

THE WEEKLY WRAP

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Dear Friend:

Happy Friday and welcome to the November 5 edition of my Weekly Wrap!

BIG happenings:

- EMT Certification for Veterans and Military members
- In the News:
 - Shenendehowa grad Ian Anderson, Braves win World Series
 - Inflation notches a fresh 30-year high as measured by the Fed's favorite gauge
 - CDTA Extends Its FLEX Bus Service To Riders In The Southern Saratoga County Area
 - New York voters reject 3 ballot propositions backed by Democrats
- Honoring Military families and their commitment to our country

Other important news:

- COVID-19 Vaccine & Booster Clinic information
- Lung Cancer Awareness Month
- Daylight Saving Time ends this Sunday
- New Businesses:
 - Towne & Country Traders
 - Hudson Valley Pediatrics

As always, I want to hear from YOU. If you have a comment, question, or concern, please email me at jordan@nysenate.gov or call my office at **(518) 371-2751**. Thank you for reading and subscribing to my Weekly Wrap. It's an honor and a privilege serving you!

– Senator Daphne Jordan, 43rd District

IN THE NEWS



Shenendehowa grad Ian Anderson, Braves win World Series

Congratulations to Shenendehowa Central School District grad Ian Anderson on becoming a World Series Champion! I was happy to have my own two boys, James and Lane, be a part of Shenendehowa's strong sports program.

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Inflation notches a fresh 30-year high as measured by the Fed's favorite gauge

Inflation is hitting a 30-year high and Senate Democrats want to increase New York's gas tax by over 125%...My Senate Republican colleagues and I will keep advocating to suspend the gas tax!

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CDTA Extends Its FLEX Bus Service To Riders In The Southern Saratoga County Area

Halfmoon, Clifton Park and Mechanicville residents: The CDTA FLEX service provides curb-to-curb service within specified zones by downloading the free TransLoc App and requesting a ride or by calling CDTA. More information is available at <https://www.cdta.org/>

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New York voters reject 3 ballot propositions backed by Democrats

Thank you to all who went out and voted on Tuesday! New Yorkers across the state rejected 3 of the 5 ballot propositions, protecting voter integrity.

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Thank you, Military families



November is National Military Family Appreciation Month. Our military families sacrifice so much, enduring lengthy periods of time without a parent, spouse, sibling or loved one. Together, they do what it takes to serve our great nation. I'd like to thank our military families for all they do, and salute their strength and resolve.

EMT Certification for Veterans and Military members

FREE Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Certification Course

BEING OFFERED TO

MILITARY VETERANS

BY SARATOGA COUNTY EMS COUNCIL



EMT COURSE DETAILS:

- This 6 month course will begin on December 14th at the Saratoga County Public Safety building in Ballston Spa. Classes are on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1900 to 2200.
- Classes will be taught by EMS professionals, who are also military veterans.
- Curriculum will follow the New York State Department of Health Bureau of EMS certification program.
- Applicants must follow the link below to apply for the course, a DD-214 for proof of service will be required.
- The course will also include professional development such as; support and counseling referrals, as well as career consulting including resume building and interview preparation
- Students will have access to Veteran employment resources such as the Veteran's Business Council of the Saratoga County Chamber

Apply online:

<https://saratogaems.org/register/>

For more course information, please contact:

Russell Coonradt via email at emtveteran@gmail.com



A CAREER IN EMERGENCY MEDICINE

EMTs are clinicians, trained to respond quickly to emergency situations regarding medical issues, traumatic injuries and accident scenes.

A career in emergency medicine opens up so many doors and opportunities.

"Becoming an EMT gives veterans an opportunity to continue their service. They have the ability to exchange one uniform for another, in a career field that has many similarities to the U.S. Military," says Russell Coonradt, EMT and Navy Corpsman, Petty Officer Second Class.

This course run by the Saratoga County EMS Council is FREE for military members and veterans who want to become an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). This is a great opportunity!

Applications can be submitted here

COVID-19 Vaccine & Booster Clinics

Columbia County
Rensselaer County
Saratoga County
Washington County



Columbia County

[Moderna Booster on Saturday, November 6th from 11am-2pm.](#)

Saratoga County

[Moderna Booster on Saturday, November 6th from 9am-12pm.](#)

[Pfizer Booster on Tuesday, November 9th from 9am-3pm](#)

[Pfizer Booster on Tuesday, November 16th from 9am-3pm](#)

Rensselaer County

- Tuesday, November 9th at the County Office Building from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

- Wednesday, November 10th at Hudson Valley Community College Bulmer Center from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

*They will be offering only the vaccine that you originally received. Please bring ID and vaccination card.

