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VISION: A safe, vibrant, and inviting place to live, work and visit; a family-friendly community and a year-round destination celebrated for its rich history and natural resources.

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- Monday, July 13
- Monday, August 3

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Charlotte Veteran Receives France's Highest Award

By Marie Poinan



Jack Foy is well known throughout the Charlotte community and has been for most of his 90 years. For his service during World War II, Jack has been awarded the Bronze Star, Conspicuous Service Cross, Combat Infantry Medal, a Presidential Citation, European Campaign, American Defense, Victory Medal and several other campaign awards.

Jack is co-founder of the local Veterans of the Battle of the Bulge group and was instrumental in getting the monument erected at Ontario Beach Park. He was nominated to the New York State Veterans Hall of Fame last year in Albany. He has visited Normandy and was most recently in the company of the King and Queen of Belgium and the Queen of England while on a trip that commemorated the 70th anniversary of the Battle of the Bulge.

But on Monday May 25th, the community witnessed a most special tribute when the three former soldiers- machine gunner **Jack Foy**, paratrooper **John Cipolla** and B-17 navigator **Anthony Nardone** were all given the rank of Chevalier in the French Legion of Honor. Presented on behalf of **Monsieur François Hollande**, the President of France, the medals were personally awarded by **French Consul Pascal Soares**, who came to Charlotte to honor these three veterans during the annual Memorial Day ceremony at Ontario Beach Park.

Jack may have been a bit startled as the Frenchman bent down to plant a kiss on both cheeks (in typical European fashion) but Jack was quick to bounce back and quip that it was the first time he had been kissed by a French man!!

Congratulations and well done, Jack!



Chevalier Medals awarded to: (L-R)
Anthony Nardone, John Cipolla and
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Highlights of CCA Meeting

June 1, 2015 *

Committee Fair: Informal meet-and-greet for members to learn about committees and volunteer.

Board Vacancies: Matt Juda, Vice President and Jalen Juda, Director resigned from the board, citing personal reasons. Anyone interested in applying to fill the vacancies should notify any current board member.

RPD Update: Memorial Day operational plan was successful. Police were visible and engaged with citizens, who reported that it was calm and friendly. There were no fights, no arrests. The green fence, used as a crime prevention tactic, may be kept up until July 4th. Reports of speeding will be addressed with deployment of two speed trailers within the next few weeks.

Edgewater Resources, LLC Update- Greg Weykamp, President and Principal: The project is on schedule; they are about to close on the Land Disposition Agreement (LDA) with the City. Edgewater is in the funding and design phase, which will continue through year-end. Construction will be 18-24 months starting mid 2016. The plans are for the same building they've been discussing for Parcel 1 NE: hotel with condos on top, no changes. Greg addressed previously submitted questions that spanned three topics: 1) building height and design; 2) Soil conditions; and 3) Land sale. Details of responses and follow up questions will be available in July, in the approved meeting minutes.*

Beatrice Place: The Episcopal Home - Mary Ellen VanAucker, Executive Director: Beatrice Place is in the old Our Lady of Mercy Church and has moderately priced apartments for independent seniors and offers programs for health, cooking and

socializing. Memberships cost \$75/year for non-residents of Beatrice Place.

Monroe County Legislature: Tony Micciche, County Legislator, praised the opening of the Farmers Market and provided legislative updates; the railings are on the gazebo at the beach, thanks to Brian Labigan (CCA board member) and Jordy Kirkpatrick (Tony's aide). The pier tower was painted a month ago and needs to be painted again. Dale O'Mara at Sherwin Williams donated another gallon of paint.

Charlotte Youth Athletic Association (CYAA) - Brian Labigan: 225 kids are playing baseball. The program is local but kids from all over the City can participate.

Holy Cross—Jack Foy: Holy Cross and their neighbors from Masjid Al Sabur Community participated in the picnic. One hundred members attended. Jack and two other veterans received an award from the President of France for the Battle of the Bulge.

Charlotte-Genesee Lighthouse Society, Bob Owens: The tower is now open. After a \$34k investment, the new light is operating nightly. Tom Brewer reported that the Marine History Group has a video of Great Lakes shipping. No meeting in July or August.

