



News & Reviews

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Town of Pittsford - a Clean Energy
Community

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Upcoming Activities, Town Board Meetings & Community Meetings*

CONCERT SERIES ALONG CANAL BEGINS THIS FRIDAY, 6/10 WITH MENDON & SUTHERLAND JAZZ ENSEMBLES!

The Town of Pittsford's 2022 Summer Concert Series kicks off this Friday, June 10 with some outstanding jazz performances by the Pittsford Mendon and Pittsford Sutherland High School Jazz Ensembles. Join us canalside in Carpenter Park at the Port of Pittsford at 6:30pm for some great jazz by some very talented young musicians!



Our Summer Concert Series continues Friday evenings at 6:30pm through August 26 (no concert July 1). We've got an outstanding variety of great music this season – from jazz, pop, blues and big band to bossa nova, gospel, Celtic and folk – plus tributes to Billy Joel and the Beatles! It's the perfect way to start your weekend. Find a complete schedule on our [Summer Concert Series Event page](#) on the Town website.

Many thanks to our Summer Concert Series sponsors – our Concert Series Partners Regain Physical Therapy, Pittsford Federal Credit Union, and Messner Flooring, and our sponsor Rotolite-Elliott Printing & Copy Center.

BOOK SUMMER SALES
PITTSFORD LIBRARY FRIENDS
FRI. June 10 10 to 5
SAT. June 11 10 to 4
AND
CHILDREN'S BOOK SALE
SUN. June 12 10 to 2

IN THE FISHER ROOM. CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR CURRENT TOWN HEALTH & SAFETY GUIDELINES.
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED. www.pittsfordlibraryfriends.com THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

LIBRARY SUMMER BOOK SALE THIS FRIDAY & SATURDAY, AND CHILDREN'S SALE SUNDAY

The Friends of Pittsford Library Summer and Children's Book Sales are this weekend! The **Summer Book Sale** will take place this Friday and Saturday, June 10 and 11 and the **Children's Book Sale** is this Sunday, June 12. Both sales take place in the Pittsford Community Library's Fisher Meeting Room. The Summer Sale will feature an array of books for all ages (including hardcover and paperbacks), plus games, DVDs, and CDs – all at great prices! Hours are Friday 10:00am – 5:00pm, and Saturday 10:00 – 4:00pm. The Children's Sale on Sunday is 10:00am – 2:00pm and features gently used hardcover and softcover children's books – also at great prices. **Both sales are open to all.** Tables will be replenished throughout the sales so everyone has a chance to find some wonderful buys. Credit cards are will be accepted. **Bags will be in short supply so please bring your own.** All proceeds benefit our Pittsford Community Library!

MORNING MOVIE MATINEE FOR SENIORS JUNE 9 –

THE PARENT TRAP

Seniors, join us in the VanHuysen Community Room at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center on Thursday, June 9 for our free Morning Movie Matinee featuring The Parent Trap (The Special Double Trouble Edition). Then stay afterward for pizza!

Register by calling the Senior Center at 248-6235. The movie begins at 10:30am and features light refreshments, including coffee, breakfast pastries and popcorn. Pizza will be served after the movie. The Parent Trap features an entertaining story line and outstanding – and fun! – performances. In this 1998 romantic family comedy a divorced couple (Dennis Quaid and Natasha Richardson) separated shortly after their identical twin daughters' birth are brought together again years later when their twins, separated at birth, reunite at summer camp. Lindsay Lohan, in her debut performance, stars as both twins. Join us to see what transpires!



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 our Senior Programs Office at 248-6235.



GUIDED HIKE THIS SATURDAY FEATURES MITCHELL TRAILS

Pittsford Recreation's next guided trail hike is this Saturday, June 11 – get outdoors and meet other hikers as you explore the Mitchell Trails. The hike begins at 8:30am. This approximately 3 mile series of connecting trails is an easy, flat hike. Participants will meet at the trail head and receive a packet of maps and area information. Bring your Wegmans Hit the Trail Passport and get credit for hiking the trail! The program is free but advance registration is required. Register online at www.townofpittsford.org/recreation or in person at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, 35 Lincoln Avenue.

