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MEMORY TREE - 1994

The Hague Emergency Squad benefitted in the amount of \$415 through the voluntary submission of names to the Memory Tree in Hague. The following names are either in memory of or in honor of those listed:

James Achey, Shakeh Agajanian, Wally Allison, Bertha Alteri, Merle Anderson, William Andrus, Dorothy Amisansel, Balcom, Smith, Fitzgerald families, Ralph Balcom, Gladys Barber, Andrew Barnaby, Sr., Joseph Barnett, Ruth Barnett, Howard Barnett, Tom Beadnell, Mary Beadnell, Anne Bedr, Bobby Beckley, James Belden, Esther Belden, Maud Belden, Nell Belknap, Mary Beate, Charles Billing, Mary Billing, Alvin Blake, Lillian Blake, June Bug Blowers, Grace Blowers, John Blowers, James N. Bly, Bob Bolton, Pauline Bolton, R. J. Bolton, Mame Bolton, Jody Braisted, James Braisted, Helen Braisted, James Broderick, Margaret Broderick, George Byrnes, Ed Burford, Betty Burford, Bruce W. Carney, Peter Carolan, David A. Carpenter, Harold Carpenter, Laura M. Carpenter, Mason Carpenter, Thomas Carpenter, William Carpenter, Zella Carpenter, George Carter, Roland Carter, Edsall Casa, Ruth Carter, James Casillo, Edward Cassidy, Mattie Clifton, Eleanor Conlon, Mabel Conlon, Wally Conlon, Charles Conlon, Ernest Conlon, Wilbur Conlon, Carrie Conlon, Lucille & Jack Costello, Fotios Costidis, Irene Coveney, E. Hamilton Crabbs, John Crabbs, Allie Davis, Mabel Davis, Harry deBuys, Emerson Decker, Mary J. Decker, Gino DelSignor, Archie Denno, Sr., Archie Denno, Jr., Sarah Denno, Willie Mae Derouen, Edward Dunklee, Westill Denmore, Louise Denmore, Samuel Eannace, Jayne Earl, Ace Elthorpe, Earl Elthorpe, Eta Elthorpe, Dorothy Engler, Fred Fish, Charles Fish, Floyd Fish, Sr., Helena Fish, Herman Fish, Myra Fish, Fitzgerald, Peira family, Madelein Fitzgerald, Dorothy Foote, Howard Foote, Albert Forgette, Charles Fort, Alice Frasier, Audie Frasier, Clifton Frasier, Dale Frasier, Donald Frasier, Fred Frasier, Hazel Frasier, Lee Frasier, Margaret Frasier, Mary Frasier, Mitchel Frasier, Richard S. Frasier, Ruth Frasier, Samuel Frasier, Stanley Frasier, Veril Frasier, William Frazier, Anne-Marie Frederickson, Colleen Fuller, Guy Fuller, Dr. Harold Gelhaar, Florence Gelhaar, Thomas E. Girard, Glennon, Donohue families, Donald M. Goodfellow, Dee Goodrich, Flora Graham, Arthur Grioder, Harold Hall, Andrew Halleran, Ada Hart, Charles Hart, Frances Hebert, John T. Henry, Henry grandchildren, Bob & Happy Henry, Archie Herrick, Gert Herrick, Jim Herrick, Ada Hoyt, Bob Hoyt, Joseph Howard, Lisa Howard, George Huestis, Edward Hume, Laura Hume, Robert E. Hume, Joseph Hunter, Robert Hunter, Gerald Hutchinson, Margery Jesseman, Curtis Jordon, Dave Jordon, Henrietta Jordon, Riley Jordon, Robert Jordon, Jack Kennedy, Elizabeth Kostides, Betty Lamb, Alice Lambert, Harold Lambert, John Lambert, Bob Larter, Ted Larter, Otto Lunstras, Rose Lungstras, Anthony Luizza, Kathryn Luizza, Myrtle Manning, Don Martin, Elizabeth Matthews, Gordon May, Rev. Francis McCauley Sarah L. McCauley, Leroy McCauley, Elaine McKoe, Robert S. Meade, Bob McNeal, Alvie Middleton, Betty Monroe, Eva Monroe, Teresa Monroe, Alfred Monroe, Byron Monroe, Francis Montbriand, Harry Moore, George Ostrander, Nelson Patchett, Laurie Pannell, Allen Perkins, Gertrude Persons, Claire Piantadosi, Camille Pomponio, Louise Prentiss, Barbara Prestano, David Quinn, Kathleen Quinn, Ruth Rand, Reginald Rand, Thelma Rand, Harry Rand, Esther Romano, Mildred Ross, Julia Ross, Wilford Ross, Thelma Rowe, Joann Sansone, Fanny Sarubbe, Gerard Santaniello, Theodor Santaniello, Salvatore Santaniello, Anna Santaniello, George Savage, James Schaeffer, Forrest Shattuck, Mary Putnam Shattuck, Dr. Michael Shuhler, Harry Smith, Howard Smith, J. Stanford Smith, Mabel Smith, Lorraine Smith, Thomas P. Smith, Thomas G. Smith, Louis Soileau, Louis Spelman, Sr., Ruth Spielmann, Frederick Spreeman, Marshall Stark, John Sullivan, Michael Teselski, Vickersons' grandparents, Elizabeth Waters,

Miles Waters, Alta Waters, Francis Waters, Alice Watts, Ethel M. Watts, Walter G. Watts, Walter L. Watts, Edward G. Watts, Myrtle Wells, Margaret Wells, Sara Jordon Wescott, Burton West, Bessie West, C. Frank West, Lucinda West, Barbara Westlake, Andrew Will, Val H. Wilson, Dominick Yacavone, Carmello Yacavone, Blanche Yaw, Marion Yaw, Albert Yaw, Lottie Yeoman.

The Chamber of Commerce wishes to thank all those who sent in donations and to Imogene Frasier for chairing this project.

GOOD NEWS!

Magazine/junk mail, color inserts, etc. are now a recyclable group that can be brought to the transfer station the same as other recyclables - ANY TIME. There will no longer be special collection days as before.

Don't forget your old motor oil (uncontaminated). It heats our Recycling Building.

EMERGENCY 9-1-1!!

