

DANBY AREA NEWS

CELEBRATE

**Ric Dietrich's 30+ years
of service to the Town of Danby**

Why: To wish Ric a relaxing retirement
and to reminisce with him

When: Sunday, 15-March-2020
Drop in between 2pm and 4pm

Where: Danby Volunteer Fire Company,
1780 Danby Road, NYS Rt.96B

PANCAKES: PAST,PRESENT, AND FUTURE

Submitted by Holly Kline and Steven Hilsdorf

The Good News:

JOIN THE WEST DANBY Fire Department for its St. Patty's Day Breakfast on March 14, 8-11am, in the Fire Station at 47 Sylvan Lane. The West Danby breakfasts have traditionally been tasty, generous, and a Good Thing that helps to fund the Department.

The Rest Of The News:

2020 will be remembered in uphill Danby as the winter with no pancakes. The Danby Volunteer Fire Company suffered a water problem during the fall of 2020. While the water is now running freely, it has a sulfur issue and has not yet been tested. Use of the kitchen has been severely restricted.

The DVFC expects to resume its pancake fests next December. ❀

MAKE YOUR TAX APPOINTMENT

NEED TO FILE YOUR TAXES? Let one of Alternatives Federal Credit Union's IRS-certified volunteers prepare your filing—for free! This free tax preparation program can get you your whole refund; it's your money. Why not keep it?

The Danby Community Council is bringing AFCU's tax prep volunteers to Danby's Town Hall on Saturday, March 14, 10am-2pm.

Qualifying single people and families of any size who made less than \$57,000 in 2019 can get their Federal and State Income Tax Returns prepared for free! Some complex returns may not qualify.

Appointments are required: Call 2-1-1 (from Tompkins or Cortland counties) or 877.211.8667 (elsewhere) to make an appointment. Other locations and times are available, but they're not in Town Hall. ❀

WEST DANBY SPRING CRAFT SHOW AND CHICKEN BBQ

Submitted by Marrell Cortright

THE WEST DANBY FIRE DEPARTMENT will host its annual Spring Craft Show and Chicken BBQ on Saturday, April 25, 10am-2pm, in the West Danby Fire Hall.

Along with the Craft Show, the West Danby Pickers will be playing from 11am to 1pm, and the Chicken will be ready around Noon.

Crafters wanting to participate may contact Kayla McCray at [robertmccray549@gmail.com]. Tables/spaces are \$10 each. Set up starts at 8am. ❀

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DANBY NEWS NOTES

Submitted by Ted Crane

Submission Guidelines: Before submitting an item for the Danby News, please have a look at the *Submission Guidelines*. You can request them by Email from the editor at [danbynews@tedcrane.com] or find them at [danbyny.org/DanbyNews]. If you're thinking of sending something for publication in the Danby News, there's two documents to read: the

Guidelines and the *Submission Guidelines* at the same web location.

You'll learn what is, and isn't acceptable material for publication. If it's acceptable, we'll make an effort to include it; *generally, we print everything we receive!* You'll find hints about how to prepare a submission. Following these guidelines makes the editing and layout easier.

A terse version of these guidelines is in the left-hand column of this page. ❁

WHAT REQUIRES A BUILDING PERMIT?

Submitted by Steven Cortright, Code Officer

IT HAS BEEN MY EXPERIENCE that there is some confusion over what requires a building permit. So, here is a non-all-inclusive list that I have come up with.

Building Permits are required for the construction of:

- Single family homes, duplexes, apartment houses, townhouses, additions or alterations to any of these types of structures and conversion of a single-family home into a duplex or apartment house or a apartment house or duplex back to a single family home.
- Decks, pools, garages, sheds greater than 144 sq.ft. in size either built on site or pre-built delivered to your site, barns that are not solely for agricultural use, solid fuel burning heating appliances, chimney or flue in any dwelling unit and all permanently installed heating and cooling appliances, residential and commercial.
- All solar or geothermal installations.
- All commercial projects, all fire detection systems, all fire suppression systems, all change of use or occupancy classification and the demolition of any structure.

Building permit applications and the various fees for building permits can be found at [townofdanby.org] under the Code Enforcement link.

