

SPRINGWATER PARTY LINE

6 October 2022

by Katherine J. T. Humphrey

Trust in the Lives of Older Women's group will be meeting on **Wednesday, October 5, 2022** at the Wayland Free Library on Main Street starting at 1 PM. This Wednesday we are having a guest speaker Dan Lyon. Dan is from the Upstate Elder Abuse Center at Lifespan. He will be speaking to us about Frauds and Scams. The group was privileged to hear story teller Chris Riedel from Dansville recite several stories at the meeting on Wednesday, September 21. Senior citizens are invited to attend. There is no cost or need to be a part of the group other than to enjoy each others company and participate in program sharing.

On **October 6th**, the **Little Lakes Book Club** will discuss "The Night Tiger" by Yan Gsze Choo. You are invited to join for a fun evening from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. A \$5.00 donation is appreciated, refreshments included. Held at Little Lakes Community Center, 4705 S. Main St., Hemlock, (585) 367-1046, www.littlelakesny.org

Thanks are extended to everyone that attended the Thursday evening, September 22 **Spaghetti Dinner by donation** at **Webster's Crossing United Methodist Church**. Al and Mickey McLaughlin were celebrating their 66th Wedding Anniversary that evening and chose to celebrate by coming to the Spaghetti Dinner! Congratulations, Mickey and Al. The next dinner is the famous **Roast Beef Dinner** on **Saturday, October 15 from 4:30 to 7 PM**. The menu is Roast Beef, Gravy, real mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, whole kernel Corn, Rolls, Butter, and Pie. The cost will be \$13.00/dinner. The next **Spaghetti Dinner** by donation is on **Thursday, October 27** starting at 4:30 PM. You are cordially invited.

Do stop by **the Springwater Farmer's Market** at the corner of 15A and Route 15 at the park at the blinking red light **every Friday starting at 3 PM and recently lengthened to 7 PM** into the fall. You will find delicious apples, grapes, squash, eggs, and other items. Support local vendors like Ben and Nancy and others to obtain seasonal products. Putting up stores for the winter is a great idea. Remember that all vegetables need to be canned in a Pressure Canner (unless pickled) using information from the Center for Home Food Preservation OR blanched, cooled, and packaged with as little air as possible, and frozen at zero degrees or below. **Cornell Cooperative Extension** in Livingston County or surrounding counties have trained home food preservation educators from which to learn canning, freezing, fermenting, and drying skills for safe, successful products.

The Springwater Trails hike on **Sunday, October 2** was a **Mushroom Foray** in conjunction with the Rochester Area Mycological Association on the **All Western Evergreen Nursery & Christmas Tree Farm in Springwater**. Twenty seven people attended and found and identified many fungi. This was the 9th year for a repeat of the foray and if all goes as planned watch for another opportunity like it next September or October 2023. Many thanks are extended to all involved.

On **Sunday, October 9**, the next Springwater Trails group will visit East Hill Farm, home of the Rochester Folk Art Guild, for a hike across their 350-acre hilltop farm and woodlot and a

tour of their craft workshops. The Guild is a community of craftspeople, some resident and some visiting, and the weekend of October 8-9 is their annual Fall Open House and Apple Festival, a celebration of the season with fresh cider, early pears for sale, and demonstrations at the pottery, wood, weaving and graphic arts studios. Admission is free, and the event runs until 5 PM. See <https://www.folkartguild.org/events/6650/> for more details on the festival; come early to enjoy the tours and demonstrations before the hike, and stay afterwards for shopping at the Gallery and our social. If you come early, lunch food will be available from the Guild as long as it lasts – homemade bread, salad, squash soup and desserts.

The **Overeaters Anonymous** group that meets **weekly on Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM** in the Dansville Public Library would like to invite anyone with food issues to come and join them. There are no fees, no weigh-ins, no required food plans and definitely no guilt; just a group of people who have been overcoming food issues for decades. If you have any questions, please call 607-968-0381. Information supplied by Dan Finch, pastor at Wayland United Methodist Church. Lifespan of Greater Rochester
585.244.8400 or
844.249.7126 FLCINewsletter@lifespanrochester.org www.lifespanrochester.org

A few dates you might want to circle on your calendar, may include the **Springwater Webster Crossing Historical Society** programs scheduled for Sunday **October 16** and Sunday **November 20**. **Program topics** will be announced.

Enjoy a **Triyoga Class** taught by Carol Williams on Friday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30 AM. The classes take place on the 2nd floor, room #25, in the **Little lakes Community Center**, 4705 S. Main St. Hemlock, NY. Classes are donation based with the funds going to support the LLCC Community Center. For questions & registration, contact Carol by text 585-727-2230 or by email growing3in1yoga@gmail.com

FOODLINK (free food) distribution is announced by Teresa Langhorn. The dates for the next distributions are the first Tuesday of each month for the rest of 2022. These are on **Tuesdays November 1 and December 6**. The start time is 3:30 PM at the Springwater Fire Department parking lot on South Main Street. There is also a continued need for donations to the Springwater Food Pantry. Contact person is Teresa Longhorn (585-245-1223).

Note that the **hydrants in Springwater will be flushed on October 6 and 7**, as shown on the billboard at the corner of 15A and 15 at the blinking traffic light.

The public's help is requested for slowing down the spread of **Spotted Lantern Fly** by reporting any sightings immediately to agriculture.ny.gov/reportSLF. In addition to reporting, residents across New York State are asked to:

Take pictures of the insect, egg masses, or infestation you see and, if possible, include something for size, such as a coin or ruler.

If possible, collect the insect. Place in a bag and freeze, or in a jar with rubbing alcohol or hand sanitizer.

Note the location (street address and zip code, intersecting roads, landmarks, or GPS coordinates).

Learn more:

agriculture.ny.gov/news/state-agriculture-department-asks-residents-be-lookout-spotted-lanternfly-western-new-york

Birthdays: Happy Birthday!

October 6 – William Goodwin

October 7 – Craig Harter, Brad Brown

October 8 – Stephen Loop, Elaine Scott, Lyndsey Jordan, Betty Holden

October 9 – Marilyn Sheedy, Mike Sackett, Jordan Humphrey

October 10 – Laura Harter, Kaitilyn Berry, Jeanette Jones

October 11 – Cole Warren West, Edward Vadney III

October 12 – Caitlyn Vhan, Ken White

Anniversaries:

October 6 – Bob & Sue Irizarry, Larry & Chris Lippincott

October 7 – Mike & Julie McGinnis #23

October 13 – Dale & Sherry Coddling

October 14 – Alan & Kelly Dale #41

Please do not hesitate to let Katherine Humphrey know of any errors you find or information you wish to share from the Webster Crossing area in this Springwater Party

Line. Contact kjth@allwesterntrees.com or by mail to PO Box 217, Springwater, NY 14560. Thank you.