

**Brighton-Pittsford Post** – “From the Supervisor” column – February 5, 2015 issue  
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## **New Events for 2015**

Summer seems a long way off, but the Town’s recreation department already is planning for this year’s Town-sponsored community events. Among other things, we’re looking to refresh and improve both the look and experience of our summer festivals.

Our Friday night Summer Concerts by the Canal will return, as we continue the tradition of presenting a popular range of local talent.

We’ll present once more three Family Outdoor Movie Nights for kids and families. In addition, we’re planning two new “Kids Concerts” for the summer. These will feature children’s musicians with a focus on fun and on interactive performances geared to young children.

We’ve taken a good look at our two “bookend” community festivals that traditionally kick off and end our summer season. Based on our review and on comments from the community, we have some new ideas for both. Plans are still in the works, but I can tell you that our first festival is being significantly revamped and will celebrate our Erie Canal heritage in Pittsford. We have some changes in store for our end-of-season festival as well. Our goal has been to retain components of these events of interest to children, while adding elements of more appeal to the adults in the family as well.

Dates and details for all of our 2015 events will be confirmed by early spring and announced in our eNews and on the Town’s website. To keep up to date on Town events and activities, you may subscribe to our weekly eNews at our website at [www.townofpittsford.org](http://www.townofpittsford.org).

We’re committed to providing high-quality programs and services to the Pittsford community. I hope you’ll attend and enjoy our events planned for 2015. As the year unfolds, please let me know what you think about the fresh look of some of our events and the new events offered.

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