And of course, along with building permits comes construction inspections as required by section 108.5 of the New York State Uniform Building and Fire Code.

108.5 Construction Inspections. Any person or entity performing work for which a Building Permit has been issued shall keep work accessible and exposed until the work has been inspected and accepted by the Authority Having Jurisdiction, or its authorized agent, at each element of the construction process that is applicable to the work and specified in the stricter of the Authority Having Jurisdiction's Code Enforcement Program or a Part 1203-Compliant Code Enforcement Program.

Next month, I will provide a list of what does not require a building permit.

Please contact me, [code@townofdanbyny.org] or 607.277.0799 if you ever have any code-related questions. My office hours are Monday thru Friday, 8am-4:30pm. ❧

FOOD SCRAP CONSULTANT WANTED

ONE OF DANBY'S HIDDEN TREASURES: every Saturday morning, 9am-Noon, behind Danby's Town Hall, a steady stream of private vehicles deliver household food scraps for processing by the County's Recycling and Materials Management department. If you don't compost, or have food scraps that aren't appropriate for your compost pile, the Saturday Drop Spot is a great way to reduce your trash!

The TC R&MM folks are looking for a new "consultant" to staff the Drop Spot. It's a three-hour, once a week event, and it pays a flat rate of \$70 per event.

What's involved? The consultant is responsible for the safe flow of vehicles and pedestrians, provides outreach materials and information regarding food scrap recycling, and, as a representative of Tompkins County, must work in a professional manner. In addition, the consultant inspects loads for the presence of unacceptable materials, ensures sufficient capacity is provided for collection, maintains the collection bins, and stocks other supplies.

A high school diploma is required and the consultant must be 18 or older and in good physical condition to handle the demands of the scope of work. For more information, contact Barbara Eckstrom, [beckstrom@tompkins-co.org]. ❧

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Mon-Tue-Wed-Fri, 8:30am-4pm,

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Highway Department • [highway@townofdanbyny.org]

93 Hornbrook Road • Phone: 272.9169

Mon-Thu, 6am-4:30pm

Planning Office • [planner@townofdanbyny.org]

Phone: 277.2400 • Fax: 277.0559

Mon-Thu, 9am-5:30pm

Appointments encouraged (or call or Email ahead).

Code Enforcement Office • [code@townofdanbyny.org]

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Mon-Fri, 8am-4:30pm

Town Court • [courtclerk@townofdanbyny.org]

Phone: 277.0095 • Fax: 277.0031 • Tue, 9am

All offices at Danby Town Hall except where noted.

SUPERVISOR'S UPDATE

Submitted by Joel Gagnon, Town of Danby Supervisor

AS I WRITE THIS ON FEBRUARY 15, we just experienced what may prove to be the coldest night of the winter, hitting minus 9 at my house. Cold, but still warmer than we historically see as our coldest winter-time temperatures, which are in the range of minus 10 to minus 20. Average temps are rising, and along with them more extreme weather events. Those events are among the greatest hazards we face in this part of the world, shielded as we are from coastal storms and earthquakes. There is a county-wide process of hazard mitigation planning, reviewed and updated every 10 years. Danby will be participating in the upcoming update, with Steve Cortright, our Code Officer, as our delegate. Hazard mitigation and emergency response are connected, and Steve brings years of experience with the fire department to this effort.

There is much more that is happening that is planning-related. The Town Board recently passed a set of design guidelines for site plan review of commercial enterprises. These were put forth by the Planning Board, greatly facilitated by the work of the Town Planner, Jason Haremza. The Town Board also made the initial appointments to the new Planning Group, which will have held its first meeting by the time you read this. All are welcome to participate in that group; minutes will be posted on the Town website to keep you abreast of its work, and I will report highlights here as well to help pique your interest. They are charged with nothing less than helping to reposition the Town for the future!

We are working on enabling an extension of the South Hill Recreation Way. It would continue through parts of the Towns of Ithaca, Dryden, Caroline, and Danby along the old railroad bed that aligns in Danby with the Caroline-Danby boundary northeast of Coddington Road. NYSEG, which owns the 66-foot wide strip of land, has offered us a limited license to use its property, but the terms are not very favorable to the Town (NYSEG can revoke the license with 120 days' notice). Further action awaits efforts to negotiate a better deal.

