

Monthly Newsletter

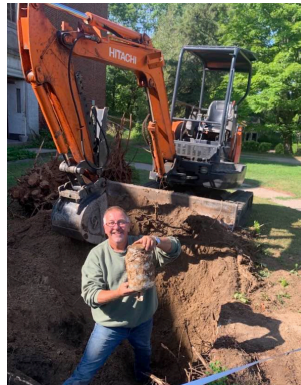
LYONS FALLS
ALIVE

September 2026



VILLAGE UPDATE

From Jeff Hoskins: "Just wanted to let everyone know the plan for opening this time capsule will be on Friday September 18th during the food truck Friday event at the Lyons Falls village park at 5:00 pm MR. Bob carnie will be there to do the honors of opening this container."



Let's all get together and see what has survived being buried for 51 year's. I am looking forward to this event and seeing classmates who were all part of this project. Any questions please feel free to reach out to me and please pass this on to anyone you all feel would like to attend. Thanks to everyone who commented and gave information in the beginning of this venture to make this happen."

*Anne Huntress
ALIVE President*

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THE ADIRONDACK COMMUNITY CHORUS WILL PRESENT
THE MAGICAL MUSIC OF DISNEY ON SUNDAY OCTOBER 4
AT 3PM AT FOREST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

SUPPORT THE NEXT FALLS FESTIVAL!!

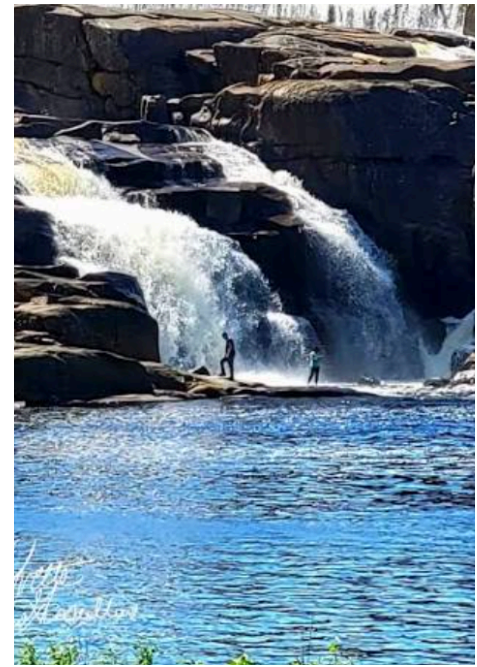
The Festival Committee is having a gun raffle at the Riverside Park on September 18th, during the Food Truck Friday event, at 6:30pm. Tickets will be on sale for a couple hours prior to the drawing.

Also, the new web site will be going live again on September 1, 2026 at www.lyonsfallsfestival.com

The phone number for the Festival Office is 315-944-4600.

We are looking for volunteers to head some committees and help at the festival next year. The Festival will be on July 2nd and we are trying to gather enough support and vendors to see if we should do 2 days, because the fireworks are confirmed for that date, and that was the only date we could get.

We are looking at a theme event, Back to the Fifties and also talking with Lewis County to join with them on several events to raise money. The committee will keep us posted.



MAKING LYONS FALLS EVEN BETTER

Lyons Falls ALIVE will hold its annual meeting on October 14th. Everyone is welcome to attend. We are always looking for new ideas, fresh perspectives, and volunteers who are willing to help strengthen our community, improve our village, and create opportunities for neighbors to connect with one another. Whether you have a suggestion for an event, a beautification project, or simply want to lend a hand, we would love to hear from you.



The Lyons Falls Farmers Market of 2026 has brought incredible energy, flavor, & community spirit to the Lyons Falls Park. From the grand opening in June to the crisp days of late August, Tuesdays have become the highlight of the week for local residents and beyond.

There has been treasure found, baskets won, faces painted, and ice cream enjoyed. The Firemen make a delicious luncheon every Tuesday from 11:30-2pm. Prices are quite affordable.

Hard to believe there are only four market days left of this season. Make sure to stop in and get some mouth watering veggies before they're gone! Also use any connect cards or coupons you may still have, as they're only good for this year. If all of those things aren't enticing enough, come check out the rare plants for sale!

FOOD TRUCK FRIDAY

Join us for the next Food Truck Friday on September 18th from 5:30 to 8:30 PM at our very own Riverside Park! Great food, good vibes—and the grand opening of this year's Art In The Park displays! See you there! 🍔 🍕 🎵



Celebration of Life: Gary R. Mavis

The life of Gary R. Mavis will be celebrated on Saturday, September 19, 2026, 2-4pm, at Riverside Park in Lyons Falls

Please join us in celebrating the vibrant life of Gary R. Mavis, who passed away on July 12, 2026. All are welcome to an informal gathering to remember Gary through stories and laughter.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE LIBRARY?

