

From: Mariah Okrongly mariah.okrongly@bedford2030.org
Subject: Fwd: The Week Ending 4.14.22 | Happy Holiday Weekend | Town Board Meeting and Committee Celebration Tues.
Date: July 7, 2022 at 9:30 PM
To: Dylan Ouderkirk douderkirk@vassar.edu

Here is something else for energy reduction campaign!

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From: Allison Hague <allison.hague@bedford2030.org>
Date: Wed, Jul 6, 2022 at 3:27 PM
Subject: Fwd: The Week Ending 4.14.22 | Happy Holiday Weekend | Town Board Meeting and Committee Celebration Tues.
To: Mariah Okrongly <mariah.okrongly@bedford2030.org>

Hi Mariah,
There is a piece about Energy Coach Challenge. Do you need more? I think it was in multiple times.

Allison

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From: Allison Hague <allison.hague@bedford2030.org>
Date: Thu, Jun 23, 2022 at 2:41 PM
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To: Laura Cunningham <laura.cunningham@bedford2030.org>

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From: Supervisor Calves <supervisor@bedfordny.gov>
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To: <allison.hague@bedford2030.org>

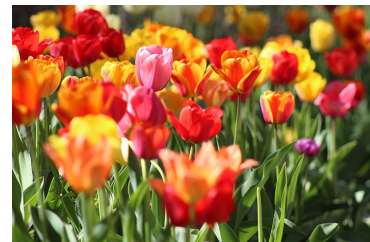


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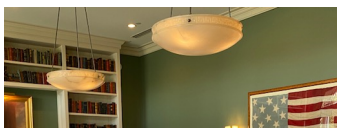


**TOWN OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON
FRIDAY, APRIL 15. TOWN OFFICES WILL
REOPEN ON MONDAY, APRIL 18 AT 8:30 AM.**

Enjoy the Holiday weekend!



From the Supervisor



Dear Bedford,

Heading into the weekend, **I want to wish a blessed**



holiday to all those who observe.

Today I attended a meeting with leaders from several Bedford organizations and am just so inspired. Coming out of two difficult years, I see them bursting with renewed vigor fed by their leadership, volunteers, supporters, and participants (our community!). **Our local nonprofit organizations**

and institutions provide so much of what we love about Bedford - from art and nature to enjoy and history to learn, to opportunities to take action to have a healthy, safe, inclusive, and sustainable town. I am thrilled to see all the ways they partner with one another and how we can all work together. See below for info about events of some of these organizations and remember to support our nonprofits. I will be working on reviving the town's community organization guide to provide information to residents about all the ways to be involved with local organizations.

The next **Town Board meeting will be on Tuesday, April 19th** with presentations by and a **celebration of Town committees**. Everyone who serves on a board, commission, or committee of the Town is invited to join the Town Board and Town department heads from 5:30pm - 7:00pm at the Town House (note venue change from original invite). Anyone may also join the meeting virtually via Zoom (but we have not yet figured out how to share the cake with you that way). The Town Board business will be conducted after the party and will include repeal of the old leaf blower law and an update from CityScape about the results of the wireless communication survey.

Please **pay taxes before April 30** to avoid penalties, and remember that **Town offices will be closed tomorrow**, Friday, April 15.

As always, please reach out if you have concerns or want to connect. I am happy to hear from you.

Be well,

Ellen

Lea este boletín en español

Town News

Boards and Committees Volunteer Celebration



VENUE CHANGE!

To make the upcoming Committees and Boards celebration on 4/19 at 5:30pm more accessible and health conscious, it **will now be hosted at the Town House in the Courtroom** or join on [Zoom!](#)

Taxes Due April 30

County and Town taxes for 2022 are due. [Click here](#) for the Tax Receiver's notice and understand the **penalties if you don't pay this month!**

The Tax Receiver's Office is open 8:30am - 4:30pm Monday thru Friday and is located at the Town Hall, 321 Bedford Rd, Bedford Hills. You may pay online at bedfordny.gov and sign up for email confirmation when your payment is received.

Westwood Open for Yard Waste and Free Mulch Sat.



