

YORKVILLE SENIORS ORGANIZATION, INC.

The Yorkville Seniors membership is open to all 55 and older. We meet at the Yorkville Firehouse in the upstairs meeting room on the **3rd Wednesday of the month**, except for December; Meetings start at 1:00 PM. We have sign-up for day trips to various locations such as Saratoga Racetrack (August), Cooperstown Winery/Brewery, Otesaga Hotel luncheon (June), Christmas Party (Dec), summer picnic (Aug) etc. We usually play bingo after the meetings with coffee and refreshment served. **Dues are \$8.00 per year paid in January.** New members are always welcome, come join us.

Paul LaBella.
President

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Statistically, we enjoyed a significant decrease in thefts from homes and vehicles over the past year however, residents are once again reminded to remove valuable items from parked or unattended vehicles, and to keep windows closed and doors locked. At home, keep garage doors and storage sheds locked when not in use. Similarly, while we recognize that parking space is sometimes limited, it is incumbent upon residents to make suitable arrangements for overnight parking so that streets and sidewalks are kept clear. Overnight parking on village streets is prohibited year-round from 2:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. At such times as it snows, the village code requires residents to keep their sidewalks clear of snow and ice, and the NY State Vehicle & Traffic Law as well, prohibits depositing any such materials on public streets and roadways. When dealing with jewelry and family items are available; this is particularly true items is also increased when photos of the subsequent identification of lost or stolen valuables, making recovery difficult. or other identifying information of produce the make, model, serial number, in which victims of theft are unable to frequently, we encounter situations be secured when no one will be home. Frequent, we encounter situations doors and windows of residences should be secured when no one will be home. Frequent, we encounter situations doors and windows of residences should be secured when no one will be home. Frequent, we encounter situations doors and windows of residences should be secured when no one will be home.

that with school in session, many children walk to and from their bus stops. Similarly, many adult residents use the sidewalks to go about their daily business, in addition to recreational pursuits. Accordingly, village sidewalks should be kept clear so that pedestrians are not forced to walk in the road because of parked vehicles, or any other obstructions – including ice or snow – which are blocking the sidewalks. While we recognize that parking space is sometimes limited, it is incumbent upon residents to make suitable arrangements for overnight parking so that streets and sidewalks are kept clear. Overnight parking on village streets is prohibited year-round from 2:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. At such times as it snows, the village code requires residents to keep their sidewalks clear of snow and ice, and the NY State Vehicle & Traffic Law as well, prohibits depositing any such materials on public streets and roadways.

As we head into the autumn and winter months with increased hours of darkness, often combined with wet, slippery roadways, motorists should be cautioned to modify their driving habits accordingly. The reasons for doing so are obvious along our heavily travelled thoroughfares, but frequently are overlooked when travelling the side streets and residential areas where walkers, joggers, and especially children are in or near the roadways. Please remember that cold, wet pavement surfaces increase the time and distance required to stop a vehicle, and it has often been noted that wet leaves often have the same effect as wet snow and ice. Along with this reminder, please consider



Fall / Winter Traffic & Parking

FROM OUR POLICE DEPARTMENT

Mayor

Michael A. Mahoney

Deputy Mayor

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Codes Officer

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Zoning Officer

John Constat

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Richard Hyle

Planning Board Chair

Brett Babicz

Village Justice

Joan Kulaga

Village Telephone

736-9391

Village Fax

736-0206

Justice Phone

736-0204

Police Business Phone

736-8331

Fire Dept. Business Phone

736-1523

Police & Fire Emergency

Dial 911

FROM THE MAYOR

Greetings Village of Yorkville residents, many of you may already know that Anthony C. Leone Jr. has retired as of May 31st. I Michael A. Mahoney as Deputy Mayor have been appointed to fill the vacancy of Mayor and assure you there is a great team with which I will be working with and promise to fulfill the position to the best of my ability. The Board of Trustees along with myself would like to wish Former Mayor Leone Best Wishes and Thank him for his many years of dedicated service to the residents of the Village.

The Village has received a grant from Senator Griffo's office in the amount of \$20,000.00 for the purchase of a new police vehicle as well as a \$10,000.00 grant for the purchase and installation of security cameras at Robak Park on Campbell Avenue from Assemblyman Brindisi's office. We are grateful to Senator Joseph Griffo and Assemblyman Anthony Brindisi for their aide in keeping our Village safe.

The Village of Yorkville is a wonderful place to live and has been in existence since the early 1900's, with this I would like to bring to your attention the Village of Yorkville Sewer Rehabilitation Project. In 2007 the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and Oneida County agreed to begin a multi-year program to eliminate sanitary sewer overflows with Sauquoit Creek. The Village of Yorkville will undertake a project to repair, rehabilitate, replace, and reconstruct deteriorated sewers within the Village which are tributary to the Sauquoit Creek Pumping Station (SCPS). The Village has requested funding to complete the project, and to date has received \$1,050,000.00 in grants. We are currently working diligently with our engineers to secure additional funds; I will keep the Village residents informed as the project progresses.