A recommendation from the Conservation Advisory Council to do a salvage harvest of Ash trees on Town property in West Danby that contains the Water District infrastructure has generated a lively discussion. The Town Board asked the CAC to catalogue the environmental impacts of the options to help the decision-

making process. As you may know, the Emerald Ash Borer has now been found in the county. Once infested, Ash trees die within a few years. Even before completely dead, the wood is ruined for lumber. Should we just let the trees die and decay naturally? Should we try to save some of them by treating them chemically in the hope that more natural controls will be developed in the future? If so, how can we do the treatment to minimize the risk to non-target organisms and the groundwater for the Water District? What are the best practices to minimize the inevitable mess from logging, and are they a reasonable cost to the environment? All this and more is being looked into and will inform the Town Board's decisions. Feel free to add your own thoughts.

A hemp growing and limited processing facility on Howland Road is of great concern to its neighbors and has taken a lot of time and effort on the part of the Town to wrestle with. Agriculture is a commercial activity, and the Town has generally been very supportive of agriculture historically. Not as welcome, though, is the large-scale "factory farming" represented by CAFOs (confined animal feeding operations) and similar high-impact operations that look more like heavy industry than traditional farming. This hemp operation dries hemp for several growers, which involves transporting loads of material and running dryers 24/7 for months at a time, with attendant traffic, noise, and odors. We are exploring options to better protect the neighborhood while not wanting to completely foreclose the growing of a promising new crop.

Expanding definitions of what is considered an agricultural activity by the NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets is generating some pushback here in Danby for the simple reason that agricultural enterprises within a state Agricultural District can operate without zoning limitations (i.e., ag district regulations supersede zoning). To reduce these exemptions to our land use controls, we have altered our stance toward the agricultural districts. The Planning Board has recommended to the County Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board that 162 properties in Ag District 1 (mostly east of 96B) be removed. We only get to recommend removals once every eight years; this is the year for District 1. The properties recommended for

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TAXES ARE HISTORY

Submitted by M.A. Barr, Town Historian

THOUGH WE STILL HAVE INCOME TAXES to look forward to, our property taxes are history—for this year. But taxation records from years ago give us an interesting look into some of our town history.

Today the Town Clerk is the tax collector in Danby. In 1900, James O. Miller was the tax collector. I know this from an announcement found in the vault. It is titled, **Tax Collector's Notice**, and goes on to say:

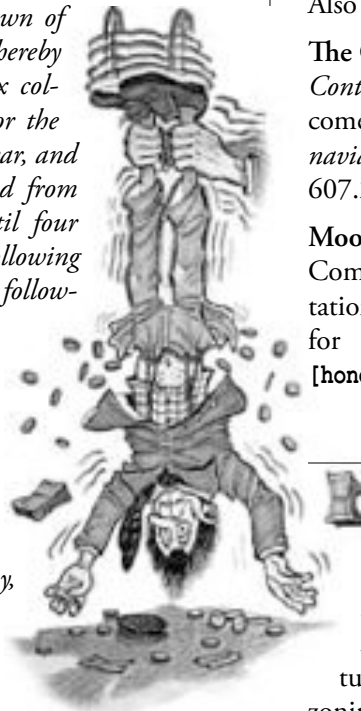
The taxable inhabitants of the town of Danby, Tompkins Co., NY, are hereby notified, that the undersigned tax collector has received the warrant for the collection of taxes for the present year, and that said tax collector will attend from nine o'clock in the forenoon until four o'clock in the afternoon, at the following named places in said town on the following named days and dates:

At the store in Danby of H S. Beadsley, Monday, Jan. 15 and Wednesday, Jan. 31; At C.H. Ostrander's store, Tuesday, Jan. 23 and Tuesday, Feb. 6; At the store in West Danby of Fairbrother & Snyder, Sat., Jan. 20 and Monday, Feb. 5; At A.S. Miller's house on the Coddington Road, Sat., Jan. 27; At the school house in South Danby, Sat., Feb. 3. Taxes will be received at one per cent for 30 days from date; after that five per cent will be charged.