If you have an emergency of ANY kind, don't be afraid to pick up the phone and Dial 9-1-1. This number is hooked into the Sheriff's office in Lake George for all of Warren County. Calls will be directed immediately to the emergency service that is needed. Stay calm, give your name and your address and the type of emergency. Stay on the line until the operator gets all the vital information. DO NOT call a member of the Hague Ambulance Squad or a friend. Valuable time is lost, because he or she in turn has to call 9-1-1 to get the message to other members. Incidentally you do have a street address. If you do not know what it is, please contact the postmaster and she can give it to you. Some of you have been using RR box numbers and post office box numbers. These do not help in an emergency. You MUST use your street address!

1995 BIG BAND CHARITY BALL

Vermont's 18 piece Big Band will rock the halls of the Ticonderoga Knights of Columbus on Saturday night, Feb 11. From 6-7 a cocktail hour with entertainment provided by The Rockefeller's will be held and the band will play from 7PM until midnight with a few time outs for some fun auctions.

Tickets are now on sale for \$25.00 each, (tax deductible). Every penny earned this night goes to the hospital. Band, food, decorations, etc. have all been individually subsidized with help from Ticonderoga's businesses.

This is the second in what we hope will be an annual affair. Last year's was a great success and with your support it can be even better this year. This is a wonderful way to help your local hospital and have a great time also.

There is a limit on the number of tickets, so get yours early! You may order them from Dottie Henry, by calling 543-6633.

A hug improves anyone's appearance. Give someone a hug on Valentine's Day (and every day).

ROBERT M. HOYT
April 14, 1912 - December 10, 1994

Bob Hoyt was a BIG MAN, both in height and his day to day living. He has been a real leader in the town, in his church - The Hague Baptist - The Fire Department and The American Legion. He was known and loved by many, both local and summer population. The Hague Chronicle salutes Bob Hoyt for his many accomplishments.

Bob was born in Ticonderoga on April 14, 1912, the son of Sam and Jessie Hoyt. He was a lifetime member of the Hague Baptist Church and served in almost every capacity in that church - superintendent of the Sunday School, president of the Board of Trustees, overseer of the Annex, usher, and a general Bob of all trades. He organized the Hague Volunteer Fire Dept. in 1942 and was influential in getting it chartered by the state when other attempts had failed. He was the first fire chief and served in that capacity for 32 years. On Oct 18, 1980 he was awarded the honor of Fireman of the Year by the Warren County Chiefs and Officers.

Bob was also the recipient of the Hague Senior Citizen of the Year award for 1993.

In Jan. 1994, as part of his continuing participation in the fire company, Bob was elected president and served as a fire policeman.

He was a WW II veteran and a member of the American Legion Post 1538, Hague, since 1947, where he held many official positions.

Bob and his wife Ada, who died in 1993, were the proprietors of The Hague Supermarket, which flourished under their guidance until 1980 when they retired. For the past several years he worked as a park attendant at the Hague Community Park.

Bob really left his mark on the town of Hague. He will be sadly missed.

The following eulogy was given by Mark Johnson, Executive Director of Silver Bay Association and vice president of the Hague Volunteer Fire Department at the services on Dec. 14.

Bob Hoyt was a man of stature and character. He was a man of standards and purpose. He had great pride in the Town of Hague and its institutions, most of which he had something to do with creating and perfecting.

After founding the Hague Volunteer Fire Department and moving through its offices and leadership, Bob retired to the quiet service of Fire Police, only to be called "out of retirement" to his true calling - President. It was in this role in the past year that Bob, in the humble servant's poise, has had his greatest impact yet on this company and community. Bob believed in state-of-the-art equipment ... he supported the company as it purchased a new engine and new pumper-tanker. The engine bears his name. Bob believed in state-of-the-art preparation. He endorsed and encouraged the professional training of officers and men. We have a superbly trained and committed company. And he believed in the spirit of the corps. The jackets the company wears today are a tribute to that leadership and a symbol of a company committed to its task of community protection. Bob was a force to be reckoned with, but that force was worn with such humility and integrity that few could clearly see how purposefully he was leading.

Bob had a wonderful sense of humor, often the brunt of his own jokes, we found ourselves laughing easily in his company. Even in a hospital bed, drained by the new experience of dialysis, his face would light up at company and the opportunity for riposte with a nurse or doctor. I learned much watching Bob letting a discussion take its course and just when the point was about to be lost, bringing us to a perfect resolution with a light remark. Bob knew, in a deep place where the spirit dwells, the dignity of his fellow beings.

Bob could be stubborn, but for him it was a reasoned stubbornness. He considered the options and weighed the interests of others more heavily than his own. But once his mind was made up, direction set, you could count on him to reach his goal. I think his last goal has been reached here today, to meet his maker and rejoin his helpmate for life. The only time I saw him shaken was when Ada was in distress. These last few months, it seemed, were a test he was determined to pass, to be with her again. He has passed.

Bob Hoyt leaves us with living memorials, testimony to his leadership, his foresight, his humility. Among them, and important for this community, a strong fire company, well equipped, well trained, and dedicated to his standards. For years to come we will approach the fire or accident scene expecting Bob to be there before us, guiding us into the fight, seeing us with encouragement through the trial. And he will be there. The Lord's blessings on his soul. . . Dec. 14, 1994

The following essay was written and read by Laura Meade in memory of Bob Hoyt at the service on Dec. 14.

Soon after Bob Hoyt died, I went down to the Hague Beach and sat by the park attendant's booth where he worked in recent summers. A north wind was churning waves a foot high and a thousand mists were rising and drifting southward. They looked like tiny sailboats, each carrying a cargo of a small burden away to an unknown land.

I thought of the many kind and worthwhile deeds that Bob had performed for years -- everyone a weight of effort for him -- yet each joyfully given.

It seemed as if his burdens were being born away in the mists.

Then a huge slender plume rose and danced along the far shore, and disappeared into the clouds. It was like Bob was leaving his favorite place on earth to go to the land of eternal life, and leaving his good deeds for others to do.

Soon the lake became totally calm, a peaceful mirror reflecting heaven and earth. If you were to gaze into its surface, you could see your own image, and perhaps that of Bob-Hoyt's. Would you see yourself as a person who had so faithfully believed in God and lived the teachings of Christianity, as he did?

Could you reflect his life in yours and truly be part of the Holy Spirit, as he was? . . . Dec. 14, 1994

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The ZBA met on Dec 22 for its regular monthly meeting and discussed the following:

Kwartler (47-1-5.1) No action required. Sale no longer imminent.