Fall is upon us and with it comes reminders to follow the **Highway Department** guidelines concerning leaf pick-ups. Please refer to the message from the DPW regarding Holiday Schedules for Recycle and Trash pick-up.

Our **Police Department** continues to keep the Village safe by providing continuous patrols throughout the Village. Our **Fire Department** will be hosting their Annual Halloween Parade and the Roast Beef Dinner will be held on Saturday November 12th, from 3pm to 7pm. Please come join us and support the Fire Department.

On Sunday, December 4, the Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony will be held at 5:00pm. Santa will be visiting the Village on Saturday December 17th starting at 9:00 am.

In conclusion, we have finished the 2015-2016 fiscal year in good standing and look forward to a productive 2016-2017 fiscal year.

Wishing each and every resident a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous Holiday Season.

Sincerely,

Michael A. Mahoney
Mayor

Leaf collection will begin approximately the first week in October and will continue until the first major snow fall. Only loose leaves are accepted. **DO NOT put leaves in bags or boxes, or leave in the street.** Leaves will be collected all week days, weather permitting.

Thanksgiving week Garbage and Recycling pick up will be November 2016 will be as follows: **Recycling is on Wednesday November 23, 2016. Garbage is on Friday November 25, 2016.**

Recycling reminder, Beer and Soda boxes, Plastic Bags are not recyclable. Please place them in your GRAY Yorkville garbage bags. Recyclables are picked up on Wednesday morning starting at 6:30 AM. Garbage is picked up on Thursday morning at 6:30 AM.

Winter reminders, avoid when possible parking on streets in the event it is snowing, it makes plowing much more efficient. Do not plow or blow snow into or across the street. It is against the law and creates a hazard. Bulk trash pickups are completed for the year 2016. If you still have large items that need to be disposed of please call the Yorkville Highway Department at 315-724-2313. When in doubt? Call before you put it out.

Once again, please remember that your cooperation makes our jobs easier, and gives our neighborhoods a clean and safe environment.

Thank you,
The Yorkville Highway Department



Please keep this newsletter handy for your information, however if you have any questions please feel free to contact the highway department and leave a message. 315-724-2313

JUST A REMINDER:

Our office is located at 30 Sixth Street; our hours are 9:00 to 2:00 Monday and Tuesday and 9:00 to 1:00 Wednesday through Friday. Our phone number is **315-736-9391** and our new Fax number is **315-736-0206**. At the clerk's office you can obtain:

- Handicap Permit Applications
- Sidewalk Reimbursement Applications
- Park Pavilion Permits
- Building Permits Applications

- Garage Sale Permits
- Peddler Permits
- Applications to the Zoning Board of Appeals
- Birth and Death Certificates.

If you would like to inquire about something pertaining to the Village, please feel free to contact me. If I do not know the answer, I can hopefully put you in touch with the right individual who does know the answer. If you need to contact any Village Official, please call

the Clerk's office and I will gladly forward your message. The Village of Yorkville has a web site where you can obtain information on the Village of Yorkville, Board Meetings as well as any upcoming events. Our web address is **www.villageofyorkvilleny.org**. The Village also has a new LED sign located on Oriskany Boulevard where we will advertise upcoming events for the Village.

Our Village Taxes are collected by the Town of Whitestown, located at 8539 Clark Mills Road Whitesboro, New York 13492. Should you have questions or concerns, please call **315-736-9061**. You can either mail your payment or pay in person. Your Village tax bill will arrive the first week of June. Taxes must be paid by June 30 to avoid any penalties.



Chimney Safety



A home owner with a solid fuel appliance should have their chimney cleaned and inspected annually or according to the manufacture's specification's to prevent a chimney fire.

Dryer Vent Safety

A home owner with a dryer vent should have their dryer vent cleaned and inspected annually or according to the manufacture's specification's to prevent a dryer vent fire.

YORKVILLE VILLAGE COURT

Court is **EVERY MONDAY** excluding Holidays, we open our doors at 1:30 PM. Please make sure you use the entrance located at 30 Sixth Street. Fines can be mailed to: Yorkville Village Court, P.O. Box 203 Yorkville New York 13495. Fines may also be paid in person at the Court, Cash, Money Order, Master Card or Visa is accepted.

If you have a question please call the court on Mondays at 315-736-0204, DO NOT CALL or E-MAIL the Village Clerk's Office with matters that concern the Court.

Thank You
Judge Kulaga



Due to construction at the Fire Station, The Annual Halloween Parade costume contest will take place at the Pavilion at the Campbell Ave Park. There will still be a Parade down Campbell Ave.



Line-up begins on Sixth Street between Clark Street and Campbell Ave at 5:45pm. The Parade will then proceed to the Campbell Ave Park at 6pm.

The Annual All you can eat Roast Beef Dinner will be taking place on November 12th from 3pm until Sold Out. Eat-in or Takeout's are Available. Deliveries will be offered in the immediate area by contacting the Fire Station at 736-1523 starting at 3pm.

2016 Prices are as follows; Adults \$10.00, Seniors \$9.00 Children (12 and under) \$8.00

Reminder with the Winter Weather coming to keep all Hydrants clear of snow.