The Annual Craft Supply Swap will be from Tuesday, September 22 through Saturday, September 26 during regular library hours. All are welcome to stop in to browse free supplies. Like new donations of craft items and supplies will be accepted until Saturday, September 12.

Farmers Market Play Area

We have borrowed the Farm to School play set from Cornell Cooperative Extension of Lewis County for a few weeks! Stop in with your little ones and learn how to grow ice cream and pizza!.



Lego Club

Wednesday, September 16, 5-6:30PM

Upcoming Annual Craft Supply Swap

VISIT US DURING LIBRARY HOURS.
ALL ARE WELCOME TO TAKE PART IN THE
EXCHANGE, NO DONATION REQUIRED!



We will accept donations of clean, usable crafting supplies from August 25th to September 12th. The craft swap is scheduled for the entire week of September 22nd

Visit us at Food Truck Friday on Friday, September 18 from 5:30-8:30PM!

Open Mic Jam

is Tuesday, September 29 from 5-7PM. All tasteful content is welcome!

Attention Kids: Illustration Opportunity

As most of you know, the first book in the Hometown Monsters series, "The Monster of Lyons Falls" is available for purchase on Amazon. I am taking this opportunity to announce the SECOND BOOK in the series is now written and being edited, "Monsters At The Zoo" is an effort to get Watertown Zoo some publicity but is also an opportunity for the young people in our area to stretch their artistic muscles. I need many, many pictures to select from for possible inclusion in the final draft. If your young person is interested, please inquire at Anne.Huntress@yahoo.com and I will send you a list of needed illustrations to attempt.

HAPPENING IN OUR AREA THIS MONTH

September 5th:

Northern NY Vintage Snowmobile Show & Swap Meet SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2026

Turin Park
4239 NY-26, Turin, NY 13473
Gate/Admission Fee \$5.00 per person.
Vendor Entry Fee \$20.00
Sled entry Fee is \$5.00 per sled.



Gates Open 8am-'till. * AWARDS at 2 pm

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| 1. Unrestored '66 & older | 2. Restored '66 & older | 3. Unrestored trail '67-74 |
| 4. Restored trail '67-74 | 5. Unrestored trail '75-'80 | 6. Restored trail '75-'80 |
| 7. Unrestored Trail '81-'86 | 8. Restored Trail '81-'86 | 9. Unrestored racer '73 & older |
| 10. Restored racer '73 & older | 11. Unrestored racer '74 & up | 12. Restored racer '74 & up |
| 13. Unrestored muscle sled '75 & older | 14. Restored muscle sled '75 & older | |
| 15. Unrestored Muscle '76-86 | 16. Restored Muscle '76-86 | 17. Custom sled |
| 18. Mini sled | 19. Mini Sled Restored and Custom | 20. Actively Racing '86 and older |
| 21. Cutter Combo | 22. Loudest Sled | 23. Most Unique |
| 24. Farthest Traveled | 25. Junior Class 14 & Under-Any Sled | 26. Modern Vintage-1987 & newer |
| 27. Forgotten Wonders | 28. Winners Class | |
- **Dash Plaques****

For more show information Call Ed Stabb: 315-942-5575 or Josh Leviker: 315-391-5405

September 11th-13th:



The Flywheels & Pulleys Club Presents
51st Annual Event Celebration
**"Old Time" Gas Engines,
Tractors & Truck Show**
Rt. 26 • Constableville, NY
September 11-13 2026
Music, Raffles & Good Family Fun!
Large Flea Market, Crafts & Great Array of Food
Lots of Antique Power at its Best
*All Antique Engines - Tractors - Trucks
Misc. Tools & Equipment
(*Membership not required)
SPECIAL WEEKEND FEATURES:
Visit our Antique Sawmill demo along with
the old Drag Saw demo!
FREE Olden Days Display (Exhibit Building on the Hill)
Join our "BEARD" Contest • Prizes & Fun
(*Judging Sunday at 2pm)
PRIMITIVE CAMPING • RV's WELCOME •
(Rest Rooms & Showers Available) Report to Headquarters Saturday AM to pay!
PLEASE NOTE: Pets are Not encouraged.
*Owners job to clean up! Must have proof of Vaccinations & License.
They must be on a 6FT. leash and under owner's control.
*All "Moving" Vehicles must run no faster than a walk on the grounds.
*NO FIREWORKS allowed anywhere on the grounds.
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
Lance Blood (Pres.) John & Olga Miller
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Rome, NY 13440 7163 Brantingham Rd.
(315) 337-2079 Greg, NY 13345-1703
(315) 348-6781

