JULY ENEWSLETTER

The Lewis County Chamber of Commerce



LAVENDER FESTIVAL - JULY 10TH

What a fun packed month July is! So many festivals and events happening – including the Hopenhagen Lavender Festival July 10th, Riverfest July 31st, and more! Hopenhagen is having their annual Lavender Festival on July 10th – join them for craft and food vendors, live music, you cut lavender and more!

LAVENDER FESTIVAL

Sat. July 10th 9am-5pm

10218 Washington St. Copenhagen 13626

"You Cut" Fresh Lavender
Over 75 Craft Vendors
Food Vendors
Live Music by the Britton
Brothers, Rob Hirschey and
Ocean's Below
Kidz Zone by Hand in Hand

\$3 Adults

Children Under 10 Free Only Service Animals Allowed Following CDC Guidelines

Contact: 315-778-8735 molly5@twcny.rr.com



Message from our Executive Director

Happy July folks!

Growing up during the summer in Lewis County meant many things. The following are my highlights:

- Hanging out under the bridge in Castorland looking for crayfish or salamanders. One year I found three
 kittens someone had dumped there. I put them in a box, drove them home on my bike's handlebars and
 begged my dog-loving father to keep all of them. We compromised and kept one.
- Other days it meant that I would be working on summer homework at the picnic table that my mom said I
 needed to not "forget" what I had learned at school the previous year. I know now that it was just her
 way of getting us to sit down and give her a rest and realize that she was a genius.
- Walking all the way up the "hill" to go to the gas station to get a popsicle on a hot day only to be hotter than when we started when we got back home.
- Rollerblading down that same hill and hoping that I would be able to jump the train tracks at the bottom without breaking every bone in my body.
- During the hottest days, it meant that after dark I could sit outside and watch for the heat lightning, praying for a huge thunderstorm to break up the heat. There was nothing better than the smell that was produced once the cool rain started hitting the hot roads and dusty yards. You could physically feel the temperature dropping giving us relief from the day. I remember my dad waking us up on really hot nights to watch the light show even though we had been asleep for hours.

It occurs to me, looking back, that at some point I stopped enjoying those little things. Things that were so simple and, besides the homework, enjoyable. I didn't know at the time that not every person had the opportunity to grow up in a place like this and I wish that I had not taken it for granted.

As adults, I think we can all get caught up in the rush and frenzy that happen in our daily lives. I'm going to take a moment to challenge all of you to think back on your best outdoor summer memories and try them again this summer. By yourself or with your kids, family or friends, see what types of things you can recreate or make new memories with all of the new things that are here and SHARE them with us! Our motto for many years for visitors has been "Our Backyard, Your Adventure" but we can have those adventures too!

Check out our website adirondackstughill.com for fresh ideas on where to start your adventures and keep an eye out on our Adirondacks Tug Hill Facebook page for a place to share your experiences. Who knows... you may even be entered to win Lewis County t-shirts, hats and other cool merchandise throughout the summer!

I look forward to seeing everyone at the Food Truck Fridays, Lewis County Fair, Riverfest, Cream Cheese Festival and any other of our great events this summer!

Welcome to our new Members!

LM Wellness Coaching & Consulting

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the Bateman Draft House

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A small bar hosting a wide variety of New York state craft draft beers, wines, ciders and liquors. Also offering a small food menu that will be sure to please, along with a great atmosphere, for a relaxing Friday & Saturday.



WIN a \$10 gift card for Good Ol' Wishy's & 1 item of choice from the ADK Tug Hill Shop!

How can you win?

It's easy! Comment your favorite ice cream flavor on our Facebook post or on our Instagram.

Click on the icons below to be redirected to each post!







The winner will be randomly selected on July 15th!

Want to show your love of Good Ol' Wishy's?
Leave a review for them on their Yelp or Trip Advisor page!
Click on the icons below to be redirected to their pages.





Next Months Giveaway Hint:

Next month's Giveaway is to a business on the Lewis County Cuisine Trail!

200TH LEWIS COUNTY FAIR PARADE

JULY 20TH - 24TH 2021

PARADE REGISTRATION













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SHUTTLE VOLUNTEERS













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ANNUAL AWARD NOMINATIONS

COMMUNITY FEEDBACK NEEDED FOR THIS YEARS BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS.