Maiaro (20-2-35) Boat storage. Project still on hold.

Lazarus (66-1-13) Area variance, deck. Waiting to hear from Warren County Planning Board.

Vanderveer (66-1-3.2) Appeal from administrative decision. Motion to approve work already done. Future development will require a new permit.

Toner (23-1-14) Front line variance to construct a garage. Bill Bothe, Zoning Administrator says setback must be 20'. Since Mr. Toner is undecided, this request will probably be considered at the Jan. '95 meeting when full plot plans and an application can be presented. . . gl

**TOWN BOARD - END OF YEAR MEETING
DECEMBER 28, 1994**

Rudy Meola, incoming councilman, posed a number of questions to the board about the purchase of the Jack Carney property with its sandpit.

He wondered how much in taxes it will cost Hague in removing this land from the tax rolls. Also, he was concerned about the cost of reclamation when the sand is used up. The board feels the pit should provide Hague with sand for years and this is not of immediate concern. Linda Coffin, councilwoman who had to leave the meeting early, had hoped the board would not take action until she could be there. However, a vote was taken and the contract approved with conditions.

Gene Salerni, SSB Environmental, Inc. was back to give us more information on Landfill Reclamation. He passed out a leaflet on "Landfill Reclamation Strategies in which the work in Hague is prominently mentioned as a newer stage of development in landfill reclamation.

John McDonald, town attorney, explained the future development and legalities of the Hague Sewer Project now under way. The process started officially on December 13. Two letters were received asking for consideration of extensions both north and south for the sewer line.

The check for a requested grant has been received by Heather Knott, Justice. It is for a new computer for her court.

The fire department has filed a list of dates for 1995 it wishes to reserve for use at the Community Center for its fund raisers.

A request by Bill Dutcher for use of the beach for its windsurfing event in the summer was tabled.

Great praise to the Burdicks, Cathie and Stan, for the wonderful job they did on Kids Night Out. Next time let's get out ALL the children in Hague for a real fun time.

Resolutions 39 to 51 were passed.

A contract with Tom James for computer maintenance was approved in the amount of \$900 for the year 1995.

Dorothy Henry was appointed to the Sewer Committee.

Changes are to be made in positions and titles of part-time employees.

The Organizational Meeting will be held on Jan. 6, 1995 at 6PM.

NEW BUSINESS: A petition will be sent to Gov. Pataki asking him to fill openings on the APA with people from the Adirondacks.

Superintendent of Schools Robert Collins has asked the board for approval to hold the Wed. March 22 school board meeting at the Hague Community Center. Permission granted. . . gl

PLANNING BOARD

One of the shortest Planning Board meetings I have attended occurred on Jan 5, 1995.

The only new business was the approval given the clerk, Henry Karmazin, to sign a mylar for Jack Carney so that he might file it at the Municipal Center. Several candidates for board openings were to be interviewed in executive session. . . gl

TOWN BOARD January 10, 1995

February 18 and 19 will be the dates of the Hague Winter Weekend and the Chamber of Commerce has asked for and received approval to use the beach for snow sculpture and road races.

On June 17 and 18 they are sponsoring the annual BASS Tournament which will include a youth casting contest. They received approval for those days and again the regular launch fee was waived. There will be breakfast both days and the Sat. night dinner will be at Silver Bay.

New councilman Rudy Meola wondered why the bids for oil, equipment, etc. could not be opened before the town board meeting. He learned that state law bids must be opened at a public meeting and not before.

Of the three applicants for the open seat on the Planning Board, Richard Hourigan was recommended to replace Norman Strum, who resigned. The Board approved the appointment contingent on his replacement on the ZBA. A question by Henry Karmazin on the procedure followed at the executive session when the above decision was made was clarified to everyone's satisfaction.

Supervisor Belden had a meeting with the county on the sewer plan. We are still eligible for interest free loans.

There will be a new position at the transfer station where it is expected everything will be in operation in about two months. The job description will be posted and applicants will be accepted soon. There are no benefits and it is a part time job. It was suggested that the transfer station could operate on a shorter schedule.

Another savings to Hague taxpayers - if you change your own oil and it has no other contaminants you may bring it to the transfer station for disposal. They will heat the building with it.

Since Jack Carney has met all the conditions of sale for the purchase of his sandpit by the town, details were explained. A resolution was passed to purchase with \$25,000 now in the budget and the remaining \$25,000 to be paid out of unexpended balance. All board members voted to authorize the supervisor to meet with the attorneys and proceed with the arrangements of the sale.

If you would like to purchase an older computer, the Town Hall has one for sale. Contact Dan Belden at 543-6161.

The Appellate Division of Courts has reversed the decision of the Court of Appeals in the matter of (The Hearth) Restaurant. A decision as to what Hague's next move will be has to be resolved.

Councilman Meola feels that a decision should be made soon on the fate of our old town hall. All members agree that some plan should be worked out. Any suggestions would be welcome.

Councilmen Meola and Fitzgerald will work on a committee on the improvement of the Community Center grounds and we may have a report at the March meeting. . . gl

SENIOR CITIZENS MEETING

The first meeting of the Senior Citizens Club for 1995 will be held on Jan. 24 at 1:30PM in the Community Center. Our speaker will be Nicole Alonzo from R.S.V.P. (Retired Seniors Volunteer Program) in Glens Falls. Please come and bring a friend. Programs have been lined up for the next several months. We need your input.

The coldest temperature ever registered on the planet earth was at the Soviet Union's Antarctic station at Vostok, which recorded a temperature of -128.6 degrees on July 21, 1983. Just another summer day.

BESTE SCHOLARSHIP FUND - 1995

Although there has not been a great deal of publicity regarding the Beste Fund recently, it is alive and well. The funded students are scheduled to receive their awards at the Beste Awards Presentation after the Benefit Buffet on Saturday, Feb 18, 1995 at 7PM at Silver Bay Assoc.

Fund raising efforts have gone along nicely this past year, with donations received from the 1994 Winter Weekend, the Raiders Reunion in July, the Beste Food Table at the Arts Fair in August, and individual donations accepted year-round. Consequently, the Fund now totals \$12,461.84. Thank you for your efforts.