It is signed: *James O. Miller, Collector. Dated January 8th, 1900.*

This is just one document that gives a small glimpse into Danby of 120 years ago and also raises questions that, if answered, can tell us more. Was James Miller also the Town Clerk? No record tells us. Three stores and one of Danby's schools are mentioned. What happened to them? Taxes were collected at different places spread around town. Think of getting to these places on horseback or in horse drawn vehicles. Is it easier to pay our taxes today or was it easier in 1900?

Some old tax documents—from the Town Historian's files—are on display in Town Hall. They reveal more small details of Danby from 1905 and 1916. ❧



EVENTS 'ROUND TOWN

This column appears monthly, featuring brief descriptions of events—current and upcoming months—around Danby. If you have a non-profit event that the general public is invited to...send a notice to the Danby News!

Danby Community Council

Free Tax Prep: Saturday, March 14, 10am-2pm, Danby Town Hall, 1830 Danby Road. Appointments: 2-1-1.

Danby Community Church

Chicken and Biscuit Dinner: Friday, March 13, 5-7pm. Also Apr.17.

The Great Room at Slow Lane

Contra Dancing: Most Fridays, 8pm. Beginners welcome, no partner needed, dances taught. Also: *Scandinavian music and dance*, Sunday, 2pm, Mar. 29. Info: 607.273.8678.

Moon Gatherings

Community potluck, nature connection, meditation, songs, story sharing at each New Moon, for all ages. For dates and directions, contact [honeysharmony@gmail.com]. ❧

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removal are mostly small and residential. Danby has a local law protecting the conduct of agriculture within the Town. That law does not supersede zoning. Rather, it applies within its constraints.

There have been two failed attempts to get the voters in Danby to approve the change from an elected to an appointed Highway Superintendent. We are now looking into proposing expanding the area from which candidates for the office could be drawn. The reason for this is simple. Historically, most, if not all, of the highway crew members were Town residents and constituted a pool of future leaders. That is no longer the case, with most now living outside the Town's borders. Drawing from a larger area would allow us to include them (and many others) in the pool of potential candidates. We are also looking into whether qualifications for the office could be expanded beyond the over 18 and a resident in election law.

There's more, but those are some of the recent highlights. Feel free to contact me, 607.227.4440, or [supervisor@townofdanbyny.org]. ❧

HELPING OTHERS USE LESS ENERGY

Submitted by Jim Holahan

Illuminating, Instructive, Helpful, and Fun.

THESE ARE SOME OF THE WORDS participants have used to describe the volunteer Energy Navigator program, whose fifth round of training begins in April 2020. Volunteer Energy Navigators from all over Tompkins County learn to reduce their own energy use and save money and help other community members do the same.

Some of the words I use are, “worthwhile, educational, and meaningful.” It was really great to be able to help someone save on their utility bills. I volunteered for the third round of Energy Navigators and was able to help my community learn about free programs and program incentives—and to help them apply. “It was a rewarding experience.”

Volunteers complete ten hands-on classes that cover a range of topics in energy efficiency, renewable energy, and heating options and transportation. They also learn about relevant incentives and financing. Following the

training, volunteers commit to helping at least ten other community members reduce their energy use.

Over the last four years, more than forty Energy Navigators have supported hundreds of friends, family members, colleagues, and contacts from their faith organizations with actions that, together, will help them save thousands of dollars and reduce carbon emissions.

If you are interested in saving energy and helping your neighbors, I recommend finding out more, follow the link or give Karim a call.

Applications are due March 9 and training begins on April 8, 2020. A limited number of minigrants are available to support the engagement of underserved groups. For more information and to apply, visit [\[getyourgreenbacktompkins.org/navigators\]](http://getyourgreenbacktompkins.org/navigators) or contact Karim Beers, [\[kwb6@cornell.edu\]](mailto:kwb6@cornell.edu) or 607.272.2292.