Northwest Service Center—Ron Penders: Squatters were removed from vacant units in Snug Harbor and it is now less than 50 percent vacant. Health and safety repairs must be addressed. The second round of roofing grants applications are due on June 18th. The Charlotte Neighborhood Outreach event is scheduled on July 28th at Charlotte High from 5-7 pm.

CHARLOTTE Strong - Suzanne Phillips: A presentation by Bill Brown and Dr. Young from SUNY Genesee about soil conditions at the Port was well-attended and everyone learned a lot from it.

City Council Rep - Chuck Stechna, for

Carla Palumbo, thanked the community for help with Kite Flight. The Flower City Work Camp in April provided 53 owner-occupied homes with repairs. City Council budget review starts on Wednesday, 6/3 with public hearings and open forums for residents to comment.

Port of Charlotte Merchants Association (POCMA) - Jalen Juda: the Farmers Market had a great first night. They are looking for more vendors. Visitors can park in the Holy Cross lot, Brother's Collision, Lakeside Presbyterian Church, and on Whitney Place. The goal is to stay in the neighborhood, start small and grow!

Ontario Beach Park Planning Committee - Fred Amato: Big Bands spring season is now over and will start up again in September. The Wegmans Concerts by the Shore runs from June- August, each Wednesday at 7 pm, with a 7:30 start for the RPO. The concerts are typically attended by 4,000-6,000 people. For the schedule, see the CCA newsletter or visit ontariobeachentertainment.org.

Other: Virginia Kobylarz asked everyone to remember and recognize the Port of Rochester's history since the City annexed Charlotte in 1916. She believes the City does not understand what Charlotte is or does.

President's Report - Clare Stortini: *Rochester Marathon* will be held on September 20th and the course will include Maplewood and Charlotte neighborhoods. *Charrette* vote was invalid and, in the interest of good governance, an explanation was provided in the June newsletter. Although the vote was invalid, the board feels there is substantial support to move forward. Next steps are to work with CDCR to embark on the charrette, create a process, and secure funding.

**Note: The full, approved version of the minutes will be posted on the charlottec-ca.org website after the July 13th meeting.*




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Meet Pamela Postgate, Director, Charlotte Community Association

Pam has lived in Charlotte for 8 years and says, "I love it here!" She works for RBC Wealth Management as an assistant to a financial advisor and has been in the securities business 23 years.

Pam's favorite thing to do in Charlotte is to stay home. Really. "It seems that we are constantly on the go and if I can stay at home with my home and gardens, I am the happiest."

Pam is the Board Liaison for the Membership Committee and is tasked with recruiting and retaining members, building community awareness of the CCA, as well as managing the billing process for members and advertisers. "We hope to modernize the billing process for both members and advertisers and reinvigorate the Charlotte community to create a more inclusive base".

In the past 8 years, she and **Pat O'Neill** have seen many changes in our community. "I am looking forward to continuing progress as Charlotte becomes a go-to harbor town".



Pam Postgate

Charlotte Residents Participate in Blue Water Project

By Pam Postgate

On June 4th RBC Wealth Management employees joined Charlotte residents (**Marianne Warfle, Jaylen Juda, Pat O'Neill, Pam Postgate**) and the City of Rochester (Mini-Sweep Project) to take advantage of a \$1000 grant from RBC for a one day clean-up of Durand Eastman Beach. Launched in 2007, the RBC Wealth Management Blue Water Project is a 10 year global commitment of \$50 million to help protect fresh water resources. It was a beautiful day and we filled about a dozen bags with all sorts of things that we don't need in our water.



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Local Ties to New Exhibit at the Greece Historical Society

By Marie Poinan

The Greece Historical Society's new exhibit commemorates the 70th anniversary of the end of World War II and salutes the veterans of the Greatest Generation. It focuses on how Greece residents helped win the war in the military and on the home front. Based on interviews with Greece veterans, you will meet the soldiers and sailors who served in various campaigns in Europe and in the Pacific. There is a "Wall of Remembrance" dedicated to those Greece residents who died while in the service during the war. You can also see numerous photos of the Odenbach Shipyard on Dewey Ave-



Jack Foy and George Haines

nue which employed thousands of workers and built hundreds of ships for the war effort.