This year's Winter Weekend also features fund raising efforts for this cause, including the Sony CD/Cassette/Radio raffle, the Benefit Buffet, and the Beste Mortarboard Donation Box. Consequently, instead of going out with a fund raising mailing this year, the Steering Committee and Hague Winter Carnival Committee have elected to put their efforts into the events surrounding the Winter Weekend, in hopes that the success of these will be more beneficial in raising funds.

At this point, it would seem that most people know that the Beste Fund is for the benefit of Hague students who go on to some sort of advanced education or training past high school, and represents a vote of confidence from the community for those young people with these aspirations. The history of the Fund goes back to the 1960s and includes many twists and turns along its way into the 1990s. Some are debateable, we understand, but no matter - it is alive and well today, thanks to the efforts of many.

If you would like to make a donation to the Beste Scholarship Fund, please send your check c/o Dan Belden, Hague Community Center, Hague, NY 12836. Or, buy a raffle ticket, attend the buffet, and join in the fun of Winter Weekend! . . . ks

HAGUE WINTER WEEKEND PLANNED

Plans are in the works for yet another Hague Winter Weekend on Feb 18 and 19, 1995. Although not on such a grand scale as in previous years, events are being organized for Sat and Sun of Presidents' Weekend, including Firemen's Breakfasts, Polar Bear Run, Fishing Contest, Kids' Games, Penelope, Tug-of-War, PoKeNo, Rifle Shoot, Volleyball, Chain Saw Contest, Snow Sculpture, the Ice Auger and Chisel Championships, and Fun, Fellowship and Food at the Fish and Game Club with Chef Marg. On Saturday night, Feb. 18, Silver Bay Assoc. will host the ever-popular Beste Benefit Buffet from 5PM to 7PM in their dining room, with the Beste Scholarship Awards Presentation at 7PM.

The Hague Winter Carnival Committee is presently raffling a Panasonic CD/dual cassette/AM/FM radio for \$1.00 per ticket, a direct donation to the Beste Scholarship Fund. Volunteers are needed to sit with this machine to sell tickets in various spots in Hague and Ticonderoga. Please call Sal Santaniello if you would like to help put this raffle over the top.

PLEASE NOTE: The success and continuity of a Hague Winter Weekend depends on you. This has traditionally been a challenging community volunteer project that can only continue if people come out and help, if only by taking one small part of the load. Granted, not too many people like to freeze out in the cold. Luckily many of these events are located at the Fish and Game Club now, so folks can come in out of the cold when they have had enough. This would also be a good time to send a donation to the Beste Scholarship Fund in keeping with the Winter Weekend spirit. (See above)

If you would like to lend a hand with any of the Weekend events, please call either Margaret DelSignore, 585-6222 or Sal Santaniello, 543-6441. Let's have a great weekend! . . . ks

A MESSAGE FROM THE STORMWATER COMMITTEE

I'd like to take this opportunity to update everyone concerning the stormwater committee's current activities. The stormwater committee members have been appointed by the town board to prepare a work plan for the town of Hague. They will oversee the two grants that the town has received.

Hague has received one grant from the Lake George Park Commission for \$10,000.00 to prepare a Stormwater Management Plan. Part of this grant is to provide public meetings to inform and educate the town residents of the importance of stormwater controls to protect our most important natural resource, The Lake. The second grant is from the Lake George Association to help prevent erosion and sedimentation of the Hague Brook. An exact dollar amount has not been determined for this grant, because the scope of work has not been finalized as of this date. The LGA will administer the Helen V. Froehlich Foundation Grant with the Stormwater Committee. Approximately \$20,000. has been promised to work on a section of the brook, Rock and Rye corner to the mouth of the brook. This grant also is important because it will illustrate a new cooperative effort between the LGA, LGPC, DEC, Warren County Highway Dept., and the Town to work as a group to accomplish a common goal "to protect the lake."

Since we all know our own neighborhoods best, our committee is asking for your help to identify and locate erosion and stormwater problem areas. We will create a survey of problem areas and evaluate them so that as new grant monies become available we can continue to improve our water quality. We would appreciate your input addressed to the Stormwater Committee, Community Building, Hague, NY 12836.

I'd like to thank Supervisor Dan Belden and the Town Board for their continued support and also to John Breitenbach who was instrumental in writing the grant applications.

Thank you, /s/ Skip Hourigan, Stormwater Committee Chr.

A "Walk the Brook" will be conducted on Thursday, Jan. 19 beginning at 12:45. Representatives from LGA, LGPC, DEC and the town of Hague will be on hand. Anyone who is interested please meet at the Community Center.

THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS now has three openings. If you are at all interested in volunteering your time to help your town, please stop by the Community Center and fill in an application. This is a very important town board and we need to get it up to its quota of seven.

UPDATE ON SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM

Warren County Board of Supervisors voted at their last meeting to pass the resolution to accept the grant money from the federal govt. of \$20 million to get started on the sewage disposal system in the Lake George Basin. They must hire an engineer within 45 days from Jan. 13, when the clock started. This person would be responsible for setting up the county project, doing the paper work necessary and overseeing the project. This position would be funded by the grant. Our supervisor will call a meeting the first week in Feb. of the Hague Sewer Committee, town board and any interested personnel to meet with Clough Harbour, when their engineer will present the plan for Hague.

Each town has the option to hire someone locally to oversee the job for the town. This would be funded by the grant also.

The exact sewer district has not yet been determined. However, it was learned that even though the initial thrust will be basically in the hamlet, further extensions are a definite possibility as work gets under way.

Since Lake George is our prime livelihood, it behooves us to give this project much thought for the future generations. A hearing will be held so that everyone in Hague can hear the pros and cons and decide for themselves what the future of Hague will be.

NATURE NEWS

Laura Meade

In January, as northern Adirondack ponds and Canadian rivers and lakes freeze, one may see a migrating Bald Eagle perched on a limb at the shoreline of Lake George. These majestic birds, the symbol of the U.S.A., plunge into open water to catch a fish with their sharp talons. Mature Bald Eagles can be easily recognized by their large size (30" - 43"), and black feathers except for white heads and white tails.