Free downloadable/printable maps are also available in advance on the Town website at www.townofpittsford.org/trails_and_walkways.

SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION IS UNDERWAY

Non-resident registration begins 6/13

Our Pittsford Recreation team has some great programs planned for this summer! Summer program registration and fall After School program registration for Pittsford residents currently is underway. View our [Recreation Program brochure online](#) for a complete listing of programs for all ages! You can also pick up a brochure at the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, 35 Lincoln Avenue. [Register for programs online](#) or in person at the Community Center. Registration for non-residents begins June 13.



LEARN ABOUT ENERGY-EFFICIENT HEATING AND COOLING - AT THE LIBRARY JUNE 30

Heat Smart Pittsford campaign promotes clean



energy options & free energy audits

The Town is working with HeatSmart Monroe and Color Pittsford Green to promote clean heating and cooling options through a *Heat Smart Pittsford* community outreach and education campaign. The campaign will spread the word about clean heating and cooling technologies to help make Pittsford homes more energy-efficient and less dependent on fossil fuels. An **information session will be held at the Pittsford Community Library on Thursday, June 30 at 7:00pm**. The meeting is free and open to the public – register at <http://Bit.ly/heatsmartpittsford>. Attend to find out how you can sign up for a **free, no-obligation home energy assessment** and receive a **free report your current home heating demands and options for sustainable improvements**, including home insulation/air-sealing improvements and/or a heat pump system.

Adopting sustainable practices like improved insulation and air-sealing and using affordable heat pump technology can enhance indoor air quality, decrease negative impacts on the environment, and can lower your energy costs. Taking action now will help make the Pittsford community cleaner, greener, and more sustainable long into the future!

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

- [Friends of Pittsford Library Summer and Children's Book Sales](#), Summer Sale Friday, 6/10 from 10:00am – 5:00pm and Saturday, 6/11 from 10:00am – 4:00pm; Children's Book Sale Sunday, 6/12 from 10:00am – 2:00pm. Both sales at Pittsford Community Library, Fisher Meeting Room, 24 State Street; sales are open to all, funds raised to support programs and materials for the Library. Bags will be in short supply – please bring your own.

- [Town of Pittsford Concert](#) Series opening night, featuring the Pittsford Mendon and Sutherland Jazz Ensembles, Friday, 6/10, 6:30pm, canalside in Carpenter Park at the Port of Pittsford, 22 N. Main Street
- **Supervisor Saturday with Bill Smith** - join the conversation with Town Supervisor Bill Smith at this casual open house, topics of discussion based upon attendee interest; Saturday, 6/18, 9:00 - 10:00am, Fisher Meeting Room (first floor), Pittsford Community Library, 24 State Street.
- [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, 6/8, 6:00pm, Fisher Meeting Room, Pittsford Community Library, 24 State Street, current CDC guidelines will be followed; the meeting agenda is posted at least two days prior to the meeting on the Town website here: www.townofpittsford.org/minutes
- **Design Review & Historic Preservation Board**, Thursday, 6/9, 6:00pm, Public Meeting Room, Town Hall (lower level), 11 South Main Street, current CDC guidelines will be followed; the meeting agenda is posted at least two days prior to the meeting on the Town website here: www.townofpittsford.org/minutes
- **Parks and Recreation Board**, Thursday, 6/9, 6:30pm, Spiegel Pittsford Community Center – Room 207, 35 Lincoln Avenue, current CDC guidelines will be followed; the meeting agenda is posted at least 24 hours prior to the meeting on the Town website here: www.townofpittsford.org/minutes
- **Planning Board**, Monday, 6/13, 6:30pm, Town Hall, Public Meeting Room (lower level), 11 South Main Street, current CDC guidelines will be followed; the meeting agenda is posted at least two days prior to the meeting on the Town website here: www.townofpittsford.org/minutes