The yard waste recycling facility on Beaver Dam Rd is open daily 7AM - 3:30PM and will be open on Saturday for residents to bring yard debris and pick up free mulch and compost from 10AM-2PM

A new screen has been installed on the grinder to keep dust from blowing toward the dog park and trees will be planted between the dog park and the facility this spring.

Water Switch April 18-25



From April 18-25 you may notice a change in the taste or smell of your water if you are in the Bedford Hills/Katonah [Consolidated Water District](#). For one week we will be



treating water from local sources, so we expect that taste and odor will be different from what we are used to from the normal supply. This temporary shift to alternative water supply is in preparation for the planned October 2022 - May 2023 shutdown necessary for DEP to make critical infrastructure repairs.

Reduce Energy Waste - with Bob!

TAKE THE
EnergyCoach
CHALLENGE

Score big for your home or building.
Sign up for a free consultation with Bedford 2030's Personal Energy Coach!

BOB FISCHMAN

- Save money
- Increase comfort
- Reduce waste
- Win energy-saving giveaways
- Help us get to 150+ consultations

Learn more at Bedford2030.org/energycoachchallenge

HI, BOB!

2030 | CLIMATE ACTION NOW

The Town of Bedford is committed to an 80% reduction in GHG emissions by 2030 and buildings account for 50% of these emissions in Bedford. The more we can reduce energy waste from buildings, the closer we are to meeting our goal. Not only that, with energy efficiency, you can save money and be more comfortable in your home.

The **Energy Coach Challenge** will help you **make a plan to save energy**. Bedford 2030 aims to engage 150 Bedford residents

(tenants, homeowners and landlords all welcome!) by this fall with a **free** personal energy coach to improve health, save on energy costs, and reduce emissions.

Enjoy wine, cheese, energy info, and meet Bob, the personal energy coach, on Thursday April 28 from 7-9pm at the Bedford Playhouse.

Register (for free!) to attend the event and...

- Chat with Energy Coach Bob
- Meet local energy efficiency contractors
- Enjoy complimentary wine and cheese
- Learn to go green, save green (money), and have a comfy home
- Receive FREE energy saving LED light bulbs for attending
- Sign up to get a free personalized plan to stop wasting energy and transition off of fossil fuels. Consultations are available in English and Spanish.

Click [here](#) to learn more about the Bedford 2030 Personal Energy Coach program.

Register to Attend

Spring/Summer Registration and Pool Pass renewal has begun!



The Parks and Recreation Spring/Summer program registration began this week, as well as 2022 Pool Membership sales!

For more information on programs being offered, [click here](#)

Pool Membership Renewals: Visit our [online registration page](#) and go to "Pool Pass Renewal" located along the top of page. This will give you access to renew your 2021 pool

membership for the 2022 season.

New Pool Membership or Change in Type

Those looking to purchase a pool pass for the first time, or change the type of pass you had in 2021, please complete a hard copy "[Pool Registration Form](#)" and submit with two proofs of residency to the Recreation Office at 425 Cherry Street, Bedford Hills. This can be done by mail, the drop box located outside the office, [via e-mail](#) to or in person during business hours, Monday – Friday 8:30am-4:30pm. General pool info, pass fees and the 2022 pool registration form can be found online on our department webpage under "[Pool Info](#)."

Please direct any questions to the Recreation Office at 914-666-7004 or recreation@bedfordny.gov. Thank you!

Never be late to an Easter Egg Hunt!

Great advice from Kim O'Brien, Recreation & Parks Assistant Superintendent who organizes this annual event for the Town of Bedford residents and their children ages 2-10. The 10,000 Easter Eggs filled with treats for the avid sugar hunters were sprawled across the Fox Lane High School Football Field. As soon as the "go" rang, the friendly chaos ensued. and all the eggs were scooped in 2 minutes! Along with the



checked, and all the eggs were scooped in 2 minutes! Along with the treats there was an Easter bunny for photo ops and a magician to round out an egg-cellent holiday tradition!