FREE PARKING - DONATIONS APPRECIATED

Event Schedule

FRIDAY
Grounds Open (set-up day & sell) 8 am
Flag Raising Ceremony 4:30 pm
Fish Fry starts at 5 pm
Auction - 6pm. Sign up 5:30pm.
Start Off a Fun Weekend of "Living History"

SATURDAY
Pancake Breakfast 7-10 am
Chainsaw Carving TBA
Working Blacksmith on grounds TBA
Horizontal Grassed Pole Contest 11 am
Chicken BBQ Dinner 11 am
Big Guys Tractor Pull 2 pm-7 pm
(Sign up 12:30 - Awards)
Country Cloggers 12:30-1:30pm
Watermelon Eating Contest 3 pm
Women's Cross-Cut Pull 4:30 pm
Country Dance TBA
Quiet Time 7-11 pm
ALL GAMES RAIN OR SHINE

SUNDAY
Pancake Breakfast 7-10 am
Religious Services 8:30 am
Working Blacksmith on grounds TBA
Kiddle Pull (ages 5-18) 10-Noon
At Big Barn (ages 9 & up)
Women's Fry-Pan Throw 9 am
Chicken BBQ Dinner Noon till Gone
Old Time Country Music Noon-3pm
With Swirls Water at Big Barn
3 Legged Race 11am
Sawdust Find for Totals 1 pm
Garden Tractor Pull (sign up 8:30 am) 11-3 pm
Raffle Drawings 3 pm
(for Cash/Prize at Headquarters Office)
Close of Weekend 5 pm-7 pm
Cleanup & Loading

BRO W DIVINE CATERING

NOTE: ALL FLEA MARKET, CRAFTS, CAMPERS, ETC. MUST REGISTER AND PAY IN ADVANCE. INCLUDES ENGINE SALES AREA - NO REFUNDS

Please Print Clearly to Register
CAMPERS & RVs, CRAFT, FLEA MARKET & MISCELLANEOUS VENDORS
Mail to: OLGA MILLER, Treasurer, 7163 Brantingham Rd., Greg, NY 13345 • 315-348-6781
Make checks payable to: FLYWHEELS & PULLEYS CLUB, INC.

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____
E-mail _____
*CHECK IN UPON ARRIVAL TO RECEIVE BADGE AND SEAT.
*NOTE: THERE WILL BE A DESIGNATED AREA FOR EXHIBITORS WITH NO SALES IN Bldg.
REGISTER & PAY IN FULL AT THE SAME TIME. DOUBLE

September 11th:

LEWIS COUNTY NIGHT OUT 2026

Join us in supporting the partnership between our local law enforcement and community!




**SEPTEMBER 11TH,
2026
4:30-7:30 PM**

Lewis County Fairgrounds
5485 Bostwick St. Lowville, NY 13367



Scan QR code for the event site. Stayed tuned for exciting updates!

Free Parking & Admission!

- Meet & Greet with Local Officers
- Demonstrations (K-9, Helicopter landing, drones, & more!)
- Community Resource Tables
- Raffle Giveaway
- Dunk tank!
- *One complimentary hot dog & drink available to every attendee!

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OPPORTUNITIES

You must call Lewis County Office for the Aging by Friday, September 18th to reserve your spot!
-SEATS ARE LIMITED-



September 25th:



LEWIS COUNTY
OFFICE FOR THE AGING

APPLEFEST FALL FESTIVAL

***FREE*
(60 years or older)**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2026
10:00am - 5:00pm
Glenfield 3G Firehall, 6229 Blue Street, Glenfield

10:00-12:00pm: Vendors, Vaccinations by Walmart & Apple Dessert Contest

12:00-1:00pm: Meal provided by McManus Catering

MENU:
Stuffed Chicken Breast with Apple Cranberry Stuffing & Gravy
Sweet Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
Apple Dessert

1:00-3:00pm: BINGO with Prizes

Apple Dessert Contest:
Enter your best Apple Dessert for a chance to win a prize!

Categories are:
1.) Best Taste
2.) Best Presentation
3.) Most Unique

One entry per person. We will accept the first 10 entries, so register yours today by calling Lewis County Office for the Aging at 315-376-5313.

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