swimming. Program is open to residents of Cortlandt, Peekskill, Ossining and Yorktown. Nominal venue fees apply. For additional information and registration materials, visit the website: www.nor-west.org.

### SWIMMING INSTRUCTION (Ages 5-10)

**Beginner A** - Little or no previous instruction. Will not put head under water. Learn to relax & gain confidence in the water along with the fundamentals of breath holding beneath the water.

Beginner B - Coordination of the arms & legs to propel the body some distance on front and back.

Beginner C - Coordination of strokes, building up endurance & working to improve stroke mechanics.

**\*PLEASE NOTE:** Due to the popularity of this program, NON RESIDENTS will be auto-waitlisted. If space is available in the program one week prior to the start date, the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department will contact you and non residents will be allowed to participate by paying a 20% surcharge of the higher fee.

COURSE NUMBER	TIME
319-1F	2:00 PM - 2:30 PM - Level A
319-2F	2:40 PM - 3:10 PM - Level B
319-3F	3:20 PM - 3:50 PM - Level C
Location:	Premier Athletic Club, 2127 Albany Post Road, Montrose, NY 10548
Days:	Saturday, Starting Date: September 18 (12 Sessions) No Class 10/9 or 11/27
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 180 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 185 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 222 nonresident

### TOWN OF CORTLANDT TENNIS INSTRUCTION Dee Young, Instructor

All registrants must bring their own racquets. All program participants will be 6 feet apart however due to the nature of this type of programming, instructors may be unable to socially distance from students. Instructors will wear a mask at all times. It is recommended that participants also wear a mask, but it is not mandatory.

Course Number:	316 - 1F (Ages 5-8)
Location:	Lake Street Tennis Courts, Montrose, NY 10548
Days:	Saturday, starting date: September 18 (6 sessions)
Time:	9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 55 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 60 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 72 nonresident
Course Number:	316-2F (Ages 9-12)
Location:	Lake Street Tennis Courts, Montrose, NY 10548
Days:	Saturday, starting date: September 18 (6 sessions)
Time:	9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 55 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 60 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 72 nonresident

### WHAT LIVES IN A POND? (For children and adults)

We use nets to catch pond creatures and learn about the food chain. Dress in old clothing and footwear that can get muddy – rubber boots are recommended. Children under 7 must be accompanied by an adult. Limit: 12 people.

Course Number:	913 - 1F
Location:	Blue Mountain Reservation, Welcher Avenue, Peekskill 10566. (Head east on Welcher Ave. in Peekskill. At the brown gatehouse bear left. Continue past trail lodge and park in lot. Meet by the pond.)
Day:	Saturday, September 25
Time:	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 5 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 10 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 12 nonresident

# **PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

# Children over 4 and Adult must BOTH have a VALID Town of Cortlandt ID Card to pay the lower rate in programs that require parental participation.

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### JR. BALLER SPORTS - BASEBALL (Ages 3-4)

Weekly Baseball classes designed to introduce the fundamentals and rules of the sport in a more controlled environ-ment than the first organized leagues and clinics can offer.

211-1F		
Foxy Field, 8th Street Verplanck		
Saturday, starting date: September 25 (6 sessions)		
10:00 AM- 11:00 AM		
<sup>\$</sup> 155 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 160 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 192 nonresident		

### STORYBOOK COOKING ON ZOOM (AGES 3-6) Shari Munitz, Instructor

Let's mix it up and do some live cooking with a screen in between. We'll do some creative skill building, go on dynamic literary adventures, and do lots of creative cooking together (apart). As a bonus, through the learning process, your young chef will often prepare something to share with your whole family! The full session ingredients list will be provided before classes begin, so please register early. An adult assistant is required for all attendees.

Course Number:	642-1F
Location:	Online on Zoom
Days:	Wednesday, October 6 - November 10 (6 classes)
Time:	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 70 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 75 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 90 nonresident
Registration:	Pre-registration required; spaces limited
Course Number:	642-2F
Location:	Online on Zoom
Days:	Wednesday, October 6 - November 10 (6 classes)
Time:	12:45 PM - 1:45 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 70 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 75 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 90 nonresident <sup>Pre-</sup>
Registration:	registration required; spaces limited
Course Number:	642-3F
Location:	Online on Zoom
Days:	Thursday, October 7 - November 18 (6 classes)
Time:	12:15 PM - 1:15 PM <b>NO CLASS 11/11</b>
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 70 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 75 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 90 nonresident
Registration:	Pre-registration required; spaces limited



The following programs are run by Skyhawks Sports Academy through the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department.



SoccerTots is our flagship program! These soccer-themed motor skill classes are very easy for youngsters to get into. Younger age groups focus on developing motor skills and self-confidence; older classes focus more on developing core soccer skills and personal focus, and introduce an element of light competition. Instructor-to-student ratio is kept small to maximize individual development, and above all else we promote fun, fun, fun! Parent participation required for ages 2-3.5 years. Class is limited to 20 participants.

### SOCCERTOTS: LITTLE CUBS (Age 2)

Course Number:	218-1F
Location:	TBD
Day:	Sunday, Starting date: September 12 (6 Sessions)
Time:	9:30 AM-10:15 AM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 109 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 114 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 137 nonresident

### **SOCCERTOTS: CUBS (Age 3)**

Course Number:	219-1F
Location:	TBD
Day:	Sunday, Starting date: September 12 (6 Sessions)
Time:	10:30 AM-11:15 AM
Fee:	$^{109}$ with ID/ $^{114}$ without ID/ $^{137}$ nonresident

### SOCCERTOTS: BEARS (Age 4)

Course Number:	220-1F
Location:	TBD
Day:	Sunday, Starting date: September 12 (6 Sessions)
Time:	11:30 AM-12:15 PM
Fee:	$^{109}$ with ID/ $^{114}$ without ID/ $^{137}$ nonresident

### SOCCERTOTS: GRIZZLIES (Age 5)

Course Number:	221-1F
Location:	TBD
Day:	Sunday, Starting date: September 12 (6 Sessions)
Time:	12:30 PM-1:30 PM
Fee:	$^{\$}$ 109 with ID/ $\$114$ without ID/ $\$137$ nonresident

### **SPORTS LEAGUES AND TEAMS**

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### CORTLANDT YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

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BOYS DIVISION PEE WEE DIVISION CUB DIVISION JUNIOR DIVISION SENIOR DIVISION SENIOR II DIVISION	GRADES 3, 4 GRADES 5, 6 GRADES 7, 8 GRADES 9, 10 GRADES 11, 12	GIRLS DIVISION CUB DIVISIONS MIDGET DIVISION	GRADES 3, 4 GRADES 5, 6, 7
Tryout Location: Date/Time for Tryouts:	Blue Mountain Middle School Gymnasium Cub Girls Tryouts- Monday, November 1- 6:30 PM Midget Girls Tryouts - Monday, November 1 - 7:15 PM Pee Wee Boys Tryouts - Wednesday, November 3 - 6:30 PM Cub Boys Tryout - Wednesday, November 3 - 7:15 PM Junior Boys Tryouts - Wednesday, November 3 - 8:00 PM Senior Boys tryouts - Monday, November 29 - 6:30 PM Senior II Boys tryouts - Monday, November 29 - 7:15 PM		
Fee: Late Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 80 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 85 wit <sup>\$</sup> 90 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 95 with	thout ID (Includes cost o out ID (Deadline for girl's a	of team shirt) oplications is Monday, November 2nd;
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### BASKETBALL - BOYS TRAVEL TEAM (6th, 7th, 8th Grade Teams)

NO ONLINE REGISTRTAION OR CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS FOR TRAVEL BASKETBALL; CASH AND/OR CHECK PAYEMNTS ONLY. This program is designed to provide a highly competitive environment for youth seriously interested in playing basketball. Included will be practices 1 to 2 times per week, scrimmage games, league play in a Northern Westchester League, and tournament play. All Town of Cortlandt residents and those attending the Hendrick Hudson or Lakeland School District schools are eligible to tryout for the team. Tryouts will be held early October. A minimum of 8 players to a maximum of 12 players will be selected for the team. Players selected will be expected to attend all practices, scrimmages, league and tournament games during the season from late October through the beginning of March. Practices will be held on weeknights with games on weeknights and week-ends. Information regarding tryout and registration is listed below.