L-R Back row: Tara Becker, Liz Peck. Front row: Ava Becker, Sienna Becker, Maddie Peck, Owen Peck Front row: Finn Becker



Cousins Alexios Kostopoulos and Andrew Kalyvas



[Click to view the hunt!](#)



Saturday, April 23
11am-2pm
SHREDDER TRUCK
at the Recycling Center
343 Railroad Avenue
Bedford Hills
[For details, click here](#)

Announcements

GROWN UPS: TIME TO PLAY!

**BRINGING CREATIVITY
INTO YOUR DAILY LIFE.**



CREATIVE ALLIANCE PROJECT
FORMERLY KNOWN AS KBBAL

Try your hand at poetry, prose, songwriting, acting, and photography, or quietly enjoy performances and presentations by our incredibly talented neighbors. Can't decide which class? TAKE MORE THAN ONE!

Saturdays from 10-11:30
The Bedford Hills Train Station
1 Depot Plaza, Bedford Hills, NY 10507

FREE For Bedford Residents
\$20 for non-residents

673503 - April 23 "Everyone Can Write"

Presenter: Patti Ivry

Come try your hand (literally) at putting words on paper (or screen) to tell a story, describe a moment, express a viewpoint, or send some love. This interactive workshop will begin with learning about writing in a fun and dynamic way, followed by opportunities to write together. No previous experience is needed – just a desire to have fun with pen and ink. CLASS SIZE LIMIT: 12.

Patti Ivry facilitates a weekly zoom writing group, helping people discover their inner writer. With a rich background in teaching writing, she has helped people learn to express themselves in a variety of ways. She has the magic trick to make writing fun! **Please note: The April 16th class has been cancelled.**



PLEASE NOTE: The Town of Bedford cannot mandate masks for its program participants; however, all Presenters are fully vaccinated and are allowed to require that participants wear masks. We thank you for understanding, and for your co-operation.

Saturdays 10-11:30am

All you need for these entertaining Saturday morning gatherings is your curiosity. No experience required!! The cross-generational nature of this program brings an added layer of magic. A free and entertaining series of group explorations into many forms of creativity and art led by accomplished professionals.

[Click to read brochure & register](#)

Join the League of Women Voters

The **League of Women Voters of North East Westchester** (LWVNEW) invites civic-minded residents of Bedford to become active volunteers in the local, non-partisan organization. LWVNEW offers vital services to area voters, such as candidate forums for contested races, voter registration drives, and printed & online versions of the Voters Guide. Student outreach includes high school voter registration and the Students Inside Albany program. There are opportunities for involvement throughout the year.



If interested, contact Kay Tyler at kaytyler34@gmail.com or click [here.](#)

did you know?



Up to 75 Bedford residents per year have the opportunity to receive **50% off** weekly food scrap pickup for the first year of their contract! Curbside compost is a great way to get rid of your food scraps without leaving your home or starting a pile in your backyard.

How it works:

1. Collect food scraps in your kitchen (meat and bones accepted)
2. Store them in a locking container outside or in your garage (with or without compostable bags)
3. Leave them at the end of your driveway for pick-up on the day each week your hauler designates



[Sign up today!](#)

Seasonal Employment Opportunities

Bedford Recreation and Parks Department





The Bedford Recreation & Parks Department is now accepting applications for summer 2022 jobs! The department will be hiring for day camp, pool and seasonal park maintenance positions. If interested, please submit an [“Application for Seasonal Employment.”](#) Feel free to contact our office by phone at 914-666-7004 or by e-mail at recreation@bedfordny.gov with any questions.

Committee Vacancies



WE WANT YOU!

Below is a list of committees that either have vacancies or have members with expiring terms through June 30.

- **Senior Advisory Committee:** Seeking members of **any age** to fill 4 vacant positions for 3-year terms. The Committee meets on an “as needed” basis.
- **Veterans Advisory Committee:** 3 year term, 4 open seats. The committee works with veterans to navigate the local, state, Federal and many non-profit organizations which provide benefits and assistance. Non-veterans may apply!

[For more information on each committee please click here.](#)

Submit an Application Here!

Events



Bedford Hills Free Library presents