Featured in the exhibit are interviews and quotes from WWII veterans **Jack Foy** who grew up on Lake Avenue, **George Haines** who grew up on Pollard Avenue, **Bob Paradise** formerly of Co-burg Street and **Alta Prince Reineman** from Henley Street,

whose fiancé was killed in the war.

The museum is open Sunday afternoons from 1:30 to 4pm. Visit soon and experience World War II as seen through the eyes of local residents.

Remembering Pat Amato

By Marie Poinan



The CCA community is saddened by the loss of Patricia Amato who passed away unexpectedly on June 7, 2015. An extraordinary volunteer in Charlotte over the years both politically and socially, she was an active member of Holy Cross Parish, the Charlotte Community, the Charlotte Genesee Lighthouse and the Ontario Beach Park Program Committee.

Pat and Fred Amato were founding members of the NY Democrats for Life. She was a past Director of the Problem Pregnancy Help Center on Lake Avenue (now the Women's Care Center) and a founding/charter member of Project Rachel. In October 2014, Fred and Pat

received the **Leo Holmsten Human Life Award**.

Despite being quiet and easygoing by nature, Pat was fiercely strong when necessary. Many are unaware of the fact that in 1978 she rushed into her neighbor's house to save the life of a 7-year old neighbor boy. Pat always seemed to be around whenever she was needed and could often be seen manning a booth at every Harborfest and Winterfest throughout the years. She will be forever missed by those of us lucky enough to have known her!

We extend our sympathy to Fred and the entire Amato family.



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Edgewater Provides Update to City Project Review Committee

On Wednesday, June 3rd, **Greg Weykamp**, President, Principal of Edgewater Resources, LLC, presented a 3D computer design to the City's Project Review Committee (PRC) at City Hall for the Port of Rochester mixed-used development portion of the project. As a result, it was noted that Edgewater still needs to address several components of the proposed plan, and likely will not be ready to go before the Zoning Board of Appeals in July. The developer will also likely need to present again to the Project Review Committee.

A link to the rendering/massing (general shape & size) can be found on the Charlotte Community Association website, <http://www.charlottecca.org/HarborPlans.asp> (please remember that these are architectural/technical drawings, and do not show final stylistic elements like materials, colors, etc.). Edgewater has added more hotel rooms to the plan, but did not provide a number.

The Charlotte Community Association will work diligently to keep everyone informed with any updates and future meeting dates as they are scheduled.

In the meantime, if you have any questions, please send a note to the Charlotte Community Association at info@charlottecca.org.



Marina Construction - Schedule Update

By Tom Marchetti, Resident Project Representative,
LABELLA ASSOCIATES, D.P.C.

Excavation ended on June 9th and will resume after the piles for the docks are installed. Excavation will resume in three to four weeks. During that time period, piles will be installed and larger stone will be placed along the banks of the marina. The next update will be provided in the August newsletter.



Charlotte Village Festival
Saturday, July 25th
10 am

The Ontario Beach Park Program Committee is planning a "Charlotte Village Festival" on Saturday, July 25th to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the last year that Charlotte was an actual village.

The festival will feature a car show, historical exhibits, local organization exhibits, music and other family events to be announced soon. Check the Ontario Beach Park Program Committee website: <http://ontariobeachentertainment.org/> and the Charlotte CCA Facebook page for future updates!



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Continuing the Fight Against Heroin and Opioid Addiction

By Senator Joe Robach

Heroin and opioid addiction is a serious problem across New York State -- taking young lives and destroying once promising futures. That's why I am pleased to report that the State Senate has approved critical legislation to help protect our communities from these destructive and potentially deadly drugs.

