# **Notes from Supervisor John Masters**

This summer, the board was approached by a Tully resident and Veteran. His concern centered on acquiring a US Flag and pole for our new Cornerstone Park. As a result of our conversations, other community Veterans contacted me with their added support. TAG was contacted to discuss the plan and we agreed on a potential location. Working with Dave Knapp, our County Legislator, I am pleased to announce that the Town of Tully has procured funding for the installation of a flagpole (and flag) for the park. I welcome your ideas on how we can celebrate this event when completed. and I encourage you to contact me with ideas to further honor our Nation and our Vets.

I want to take the opportunity to further thank Dave Knapp, our Onondaga County Legislator for the 12th District, for his continued support to our community. This year, through his efforts, The Town of Tully will be provided with

\$30,000 to refurbish our tennis courts,

\$8000 for a thermal imaging camera for the fire department

\$4000 for the installation of the new Flag Pole.

Dave has been and continues to be a great friend to Tully!

In my short tenure, I have had numerous questions on taxes. We are entering our budget cycle and I assure you I will always do my best to hold the line, while ensuring we deliver essential services. I will be providing an informative breakdown of the

Town and Village taxes, to establish a clear understanding of our local tax burden and its drivers.

As our November elections approach, I want to make our voters aware of the positions, including town positions, you will be selecting in the upcoming election. I will not mention any candidates, to preserve the "Inon-partisan nature of this publication. I encourage you to visit the Onondaga county Board of Elections web site for details. You will have the opportunity to vote for;

3 State Supreme Court Justices

**County Executive** 

**District Attorney** 

**County Comptroller** 

**County Clerk** 

Legislator 12th District

**Tully Supervisor** 

**Town Justice** 

You will vote for 2 Town Councilors

**Highway Superintendent** 

**Tax Collector** 

I want to thank everyone again for their support this summer. I have worked to fulfill all the obligations required as the Tully Supervisor. My "door is always open," so please contact me with your concerns.

In the meantime, I wish you all the best for a happy autumn here in beautiful Tully, NY!

John Masters
Supervisor-Town of Tully

# **TULLY CLEANUP DAY IS**

#### **OCTOBER 12, 2019**

9:00am to 3:00pm Village Treatment Plant Community Drive, Tully, NY

The CLEAN-UP DAY is ONLY for Village of Tully and Town of Tully residents. You must show proof of residency and accompany vehicle at drop-off site. Proof of residency must have your street address on it. A Post Office Box will not be accepted as proof of residency.

#### NO PROOF OF RESIDENCY – NO DUMPING

All items must be less than 10 feet in length. All oil, gas and antifreeze products, which are not acceptable for disposal, must be drained from tanks and equipment.

# IF YOU HAVE UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS ON BOARD, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON SITE

WILL ACCEPT: Most General Rubbish, Appliances, Metal, Computers, Electronics, Lawn & Garden Waste, Vehicle Batteries, Empty Drums and Pails cut in half tires will be accepted off the rim at a cost—(Prices subject to change)

Please have the correct amount of money. 16-inch and smaller tires: \$3.00 17-inch and larger-truck tires: \$7.00

Large tires: \$25.00

WILL NOT ACCEPT: Rechargeable or disposable household Batteries, Fluorescent tubes, Brush, Garbage, Recyclables, Pails with lids, Whole drums, Paints, Chemicals, Oil, Gas, Antifreeze or any Hazardous Waste, TELEVISIONS, FLAT SCREEN OR TUBE.

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# **Town of Tully Website**

www.townoftully.org.

# Village of Tully Website

villageoftully.org.

## Onondaga Co. Website

www.ongov.net

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**The CROP Walk** will take place on Sunday, October 6th from Noon-2pm to raise money for our local food pantry and others around the world.

It will begin and end at the St. Leo's Hall (behind the Church) at 10 Onondaga Street where there will be free food and live music provided by our own Bob Cooper Acoustic supporting this event. Stop by to grab a snack, hear some tunes and make a donation! Great way to exercise around our community, too!