Tryout Location:	Blue Mountain Middle School Gymnasium
Date/Time for Tryouts:	6th Grade Tryouts- Monday, October 4- 6:30 PM- 8:00 PM
	7th Grade Tryouts - Monday, October 4- 8:00 PM- 9:30 PM
	8th Grade Tryouts - Tuesday, October 5- 6:30 PM- 8:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 225 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 230 without ID (When accepted on Team)
BASKETBALL- GIRLS TRAVEL TEAM (6th, 7th, 8th Grade Teams)	
As with the boys, this program is designed to provide a highly competitive environment. Girls who try out	
and make the team will practice 1-2 times per week; participate in scrimmages and tournament games.	
Games will be on weeknight	
Tryout Location:	Blue Mountain Middle School Gymnasium
Date/Time for Tryouts:	6th Grade Tryouts - Tuesday, October 5 - 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

6th Grade Tryouts - Tuesday, October 5 - 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM 7th Grade Tryouts - Wednesday, October 6 - 6:30PM - 8:00 PM 8th Grade Tryouts - Tuesday, October 6 - 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM \$225 with ID/ \$230 without ID (When accepted on team)

Fee:

#### LITTLE LEAGUE

This program is not run thru the Recreation Office but it is run by a board of volunteers. For more Information please contact: Cortlandt American Little League (C.A.L.L.) Little League levels of play start at Age 5 up to 15 years old. Providing little league baseball for youth in the following school districts: Lakeland, Yorktown, and Mahopac. For more information, view their **website** at www.callbb.org or **email**: Cortlandtbaseball@gmail.com

Cortlandt National Little League (C.N.L.L.) (Hendrick Hudson School District) Email: cnll@cnllbaseball.org • Website: www.cnllbaseball.org

#### Croton Little League (C.L.L.)

The Little League is open to boys and girls living within the Croton Harmon Union Free School District.

Email: info@crotonlittleleague.com Website: www.crotonlittleleague.com



Picture of the Wally Blattman, Don & Sylvia Harfst Sprout Brook Little League Field located at Sprout Brook Park on Sprout Brook Road in northern Cortlandt. It is used by both Cortlandt American and Cortlandt National Little League Organizations.









# **FACILITY RENTALS**

\*Due to COVID-19, the availability of the Town of Cortlandt rental facilities advertised below may change dependent on the directives from the Governor.

### COMMUNITY ROOM, CORTLANDT TOWN CENTER

The Community Room is located at 3131 East Main Street, Mohegan Lake, in the Cortlandt Town Center. It is available for rental use by Town residents and Town groups. For information and to make a reservation please call the Recreation Office at 914-734-1052, Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM- 3:30 PM.



### TOWN OF CORTLANDT YOUTH AND RECREATION CENTER

Celebrate your child's birthday or host your Scout, Youth, Church, Synagogue, or Civic Organization Groups meeting/ event at the Cortlandt Youth and Recreation Center. The YC is available to rent for birthday parties on Saturdays and Sundays from 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM for children ages 7 and older. Host up to 20 of your child's friends, where they can play ping-pong, air hockey, pool, foosball, and climb the rock wall. The YC is available Monday through Thursday from 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM for civic organization meetings. Contact Katherine for more information at 914-736-0498.

# YOUTH AND RECREATION CENTER

3 Memorial Drive, Croton-on-Hudson 914-736-0498 www.townofcortlandt.com/yc



**Director: Katherine Sclafani**, katherines@townofcortlandt.com **Assistant Director: Lindsey Luposello**, lluposello@townofcortlandt.com

The Director and Assistant Director are available to all young people in our town for conversation, information and referral. Cortlandt Recreation is committed to providing a variety of programs that are socially engaging, educational and fun for youth of all ages.

# Art Work by: Alexa Bernard & Kyra (Willow) Campbell

### **DROP IN PROGRAM AT THE YC FREE**

### Drop in activities include:

own of Cortland

table games - ping pong, pool, air hockey, arts and crafts, video games - Wii & Switch, TV, board games, learning lab, outside activities, basketball, pickle ball and more!

\*Limited spaces available; first come, first serve basis Space dependent on current COVID restrictions.

Youth must be a registered participant (member) of the YC in order to attend daily and specialty programs.

To register go to: www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline

# **Hours Of Operation**

GRADES 6TH - 12TH Mon-Thurs: 3 PM-8 PM Friday: 3 PM- 9 PM Saturday: 5 PM- 9 PM Sunday: CLOSED

\*OPEN AT 1 PM Tuesday, September 7 Wednesday, September 8 Thursday, September 16 Monday, October 11 Tuesday, November 2 Thursday, November 21 Wednesday, November 24 Friday, November 26 Monday, December 27 Tuesday, December 28 Wednesday, December 29 Thursday, December 30 **GRADES 1ST-5TH** (WITH ADULT SUPERVISION) Saturday: 1 PM-5 PM

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### CLOSED

Monday, September 6 Thursday, November 25 Friday, December 24 Saturday, December 25 Friday, December 31 Saturday, January 1

**ROCK WALL HOURS** Call the YC for more information

**CORTLANDT COMMUNITY COALITION** Help us keep our Community Safe, Healthy, and Drug Free Colleen Anderson, M.S., Ed, CPP, Coalition Coordinator Call 914-734-1052 for more information



# YC IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

# **YC Registration Process** (Grades 6th-12th)

All participants must be registered online for our drop-in program. Registration is good for one year & needs to be renewed on a yearly basis. You will be notified by email prior to renewal requirement. CommunityPass

Go to: www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline Search by keyword



Blue Mountain Middle School has a bus which drops youth off at the YC Monday - Friday. The bus does not run on half days (both scheduled and unscheduled.) Youth MUST be registered online before you can register for a bus pass.

For more information and to register email: katherines@townofcortlandt.com lluposello@townofcortlandt.com



The YC is committed to providing educational programs for our youth which promote positive social development.

Programs are implemented after school and with all of our drop-in participants.

For more information, please call the YC at 914-736-0498.

# YC PROGRAMS: GRADES 6TH - 12TH AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM



The Youth Center encourages youth to attend our **"YC After School Program"** Monday - Friday on days school is in session. Youth can do homework, participate in the YC's educational programs and hang out with their friends.

### Mon - Thurs: 3 PM - 8 PM Friday: 3 PM - 9PM

Youth must be registered participants of the Youth Center if they would like to attend.

To register go to:

### www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline

Search by keyword "Youth Center"

# YC HOLIDAYS: GRADES 6th - 12th

### 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM With Special Program at 3:00 PM

- September 07: National Telephone Tuesday
- September 08: National Actors Day
- September 16: National Play-Doh Day
- October 11: Myths and Legends Day
- November 02: Cookie Monster Day
- November 11: World Origami Day
- *November 24:* Celebrate Your Unique Talent Day
- *November 26:* Random Act of Kindness Day
- **December 27:** Make Cut Out Snowflakes Day
- **December 28:** National Card Playing Day
- **December 29:** National Chocolate Day
- **December 30:** National Baking Soda Day

While at the Youth Center youth are welcome to enjoy the drop-in activities in addition to the scheduled program.

Programs are on a first come, first serve basis; number of participants will depend on current COVID regulations. Go to: www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline to register for the Youth Center

### YC PROGRAMS: GRADES 6TH - 12TH WEEKENDS SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER

### YC FRIDAY 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM Program: 7:00 PM

September 03:	Minute To Win It
September 10:	Glow-In-The-Dark Mania
September 17:	Henna
September 24:	DJ Night (6 PM start)
October 01:	Mini Sport Tournament
October 08:	Trivia
October 15:	DJ Night (6 PM start)
October 22:	Fashion Forward Friday
October 29:	Scavenger Hunt
November 05:	Holiday Gift Making
November 12:	DJ Night (6 PM start)
November 19:	Glow-In-The-Dark Mania
November 26:	Video Game Tournament
December 03:	Henna
December 10:	Game Night
December 17:	Holiday Karaoke





### YC SATURDAY 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM Program: 7:00 PM

September 04:	B-Ball Shoot Out
September 11:	8 Ball Challenge
September 18:	CLOSED Family Fun Day
September 25:	Glow-In-The-Dark Mania
October 02:	Basketball Shoot Out
October 09:	Lawn Game Madness
October 16:	Video Game Tournament
October 23:	Paint Night
October 30:	Movie Night
November 06:	Scavenger Hunt
November 13:	Glow-In-The-Dark Mania
November 20:	Holiday Gift Making
November 27:	Mini Sport Tournaments
December 04:	CLOSED Winter Wonderland
Dec <b>ember 11</b> :	Paint Night
December 18:	Movie Night

While at the YC, youth are welcome to enjoy the drop-in activities in addition to the scheduled program.