Energy Navigators is a program of Get Your GreenBack Tompkins with the support of Cornell Cooperative Extension of Tompkins County. ♻️

COUNTY LEGISLATURE UPDATE

Submitted by Dan Klein, Tompkins County Legislator

VERY SOON, THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE will be voting on whether or not to act as a financial guarantor for the proposed conference center. The conference center is a proposed \$30 million project that will be built and owned privately on the site of the Green Street garage in Ithaca. This is a very complex project with the County, the City, the Downtown Ithaca Alliance, the Convention and Visitors Bureau, private hotels, and a private developer all being asked to take a role.

There are many pluses and minuses to a conference center. There is little doubt that it would increase tourism, and tourism brings outside dollars into the County. However, it also brings traffic and parking issues to an already-congested downtown. The conference center would bring jobs. But most of the jobs would be low-end hotel and restaurant jobs. Do we want more of those kinds of jobs, especially given that we have the lowest unemployment rate in the state? We have a housing shortage. Where will all these wait staff and hotel workers live?

But the question before the County Legislature is only this: are we willing to use County tax money if the conference center can't pay its \$2 million annual lease?

In a study commissioned about conference centers in similar-sized cities, it was found that 7 out of 8 of these conference centers lose money.

If the County signs on to bailing out the conference center when it does not make enough profit, there are several proposals about how we would pay for that. One is to add 1 percent to the County hotel room tax. Another is to add 2 percent tax to the cost of Air BnBs in the County. The City of Ithaca is also contemplating charging a City hotel room tax of 4 percent.

If we do add these hotel taxes, it is still possible that we will not have enough money to cover the losses to a conference center in any given year. If that happens, we would either need to use property tax money, or take some money away from the arts and culture organizations that currently get a small allocation from the County hotel tax.

If we sign on to this deal, we would be committing for 30 years.

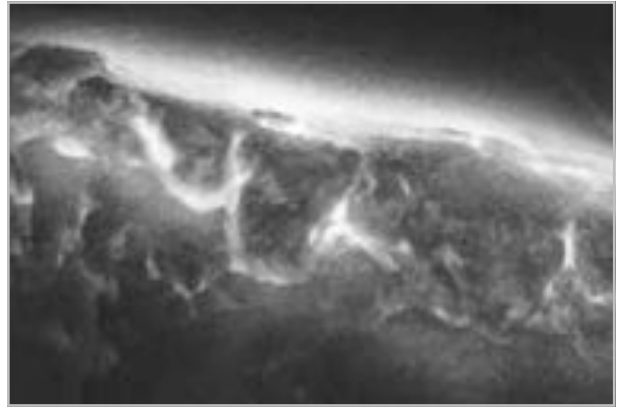
I am writing this in mid-February, and it is possible that a whole different set of proposals will have been worked out by the time it comes for a vote in March. But as it stands now, I wish the conference center good luck, but I will be voting no to have the County act as financial guarantor for this project.

You can contact me at [\[danbydan@hotmail.com\]](mailto:danbydan@hotmail.com) or 607.272.7582. ♻️

WINTER IN DANBY



Furry Beasts, warm by he woodstove



Buried driveway lights



Woodland driveways



Whimsical snow art



Frozen Phragmites



Ice on the saplings

March is Women in History Month



DANBY COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Submitted by Cindy Parlett

WE RECENTLY RECEIVED A DONATION of Books On CD in excellent condition.

On that note, we will accept gently used items that are current. However, we cannot use outdated encyclopedias, instruction manuals, old magazines, Readers Digest Condensed books, self help books, and anything with mold/dust/yellowed/torn pages, or moisture damage. Please donate responsibly.

New purchases include:

Adult non-fiction:

- *Late Migrations: A Natural History Of Love And Loss* by Margaret Renkl
- *The Broken Road: George Wallace and a Daughter's Journey to Reconciliation* by Peggy Wallace Kennedy
- *How The Hell Did This Happen? The Election of 2016* by PJ O'Rourke

Adult fiction:

- *The Murmur Of Bees* by Sofia Segovia

Juvenile:

- *The Book With No Pictures* by BJ Novak
- *The Shortest Day* by Susan Cooper.