Participants can pre-register online at https://www.crophungerwalk.org/tullyny or on the day of the event at the hall. Donations can also be made

online or in person during the event. Walkers can choose from the short, medium, or long course for their walk and learn about all the good work

done by our local food pantry and how we can all chip in to end hunger! Please contact Peter Cardamon at pfcardamon@aol.com or 315-696-5092

for more information."

# "King's Corner" Origin

It seems appropriate following another successful "King's Corner" Market, held each year in August, that we provide some history about the corner.

In 1818 Henry Fedello King moved from Connecticut to Tully. He built a modest building on the southeast corner of the main intersection, which became King's Barter Store. No money ever changed hands. Instead, Mr. King traded potash from the farmers, and this he carted to Albany by ox teams and brought back clothing and farm tools. It remained King's Barter Store until 1872. It was in 1820 that William Farroll, an Irish Catholic traveling through town, was murdered. In the heat of anger, Joseph Mason hit Farroll on the head with an axe. William is buried in Tully Cemetery and the people of Tully set up a headstone for him.

The Boutelle family managed a business at this location from 1873 for a short time. Hulbert & Meara then operated a store there from 1889-1914. At that time there was a room with a door left of the main entrance which was the public telephone office with only one telephone for use by all villagers from 1889-1901. There was a water pump and a weighing station on the side of the building. A picture of the building at that time is on display at the Historical Society museum.

From 1915-1945 this building was Gallinger's Grocery Store. Many of you remember Norma Gallinger White, 1927 graduate of Tully High School and life resident in Tully. She was the daughter of Rueben and Lenna Gallinger, proprietors of the store. The David White family has donated a dress worn by Norma at the age of 7, along with a picture of her in it, to the Historical Society which is on display.

From 1945-1961 this was the home of Wortley's Drug Store. You could stop in not only for prescription and supplies, but enjoy an ice cream and other soda fountain treats. Dr. Stephen Opalat occupied this building from 1962-1987. CURVES occupied the building from 2004-2014. Presently it is occupied by Rusty Wheel Pottery and Earth To Soul. A big Thank You to Amy Kida, proprietor of Earth To Soul for her dedication in organizing the annual King's Corner Market event.

#### **Partners in Motion**

We're working toward a more universal way to collect and share events for our local area. Also, researching grants to help fund so many worthwhile ideas. One being Symphoria which will have to wait til 2020 - Keep the faith.

Come join us - be a part of growing Tully into an even more vibrant community! Terri Murray 315-430-4513

# **Tully Arts Council**

On October 3 the Tully Arts Council will celebrate completing its sixteenth year of programming with the same anniversary of Godspell, the musical production that started it all with a six-year run and eventually a ten-year reunion performance. At its height, the show featured 81 young adult cast members, 22 singing waiters from 3rd to 6th grade and a ten-piece band. The Council would like to thank the artists and audience of the town of Tully for contributing to all the free and low-cost programming it has produced since then. It has been an honor to help build our community through art.

This next year is shaping up to be the most exciting so far. Some upcoming highlights: Special Gallery events, Parents Night Out, children/youth programming, Silent Art Auction, exhibits and Meet the Artist Nights, Wine/Beer and Chocolate Tastings, art classes, literary events, Open Mic Nights, Trivia, a one-of-a-kind summer musical and a great variety of speakers.

All of this programming costs money, which the Council raises in a variety of ways, including grant writing, proceeds from our shows, and the sale of art, coffee and baked goods/sweet treats by local culinary artists in the gallery. TAC is undertaking its first fundraising program in three years, and we ask you to consider a tax-deductible contribution or gallery purchase to help us continue our work of building our community through art. Donations of any size are GREATLY appreciated and can be made at the gallery or sent to

## **Tully Arts Council**

PO Box 132, Tully, NY 13159

or can be made online at our beautiful new website, tullyartscouncil.org

Thank you for your consideration and support of Tully Arts Council.

#### **CALENDAR:**

Sunday, October 20, 1-4 PM

**ART AND ECOLOGY V**: Artists and Their Passions

Second Fridays, November 2019 - March 2020, 7 PM

**DANCE FLIGHT** This beloved program, under the direction of Teasa Luke, Director of Dance, will feature a different dance style each week taught by a variety of well-regarded instructors at the ArtWorks studio. The first class in the program, East Coast Swing, will take place on Friday, November 8th, from 7-9 PM. Mark your calendars now!