Registration for daily participation is on a first come, first serve basis. Go to: www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline and search by keyword Youth Center to register for the YC

# YC PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS: GRADES 6TH - 12TH





### **8 BALL CHALLENGE**

How are your cue stick skills on the pool table? Solids versus stripes and the first to drop the lucky 8 ball takes the crown!

### **BASKETBALL SHOOT-OUT CONTEST**

Outside in the sun or under the lights at night, come try your hand at being our basketball shoot-out contest winner.

### **CELEBRATE YOUR UNIQUE TALENT DAY**

Come share your unique talent with your peers and see what secret talents they've been hiding. It's sure to be a day filled with awe and amazement!

### COOKIE MONSTER DAY

"C" is for Cookie! Join us as we celebrate this iconic character we all love just as much as he loves cookies!

### **DJ NIGHTS**

Stop in and enjoy the music styling of DJ Randy, dancing and contests with your friends!

### FASHION FORWARD FRIDAYS

It's time to let your inner diva-designer out! Join us to create a new and innovative fashion look and then show it off on the catwalk! Participants must use materials provided to them.

### **GAME NIGHT**

We've got a closet full of your favorite games, like Family Feud, BINGO, What Comes To Mind and so much more! In a group or with a friend choose your favorite and get to playing!

### **GLOW-IN-THE-DARK MANIA**

An evening of black light and glow stick fun. Games, prizes and more!

### **HENNA TIME**

The YC welcomes Margie from Making Faces Parties, a professional henna artist for a night of creativity and cultural fun as your hand or arm becomes her canvas! Parental agreement must be signed in order to participate.

### HOLIDAY GIFT MAKING

It's that time of year for giving! Make your family and friends a little gift to show them how much they mean to you.

### **HOLIDAY KARAOKE**

Grab the mic and get to singing your favorite holiday carols!

### LAWN GAME MADNESS

All the classic games like Bocce, Corn Hole, KanJam and more will be out on the lawn for your team to have a friendly competition.

### MAKE CUT OUT SNOWFLAKES DAY

Yes, there is actually a national day for snowflake making. Join us as we decorate the YC for winter!

#### **MINI SPORT TOURNAMENT**

Grab your teammates and head on over to compete in any sport of your choice!"

### YC PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS: GRADES 6TH - 12TH CONTINUED

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

Join us as we celebrate the upcoming holiday with a movie classic! Youth will vote on the movie in advance.

### **MYTHS & LEGENDS DAY**

Myths & Legends are one way of using stories to explain the unexplainable. Join us while we investigate old stories and create new ones!

### NATIONAL ACTORS DAY

Celebrate your favorite celebrities through a variety of games.

### NATIONAL BAKING SODA DAY

Learn about all the different uses for baking soda from cleaning to science experiments.

### NATIONAL CARD PLAYING DAY

Celebrate the day by playing some of your favorite card games or learning a new one!

### NATIONAL CHOCOLATE DAY

We are celebrating...enough said!

### NATIONAL PLAY-DOH DAY

Learn how to make your own Play-Doh for hours of play or fidgeting!

### NATIONAL TELEPHONE TUESDAY

Game of telephone anyone? Sure we will have some fun, but to celebrate we are going to teach you the history of how the telephone has transformed as well as how to use a landline, and the proper way to leave a voice message!

### **PAINT NIGHT**

Join Kit Kat in an evening of painting! Whether you choose to be lead in direction or create your own individual masterpiece the final product is a great gift idea.

### RANDOM ACT OF KINDNESS DAY

It's the time of year when we do more for others. Join us as we brain-storm all the different ways we can pay it forward, just not today, but all 365 days of the year!

### **SCAVENGER HUNT**

Join us for our different themed scavenger hunts, both inside and outside of the YC.

### **TRIVIA**

Grab your friends and put on your thinking caps; it's trivia time! We are going to test your knowledge on many topics including history, celebrities, travel, science, social media and more! Prize for the winning team!

### **VIDEO GAME TORNAMENT**

The Nintendo Switch & Wii consoles are set-up and ready for a friendly tournament.

### WORLD ORIGAMI DAY

Celebrate by learning how to do origami as well as discuss some ideas for the upcoming holiday season.



# YC SPECIALTY PROGRAMS: GRADES 6TH - 12TH

# AMERICAN RED CROSS BABYSITTING COURSE (AGES 11-14) Angela Reeve, Instructor

The ARC Babysitter's Training course is designed to provide youth with the knowledge and skills necessary to safely and responsibly give care for children and infants. This training will help participants to develop leadership skills, learn how to develop a babysitting business, keep themselves and others safe, help children behave and learn about basic child care as well as basic first aid. This fun and highly interactive training will keep youth engaged and allows for hands on practice with use of child care dolls and mannequins. Successful participants earn ARC Certification. This course will be held outdoors, please dress warmly and bring water and a snack.

### Course Number: 600-1F

Location:	Youth Center (Outside)
Days:	Saturday, October 2
Time:	9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Fee:	<sup>\$</sup> 84 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 89 without ID/ <sup>\$</sup> 107 nonresident

### **CANTEEN (GRADES 6TH-12TH)**

Come and join us three nights a week for open gym basketball! Open to Croton, Hendrick Hudson, Copper Beach Middle School and Walter Panas High School Students or middle/high school students who are town residents. Youth must be registered in order to participate. For registration forms, log onto www.townofcortlandt.com/yc.

Location:Muriel H. Morabito Community Center<br/>29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt ManorDays/Time:Tuesdays, 7:00 PM- 9:00 PMDays/Time:Wednesdays, 7:00 PM- 9:00 PMDays/Time:Fridays, 8:00 PM- 10:30 PMFee:Free

### GAME CAFÉ AT THE CUE (GRADES 9TH-12TH)

Croton Harmon, Hendrick Hudson, Walter Panas and town residents who are HS students are welcome to come and hang out with their friends! We have free Wifi, flat screens, Xbox, ping-pong, games, café & more!

Location: ( 3 Days/Time: F Fee: F

Cortlandt Town Center (behind theater) 3131 E. Main St. Mohegan Lake Friday & Saturday 7:30 PM-11:30 PM Free; \**Must show school ID*\*



### OPEN GYM at Hen-Hud H.S. (GRADES 6TH-12TH)

For Hen-Hud School District Residents Only Come and join us for some free play basketball! Youth must be registered as a participant of the YC in order to participate. Register online at: www.townofcortlandt. com/reconline and search by key word. Visit our website for dates Open Gym is closed.

Location: Day/Date: Time: Fee: Hen-Hud High School Gymnasium 2166 Albany Post Road, Montrose Mondays- Beginning September 20 (No program when school is closed.) 7:30 PM- 9:30 PM Free



### YC CLEAN-UP (GRADES 6TH-12TH)

Join the Glashoffs in this unique program to help clean-up our town! Participants will be given supplies to help them pick-up litter and debris from local sites around the town. Youth will receive volunteer hours for community service. Parents will be responsible for dropping off and picking-up their child at the designated location.

#### Course Number: 652-1F

Location:	TBD
Days:	Saturday, September 25
	Saturday, October 16
	Saturday, November 6
Time:	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Fee:	Free

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# YC SPECIALTY PROGRAMS: GRADES 6TH - 12TH



### **BROADWAY ALL STARS (GRADES 3RD-8TH)** Robyn Ferracane, Instructor

Love to act or sing? This workshop is for everyone from the beginning student to the seasoned performer. Experience the fun of the theatrical games, audition and having a role in a live production! Taught by a professional actress/director, youth will enjoy nine working classes with a final performance.

Course Number: 620-1F Location: Youth Center Saturdays, September 25 - November 20 Day/ Dates: (no class 11/27; 9 classes) Time: 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Performance: Saturday, Dec 4 <sup>\$</sup>195 with ID/ <sup>\$</sup>200 without ID/ Fee: <sup>\$</sup>240 nonresident

CREATIVE COOKING ON ZOOM (GRADES K - 1ST & GRADES 2ND - 5TH) - See Youth Programs



### **HOME ALONE (GRADES 5TH- 8TH)**

This program will provide each child with the essentials skills needed when they are home without adult supervision. Discussion will cover first aid, telephone and door answering, activity plans, encountering emergencies and more!