Highlights of the legislation include:

- ♦ Establishing the crime of homicide by sale of an opioid controlled substance
- ♦ Expanding the crime of operating as a major trafficker
- ♦ Facilitating the conviction of drug dealers
- ♦ Improving safety at judicial diversion programs
- ♦ Preventing the sale of synthetic opioids
- ♦ Expanding treatment options for opioid abuse or dependence
- ♦ Establishing assisted outpatient treatment for substance use disorders
- ♦ Increasing the effectiveness of abuse prevention
- ♦ Creating Drug-Free Zones Upon the Grounds of Drug or Alcohol Treatment Centers
- ♦ Making Kendra's Law Permanent
- ♦ Criminalizing the Illegal Transport of Opiate Controlled Substances
- ♦ Establishing the Option For a Youth, Suffering From a Substance Use Disorder, to be adjudicated as a Person In Need of Supervision (PINS).

The Senate Joint Task Force on Heroin and Opioid Addiction has held forums throughout New York to examine the issues created by increased heroin abuse that is causing hundreds of deaths in communities across the state. The Task Force has gathered input from experts and community members and, with this legislation, have taken the next step to fight this war against drugs.

The bills will help prevent drug abuse, heroin addiction and related crime, and provide families with better access to treatment programs. It builds on the laws enacted last year and



Monroe County Update from Legislators Tony Micciche and Brian Marianetti

As the weather begins to heat up in Rochester this month, we are thankful to have Ontario Beach Park to help us enjoy our summer. The swimming season at the Park officially opened on Friday June 26th, along with the addition of weekday hours of 12-9pm for the historic Dentzel Carousel. Be sure to check the County website for updates on beach closures (<http://www2.monroecounty.gov/parks-ontariobeach.php>).

The "Concerts by the Shore" series will continue bringing in great acts for the whole family to enjoy. Bands appearing this month include: Atlas, Greece Jazz Band & Mr. Mustard, The Skycoasters, and Dady Brothers Grand Band. There will also be a performance by the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra with a special start time of 7:30pm; all other shows are scheduled to begin at 7pm.

The County has also undertaken steps to ensure our Park is looking fantastic both on the grounds and in the water. This summer will mark the first full season of the algae pump's operation under the pier, a system put in place at the end of summer 2014. This pump cycles algae away from swimming areas and back into Lake Ontario, improving both the look and cleanliness of the water by the beach.

We are proud to represent the Charlotte community in the County Legislature. If you ever have any questions, please feel free to contact our office by phone at 753-1922, or by email; Brian at monroe7@monroecounty.gov, or Tony at monroe26@monroecounty.gov.

Robach Continued

in this year's state budget, which increased funding for heroin treatment and prevention.

We must continue our fight every day to curb the scourge of this epidemic by holding drug dealers accountable and by providing realistic options for prevention and for those in recovery.

Senator Joe Robach

56th Senate District



**Best wishes
to everyone in
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Check out "Recreation on the Move", the City's mobile recreation center, will provide fun and games for the kids, as well as information on our R-Center (Rochester Community Centers) at #42 school and other locations.



- ♦ Meet with Pathways to Peace, a City team that offers prevention, intervention and direct monitoring of at-risk youth receiving the services needed to support their positive progress. They who will be on hand to discuss their program with anyone interested in helping at risk youth.
- ♦ Meet the Rochester Police Department Mounted Patrol and K-9.
- ♦ Register your child with "Safe Child", a finger printing and photo registry.
- ♦ Learn about job preparedness training with Operation Transformation Rochester.
- ♦ Receive information on services and simple screening/testing from Unity Family Medicine and Eastman Dental.
- ♦ Learn about nutrition with Nutrition Educators from Food Link.
- ♦ See the Fire Safety Trailer from the Rochester Fire Department.
- ♦ Test your luck and try to win a children's book!
- ♦ Come and meet your Charlotte Community Association neighbors.



Summer Meals Offered at City R-Centers and Other Locations

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Summer is upon us, which means kids and teens will be on the go all over the City of Rochester. Whether playing sports, getting ahead with summer classes, or hanging with friends at a R-Center, eating a nutritious meal is often the last thing on their minds. And with the constant availability of junk foods everywhere, it is increasingly tough for children to make healthy choices.

Summer meals are back again this year, offering kids and teens 18 and under a fresh, healthy, and free meal to keep them fueled. Provided by the City of Rochester, Foodlink, and the Rochester City School District, kids can eat food that will keep them satisfied without spending a dime or leaving their favorite activities!