Use of DDT some years ago caused the chemical to enter the food chain of these birds, and it seriously affected survival of Bald Eagles because their eggs easily cracked before the young hatched. Concern for the species brought about discontinuance of DDT. Also, an Endangered Species Unit was created to monitor their existence in New York State. Peter Nye heads this Unit in Delmar, assisted by Tom Gliddi, a DEC wildlife expert at Ray Brook. Nye reports that he knows of 23 nesting pairs of Bald Eagles in 1994, with 21 young. This is a significant increase since the days of DDT. He said, "Perhaps a proposal to downgrade Bald Eagles from Endangered status to Threatened will be approved in 1995."

Peregrine Falcons and Golden Eagles are also Endangered. This year 2 nesting pairs of Peregrine Falcons were known to nest at Northern Lake George, with 2 young.

Nye said that reports of Golden Eagles are rare in our area. However, 3 were seen near Crown Point in 1993 by a skilled hawk watcher. There have been no reports of Golden Eagles nesting in this vicinity.

Golden Eagles feed on small mammals such as mice, woodchucks or squirrels. When I asked Nye if a Golden Eagle might attempt to catch a cat, he said it was quite possible. This might explain the serious injury (and eventual death) of a house cat at Friend's Point in December. The pet returned home after a short morning walk near the shore. It was soaking wet and had a deep puncture wound, with no indication of teeth marks. When told of this, Nye commented, "Perhaps a Bald Eagle seized it, or maybe a hungry Golden Eagle passing through tried to catch a meal!"

Please report a Bald Eagle, a Golden Eagle or a Peregrine Falcon to the Endangered Species Unit at (518) 439-7635.

GRACE CHAPEL CHAMBER MUSIC

Chamber Music at Grace Chapel is planning its 1995 season. Concerts are tentatively set for Sat, July 15 and Sat, Aug 5 both at 7:30PM. Anyone interested in joining our mailing list, receiving information about the concerts, or in helping with the concerts, should contact Chamber Music at Grace Chapel, Sandy Coffin, Artistic Director, 250 W. 104th St., Suite 84, New York, NY 10025. Phone(212) 222-1226.

CUB SCOUT PACK 21 NEWS

Karen Costello

The Fish and Game Clubhouse was lively on Dec 16 while the Scouts and their families celebrated Christmas and the first pack meeting for the new Cubs. All joined into decorating the Blue and Gold tree with special individual creations. Pitching pennies and piling cotton balls entertained the young folk. Plenty of Christmas cookies and a bright red punch sweetened us up.

Ceremonies were led by Cubmaster Tim Gautreau, who presented our special guest, Tyler Wells of Boy Scout Troop 71, formerly a member of Cub Scout Pack 21, with the coveted Arrow of Light Award. This is the highest honor a Cub Scout can achieve and is the only one carried over to the Boy Scout uniform. We are very proud of Tyler and hope he sails all the way to Eagle! Special thanks was also given to Kay Wells for her

dedication and five fun-filled years as leader in Pack 21.

All of Den #1 and Den #2 Cubs have earned and received the No. 1 badge in Cub Scouting - Bobcat. Richie Zacharenko, Josh Patchett, Cody Perkins, Erich Palait, Seth Towne, Jason Frasier, Josh Frasier, Jacob Lawrence, Drew Trombley and Glen Haran promise to DO THEIR BEST!

Den #4 Webelo John Costello has earned his Sportsman activity pin and in turn received his Compass Point Emblem. Den #4 is helping Mother Nature feed her feathered friends at the Fish and Game Club and "tracking" down some furry friends.

The Pinewood Derby will be run during Winter Carnival Weekend. Come on out and cheer your favorite car on!

Thanks for all the bottles and cans!

NEW RESTAURANT TO OPEN IN SILVER BAY

The Ody family from Troy, NY is opening a family restaurant very soon at the former location of The Hearth. The restaurant will open at 6AM for breakfast and will serve lunch from 11AM and dinner from 4-9PM. They will be featuring Italian American food and will also specialize in pizzas for eat-in or take-out. Charles J. Ody, Jr and Robert Ody are the managers, with plenty of help from their families. We would like to welcome the Ody family to the Hague area and their children to the Ticonderoga school system.

WEATHER NOTES

Mary Lou Doulin

John Ruskin said "Sunshine is delicious, rain is refreshing, wind braces up, snow is exhilarating; there is no such thing as bad weather, only different kinds of good weather." To date we have experienced all of the above.

Cautiously I am writing that so far this winter things appear to be more moderate than last. Our only snow of any amount was Dec 7 at which time we received 4 inches and Jan. 7, 3 inches. In between we had a couple of arctic blasts of cold but mostly warm fronts have been the norm. At this writing, Jan. 13 we appear to be in the Jan. thaw. Thermometers rose to 45 degrees compared to the minus 10 it had been earlier this week. That is a considerable warmup!

Christmas Eve was drizzly rain but Christmas Day was a bright, sunny and 40 degrees and very green. Last year we were hit with one storm after another in late Jan. and early Feb.

Currently El Nino is playing havoc on the west coast so we can't predict how it will impact here. So far this year has been easier on our wildlife except for the virus that is hitting the house finches.

Lake George is not yet frozen.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

An in-school immunization clinic for all Ticonderoga school students in need of a second measles-rumps-rubella vaccination and/or tetanus-diphtheria booster will be held at St. Mary's School, Wed. Feb 15, High School, Thurs. Feb 16 and Elementary/Middle School, Thurs. Mar 9.

A second MMR is required for college admission. Children who entered kindergarten before 1989 were not required to have a second MMR for school entry, therefore, most students in fifth grade and up have not yet had a second MMR. This is an excellent opportunity to have students receive this immunization at no cost.

Tetanus-diphtheria boosters are recommended every 10 years. Since most children had their last booster prior to kindergarten, students age 14 and up may be in need of a tetanus booster.

"Love is purely a creation of the human imagination...the most important example of how the imagination continually outruns the creature it inhabits." . . . Katherine Ann Porter 1/95

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

The new food distribution will take place at the Community Center on Jan 17 from 1-2pm. It is essential you bring documentation for 1995.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC will be held in the Community Center on January 18 from 1-2PM and the third Wednesday of each month thereafter.

WOMEN HELPING WOMEN

"Low Fat Cooking" is the topic for our next meeting to be held on Monday, Feb 13, 7PM at the Hague Community Center. Ann Kurosaka from the Cornell Cooperative Extension Center in Warrensburg will be our speaker. Ms. Kurosaka will offer alternative suggestions and substitutions when planning for company, for oneself and for just plain good sense.

