

News & Reviews

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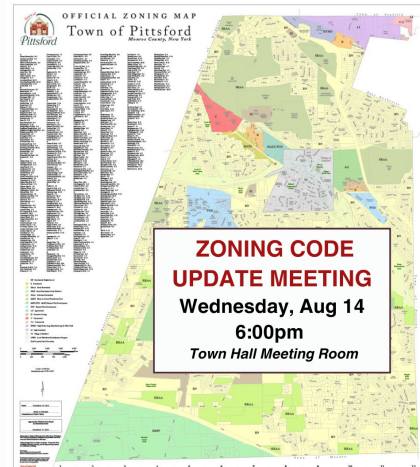
*See listings below for
Upcoming Activities, Town Board Meetings & Community Meetings*

ZONING CODE REVISION MEETING TONIGHT – WEDNESDAY, 8/14

The Town Board's next meeting to continue its revision of our Zoning Code is **tonight, Wednesday, August 14, at 6:00pm** in Town Hall, 11 South Main Street.

Items for consideration will be:

- Completing review of Nonresidential Use Regulations
- Revision of Residential Use Regulations regarding keeping chickens
- Parking
- Nonresidential Districts Review



You will [find the draft Nonresidential Use Regulations here](#).

You will [find draft regulations for keeping chickens here](#).

You will [find the draft Parking Regulations here](#).

A preliminary review of Nonresidential Districts will be discussed at the meeting.

Public participation in these sessions is important! The meetings are open to the public and will be live streamed. Pittsford residents and business owners can **offer comments at the meeting** or can submit comments by email to zoningupdate@townofpittsford.org.

Videos of the Zoning Revision meetings are posted in the days following each meeting. To see them, and to learn more, visit our **Zoning Code Update website** at www.townofpittsford.org/zoningupdate.

**KIDS' CONCERT IS TONIGHT WITH THE
HAPPY PIRATES**
*Outdoors behind the Spiegel Pittsford
Community Center*



Our final Concert for Kids is TONIGHT, Wednesday, August 14, featuring the beloved children’s band, The Happy Pirates! Join us at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center at 6:30pm for a night of adventure, skits, jokes and lively music! [The Happy Pirates](#) perform a mix of original songs, popular children’s music and pirate-themed storytelling than keep children entertained and engaged. We’ll have face painting too, and delicious treats available for purchase from Kona Ice.

This is our final kids’ concert of the season – don't miss it! The concert is free and open to the public and will take place at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center Field beginning at 6:30pm. The Spiegel Pittsford Community Center is located at 35 Lincoln Avenue. Find complete information on our [Concerts for Kids Event page](#) on the Town website.

CANALSIDE CONCERT THIS FRIDAY, 8/16, WITH THE PITTSFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT BAND

Join us this Friday, August 16, for our next Town of Pittsford Summer Concert Series, featuring Pittsford’s very own [Pittsford Fire Department Band!](#) The band plays marches and patriotic music as well as popular hits from yesterday and today. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and join us canalside in Carpenter Park at the Port of Pittsford at 6:30pm. Burgers, hotdogs, snacks and drinks will be available on site for purchase from Dave’s Sidewalk Cafe – or grab some food to go from one of the nearby Village restaurants.



Our Summer Concert Series continues Friday evenings at 6:30pm through next week, August 23. We’ve had a variety of great music this season – from funk, jazz, pop, roots, blues, vintage country and Americana with a local wind ensemble and Latin jazz to come! Grab some friends, lawn chairs, some snacks and join us on the canal for the perfect start to your summer weekends. Find a complete schedule on our [Summer Concert Series Event page](#) on the Town website.



SENIORS PAVILION PICNIC SERIES FINALE AND MAGIC SHOW THIS TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

Reservations due by tomorrow, Thursday, 8/15

Seniors, join us for our final pavilion lunch of the season! Enjoy a delicious picnic spread and a spectacular magic show this Tuesday, August 20, at 12:00noon. On the menu is a choice of a chicken salad sandwich on whole wheat bread with lettuce and tomato or a tuna salad sandwich on white bread

with lettuce and tomato. Your picnic lunch comes with a side of pasta salad, beans, a pickle, a cookie, and water. [St. Andrew Magic](#) will be performing dazzling tricks and illusions to delight and entertain!

The lunch and the program will be held in the pavilion behind the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center; cost is \$8.00 per person. **Advance registration is required by tomorrow, August 15.** For more information and to register, stop by the Senior Programs office at the Community Center or call 248-6235.

The Town's Spiegel Pittsford Community Center is located at 35 Lincoln Avenue. To learn more about our programs, activities and services for seniors [click here to visit the Seniors' page](#) on the Town website, [read our Seniors program info brochure online](#), or call the Senior Programs Office at 248-6235.