Summer meals are being served at City R-Centers, summer school locations, churches, neighborhood programs, and other community gathering areas. Best of all, parents don't have to take extra steps to get their kids involved – just drop in. To find a meal location, look for yellow banners with the brightly colored "Summer Meals" logo around your neighborhood!

For a complete list of meal times and locations, dial 2-1-1 or visit healthikids.org after June 15th. Meal times are subject to change.

If you have questions please email: aaronlattanzio@flhsa.org or call 1-888-324-1571 or go to the website at <http://www.healthikids.org/>

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Lake Avenue Improvement Project – Final Review

A final review of the Lake Avenue Improvement Project took place on Wednesday, June 10th, at #42 School and five residents were in attendance. The project has reverted to keeping two lanes in each direction and the pedestrian island at the North end of St. Bernard's will remain, as in the original plan. This will provide a safe haven for residents trying to cross the busy street to board a Southbound Bus. Just north of Merrill Street, the bike lanes that are in the street, will move off the street to a 5' wide asphalt pavement adjoining the new 5' wide concrete sidewalk. These marked sidewalk bike lanes continue north to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, where the West side bike lane ends and transitions to the East side all the way to the trail head. The updated drawings can be found at <http://www.cityofrochester.gov/LakeAve/>. Near the top, in blue text, click on *Signage and Striping Plans- Jan 2015*. These are the NEW and present plans for the project. If you have any questions, you can contact Mr. Rich Koss, at (585) 428-6862 or email him at rich.koss@cityofrochester.gov.

Timing: The City plans on starting construction of the Lake Avenue Improvement Project in September or October of this year. The first construction items done will be water work and other underground utility work (such as conduit, street light bases, catch basin work, etc.) The water work consists of the abandonment of a water main in the Merrill Street/Winchester Street part of Lake Avenue by transferring water services and side street water main connections off of it and onto a sec-

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ond main and then capping off the main to be abandoned. The water main on the entire project length will have cathodic protection installed, which will require a hole to be excavated about every 38 feet to expose the main. This may be the extent of work done this year. In any case, the City will review the road before the asphalt plants shutdown for the winter and have any temporary patching/fixes be done.

In the spring of 2016, the roadwork will be restarted and the project will be completed by that summer. The reconstruction of the pavement will take place in three stages. At each stage, two-way traffic will travel on existing pavement, newly constructed pavement up to the binder course, or a combination of the two.

Thank you to Rich Koss, City Project Manager, and Jim White and Trevor Purdy, CCA members, for contributing to this article.

CCA Committee Focus – Planning & Zoning Update

- ♦ NOLAs BBQ has applied for 4 of the 5 Certificates of Zoning Compliance for amplified music events per their 3 year Special Permit granted January 2014. The amplified music events are May 30, June 13, June 27 and July 25th from 6-10 pm. Each date is conditioned on compliance with Section 120-171 of the Zoning Code, which states that all uses must comply with the Noise Ordinance.
- ♦ Lake Avenue Improvement Project – a final review meeting was held with residents on June 10th. See separate article about the project that will begin this fall.
- ♦ Charlotte Furniture is applying for a permit to install a new sign that was demolished by ice and snow this winter. A date for the City Planning Commission to review their application is still pending.



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Charlotte Branch Library Programs for July 2015

By Paul Tantillo

Adults:

Art Show – We're proud to announce the Irondequoit Art Club will be displaying members' paintings at the library through the month of July. On Wednesday, July 1, 5-7pm, we'll have an opening reception. Come view beautiful paintings (many will be lake scenes), meet the artists, and enjoy gorgeous harp music played by Sandy Gianniny. What a perfect way to kick off the summer! All ages.

Basic Computer Classes – Tuesdays, July 7, 14, 21, 28, 10:30am. 1-on-1 assistance with computer basics: internet, e-mail, basic Word, e-books. By appointment only; registration required. Call 428-8216 to sign up. Adults.

Adult Summer Reading – Summer reading is for adults, too, and this year's theme is "Escape the Ordinary" (between the pages of a good book)! From June 26 – August 7 submit brief reviews of what you're reading; you'll get one free hold plus a chance to win a great gift bag per entry. Entry forms are at the library. Adults.