This program is geared for women of all ages. All our programs are free, and we look forward to welcoming women from Ticonderoga, Putnam and Crown Point as well as Bolton Landing, Lake George and Glens Falls.

Women Helping Women is a group of women who meet the second Monday of each month with guest speakers covering topics concerned with women's well being - physical, emotional, social and intellectual. . . VDB

HAGUE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Fire Department had one fire call in December which involved 67 man hours.

There were 8 ambulance runs; Ambulance 740 logged 205 miles, and 741 logged 237 miles. There were 68 patient hours.

Bill Cobb and Damien Geiser are taking Level 2 EMT Courses.

Sue Derrigan is taking Beginner's EMT Course and Gerry Boyd is doing a refresher EMT Course.

The Fire Department WILL be serving breakfast on Feb 18 and 19, Winter Fun Weekend.

At the December elections, the following officers were chosen:

President: Sal Santaniello
 Vice President: Mark Johnson
 Chief: Dave Hoffay
 1st Asst: Martin Fitzgerald, Jr.
 Captain: Mark Rutkowski
 Lieutenant: John Greitenbach, Jr.
 Foreman: John Coon
 Hague Property Man: Ron Graser
 Silver Bay Property Man: Steve Priore
 Hague Custodian: David Snow
 Silver Bay Custodian: Ricky Meyers
 Secretary: Joan Belden
 Treasurer: Linda Coffin
 Ambulance Captain: Lu Megow
 Assistant: Damine Geiser
 Food Committee: Joan Belden
 Assistant: Pat Swinton
 Directors: Mark Rutkowski, Martin Fitzgerald, Jr. Ron Graser

The following attended the Ice Rescue Course in Lake George: David Martucci, David Hoffay, Mark Rutkowski and Damien Geiser.

John Mascarelli and Ricky Meyers are taking courses in Essentials of Firemanship.

Good luck to all of our dedicated HVFD members, and

INAUGURAL '95 Mary and Mark Johnson

Governor Pataki and his family have spent part of the last two summers in Hague. Friendship among our children led to an acquaintance with the then campaigning George and Libby (as they introduce themselves to all) this past summer and we were excited and flattered to receive an invitation to the Inauguration and some of the related events.

The Inaugural Program was a festive occasion with over 10,000 attending in the Knickerbocker Arena at noon on New Year's Day, repeating for us the official swearing-in that had taken place in a private ceremony at the Governor's Mansion the evening before. Numerous color guards escorted special guests - clergy, representatives of the Indian Nations and congressional officials as well as the Attorney General, Comptroller, Lt. Governor and Governor-Elect and their families. The Albany Symphony Orchestra and the Capital District Area All-State Mixed Choir provided music. Following the administration of the oath of office and the new governor's inaugural address, the public was invited to the move to the concourse of the Empire State Plaza where music and refreshments were provided by representatives of New York's food industry and the many ethnic groups that make up the state's diverse population. We ate Irish soda bread, clams from Long Island, wild rice harvested by native Americans and kosher tabouli, to name a few!

In the evening we enjoyed the experience of attending the Inaugural Ball at the Omni Hotel. Ballrooms on three levels were bursting with dance bands, food and drink, and guests in glittering dresses and tuxedos. Luckily the threatened freezing rain did not occur, to the benefit of the many who celebrated late into the night.

On Monday morning we had the privilege of attending the first official function of the new administration at the Governor's Mansion, the Inaugural Prayer Breakfast. Following a gracious welcome by First Lady Libby Pataki and the meal, we heard prayers and inspiring words from a variety of ministers, a nun and a rabbi. We had not known what to expect but were struck by the tone of the event that the Patakis are acutely aware of the awesome challenge and responsibility they are undertaking, and request the help of all of New York's citizens -- as well as divine guidance - in their efforts.

We don't know whether the duties of the office will allow the return of the Pataki family to Hague in the near future but do know that they consider it a special, beautiful place.

...Mark Johnson is the Executive Director of the Silver Bay Association, and both he and Mary are very active in Hague's community affairs.

BOOK DISCUSSION AT BLACK WATCH LIBRARY

A discussion of the mystery novel "The Monk's Hood" will be held at the Black Watch Library, Ticonderoga at 7:30PM on Wednesday, Jan. 25 and will be led by John McDonald, former Essex County District Attorney. Sponsors of the event are the Friends of the Library.

The book is now available on loan at the library. The program is open to the public at no charge. Refreshments will be served.

SPAGHETTI DINNER SCHEDULED

The Ticonderoga Sentinel Booster Club will be sponsoring a Spaghetti Dinner at Eddie's Restaurant on Thursday, Feb. 2, 1995. The menu will consist of spaghetti & meat sauce, mushroom and onion soup, bread and butter, dessert and coffee. Tickets will be sold at the door for \$6.00 per person, five and under will be free. Serving will be from 4:30-8:30PM. Take-outs are available. The proceeds of the dinner will benefit the softball, soccer and gymnastics teams.

SOUNDINGS

BORN - A girl, Hannah Nicole, on Dec 11, 1994 to Sherri (Hendrickson) and John D. Velte II in Denver, CO Hannah is a sixth grandchild for Mary and John D. Velte, Silver Bay & Osprey, FL

DIED: Clair C. Kelley, 92, Silver Bay and Sun City Ctn, FL, on December 24 in Sun City Ctn. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Stuart and Scott and a daughter Edith.

DIED; Robert Kircher, Sabbath Day Pt and Staten Island, NY, in Staten Island.

The following Hague students are listed on the HIGH HONORS roll for the second marking period:

ELIZABETH BRUNET, MELISSA BRUNET, JESSICA FRASIER, LINDSAY FRASIER, ALLISON JOHNSON, MONICA JOHNSON, BRITTANY STULL. Ed. Note: The above names represent THREE sets of sisters from Hague!

The following Hague students are listed on the SECOND HONORS roll:

JENNIFER BELDEN, PATRICIA CORLISS
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU!

There will be a Certified First Responder/EMT Course starting Jan 24, 1995 running Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Elizabethtown-Lewis Central School from 7-10PM. For more information, contact Patty Bashaw at 873-7379 (h) or 873-3695 (w). You must preregister by calling Mt. Lakes Regional EMS Council at 1-800-342-3233.