### Course Number: 612-1F

Location:	Youth Center
Day/ Dates:	Saturday, November 6
Time:	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Fee:	Free

### YC FAMILY PROGRAMS: GRADES 1ST - 5TH (WITH ADULT SUPERVISION)

All programs will be held outdoors at the Youth Center and are weather permitted. Programs are in date order. Pre-registration is required for these programs.

### FAMILY CRAFT YOUR OWN GAMES

Location: Youth Center

Dav/Date: Saturday, September 25 Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Fee: Free

### FAMILY HALLOWEEN FUN

Come dressed in your Halloween Costumes for our 2nd Annual event, which will feature some Halloween themed activities. There will be both Tricks and Treats!

Location: Youth Center Saturday, October 23 Dav/Date: Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM Fee: Free

### FAMILY HOLIDAY RELAY

Join us for some craft projects that will leave you Families will compete against each other as they entertained for hours and days after the program! work their way through each "Holiday" station of the YC's first annual Family Holiday Relay! Prizes for all who participate.

Day/Date:	Saturday, November 13
Time:	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM
Fee:	Free



Programs are on a first come, first serve basis. Please register all youth & adult participants for family programs. Go to: www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline and search by keywords.

# **YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES: AGES 14 - 18**

### We're Open For Business: Calling All Youth, Business Owners & Community Members

Our mission is to provide a free service which seeks to connect youth ages 14-18 with local businesses and community members who have employment opportunities.

# **Register Now**





Youth Text: YESINFO

# To 833-343-0298

By texting keyword, "yesinfo" or "hire" to 833-343-0298 you agree to receive a text message with more information about the YES program. Additional forms will be necessary to receive promotional automated messages. This agreement isn't a condition of any purchase. Msg & data rates may apply. To unsubscribe from the message, respond "STOP".

# **OPERATION SNOWFLAKE: AGES 11-18!**



The Town of Cortlandt is seeking youth to shovel the driveways, pathways, and sidewalks for the Town's Senior Citizens this winter season.

To submit an application, please go to:

www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline and search by keyword.

Youth will be paid <sup>\$</sup>8.00 per hour. **Application Deadline is Tuesday, October 5th**. For more information please contact Lindsey at Iluposello@townofcortlandt.com or 914-736-0498.

# **SPECIAL ACTIVITES AND EVENTS**



#### **5K ROAD RACE**

All participants receive a free t-shirt . Awards go to the top three men and woman in various age groups. Registration form can be found in the back of this brochure; Race Day registration is at the Cortlandt Waterfront Park.

Location:Cortlandt Waterfront Park,<br/>Riverview Avenue & Broadway, VerplanckDate:Saturday, October 30Time:9:30 AM Start

For more information, please contact kens@townofcortlandt.com or 914-734-1058.

### **COMMUNITY GARDEN**

Join us to Volunteer at our Town of Cortlandt Community Garden! A Town of Cortlandt resident with

tremendous knowledge in garden-ing volunteers to coordinate this effort! Located at Lake Meahagh, Westchester Avenue, Verplanck, NY 10596. Cortlandt residents and groups (Scouts, Civic organiza-tions, etc.) will take care of their defined areas with



the coordinator's guidance. Contact the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department at tocrec@townofcortlandt.com or 914-734-1050.



### **FAMILY FUN DAY**

Join us for an afternoon of family fun on Saturday, September 18th, 4:00 PM- 8:00 PM, parking is at the Cortlandt Train Station located at 1 Memorial Drive in Croton-on-Hudson. There will be live music, inflatable rides, and food trucks. Fireworks will follow at 7:45 PM/ 8:00 PM. (Rain date: Sunday, September 19th - 4:00 PM- 8:00 PM)

#### HALLOWEEN DOG PARADE

Costumes suggested and treats for all participants!Location:Cortlandt Dog Park130 Sprout Brook Road, Cortlandt ManorDay:Saturday, October 30Time:2:30 PM-3:30 PMFee:Free

*Please register at timf@townofcortlandt.com For more information call 914-734-1056.* 



#### HALLOWEEN PARTY

Families are invited to come trick or treat inside at our Annual Halloween Party at the Community Center! Open to all children through the 5th Grade accompanied by an adult. Activities will include entertainment, games, contests, treats, balloons and a chance to be on cable TV. Pre-Registration would begin online at www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline in early October. Please call 914-734-1050 for more information.

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center,
	29 West Brook Drive, Cortlandt Manor
Day:	Sunday, October 31
Time:	6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Fee:	Free



#### **HOBGOBLIN PARADE**

A special Halloween parade is open to everyone in costume from ages 2-14. Trophies and candy will be given to all children in costume.

Location:	Muriel H. Morabito Community Center
	29 Westbrook Drive
Day:	Saturday, October 30
Time:	1:00 PM Sharp
Fee:	Free

#### FIRST RESPONDERS GOLF TOURNAMENT

ALL proceeds from the tournament will be donated to the various First Responder organizations within the Town of Cortlandt.

Location:Hollow Brook Golf ClubDay:Monday, October 18Time:11:00 AM Registration and Boxed Lunch<br/>12:00 PM "Shotgun Start"<br/>(Scramble Format)<br/>5:00 PM Barbeque Dinner at Hollow<br/>Brook Club HouseFee:Volunteer of a Fire Department,<br/>Ambulance Corps, or Auxiliary Group:<br/>\$100.00 per person (Please bring<br/>identification showing your group

Not a volunteer: \$150.00 per person

membership)

Only attending the dinner: \$55.00 per person

If you would like to reserve a spot or foursome, please call:

### Ken Sherman at 914-734-1058

Deadline to submit registration is Monday, October 11th. *Application can be found in the back of the brochure.* 

### MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION

MAIL REGISTRATION TO: Town of Cortlandt Recreation 1 Heady Street Cortlandt Manor, NY, 10567

#### **LETTERS TO SANTA**

'Tis the season to send your letter to Santa, and the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department will help speed up the process! A special "Santa's Mail-box" will be set up in the Town Hall lobby! Children can drop off or mail their letters to this mailbox, and Santa will send them a personalized letter in reply. Santa's Mailbox will be available from November 22 to December 17. All letters to Santa must be received in the mailbox no later than 4:00 PM on December 16 to ensure a reply. This program is open to Town of Cortlandt residents only.



#### Mailing Address:

Santa's Mailbox Town of Cortlandt Town Hall 1 Heady Street Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567

#### MEET SANTA AT THE YOUTH CENTER

Bring the whole family and enjoy the afternoon with Santa and his helpers! Take pictures, write a letter to Santa, make holiday cards, and enjoy treats from Mrs. Claus' kitchen!

Location	: Cortlandt Youth Center
0 0	3 Memorial Drive, Croton
Day:	Saturday, December 11
Time:	2:00 PM- 4:00 PM
Fee:	Free
- 0 0	For more information, please

visit www.townofcortlandt.com/yc or call the Youth Center at 914-736-0498.



### VAN CORTLANDTVILLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Van Cortlandtville Historical Society welcomes people who are interested in learning more about the The Van Cortlandtville Historical Society welcomes people who are interested in learning more about the history of our community and sharing it with others. The society was founded in 1921 and has been headquartered in



the historic Little Red Schoolhouse, 297 Lo-cust Avenue, Cortlandt Manor, since 1972. A primary goal is hands-on education of children about life in the mid-19th century through such activities as the Early School Days program and the annual Co-lonial Fair, led by history enthusiasts in period clothing. Other activi-ties include reenactments of local military events from the Revolu-tionary War, erection of roadside markers at local historic sites, an-nual memorial services, upgrading of Van Cortlandtville Memorial Park and rehabilitation of the Van Cortlandt family plot in Hillside Cemetery.

The society welcomes appropriate memorabilia and genealogical records from local residents. The society's regular meetings, at 2 PM at the Schoolhouse on the third Saturday of most months, feature a variety of presentations that extend far beyond the primary emphasis on early-day education and the rich Revolutionary War history of the community. Visitors and new members are always welcome. Booklets for a self-guided walking tour are available, along with other literature about local historic sites. Most activities are open to everyone at no charge. For more information, or to schedule a visit, please call the Schoolhouse at 914-736-7868, visit www.vancort.net or email society@vancort.net

# NOR-WEST REGIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES

Providing therapeutic recreation programs for individuals with special needs since 1973

Looking for quality recreation for a child, teen, or adult with a developmental disability?