Teens:

Summer Reading – Teens, be sure to sign up for summer reading. For each book you read this summer you'll get a chance to win

some great prizes. Summer Reading runs from June 26 – August 7. Ages 12-18.

Junior DaVincis Arts & Crafts Club – Thursdays in July, 3:30pm (note: no DaVincis on July 9). Tweens and teens, spend time with friends while making some impressive crafts. July 2 – Stone paperweights; July 16 – CD envelope photo albums; July 23 – Terrariums; July 30 – Tabletop lanterns. Space is limited. Ages 10-16. ***

Draw Superheroes with Kevin Serwacki – Thursday July 9, 2:00 pm. Graphic artist Kevin Serwacki will show you how to draw superheroes like the pros. You'll be amazed at your talent! . Ages 10-18. ***

Children:

Summer Reading – June 26-August 7. This summer's theme is "Every Hero has a Story". Kids, sign up at the library, record your summer reading, and get great prizes. To learn about program highlights and prizes, drop by the library or call 428-8248. Ages up to 12.

Story Time at the Beach – Tuesdays, July 7, 14, 21, 28, 11am. We'll gather at the Ontario Beach Park flagpole to enjoy some books, followed by play in the sunshine! Look for Miss Kim. (In case of rain, we'll meet at the Charlotte Library. Just knock at the front door.) All ages

Friday Story Times with Miss Kim – Fridays July 10, 17, 24, 31, 1:30pm at Char-

lotte Branch Library. Art, music and action plus fun with friends mix with the best in children's literature. All ages

Be an Environmental Superhero – Tuesdays, July 14, 21, 28, 2:00-3:00pm. Learn about our environment, water and recycling in 3 fun sessions taught by Tina Stevens, Department of Environmental Services. Ages 5 and up. ***

Chalk the Walk – Mondays July 6, 13, 20 & 27, noon-1:00pm. Celebrate summer by creating sidewalk art with chalk. Then play with bubbles, sign in your summer reading progress, return books and movies and borrow some more! All ages.

Crafts with Miss Caitlyn – Tuesdays July 7, 14, 21, 28, 3:30pm. Come see what Miss Caitlyn is creating in the world of crafts. Ages 4-12, siblings welcome with parental assistance.

Family Movie Night – Wednesdays July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, at 5pm. Enjoy family time with a movie and popcorn at the library. Call 428-8248 each week for the upcoming title. All ages

Fun Fridays – Fridays July 10, 17, 24, 31, 3:00-5pm. Come have fun with play dough, finger paints and Legos! We will also bring out the Wii. Ages 4-12 (younger children welcome with parental guidance.

*** **Call 428-8248 to Register
for these events**

Creative Beginnings Child Care Center – Summer Programs

Hello Charlotte! Creative Beginnings Child Care Center Lakeside is gearing up for summer. We currently have openings for toddlers, preschool and school age in our fun filled summer camp. Our goal is to keep the children busy and offer many activities to keep them active all summer long with:

- ◆ Weekly themed field trips
- ◆ Coordinated themed activities indoors and outdoors
- ◆ Safe hands on activities and science experiments.
- ◆ Opportunities to explore Charlotte

Please stop in today to reserve your spot for summer as we are filling up fast.

We are also accepting children in our free full day Universal Pre Kindergarten program for Fall. See our ad on page 10 for details. Contact Cris at (585) 663-3670 for a tour.

Beatrice Place Hosts Neighborhood Program

Health & Wellness for Seniors

By Alison Miller, Episcopal SeniorLife Communities

Beatrice Place – part of Episcopal SeniorLife Communities (ESLC) – is pleased to host the Northeast Greece Neighborhood Program for seniors age 65+ living in and around the neighborhood. The program is one of five for the organization and offers a variety of health and wellness classes including a tailored balance class, nutrition education, strength training, senior yoga, Silver-Sneakers programs, and much more!

The goal of the initiative is to assist seniors in maintaining independence by increasing knowledge, activity levels and overall health by offering fun, social programs specifically designed for older adults. These programs bring seniors into a social network, improve endurance, build strength, and improve balance, all while enhancing quality of life.