HELP US RECOGNIZE:

EMERGING BUSINESS OF THE YEAR THE SPIRIT OF LEWIS COUNTY COMMUNITY CITIZENSHIP AWARD.

It's that time of year again where we ask you – our community for feedback regarding this years Business and Community Leaders.

Each year the Chamber of Commerce recognizes an **Emerging Business of the Year**, awards the **Spirit of Lewis County** to a business, and recognizes an outstanding member of our community with the **Community Citizenship Award**.

Your nominations are what help our Board Members make the final decision on who to recognize each year and therefore we are asking for your contribution again this year.



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LOCAL ICE CREAM

With all this nice weather we're getting excited about one delicious summer treat -

Ice Cream!

It's July - and that means - **National Ice Cream Month:**We're sharing with you a list of **our Members** who sell ice cream!

GOOD OL' WISHY'S HIDDEN PASTURES DAIRY STEWARTS SHOPS LOWVILLE CHEESE STORE WEST MARTINSBURG MERCANTILE

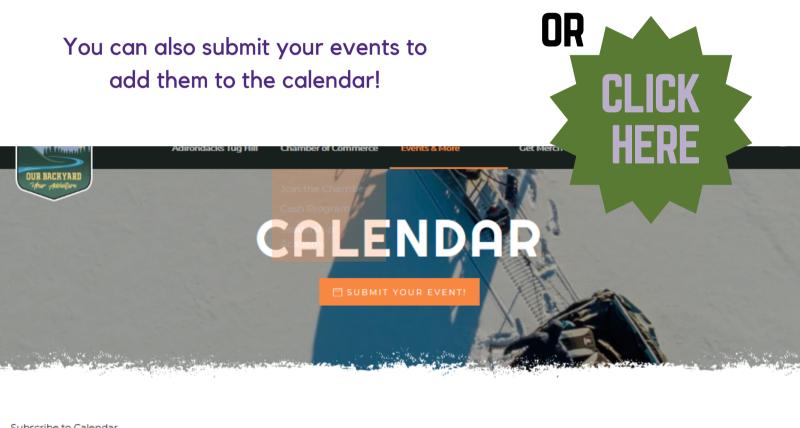


Asking yourself: What's going on in Lewis County?

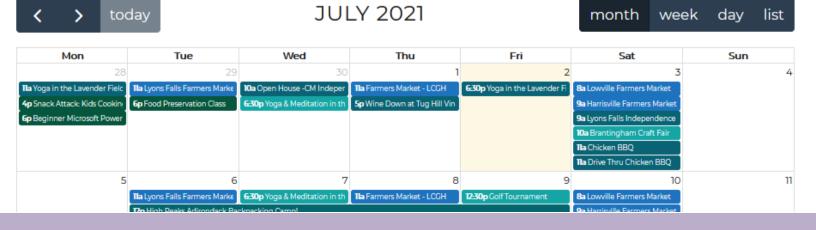
Find the answer in our Community Calendar!

Find the calendar on our Website (adirondackstughill.com) under

Stay Connected ->Calendar



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The Lewis County Chamber of Commerce

UPCOMING TRAININGS

July 29, 2021

Regulate & Relate, Then Repair Effective Strategies
To Help Children Heal From Trauma and Neglect

August 19, 2021

Law Enforcement Town Hall

Meet and Discuss The Curerent Policies With Federal, State and Local Law Enforcement Officals

August 31, 2021

Grant Writing 101

September 7, 2021

Advanced Grant Writing

TO REGISTER FOR UPCOMING EVENTS VISIT NCCNE.ORG





TRUCK PULL CELEBRATING TO YEARS PULLING FOR NORTH COUNTRY FAMILIES

SUNY CANTON

Saturday, September 18, 2021 9am-5pm



Saturday, October 2, 2021 9am-5pm





LEWIS COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTI

is looking for

LEWIS COUNTY RESIDENTS

who would be willing to be interviewed about their

PERSONAL EXPERIENCE during the

COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

If interested, please contact Anna Platz annaplatz@lewiscounty.ny.gov (315) 376-5238