SENIORS CRAFT CLUB AT COMMUNITY CENTER – NEXT MEETING THIS FRIDAY, 8/16

Our Pittsford Recreation Department has wonderful programs for seniors - and our seniors do wonderful things for others! The Seniors Craft Club, held at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, makes items for our Senior lunch giveaways and for local charities. Craft Club is a wonderful opportunity to get creative, make friends and do something positive for others.



If you or someone you know enjoys crafting, or would like to learn something new, join our seniors this spring! Craft Club meets once a month on Fridays from 9:30 - 11:30am. **The next meeting is this Friday, August 16.** To get an idea of how many supplies we need, **reservations for Craft Club are required**; call 248-6235 to reserve your spot!

For more information, stop by the Senior Programs office at the Community Center or call 248-6235. The Town's Spiegel Pittsford Community Center is located at 35 Lincoln Avenue. To learn more about our programs, activities and services for seniors, visit our Seniors page at www.townofpittsford.org/seniors, read our [Seniors program info brochure online](#), or call our Senior Programs office at 248-6235.



FALL RECREATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION UNDER WAY THIS MONDAY, 8/19

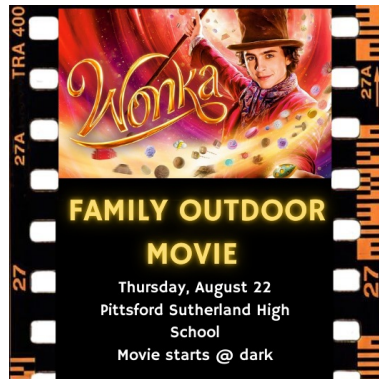
Our Pittsford Recreation team has a fabulous fall program season planned just for you! Program registration begins this Monday, August 19 for residents and opens for all others on Monday, August 26. New programs include Soccer Stars (ages 1- 8), Little Music Makers: Music Exploration for Little Ones, Beginner Jazz for adults and more!

For details about our Recreation programming for all ages, see your Spring Recreation Program brochure (mailed to all residents) or view it online at <https://bit.ly/pittsford-rec-brochure>. Register for programs [online](#) or in person at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, 35 Lincoln Avenue. Sign up for a favorite program or try something new!

RELEASE THE KRAKEN BREAK-IN ROOM EVENT AT LIBRARY – 8/19

A baby sea monster has been trapped in a locked box! Can you solve the puzzles, open the locks and release the baby kraken before time runs out? The

race to solve the puzzle begins next Monday, August 19 at the Pittsford Community Library. Sign up for one of multiple 20-minute time slots throughout the day. Best for ages 7 and up, but all are welcome! Registration is required; visit the [Pittsford Community Online Calendar](#), scroll to find August 19, and choose a time slot to register. The Pittsford Community Library is located at 24 State Street. To learn more about upcoming Library programs, visit the [Library's online program calendar](#) or call (585) 248-6275. For complete Library information, including hours of operation, visit www.townofpittsford.org/library.

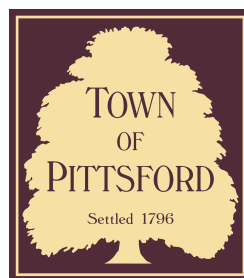


FINAL FAMILY OUTDOOR MOVIE OF THE SEASON IS THURSDAY, AUGUST 22 – *WONKA*

Our final Family Outdoor Movie Night is next Thursday, August 22, featuring *Wonka!* [PG]. *Wonka* is a 2023 fantasy musical film and prequel to Roald Dahl's classic and beloved story, *Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory*. The film explores the origins of the iconic chocolatier Willy Wonka, played by Timothy Chalamet, and follows his journey from a curious and inventive youth to the eccentric and imaginative creator of the world's most famous chocolate factory.

The movie will begin just after sunset and is free and open to the public. Beginning at 7:00pm, Z Best Foodz (assorted snacks) and Kona Ice (shaved ice) will be on site with items available for purchase. **Please note, pets are not allowed at this location.** This is your last opportunity to enjoy one of these special community outdoor movie nights with your family and friends this season – bring your lawn chairs or a blanket and join us! Pittsford Sutherland High School is located at 55 Sutherland Street.

REMINDERS



TOWN BOARD MEETINGS ARE STREAMING LIVE

Pittsford Town Board meetings are being streamed live; the feed is accessible on any device. Town Board is typically held the first and third Tuesday of the month at 6:00pm at Town Hall. See www.townofpittsford.org/calendar for meeting dates. To view the livestream, click the [Town Board Meeting live streaming link](#) when the meeting begins. This link can also be found on page two of the meeting agenda. The meeting agenda is posted on the Town's [minutes and agendas page](#) at least two days prior to the meeting. Please note: if you try to log in too early (before the meeting feed is live) you will see an error message; refresh your screen just prior to or at 6:00pm when the board meeting starts and you will be able to view the meeting. As always, ASL interpretation is provided for every Town Board meeting.