HAGUE FISH AND GAME CLUB

JOE BACH, New Hague Rd., won the basket of cheer and Ida Moore, Lakeshore Drive won the 50/50.

Next regular meeting will be Jan 17 at 7:30 in the clubhouse.

ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS WINTER WEEKENDS

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Warren County will conduct a 4-H Environmental Awareness Winter Weekend at 4-H Camp Sacandaga in Speculator on Jan 28 and 29 for 12-13 year olds. The program is open to any Warren County youth at a cost of \$5.00. Activities during the weekend include nature hikes, snowshoeing, a visit to a deer yard, winter woods lore and safety. Participants stay in the heated Seabee Lodge. Car pooling assistance to the camp in Speculator is available.

The trips are well chaperoned and led by an experienced New York State Licensed Adirondack Guide and Emergency Medical Technician.

For more information, or to pre-register, contact the Cornell Cooperative Extension Education Center, Warrensburg (Phone: 623-3291 or 668-4881).

TICONDEROGA SCHOOL DISTRICT SERVICE AREA INTERAGENCY

WHEN AND WHERE: A meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 25 at 10AM at the Silver Bay Association in the Inn at Gullen Lounge

WHO: Representatives of our community's groups, organizations, and agencies. Note: This invitation is extended to all who are interested. Please have them call Helen Barton or Jane Crammond at 543-8833.

WHAT: • The meeting schedule will be four times a year.

- An informational meeting (not a discussion group) to resource your mission, events, or goals.
- A limited commitment -

The changing hosts (only by choice) are responsible for providing a meeting area, food, and "minutes" after the meeting

to interested parties. For example, if 20 parties participate then every five years you could host. As a host you would be able to start the meeting with a more in-depth presentation of your group, organization, or agency.

Minutes? Bring a BRIEF paragraph to be handed in from desiring parties explaining either what they are doing, what they are, what they have to offer, or what they need. These BRIEF summaries are gathered by the host and compiled with the attendance which is then sent to our community's Interagency group.

GOALS:

**BRIEF, BRIEF, BRIEF
NETWORK, NETWORK, NETWORK
RESOURCE, RESOURCE, RESOURCE
COMMUNITY KNOWLEDGE, SUPPORT AND ASSESSMENT**

CHILD CARE ASSESSMENT SURVEY

Do you know about the Child Care Assessment Survey? There is a survey in progress now! A letter was sent to families in Hague with children up to the age of five years old. The letter explains the format of the survey. Responses to the survey can be made verbally either by phone, or in person whatever is easiest for the family.

Survey responses will be kept confidential. It does not obligate anybody to a program. It will be used as a tool to better assess our eligibility for various children's programs (including day care).

Questions on the survey ask what family needs are. It is very important for 100% participation by all families receiving the survey in order to identify our opportunities that are available by state and federal agencies.

We are all very fortunate now with the NEW CHILDREN'S PAVILLION at Silver Bay Association. Its potential is strong and connecting the information provided by this survey will help us realize the full need of this facility! Anybody wishing to have a tour of the pavilion or have questions or comments about the survey, please call Helen Barton at 543-8833.

Those serving on the survey team are Joanne Brown, Karen Laundree, Mary Johnson, Georgina Lindquist, Nancy Trombley, Jane Crammond, and Helen Barton.

HELP WANTED: An experienced, caring child care provider needed for active three year old twin girls in our home. Part-time. 15 hours a week. Call 543-6088

SENIOR CITIZEN TAX EXEMPTIONS

Town of Hague property owners who are 65 years of age or over may be eligible for a partial tax exemption. The property must be the legal residence of the applicant, and total income must not be higher than \$17,025. Further information is available in the Assessor's Office. The deadline for filing is March 1, 1995.

WINTER STARGAZERS' SHOW

The Ticonderoga Planetarium, located in the Ti High School, will present the annual Winter Stargazers' Show on Thurs, Jan 19, 1995 at 7:30PM. The show is informal and is designed to help in the identification of stars, planets and constellations visible in the evening sky during the winter months.

There is a \$1.00 donation per person requested for the planetarium show.

Groups interested in a special presentation should contact Mr. David Rutkowski at the Ticonderoga High School at 585-6661.

FROM: The Directors of the Lake George Association Fund - soon to be known as the Fund for Lake George.

We recognize that there has been a great deal of material distributed concerning the dispute between the LGA and our Fund. We beg your indulgence in a careful reading of the following as it represents a considered effort by the directors of the Lake George Association Fund, to clarify a complex and unfortunate disagreement between two organizations mutually committed to the preservation of a resource vital to each of us - Lake George.

In order to appreciate the nature of the Lake George Association suit against the Lake George Association Fund, it is important to understand the errors of the charges and the misrepresentation of facts disseminated in LGA publications.

The Lake George Association Fund was not created "to provide a legal means for people who donated to the Association to obtain a tax deduction when making contributions and bequests." To do so would have been a violation of IRS codes and would be illegal yet today if that were its purpose or practice. The decision to create the FUND was the result of a large vision, an expansion of the commitment of those investing their time, talent and treasure in the future of the lake to include scientific study and land preservation among the tools at their disposal.

The incorporation of the Lake George Association FUND was broadly framed to address the needs for research, educational program, and general preservation efforts in the Lake George basin. The articles of incorporation make no specific reference to any single agency then active in the basin. Neither the LGA, the Fresh Water Institute, northern Lake George Basin Land Conservancy, the three principal funded groups were specifically identified. The charter, instead, defines the kind of work that the Fund was designed to support, whoever might best do that work.

The charter says:

"The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is to be formed are: to promote the wise use, preservation, protection and better understanding of Lake George and its surrounding basin, and to encourage and assist efforts to conserve, maintain and enhance the scenic, historical, wilderness, wildlife, open space and outdoor recreation values of the physical environment of the Lake George region for the cultural, physical, spiritual and economic benefit of our residents and visitors, and to foster the maintenance of an ecological balance in that region, to preserve and maintain pure, clean air and water, and discourage pollution in all forms, and to encourage general community participation in all activities that may result in the conservation and enhancement of esthetic and scenic values in the area of Lake George and its surrounding basin. The fund will sponsor educational projects, study projects, appreciation projects, meetings, seminars and communication projects to fulfill its goals. It will cooperate with an exchange information with other organizations and governmental units and agencies, and may obtain and/or publish information for distribution to assist the accomplishment of its general purposes. It will promote scientific, literary and educational endeavors in the field of conservation, ecology and other appropriate fields of interest as they relate to the area of Lake George and its surrounding basin, through projects of its own and/or contributions to appropriate organizations engaged in such fields. It may promote and assist in the enforcement of existing laws and regulations through committees of the Fund, and may provide facilities for its operations to others whose activities complement its purpose. It may receive, administer and disburse gifts and grants of money and property of every kind exclusively for tax-exempt charitable, scientific, literary and educational purposes as set forth in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States as it now exists and as hereafter amended. The Fund may contract for services and goods to effect its corporate purposes. It may acquire and maintain real property for the preservation of natural resources, scenic beauty or other conservation, environmental or beautification activities."