COMMUNITY MEETINGS CALENDAR

- [Village Board of Trustees](#) meeting, Thursday, 6/9, 6:30pm; more information and participation details will be listed on the Village website [here](#) as the meeting date approaches
- **Supervisor Saturday with Bill Smith** - join the conversation with Town Supervisor Bill Smith at this casual open house, topics of discussion based upon attendee interest; Saturday, 6/18, 9:00 - 10:00am, Fisher Meeting Room (first floor), Pittsford Community Library, 24 State Street.
- [American Legion Rayson-Miller Post 899](#) Tuesday morning breakfast and socializing, every Tuesday, 8:00-10:00am, 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, masks are required; 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. Meetings held the third Thursday of the month, September through June; due to the COVID-19 pandemic, decisions to hold meetings in person or virtually are made month to

month. Visit the website at <https://www.womensclubofpittsford.org> for more information

- [Pittsford Art Group](#) conducts monthly member meetings (via Zoom and in person) 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.

COVID-19 Access Updates

3/2/22 Update: the Statewide mask mandate for schools expired 3/1, mask use is now optional in Pittsford School District schools; for more information, visit www.pittsfordschools.org/COVID-19INFORMATION. The mandate remains in place for health care facilities, transportation and other related entities.

2/10/22 Update: the Statewide mask mandate has expired for indoor public spaces including grocery stores, shops and offices. The mandate remains for other settings such as health care facilities and schools.

1/31/22 Update: the Governor's mask mandate extended to February 10, 2022.

12/13/21 Update: By order of NYS Governor Kathy Hochul, until January 15, 2022 the Town must require all persons entering Town buildings to be masked, regardless of vaccination status. This applies to all Town indoor facilities, including Town Hall, the Spiegel Pittsford Community Center, the Pittsford Community Library, Town Court and the Highway Department, Sewer Department and Parks Department offices.

On June 15, 2021, Governor Cuomo announced that COVID-19 restrictions are lifted immediately as 70 percent of New Yorkers aged 18 or older have received the first dose of their COVID-19 vaccination series. The State's health guidance and New York Forward industry specific guidelines—including social gathering limits, capacity restrictions, social distancing, cleaning and disinfection, health screening, and contact information for tracing—are now optional for retail, food services, offices, gyms and fitness centers, amusement and family entertainment, hair salons, barber shops and personal care services, among other commercial settings.

On August 2, 2021, Monroe County was designated as a County with a "substantial" COVID infection. Consequently, the CDC now recommends that people, regardless of vaccination status, wear a mask indoors. This is a recommendation, not a mandate. The guidelines are unclear at this point, as is the situation. Neither the State, the County or the Town has imposed a mask *requirement* at this stage.

Unvaccinated individuals continue to be responsible for wearing masks, in accordance with federal CDC guidance. Consistent with the State's implementation of the recent CDC guidance, masks are still required for unvaccinated individuals.

For information on the vaccine, on getting the vaccine, regional vaccination data and more visit the [Finger Lakes COVID-19 Vaccine Hub](#).

Monroe County Services at Town facilities:

The County has suspended until further notice Passport Services at Town Hall and Mobile DMV service at Pittsford Town Court. Find updated information for Monroe County DMV here <https://www2.monroecounty.gov/clerk-COVID-19>.

Further information and updates can be found at www.townofpittsford.org/covid-

COVID-19 Coronavirus Information Links

Further Town of Pittsford COVID-19 coronavirus information and updates can be found at www.townofpittsford.org/covid-19info.

[Pittsford Central School District COVID-19 Coronavirus Updates.](#)

You can find information on COVID-19 coronavirus at the County Health Department's website: <https://www.monroecounty.gov/health>.

Additional information about COVID-19 testing and health requirements throughout Monroe County can be found on the County's Website: www.monroecounty.gov

The CDC also has information on its website at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/share-facts-stop-fear.html>.

In addition, the CDC has information relevant to anyone planning to travel outside of the United States: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/index.html?deliveryName=USCDC_2067-DM20785.

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