[Rensselaer County Health & Human Services](#)

Washington County

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH @ GRANVILLE CSD (HIGH SCHOOL) - 3PM-6PM

[Pfizer \(Age 12+\) - 1st Dose](#)

[J&J \(Age 18+\) - 1st Dose](#)

[Pfizer \(Age 12+\) - 3rd / Booster Dose](#)

[J&J \(Age 18+\) - 2nd / Booster Dose](#)

[Moderna \(Age 18+\) - 3rd / Booster Dose](#)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH @ WASHINGTON CO BURGEOYNE CAMPUS - 9AM-2PM

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[J&J \(Age 18+\) - 2nd / Booster Dose](#)

[Moderna \(Age 18+\) - 3rd / Booster Dose](#)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH @ ARGYLE CSD - 3PM-6PM

Registration coming soon. [Check the status here.](#)

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Lung Cancer Awareness Month



November is Lung Cancer Awareness Month. Sadly, lung cancer causes more deaths than any other type of cancer in the country. It's more important than ever to raise awareness and take action to save lives. I encourage all to learn how they can take part by visiting the [American Lung Association website here](https://www.lung.org).

A friendly reminder



A friendly reminder that Daylight Saving Time ends on Saturday night. I hope you have a nice weekend and enjoy an extra hour of sleep!



Towne & Country Traders



Congratulations to Towne & Country Traders, located at 7 Dock Street in Hudson, on their Grand Opening Wednesday afternoon!

The 4th generation business has recently been sold by Frances Marie Gulinello to new owners, Alain Foster and Daniel Monneaux. The business was previously called Gulinello's Towne & Country and was established in 1968 by the Gulinello family. It has been at the 7 Dock St. location since 1979!

The new owners are going to keep the current offering of meats, frozen foods, baked goods, paper products, produce, and full service deli, but are also going to add an Italian line, French specialties, and more.

[Learn more about the shop's new owners, Alain Foster and Daniel Monneaux in this great article by the Hudson Valley 360 here.](#)

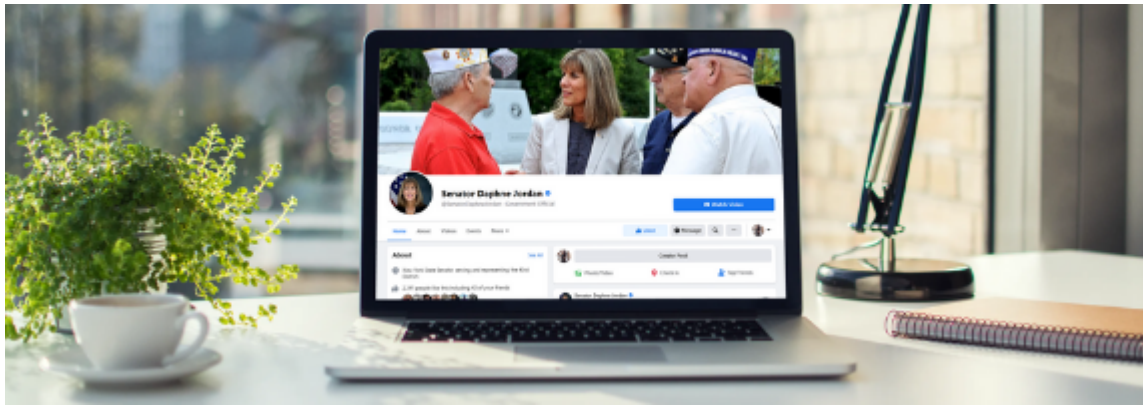
[Visit the Towne & Country Traders website here.](#)

Hudson Valley Pediatrics



Congratulations to Dr. Shailaja Setty, MD on the opening of [Hudson Valley Pediatrics](#)! The office is located on River Street in Valatie, and will provide services for children of all ages, including newborns to those 21 years of age. Dr. Setty provides school physicals, sports physicals, immunizations, clearance for work, sick visits, and more. I was happy to attend this special event and present a NYS Senate Certificate of Recognition.

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