Serving Cortlandt, Peekskill, Ossining & Yorktown



# www.nor-west.org 914-737-4797

Nor-West is a certified OPWDD respite provider



# **SPECIAL PARK FACILITIES**

### FOR ALL TOWN OF CORTLANDT RESIDENTS

Please remember dogs must be leashed at all times and please remember to pick up after your dogs.

### **BICENTENNIAL GARDEN**

Serving as a lasting tribute to the Town's 200th Birthday, the garden includes a flower garden, time capsule and site marker. The time capsule contains over 100 items of significance to the Town. Its site is marked by a historic millstone from the vicinity of the Croton River.

Location: Charles J. Cook Recreation Center Fee: Free

### **CROTON ARBORETUM**

The Jane E. Lytle Arboretum in Croton-on-Hudson NY provides a variety of walking trails, including a handicapaccessible trail, through wildlife habitats on 22 acres of woods and wetlands. Located at the end of Lounsbury/ Fox Road and following a short drive or walk across the Hudson National golf course, the Arboretum is open 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Managed by the Croton Arboretum and Sanctuary Inc., the Arboretum provides programs in conservation, education, and recreation. For directions and information, visit our web page: www.cro-tonarboretum.org.



### FURNACE DOCK LAKE

The Town of Cortlandt acquired and saved the 100 year old Furnace Dock Lake in 2011. It is now part of the Town's parkland and inventory.

Furnace Dock Lake Rules and Regulations For a safe and enjoyable park experience please obey the following rules:

- All activities at your own risk
- Park is open dawn to dusk
- Keep pets leashed, clean up after them as well
- All garbage is to be taken out of the park
- Do not remove or destroy plants, wildlife, or artifacts **The following is prohibited :**
- Hunting, firearms, alcohol, and camping
- Motorized vehicles and mountain bikes
- Fires, smoking, swimming, and dumping

- Feeding wildlife, metal detectors, and radios
- Fireworks, music, and loud noise

HUDSON RIVER COMMUNITY BOAT LAUNCH Located at the Cortlandt Waterfront Park (Off Riverview Avenue and Broadway in the Hamlet of Verplanck) Seasonal Use ONLY from April 1 through October 31 Park Hours 7:00 AM to Dusk Rules and Regulations

- Town of Cortlandt, Village of Buchanan and Village of Croton residents only.
- Use of the ramp for commercial purpose is strictly prohibited.
- Town of Cortlandt Boat Launch Permit is required. Permit is available at the Cortlandt Town Hall in the Town Clerk's office at 1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, New York 10567, the main phone number is 914–734-1020
- Clear Ramp area Come in Slow NO WAKE
- Seasonal use only from April 1 through October 31
- Pull boat around to launching ramp as soon as space becomes available. Pull boat to the tie-down zone and clear the ramp so others may use the boat launch.
- Permit for ramp access MUST be in full view on the dash or mirror of your vehicle. If your permit is not in view, you will receive a summons and fines.
- Anyone driving over 5 MPH within 50 feet of the shore will forfeit their permit and be given a summons and fines.
- Boat size not to exceed 22 feet.
- NO swimming, sunbathing.
- Waterskiing or loitering in the launch area.
- NO overnight parking.



# **CORTLANDT DOG PARK**

The Dog Park is located at Sprout Brook Park. There are two areas, one for small dogs and an area for large dogs. For more information and opening date call the Recreation Department at 734-1056.

In order to keep track and send information, we would encourage all residents to register their dogs through the Town Clerk Office, you can find the application in the back of this brochure.

#### Dog Park Rules and Regulations

PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND LIABILTY INSURANCE

- 1. Dog Park closes at dusk daily.
- 2. No animals other than dogs may be brought into the fenced area.
- 3. All dogs must be leashed until safely inside the Dog Park and returned to a gates are closed after entering and leaving the park.
- 4. Do not leave a leash on dogs in the park. Bring your leash into the park in case of emergency or altercation.
- 5. Dog owners must remain in the fenced area while their dogs are using the Dog Park. Owners must be in view of their dogs and have voice control at all times.
- 6. Children accompanying dog owners must be strictly supervised and at least 12 years old to be allowed inside unless accompanied by an adult.
- 7. Children under 10 years old not allowed (some dogs see small dogs as prey) in large dog area.
- 8. Children under 5 years old not allowed in the park.
- 9. Spectators should remain outside the fenced area.
- 10. Aggressive dogs and dogs in heat are not allowed.
- 11. Owners must immediately leash and remove dogs from the Dog Park at the first sight of aggressive behavior.
- 12. Please be courteous to others do not bring sick dogs to the park.
- 13. Owners must dispose of waste properly in the designated on-site containers. Owners must prevent dogs from digging holes.
- 14. While small bite-sized training treats are permitted, foods in bowls, long lasting chews, or glass containers are not allowed.
- 15. No Smoking and no food are allowed inside of the Dog Park.
- 16. No more than three (3) dogs per person are allowed on any single visit.
- 17. Puppies less than four (4) months old are not permitted in the park.
- 18. Dogs must be licensed and vaccinated for rabies and DHLPP. Current license and rabies tags must be worn on the dog's collar at all times.
- Owners are liable for any injury or damage caused by their dog and are fully responsible for their dog's actions.
- 20. Trainers are not allowed to use the park to conduct business.
- 21. Any incident, problem etc. should be reported to Cortlandt Recreation and Parks 914-734-1050. Office is open Monday thru Friday 8:30am to 4pm.
- 22. In the event of an emergency call 911.

I Understand That: Permission from the Town to use the Dog Park is conditional on compliance with the above dog park rules.

I Also Understand and Agree That: The dog park is to provide a fencedin area where dog owners may bring their dogs and permit them to run freely with other dogs, and that unleashing my dog (s) and being present in an area where there are other people, including children, and other unleashed dogs, poses risks to others and myself and to my dog (s) and the dogs and property of dogs, and I do hereby agree to assume such risks.

I Further Agree To: Release, discharge, hold harmless and indemnify the Town all of it's officials, agents, officers, employees and representatives from liability for any and all claims for injuries, damages and/or losses whatsoever to any person or animal (including but not limited to disability and death) or property which may arise out of, result from or be associated with the use of or presence on the dog park by myself and/or my dog (s).



# HOLLOW BROOK GOLF COURSE



### **For Cortlandt Residents**

**Public Access to the Hollow Brook Golf Course (off Oregon Road)** The Hollow Brook Golf Club is a private/public course with Town residents being able to reserve tee-times. The course will open in April 2021 (weather permitting). The Town coordinates those rounds reserved for the exclusive use of Town residents (Agreement on file), Tuesday thru Sunday for public use. On Tuesday and Thursday, 7 of the tee times are discounted at <sup>\$</sup>85 after 2:00 PM, Greens fees will be a total <sup>\$</sup>110 for all other tee times Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. On Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays greens fees will be <sup>\$</sup>160 with no tee times before noon. Prices include greens fees and a cart. Range balls (only available when playing) for <sup>\$</sup>10. Reservations can be made five days in advance by calling 914-734-1500.

For the 2021 golf season residents will need to purchase a golf sticker in the recreation department of Town Hall, 1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, N.Y. for a fee of <sup>\$</sup>12 for the 2021 Golf season. This sticker will be placed on the Town of Cortlandt resident ID card. If you do not currently have a VALID Town of Cortlandt I.D. Card, one can be purchased for an additional \$7, please see pages 18 & 19 for more information on how to purchase a Town of Cortlandt Recreation Photo ID Card and a Hollow Brook Golf Sticker. For further information regarding Hollow Brook please call 914-734-1058.