ASL INTERPRETER ALWAYS AVAILABLE AT TOWN BOARD MEETINGS

The Town of Pittsford has an American Sign Language interpreter available at every Pittsford Town Board meeting, to interpret for those who need this service. Those who can't attend a Town Board meeting in person but are planning to watch the meeting's

live stream can confirm their need for the interpreter by emailing comments@townofpittsford.org. Requests can be made in advance or can be emailed through the first ten minutes of the meeting. An on-demand Town Board meeting video with closed captioning will be available within 48 hours of the meeting; visit www.townofpittsford.org/channel12 and use the On-Demand links to view previously recorded meetings.

UPCOMING COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES IN PITTSFORD

- [Concerts for Kids](#) – music, skits, and pirate-themed storytelling with [The Happy Pirates](#), Wednesday, 8/14, 6:30pm, outdoors at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, 35 Lincoln Avenue; free and open to the public
- [Town Summer Concert](#) Series, featuring the [Pittsford Fire Department Band](#), Friday, 8/16, 6:30pm, canalside in Carpenter Park at the Port of Pittsford, 22 N. Main Street
- [Town Family Outdoor Movie Night](#), featuring *Wonka*, [PG], Thursday, 8/22, movie begins just after sunset, Sutherland High School field, 55 Sutherland Street – please note, no pets allowed at this location; free and open to the public, snacks and beverages will be available on site for purchase beginning at 7:00pm.
- [Town of Pittsford Zoning Code Update](#) – **comments made by Town of Pittsford stakeholders via email and mail being accepted**; access the Comprehensive Plan, the Active Transportation Plan, the project timeline, a link to the Town’s current Zoning Code, and other informational materials, on the **Zoning Code Update website** at www.townofpittsford.org/zoningupdate. Comments can be made to zoningupdate@townofpittsford.org or mailed to Doug DeRue, Town of Pittsford, 11 South Main Street, Pittsford, NY 14534; please indicate whether you are a Town or Village resident.

TOWN OF PITTSFORD BOARD MEETINGS

- **Pittsford Community Library Board**, Wednesday, 8/14, – **NO MEETING**
- **Zoning Board of Appeals**, Monday, 8/19, 6:30pm, Public Meeting Room, Town Hall (lower level), 11 South Main Street; the meeting agenda is posted at least two days prior to the meeting on the Town website here: www.townofpittsford.org/minutes
- **Town Board**, Tuesday, 8/20, 6:00pm, Public Meeting Room, Town Hall (lower level), 11 South Main Street, ASL interpretation provided; the meeting agenda is posted at least two days prior to the meeting on the Town website here: www.townofpittsford.org/minutes
- **Zoning Code Update Town Board meeting**, Wednesday, 8/14, 6:00pm, Town Hall lower level meeting room, 11 South Main Street. Meeting will be live-streamed and recorded; comments can be submitted in advance (mail or email) or at the meeting (email or in person). Find [comment/viewing info here](#); find complete Zoning Code Update information at www.townofpittsford.org/zoningupdate. Find [links to the documents for discussion here](#). Updated meeting listings will be posted at www.townofpittsford.org/calendar.

COMMUNITY MEETINGS CALENDAR

- [Village Board of Trustees](#) meetings are generally the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 5:00pm, Village Hall, 21 North Main Street; more information and participation details will be listed on the Village website [here](#) as the meeting

date approaches

- [American Legion Rayson-Miller Post 899](#) Tuesday morning breakfast and socializing, every Tuesday, 8:00-9:30am (kitchen closes at 9:15am), Post 899, Pittsford Village Hall lower level, 21 North Main Street; open to all – meet and socialize with veterans; no charge but donations accepted. Eligible veterans welcome to join the Post; click this link for [membership information](#) or visit the [Rayson-Miller Post website](#)
- [Pittsford Rotary Club](#), Wednesdays (weekly), 7:00am, Pittsford Community Library, 24 State Street; meetings also can be accessed live via Zoom - check the Pittsford Rotary Facebook page for virtual meeting details
- [Women's Club of Pittsford](#) – charitable organization serving the community through service projects and civic improvement; membership is open to any woman living in Pittsford or the surrounding areas, new members always welcome! Meetings are usually held the second Thursday of the month, September through June, at 6:00pm at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, 35 Lincoln Avenue; Visit the website at www.womensclubofpittsford.org for more information
- [Pittsford Art Group](#) conducts monthly member meetings (in person and online) featuring a guest artist; new members are welcome! The PAG also hosts juried and non-juried shows and displays artwork at various locations throughout Pittsford. For further information or to become a member, please visit www.pittsfordartgroup.com and fill out a [Contact Us](#) form.

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