In addition to the activity programs offered, program members have access to transportation to and from all neighborhood programs, as well as to medical appointments, the grocery store, and other errands.

Community partners are vital to the success of the Neighborhood Programs, and ESLC is thankful for the support from the Charlotte Community Association and the Town of Greece.

For a complete schedule of the programs being offered, visit www.EpiscopalSeniorLife.org and click on Neighborhood Programs. **To take advantage of a FREE MONTH, or to register for a program, call 585.546.8439 x4410.**

We look forward to seeing you!



COMMUNITY EVENTS

ONTARIO BEACH PARK PROGRAM COMMITTEE 2015 CONCERTS BY THE SHORE

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All concerts begin at 7 pm and end at 9 pm
Except for the Rochester Philharmonic Performance
that begins at 7:30 pm *



OBPPC 865-3320 Information Line
www.ontariobeachentertainment.org



July 1	ATLAS (Party Band)
July 8	ROCHESTER PHILHARMONIC ORCHESRA (Classical & Pop) - * 7:30 pm Start
July 15	GREECE JAZZ BAND & MR. MUSTARD (Beatles Spectacular)
July 22	THE SKYCOASTERS (High Energy Party Band)
July 29	DADY BROTHERS GRAND BAND (Irish)
Aug. 5	THE INVICTAS (Original Rock & Roll)
Aug. 12	KRAZY FIREMEN (German & Big Band)
Aug. 19	BRASS TAXI (Pop & Dance Music)
Aug. 26	RUBY SHOOZ (50's & 60's Rock & Roll)



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Museum open Sundays:

1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. or by appointment

Office Hours: Mon. 9:30 a.m. - Noon

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Featured Exhibit through December
"Our Town in World War II" Exhibit

Saturday, July 25, 2015

Annual Community Yard Sale

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Charlotte Community Association 2015 Membership/Subscription Form

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Charlotte Community Association's ability to achieve its mission is entirely dependent on the help of volunteer members like you. All committees are looking for help! You can also sign up for a single event if your time is limited. Get involved and make it happen!

☐ **CHECK THIS BOX** if you're interested in helping and we will contact you to find a match!

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Movie & Music Night at the Beach

Monroe County's Ontario Beach Park

Tuesday evening July 14th

7:00 p.m. Pre-Movie Concert by "Rock-It Science"

Movie at dark (around 9:00 p.m.) **Jaws (40th Anniversary)**

Concessions are available for purchase

FREE outdoor event

Reasons to Attend July 13th CCA Meeting

Guest speakers will include:

Ellen Brenner, Yellow Jacket Racing and Co-Owner, Fleet Feet Sports, will share exciting news for Charlotte about the 2015 Rochester Marathon, Sunday, September 20.
<http://yellowjacketracing.com/about-us/meet-the-owners/>

Richard Koss, Project Manager, City of Rochester, will provide a brief update and review about the Lake Ave. Improvement Project.



SPECIAL THANK YOU !

Memorial Day weekend was a GREAT weekend for all! It could not have happened without coordinated efforts of several organizations. Sincere THANKS from the Charlotte Community Association to:

- ✦ Rochester Police Department
- ✦ Monroe County Sheriff's Office
- ✦ U.S. Border Patrol
- ✦ NYS Troopers
- ✦ Monroe County Office of Probation
- ✦ Pathways to Peace
- ✦ Monroe County Parks Department



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Concert 7pm ATLAS 	2	3	 4th of July
5	6 	7	8 Concert 7:30pm RPO 	9	10	11
12	13 CCA Meeting 7pm Robach Ctr Lakeside Farmer Market 4-7pm Hose 22 Parking Lot	14 Movie & Music At the Beach 7pm Concert 9pm Movie Jaws	15 Concert 7pm GREECE JAZZ BAND & MR. MUSTARD 	16	17	18
19	20 	21 PCIC 7pm Aquinas HS	22 Concert 7pm THE SKYCOASTERS 	23	24	25 Charlotte Village Festival 10 am Ontario Beach Park
26	27 	28 Neighborhood Outreach 5-7pm CHS	29 Concert 7pm DADY BROTHERS GRAND BAND 	30	31	