## Join Us for Our Tenth Anniversary!

We will hold a special Tenth Anniversary Dinner and Celebration, on October 20th from 5 to 8 at the Tully Train Station. Mark your calendars now and look for our invitations (with more detail) coming your way soon. Music will be provided by Rhapsody, with a catered buffet.

The Fifth, Art and Ecology: Artists and Their Passions is scheduled for October 20th. Meet the artists from 1:00 to 4:00 at the TullyArtworks Studio, 5 Elm Street, Tully, NY. Artists this year include: silver artist and potter, Elizabeth Goldenberg; Haudenosaunee artist, Brandon Lazore; nature and mixed-media wildlife artist, Erica Bailey.

September 28th - As part of our Kettle Lake Speakers Series, we will have a special presentation on the Tully Mud Boils. Learn more about these phenomena with presenter, Joe Heath, Esq. This presentation is free and open to the public.

A Walking Tour of the subsidence areas of the Tully Valley will follow. If you want to join us for a walking tour, you MUST PRE-REGISTER here. Availability is limited and registration is required. The walk will begin at 1:00 with Ed Michalenko, Ph.D as our guide.

We Also Had a Successful Summer

Interactions in the Watershed Was a Hit!
110 attendees from the ten counties of Central NY, gathered on Friday, August 16, at The Lodge, in Skaneateles Falls, NY for the first Central New York Regional NYSFOLA Conference.

# Asian Jumping Worms - found in Tully!

If you have see an unusual number of worms exiting the soil where you have been gardening, they are not night crawlers, but an invasive pest that can have an impact on our soil, plants and forests. Please check out this Cornell website: http://ulster.cce.cornell.edu/gardening/invasive-nuisance-species/jumping-worms-invasive-species. They are prolific and there are no natural predators. Carry a bucket of rubbing alcohol to catch and kill these pests; and do not share garden plants - no treatment has been found effective. If you have found these on your land, report it to nyimapinvasives.org. Also, please read: http://ccetompkins.org/resources/jumping-worm-fact-sheet Terri Murray



# **September Interact News**

We're just beginning our new Interact year! This year's officers are:

President – Emily Cox Vice President – Emma Bielecki Secretary – Thomas Berry Treasurer – Nicki Edinger Public Relations – Carly Bastedo

This summer we had Interact members help at the Tully Community Church Vacation Bible School. We also helped serve meals with Rotary members at the Samaritan Center in Syracuse. We'll finish up August by face painting while collecting donations for TAG (Tully Action Group) at the King's Corner Market.

We'll kick off September by serving coffee, water, soda and snacks at the Preble Rest Stop on Route 81 North on Labor Day. We share our knowledge and ask for donations to support Polio eradication. Also in September we are looking to recruit new members. We'll be at both the Rotary booth for the Community Fair and Tully Junior Senior High School Curriculum Night.

We meet the fourth Sunday of the month from 4:30 – 530pm at the Tully Free Library. We plan upcoming events and make bologna and cheese sandwiches to donate to the Samaritan Center in Syracuse. Our group is open to students in grades 7 – 12 who live in the Tully, Fabius and LaFayette School Districts. Please email us at Interact2019.20@gmail.com if you're interested in joining and for more information.



# **TAG News**

Cornerstone Park: Landscape Architect, Mel Moore and contractor, Dave Hardy are proceeding with the completion of the Cornerstone fountain. It will be constructed with Quarried limestone; the design will be tested and then permanently installed this Fall. TAG and the community are so grateful to everyone who has supported this project through donations, time and energy that will soon result in it's final completion and success - the Jewel of our Town Center!

Winners of the Sunflower contest are:

Tallest Sunflower at 12'2" is Becky Bartelt, Rt. 11A. Prize is a Sunflower Painting by local artist Peter Huntington.

Largest flower head at 13 1/4" is Ed Hillenbrand , Rt. 281. Prize is a Garden Stone painted by local artist Sonja Shephard.

Thanks to all who entered and contributed to our Cornerstone Park.

Thanks also to all who contributed and supported the GRANDEST garage sale in Tully! All proceeds will help fund Tully projects and complete the fountain at Cornerstone Park.