# To reserve tee times residents will need to call the Hollow Brook Golf Course - 914-734-1500.

2021 Golf Sticker Fee: <sup>\$</sup>12 with a valid Town of Cortlandt ID Card (plus an additional <sup>\$</sup>7 if a Town of Cortlandt ID is needed)

#### **Rules for Town of Cortlandt Players**

- 1. Tee Times can be made by phone only.
- 2. Tee Times can be made five (5) days in advance, after 10:00 AM i.e. Friday for Tuesday, Saturday for Wednesday, Sun day for Thursday, Monday for Friday, Wednesday for Satur day and Sunday.
- 3. Residents must have golf shoes with soft spikes, collared shirts, golf pants or Bermuda shorts NO JEANS, CUT OFFS, SHORT SHORTS, and CARGO PANTS OR SHORTS.
- 4. Residents may bring one guest at town fees.
- 5. Residents can only make reservations for themselves and their guest and not another town resident.
- 6. Residents must show their Town of Cortlandt resident card with a golf sticker.
- 7. Residents cannot use the driving range or practice areas unless they are playing golf.
- 8. Additional fees will be charged for food and beverage.
- 9. Additional fees will be charged for the driving range \$10.00
- 10. Residents will not be allowed on the tee before their Tee Time and do not have access to the Club House.

### **CORTLANDT HOCKEY RINK**

Cortlandt Train Station, Route 9A, Montrose, NY Time slots not reserved by Cortlandt Recreation programs are available for Community Use. Call 914-734-1055 for more information.

### Skate at your own risk.

For your protection, please observe the following rules:

- 1. Skaters must wear proper safety equipment:
- 2. Helmets, rubber wheeled skates, elbow pads, kneepads & wrist guards.
- 3. Roller hockey activities require a caged helmet, shoulder pads, shin guards, gloves and mouth guard.
- 4. Helmets with face mask/cage must be worn at all times for roller hockey including on player benches.
- 5. Skaters must provide their own equipment.
- 6. Only in-line skaters are permitted in rink.
- 7. No bicycles, skateboards, scooters, radio controlled toys, food or spectators permitted inside rink.
- 8. Graffiti, vandalism, and the use of profanity, tobacco, and alcohol, drugs or glass containers are prohibited.
- 9. Please deposit all trash in containers.
- 10. Rink hours are 9 am to dusk.
- 11. No skating when surface is wet.
- 12. No trespassing after rink hours or when locked.
- 13. Use of rink is by permit from Cortlandt Recreation. Division only.
- 14. Skate rink is open to Town Residents only.

# FAILURE TO ABIDE BY THESE RULES WILL RESULT IN THE LOSS OF PARK PRIVILEGES.

The Town of Cortlandt is not liable for any accident or injury to persons or property resulting from the use of this skate rink. Please be considerate of fellow skaters especially those who are younger or less skilled. Serious injury may result from colliding with other participants. Please be considerate of surrounding neighbors.



### **HOLLOW BROOK TRAIL**

Hollow Brook Trail was dedicated on October 20, 2016 the trail is part of 70 acres that was given to the Town several years ago. The trail was completed in August and is approximately 3 quarters of a mile long. The entrance to the trail is located at the bottom of Anton Place, in Lake Peekskill, Town of Cortlandt. The trail is adjacent to the Hollow Brook golf course.



**CHARLES J. COOK PARK MINIATURE GOLF** At Charles J. Cook Recreation Center, a 9-hole miniature golf course opened in the spring of 2019. Each hole has a Town of Cortlandt inspired feature such as

the Little Red School House, Bear Mountain Bridge and Toll House. The course will be open to both pool users and the general public during normal operating hours. The golf course will remain open spring, fall, summer weather permitting.

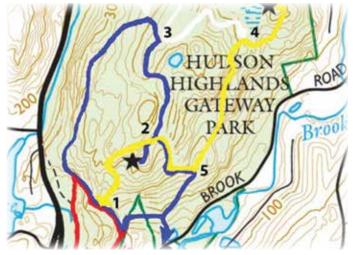


**CHARLES J. COOK PARK FITNESS TRAIL** The nature and fitness trail is approximately ½ mile and consists of an 8-ft wide rustic trail (natural) and twenty (20) pieces of fitness equipment.



#### HUDSON HIGHLANDS GATEWAY PARK

Sprout Brook Road (Main), Doris Lee Drive, Cortlandt Manor



Threatened twice by dense residential development, was protected in 1998 when a coalition of more than 35 groups representing homeowners, the homeowners, the community, government agencies and several environmental organizations united to preserve this 352-acre site. The Coalition to Preserve the Hudson Highlands Gateway raised \$6 million to buy the parcel. In May 2000, the Scenic Hudson Land Trust, the Town of Cortlandt and

Westchester County purchased the property.

A network of trails in the park exposes visitors to woodlands, streams, steep slopes, bedrock outcroppings and meadows, revealing much human and natural history and providing spectacular river views. This park is ecologically significant because it is home to several; noteworthy ecosystems. The site's upland wetlands are crucial for many frogs and salamanders to survive. Several different snake species use the prominent, east-facing cliffs of the park to warm themselves in the sun. Also the park's Westchester County location is in one of the country's three major bird migration corridors. Come spring, hundreds of thousands of birds fly over the park where they stop to rest and feed.

Since the property was acquired, the Hudson Highlands Gateway Task Force, a group of concerned citizens - has been working with The Scenic Hudson Land Trust, the Town of Cortlandt and New York-New Jersey Trail Conference on issues including park improvements, illegal ATV use and assessing the park's natural resources.

Hudson Highlands Gateway Park is an ideal destination for an afternoon or all-day outing. Recreational activities abound, including hiking, birding, cross-country skiing, fishing and snowshoeing. Located at the southern end of the fabled Hudson Highlands, the park once served as a Revolutionary War lookout and now is open for public enjoyment.

#### Directions

Two parking areas are available; one is temporarily shared with Sprout Brook Park, 0.3 miles from the intersection of Sprout Brook Road and Highland Avenue, just past and on the same side as the athletic. Cross road and enter park through the gap in guardrail. Universally accessible parking area is at the end of Doris Lee Drive (see map). Park on gravel in front of fence.

#### Operating Hours: Open year-round, from dawn to dusk.

#### Scenic Hudson

#### YOUR VALLEY, YOUR VOICE, YOUR FUTURE

We hope you enjoy visiting Hudson Highlands Gateway Park. This and other significant Hudson Valley landscapes are protected by the Scenic Hudson Land Trust with the support of the Lila Acheson and DeWitt Wallace Fund for the Hudson Highlands, created by the founders of Readers Digest Association, Inc. Scenic Hudson also gratefully acknowledges those who helped make this park a reality; Town of Cortlandt, Westchester County, New York- New Jersey Trail

Conference, New York State and many dedicated individuals who donated their time, energy and financial support.

Visit other Scenic Hudson Parks nearby: Scenic Hudson Park at Irvington Habirshaw Park on the Hudson, Yonkers Both in Westchester County www.scenichudson.org/parks *E-mail:* info@scenichudson.org

Please call or write to receive a free Adventure Guide to Scenic Hudson's Parks, Preserves and Trails

Scenic Hudson works to protect and restore the Hudson River and its majestic landscape as an irreplaceable national treasure and a vital resource for residents and visitors. A crusader for the valley since 1963, today they are the largest environmental group focused on the Hudson River Valley. Our team of experts combines land acquisition, support for agriculture, citizenbased advocacy and sophisticated planning tools to create environmentally healthy communities, champion smart economic growth, open up riverfronts to the public and preserve the valley's inspiring beauty and natural resources.

#### Park Rules & Regulations

Please remember, you are not only a visitor but also a steward of the land. For a safe and enjoyable experience please observe the rules:

- The park is open dawn to dusk.
- Vehicles are permitted only in the designated parking areas.
- Stay within the posted property boundaries, and be considerate of other visitors and adjoining property owners.
- Keep pets leashed; please clean up after them.
- Do not remove or destroy plants, wildlife or artifacts.
- Always hike with a friend.

#### The following are prohibited:

 Motorized vehicles, camping, fires, alcohol, firearms, feeding wildlife, smoking, dumping, swimming, metal detectors, mountain bikes and radios.

#### The preserve offers:

Hiking, birding, fishing in Annisville Creek, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing and waterfowl observation.

#### Caution:

Deer ticks, which can transmit Lyme disease, are a growing problem. Take precautions and check for ticks after leaving.

#### **Description of Trails:**

Hudson Highlands Gateway Park has four trails, totaling more than 4.9 miles that traverse the 352-acre site. There are many meandering, wooded roads where one could easily get lost. Please stay on marked trails. The degree of difficulty for the hiking trails ranges from easy to moderate. Trail users should wear sturdy shoes and beware of loose rocks, holes and slippery surfaces.