DANBY SENIORS UPDATE

Submitted by Margie VanDeMark

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE DANBY SENIORS will be on Thursday, March 5 at Noon in the Danby Community Church. All seniors 55 and older are invited to join our dish to share luncheon! Ted Davenport will be entertaining us with his harp music.

We thank our February hosts: Dave & Ann VanDeMark, Ted & Connie Merritt, and Dan Clements, assisted by Bea Raponi & Elmer VanArkel. Having everyone bring their own serving spoons/spatulas for their dishes seemed to work well—thanks! Three Bingo games were called with cash prizes.

The travel committee outlined upcoming trips: May 12 to Penn's Peak, PA for a luncheon show, August 11 to The Rev theater for a show and then to dinner, and October 15 to the Country Cupboard in Lewisburg, PA for luncheon show.



SOUTHERN TOMPKINS TOWN TALK

Submitted by Gay Huddle, Ithaca Journal Columnist

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND your stories to me for the Southern Tompkins Town Talk column that appears every other week in the Ithaca Journal.

I cover the neighborhoods of Danby, West Danby, Brooktondale, Newfield, and Upper South Hill. Pictures (in JPEG format) are always welcome.

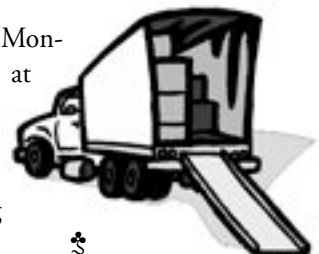
Please contact me at [gayhuddle@hotmail.com] or 607.273.6530.



MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

Submitted by Margie VanDeMark

MOBILE FOOD PANTRY: Monday, March 23, Noon, at the Danby Church. Open to anyone needing food, from the Food Bank of the Southern Tier. Remember to bring your own bags/boxes.



Community Council Youth Programs

This February was a blast! Danby youth have been busy this past month, learning how to carve canoes from basswood at Boynton Middle School, practicing cooking skills at the Danby Church, and exploring life after dark at the Danby Town Hall and in Dotson Park.

We were lucky to work with two very generous volunteers last month: Bill Evans & Nezha Oubella. Bill came out to the Night Visions program, equipped with the thermal imaging camera he uses while tracking bird migrations. He spoke to us about the wildlife he tracks with his camera and took us back into Dotson Park to search for the heat trails of various animals.

Nezha joined us for a session of Cooking 101, where she led us in making *tagine*, a traditional Moroccan dish. Tagine gets its name from the clay pot that it is cooked in, and Nezha brought in enough pots for everyone to make their own! The kids were excited to taste an unfamiliar dish and were lucky to learn from such a talented chef.

As we head into March, I will be offering three different after-school programs. All programs will take place at various locations in Danby. Please see the listings below for more information.

Please visit [danbycc.org/YouthPrograms] or contact me, 585.236.6304 or [mas759@cornell.edu], for the most up-to-date program schedules. —Melis Schildkraut

Knit Wits - Grades 6-8

Mondays, 4:30-6:30pm, Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27, and Apr. 6, 20
Danby Town Hall

Learn how to knit from educator and Danby resident, Priscilla Reyer. We will begin the class by making our own knitting needles, and continue with the absolute basics. You can expect to learn finger knitting, casting on, knitting, purling, and casting off. We will also learn how to spin wool into yarn. All materials will be provided, and no experience is necessary! Experienced knitters are welcome to join to help others and practice knitting in a social setting.

Iron Chef - Grades 6-8

Wednesdays, 4:30-6:30pm, Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25, and Apr. 1
Danby Community Church

If you love food, getting creative in the kitchen, and competition, then Iron Chef is for you. Each week, you will receive a simple recipe, ingredients, and a few bonus items that you will need to creatively incorporate. The team with the best-tasting dish wins!



Maple Mania - Grades 4-5

Tuesdays, 2:20-5pm, Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
1118 Autumn Ridge Lane

You may know that maple syrup comes from trees, but do you know how it's made? Join me and Danby resident, Greg Carlson, as we set up our own sugar bush! This class will begin with a fieldtrip to Supernatural Syrup in Spencer, NY where we will see a large-scale maple operation and learn how to set up tubing systems. The following weeks, we will explore the sugar bush at Autumn Ridge, set up our own tap system, gather firewood, and boil sap!