#### (Red Trail) Annsville Creek Trail 1 mile, approx. 1 hr.

This trail starts at Doris Lee Drive and is universally accessible to the Pond Overlook. It travels by Annisville Creek, which contains breeding trout populations. Fishing is allowed. A sensitive wetland area surrounds the creek.

#### (Blue Trail) Upland Trail 2 miles

A steep ascent through a meadow and mixed woods forest brings visitors to a terrific view of the Hudson River. The remainder of the trail encompasses rolling terrain that passes by many historic stonewalls.

#### (Yellow Trail) Hudson Overlook Spur 0.6 miles

Distinguished by its scenic overlook, this trail also crosses a small stream that is the outlet for a large wetland upslope.

#### (White Trail) Vernal Pool Trail 1.6 miles

Beginning from the northernmost point of the Upland Trail, this trail works its way up and along a ridgeline. As it descends it passes by a large vernal pool, through a wetland and contains a number of steep slopes. Be cautions of wet surfaces. The trail finishes along an old woods road and rejoins the Upland Trail.



### **OSCAWANA BOAT LAUNCH**

Oscawana boat launch is located on Cortlandt Street in Crugers. A launching area for kayak's and canoes; hiking trails that lead out to the Hudson River. It was dedicated on October 4, 2004 by Cortlandt Town Supervisor and the Town Board.



### **SPROUT BROOK PARK**

Sprout Brook is located at 130 Sprout Brook Road in the Town of Cortlandt. The park is over 22 acres and has two lighted men's and women's softball fields. Within the park there is a little league field as well as a soccer field. Both were dedicated in the spring of 2007. The little league field has a snack bar and a batting cage. A dog park with two separate areas for small and large dogs was dedicated in 2008. There is a large pavilion with barbeque grills for rental by the public that can accommodate up to 200 people. Located by the pavilion there is a playground for children. In the Fall of 2016, a new Lacrosse/ All purpose field was dedicated.



**STEVEN HEBERT MEMORIAL SKATE PARK** Muriel H. Morabito Community Center West Brook Drive, Cortlandt Manor, N.Y.

#### Hours of Operation:

The following hours are weather permitting. Rain, snow, or temperatures below 35° will cause the park to close.

Monday - Sunday 10:00 AM-dusk Skate Park may be closed for repairs or maintenance - signs will be posted

PLEASE NOTE: The Park is no longer supervised. Please follow all posted rules and skate at your own risk. **No Trespassing after park hours.** 

**PICKLEBALL COURT** With the increasing popularity of the growing paddle sport, pickle ball, the Town of Cortlandt is converting one tennis court at the Croton Community Recreation Area off of Croton Avenue (Down the road from Walter Panas High School) into four pickle ball courts.



**THE TOLL HOUSE** is located on Bear Mt. Road, Cortlandt Manor, NY and was dedicated on September 22, 2002. It is a visitor center with information about the Hudson Valley. It is opened seasonally from May to November.



## **CORTLANDT WATERFRONT PARK**

The Cortlandt Waterfront Park is located at 77 Riverview Avenue, Verplanck, NY 10596 and is located off of Riverview Avenue and Broadway in Verplanck. Come and enjoy the Park, which includes a gazebo, fishing, crabbing, playground, veterans memorial, walking path, small boat, kayak and canoe launch area, horseshoe pits (bring your horseshoes). All with a spectacular view of the Hudson River! The Cortlandt Waterfront Park also hosts the Town of Cortlandt Summer Concert and Movie Series.

## **TENNIS COURT INFORMATION**

TENNIS NETS will be kept up weather permitting at the following locations around mid March:

Charles J. Cook Tennis Courts Furnace Dock Road, Cortlandt Manor	2 Courts
Lake Street Tennis Courts Lake Street, Montrose	6 Courts
Walter Panas Tennis Courts Croton Avenue, Cortlandt Manor	6 Courts
Cortlandt Community Recreation Area Croton Avenue, Cortlandt Manor	1 Court

#### **COURT AVAILABILITY**

Due to changing schedules, dates and times of court availability will be posted at the courts.

#### **RULES & REGULATIONS**

In order to accommodate as many residents as possible, use of the courts over an hour and a half consecutive hours is prohibited if the courts are full.



Cortlandt Community Recreation Area Croton Avenue, Cortlandt Manor





Muriel H. Morabito Community Center Playground 29 West Brook Drive, Cortlandt Manor



Old Pond Park 8th Street, Verplanck

## TOWN OF CORTLANDT PLAYGROUNDS





Tommy Thurber Park Playground Tommy Thurber Lane, Montrose



Peter Cutignola Memorial Playground 1 Memorial Drive, Croton



Sprout Brook Park Playground Sprout Brook Park, Cortlandt Manor



Sunset Park Playground Sunset Road, Montrose

# DON'T FORGET!

FALL 2021 ONLINE REGISTRATION BEGINS ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH AT 8:30 AM!



WWW.TOWNOFCORTLANDT.COM/RECONLINE

## TOWN OF CORTLANDT DOG PARK REGISTRATION



I agree, or agree on behalf of my minor child, to assume: (i) all risk of personal injury or loss; (ii) bodily injury; and (iii) damage to, loss of, or destruction of any personal property resulting from or arising out of participation in the designated activity. I also release, waive, indemnify, hold harmless, and discharge the Town of Cortlandt from all claims, damages, and injuries arising out of my or my minor child's activities, including my or my minor child's use of equipment and facilities provided by the Town of Cortlandt. By checking "I Accept" line below, you are signing this Agreement.

By participating in any programs sponsored by the Town of Cortlandt, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by my participation. I agree that if I am exposed to or infected by COVID-19 during my participation in any programs sponsored by the Town of Cortlandt, then my heirs, successors, assigns, and I have waived any right to maintain a lawsuit against the Town of Cortlandt for exposure to COVID-19, and my heirs, successors, assigns, and I shall hold the Town of Cortlandt harmless with respect to any damages incurred from contracting COVID-19. I acknowledge that I have read and fully understand the terms and conditions. By checking "I Accept" line below, you are signing this Agreement.

Owner's Signature

Date

Please mail the completed Dog Park Registration Form to Town of Cortlandt Town Hall: Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department, 1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567.

*Please contact the Town of Cortlandt Recreation Department with any questions or concerns at* <u>tocrec@townofcortlandt.com or 914-734-1050</u>.

### PRE-SCHOOL AND YOUTH PROGRAM ACTIVTY REGISTRATION FORM

#### ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE FOR CORTLANDT RECREATION PROGRAMS: <u>WWW.TOWNOFCORTLANDT.COM/RECONLINE</u> PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY; APPLICATION MUST BE COMPETELY FILLED IN

RPG Last Name	RPG First Name	RPG DOB
(Registered Parent/ Guardian) Street Address		РО Вох
City	Zip Email Addres	S
Work Phone #	Home Phone #	
Cell Phone #	Cell Phone Mobile Provider	

□ Yes, I would like to receive marketing emails from the Cortlandt Recreation Department about new programs, upcoming events, and town news.

□ Yes, I would like to receive text message alerts from the Cortlandt Recreation Department. \*By checking this box, I understand that standard text messaging rates may apply.

Course #	Participants Name			Sex	D.O.B.	Activity Name	Total
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#### I Accept\_\_\_\_

NONRESIDENT S: 20% SURCHARGE TO HIGHER RATE FOR ALL PROGRAMS REGISTERED FOR. NONRESIDENT S ARE ONLY ACCEPTED TO FILL UP PROGRAMS 1 WEEK PRIOR TO START OF PROGRAM.

THE TOWN OF CORTALNDT DOES NOT PROVIDE ACCIDENT INSURANCE. SEPARATE CHECKS FOR ALL PROGRAMS.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO AND MAIL TO: TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION DEPARTMENT, 1 HEADY STREET, CORTLANDT MANOR, NY 10567

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
TR Receipt #	
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### ADULT PROGRAM ACTIVTY REGISTRATION FORM

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Last Name	RPG First Name	RPG DOB
Street Address		PO Box
City	ZipEmail A	Address
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FOR FULL TIME EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS, PLEASE CONTACT TOWN OF CORTLANDT HUMAN RESOURCES AT 914-734-1004.

#### TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION **BOYS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE 2021-2022**

BEFORE November 3rd Fee: \$80 with ID Card \$85 without ID Card AFTER November 3rd Fee: \$90 with ID Card \$95 without ID Card Mail with check or money order to: Town of Cortlandt Recreation,

1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567 OR register online at www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline

TRYOUT INFORMATION								
Divisio	on <u>Grades</u>	Date	<u>Time</u>	Location				
Pee W	'ee 3, 4	Wednesday, November 3rd	6:30 PM	Blue Mountain M.S.				
Cubs	5, 6	Wednesday, November 3rd	7:15PM	Blue Mountain M.S.				
Junior	s 7, 8	Wednesday, November 3rd	8:00 PM	Blue Mountain M.S.				
Senior	s 9, 10	Monday, November 29th	6:30 PM	Blue Mountain M.S.				
Senior	s 11, 12	Monday, November 29th	7:15 PM	Blue Mountain M.S.				
Registrations are limited to the number of coaches available.								

TRYOUTS: All registrants must attend tryouts even if they played on a team last year. PRACTICES & GAMES: Teams will practice one night during the week and will play on Saturdays.

#### Practices will start the 2nd week of November 2021. League play begins Saturday, January 8, 2022.

DEE WEE

Circle One:	PEE WEE	CUB	JUNIOR	SENIOR			
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TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION GIRLS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE 2021-2022

BEFORE November 2nd Fee: \$80 with ID Card \$85 without ID Card

AFTER November 2nd Fee: \$90 with ID Card \$95 without ID Card

Mail with check or money order to: Town of Cortlandt Recreation,

1 Heady Street, Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567 OR register online at <u>www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline</u>

TRYOUT INFORMATIONDivisionGradesDateTimeLocationCubs3, 4Monday, November 1st6:30 PMBlue Mountain M.S.Midgets5, 6, 7Monday, November 1st7:15 PMBlue Mountain M.S.Registrations are limited to the number of coaches available.Registrations are limited to the number of coaches available.Coaches available.									
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School			Grad	e in Fall '21	Н	eight	Ft	In.	
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Do you have any conf	licts with pra	actices on weeknig	hts (Car pools are not	considered co	nflicts)? Circle	One: Yes A	lo		
(Practices are 1 night	a week, on t	he same night, Mo	onday– Thursday) If ye	s, what night	do you have a	conflict?			
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	THE TOWN OF CORTLANDT DOES NOT PROVIDE ACCIDENT INSURNACE. Coaches and Sponsors Needed If you are interested in coaching, please go to <u>www.townofcortlandt.com/reconline</u> to register or call 914-734-1056 for more information. If you are interested in sponsoring a team, please call 914-734-1056. PLEASE NOTE, registering to be a coach through Community Pass does not guarantee you a coaching position. You will be contacted by the Recreation Supervisor with more information if you are selected.								
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Girls Basketball League Deadline: November 2, 2021

#### CORTLANDT BOYS TRAVELING BASKETBALL TEAM

#### **Tryout Information**

6th Grade6:30 PM - 8:00 PM Monday, October 4th7th Grade8:00 PM - 9:30 PM Monday, October 4th8th Grade6:30 PM - 8:00 PM Tuesday, October 5th

**Eligibility:** All boys entering 6th, 7th, 8th grades as of September 2021, who reside in the Town of Cortlandt or attend Hendrick Hudson or Lakeland District Schools. Teams picked at the coaches discretion. There will be 3 separate boys teams; 6th, 7th, and 8th grades. Fill out the bottom portion of this form and bring it with you to tryouts or return it to the Recreation Office in Cortlandt Town Hall before tryouts.

## Fee: \$225 with ID Card/ \$230 without ID Card Payment of registration fee due after accepted on team (NO ONLINE REGISTRATION OR CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS; CASH AND/ OR CHECK ONLY)

For more information please contact Tim Fisher at timf@townofcortlandt.com or 914-734-1056.

Town of Cortlandt Recreation Division 1 Heady Street Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567 Attn: Travel Boys Basketball Team						
Name						
	Last			First		
Address						
Birthdate		Age	Grade Sept '21	Height	Ft	In.
School			Email			
Home Phone #		Cell	Phone #			
Played Before? Circle One: Yes No	Team Name_					

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Parents Signature		Date	
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## CORTLANDT GIRLS TRAVELING BASKETBALL TEAM

#### **Tryout Information**

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6th Grade	Tuesday , October 5th	8:00 PM- 9:30 PM
7th Grade	Wednesday, October 6th	6:30 PM- 8:00 PM
8th Grade	Wednesday, October 6th	8:00 PM- 9:30 PM

**Eligibility:** All girls entering 6th, 7th, 8th grades as of September 2021, who reside in the Town of Cortlandt or attend Hendrick Hudson or Lakeland District Schools. Teams picked at the coaches discretion. There will be 3 separate girls teams; 6th, 7th, and 8th grades. Fill out the bottom portion of this form and bring it with you to tryouts or return it to the Recreation Office in Cortlandt Town Hall before tryouts.

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## TOWN OF CORTLANT FIRST RESPONDERS GOLF TOURNAMENT



## MONDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2021 at HOLLOW BROOK GOLF CLUB

ALL proceeds from the tournament will be donated to the various First Responder organizations within the Town of Cortlandt. We are looking forward to an enjoyable day.

DEADLINE TO SUMBIT REGISTRATION IS MONDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2021.

#### TOURNAMENT FEES

Volunteer of a Fire Department, Ambulance Corps, or Auxiliary Group: \$100.00 per person (Please bring identification showing your group membership)

> Not a volunteer: \$150.00 per person

Only attending the dinner: \$55.00 per person

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: TOWN OF CORTLANDT RECREATION

MAIL REGISTRATION TO: CORTLANDT RECREATION 1 HEADY STREET CORTLANDT MANOR, NY 10567

	SCHEDULE
Time	Event
11:00 am	Registration and Boxed Lunch
12:00 pm	"Shotgun Start" (Scramble Format)
5:00 pm	Barbeque Dinner at Hollow Brook Club House

## If you would like to reserve a spot or

foursome, please call:

Ken Sherman Sr. at 914-737-8294 or

Ken Sherman Jr. at 914-734-1058

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Foursome Names:	Address	Phone Number
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## 9TH ANNUAL TOWN OF CORTLANDT 5K ROAD RACE

Saturday, October 30, 2021



Pre Registration Fee: \$15 Deadline: Wednesday, October 21

9:30 AM Start





Race Day Registration Fee: \$20 8:30 AM– 9:15 AM @ Cortlandt Waterfront Park

Please make checks payable to: Town of Cortlandt Recreation 1 Heady Street Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567

(NO ONLINE REGISTRATION OR CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS; CASH AND/ OR CHECK ONLY)

First Name	Last Name			
Street Address				
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Phone #	Email			
Emergency Contact (Name and #)				
T-Shirt Size (Circle One): Small Medium	Large Age on Race Day	Gender (Circle On	ie): M	F

**WAIVER:** I know that running a race is a potentially hazardous activity. I should not enter and run/walk unless I am medically able and properly trained. I agree to abide by the decision of a race official relative to my ability to safely complete the run. I assume all risks associated with running/walking this event including but not limited to falls, contact with other participants, the effect of the environment, including weather, traffic and conditions of the course, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. Having read this waiver and knowing these effects and in consideration of my entry, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release the Town of Cortlandt and all sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims of liability of any kind arising out of my participation in this event, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this waive. I grant permission to all of the foregoing to use photographs, recording or any other record of this event for any legitimate purpose. I understand bicycles, skateboards, roller skates/blades, animals are not allowed in this race/walk and I will abide by these guidelines.

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Signature of Participant\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_ \*Parent or guardian signature required For Office Use Only: Amount paid \$\_\_\_\_\_ Date Deposited\_\_\_\_\_

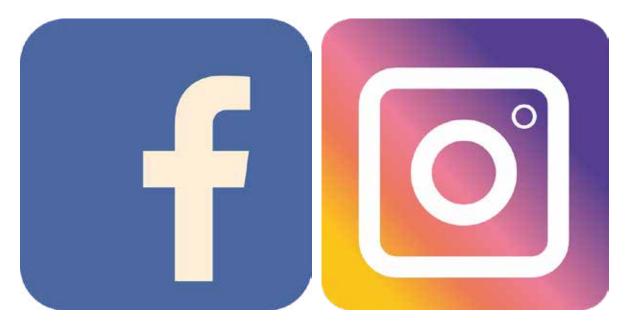
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