YOUTH GRANTS

Submitted by Susan Franklin, DCC Youth Grant Coordinator

DO YOU HAVE A CHILD going to camp or participating in another program during the next few months? Financial assistance is available for Danby youth up to age 21, in the form of grants of up to \$100 per youth per year.

Grants are awarded quarterly for lessons, after-school programs, and more. The deadline is March 15 for programs beginning (or with payment deadlines) in April, May, and June, but it's seldom too late to apply.

Funding is provided by the United Way and the Town of Danby. Families who qualify for free or reduced-price lunch are especially encouraged to apply.

For more information and applications please contact [youthgrants@danbycc.org]. You can also find applications on the Town Hall bulletin board.

DANBY AREA NEWS: EVENT CALENDAR

Mar 2 • Mon

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Town Board Meeting**

Mar 5 • Thu

Noon 🏛️ Community Church • **Seniors**

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Danby Community Council Mtg**

Mar 7 • Sat

9am 🏛️ Town Hall • **Library Volunteers Meeting**

Mar 8 • Sun

2am 🏛️ Everywhere! • **Time Springs Forward**

Mar 9 • Mon

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Town Board Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ Danby Fire Hall • **Fire Dep't Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ West Danby Fire Hall • **WD Fire Dep't Meeting**

Mar 10 • Tue

7:30pm 🏛️ Danby Fire Hall • **Fire District Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Conservation Advisory Council Mtg**

Mar 13 • Fri

5pm 🏛️ Community Church

Chicken & Biscuit Dinner

Mar 14 • Sat

8-11am 🏛️ West Danby Fire Hall • **St.Patty's Day Breakfast**

10am-2pm 🏛️ Town Hall

Community Council & AFCU: Free Tax Prep

Mar 15 • Sun

2-4pm 🏛️ Danby Fire Hall

Celebrate 30+ Years of Ric Dietrich's Service To Town

Mar 17 • Tue

7pm 🏛️ Danby Fire Hall • **Fire District Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Planning Board Mtg**

Mar 19 • Thu

3-6pm 🏛️ Community Church • **Danby Food Pantry**

Mar 23 • Mon

Noon 🏛️ Danby Comm. Church • **Mobile Food Truck**

Apr 2 • Thu

Noon 🏛️ Community Church • **Seniors**

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Danby Community Council Mtg**

Apr 4 • Sat

9am 🏛️ Town Hall • **Library Volunteers Meeting**

Apr 6 • Mon

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Town Board Meeting**

Apr 10 • Fri

5pm 🏛️ Community Church • **Chicken & Biscuit Dinner**

Apr 13 • Mon

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Town Board Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ Danby Fire Hall • **Fire Dep't Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ West Danby Fire Hall • **WD Fire Dep't Meeting**

Apr 14 • Tue

7pm 🏛️ Danby Fire Hall • **Fire District Meeting**

7pm 🏛️ Town Hall • **Conservation Advisory Council Mtg**

ONGOING EVENTS

Danby Community Library 🏛️ Town Hall

Open whenever Town Hall is open!

Librarian on duty when the **Open** flag is out.

Food Scrap Recycling 🏛️ Town Hall ↻ ↺ ↻ ↻ ↻

Saturdays, 9am-Noon

Seniors Strength Training Group 🏛️ Danby Community Church

Mondays and Thursdays, 9am.

Tai Chi Classes 🏛️ Danby Community Church

Mondays and Wednesdays, 11am.

AA Meeting 🏛️ Danby Community Church

Wednesdays, 7pm.

Danby Quilters Group ☎️ 607.273.2950, Call for Info.

WHERE THINGS HAPPEN

🏛️ Danby **Town Hall** • 1830 Danby Road

🏛️ Danby **Fire Hall** • 1780 Danby Road

🏛️ West Danby **Fire Hall** • Sylvan Drive, off Rt.34/96

🏛️ Danby **Community Church** • 1859 Danby Road

🏛️ American Legion Post 221 • 1231 Danby Road