The founders of the Lake George Association FUND recognized, as early as 1977, the need for funds to support a continuous and systematic water quality testing program of offshore and inshore chemical activity to determine the reasons for the lake's deteriorating water quality. An endowment was established and funds raised to support this scientific study, which could only have been done by a scientific organization. The Rensselaer Fresh Water Institute has been funded for water quality research and for milfoil surveys with \$657,723 over the past 14 years. This represents 44% of the resources available to the FUND over its history and has been its principal area of activity.

The Fresh Water Institute has been an important recipient of FUND support every year since its inception, a fact clearly reported in each

year's appeal and in each year's annual report. Donors could have no doubt where their gifts have been directed.

Nor should there be any question but that this research and these expenditures have been of direct service to the LGA. The results of these studies have been directed to the Lake George Association as a significant resource for the LGA's advocacy role. The FUND, therefore, has been financially responsible for one of the principal tools available to the LGA in its efforts to educate the public and advocate for change.

The founders of the FUND and directors ever since its founding have fully supported the work of the LGA with research data, administrative and program funding, capital needs, and shared leadership in articulating the issues concerning the preservation of Lake George. Fully 24% of the FUND's available resources have gone directly to the LGA. From 1981 to the present, the FUND has contributed \$369,652 to the work of the LGA. In 1994 support totaling \$86,000 is directed to the work of the LGA which will represent 42% of available funds. The five year average from 1990-1994 has been almost 33% of available resources.

The FUND is a totally voluntary organization, operating without paid staff for the past 14 years. Approximately 12% of its total earnings have gone to cover its administrative costs. Its support services have, throughout its history, been provided by the LGA and reimbursed by the FUND, thus offsetting operating costs of the LGA. The FUND contributed \$100,000 to the construction of the LGA headquarters building, and Trustees of the FUND, all of whom are members of the LGA, added an additional \$30,000 of support to the building of the LGA facility in Lake George Village, demonstrating their personal interest in and commitment to the success of the LGA.

The LGA has always had a strong voice in the work of the FUND. Those giving leadership to the FUND include many past presidents of the LGA and a number of key leaders have held offices in each organization over the years. The President of the LGA has been a voting member of the FUND from its inception and a party to all funding decisions. Even without a formal, incorporated relationship, the FUND has been the single largest supporter of the LGA since the FUND's creation in 1977, precisely because it recognizes and values the work of the LGA on behalf of the Lake.

In 1987, the FUND created the Lake George Basin Land Conservancy as an ancillary agency to facilitate the preservation of land in the Lake George Basin through land use planning, landowner education, conservation easements, purchase, and transfer to New York State, of parcels deemed critical to the quality of water in Lake George. The Conservancy has received \$299,977 in its eight years of work, 20% of the total resources available to the FUND over its period of existence.

In recent years, the FUND has begun to realize the fruits of a foresighted and long-term program to create a trust to support a broad range of efforts to address problems plaguing Lake George. Bequests and gifts have not created an endowment of over \$2,000,000 which generates interest and dividends to support programmatic efforts by a number of agencies, while continuing to grow as an endowment to address such concerns in perpetuity.

After more than a dozen years of mutually supportive and collaborative efforts, it is only with the long awaited success in fulfilling the vision of individuals who shared a common concern for the Lake, that the LGA has raised concerns about the necessity for or benefit of the FUND. As an active collaborator with the FUND, a beneficiary of its resources and leadership, it comes lately and suspiciously to the role of adversary. It is, in fact, a sad misapplication of energy and membership support to attempt to disassemble a key contributor and partner of more than a dozen years in working for the good of the lake. We should all hope for a quick dismissal of a frivolous suit and a refocusing of energy on the real issue, the preservation of the quality of Lake George, by its stewards in this generation for the generations to come.

If you have any further questions concerning this issue we invite you to contact any of the directors listed below. We will answer each and every inquiry.

Trustees: Edward W. Smith, Bolton Landing, chairman; Robert T. Abbe, Pilot Knob, Vice-chairman; Harold L. Dickinson, Catskill Bay, Secretary; Peter C. Van Dyck, Bolton Landing, Treas.; John Barber, Silver Bay; Katherine M. Barton, Sabbath Day Point; Dr. Barbara Chick, Queensbury; Dr. Carol D. Collins, Pilot Knob; Annan "Bud" Cook, Glens Falls; Ely Goldsmith, Hulettes Landing; Mark C. Johnson, Silver Bay; Dr. Robert H. Johnson, Bolton Landing; Dr. Roland W. Schmitt, Bolton Landing.

Trustees Emeriti: John F. Bullard; James D. Corbett.

TOWN OF HAGUE MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 1995
(Clip and Save)

	Town Board	Plann. Board	Zon. Board	Senior Bus	SC Meet.	Fire Dept	Cham. Comm.	Fish & Game	Home Bur	Amer Leg.	WHW
Jan	5&10	5	26	4	24	2	4	17	3&17	4	9
Feb	14	2	23	1	28	6	1	21	7&21	1	13
Mar	14	2	23	1	28	6	1	21	7&21	1	13
Apr	11	6	27	5	25	3	5	18	4&18	5	10
May	9	4	25	3	23	1	3	16	2&16	3	8
Jun	13	1	22	7	27	5	7	20	13	7	12
Jul	11	6	27	5	25	10	X	18	X	5	10
Aug	8	3	24	2	22	7	X	15	X	2	14
Sep	12	7	28	6	26	11	6	19	5&19	6	11
Oct	10	5	26	4	24	2	4	17	3&17	4	9
Nov	14	2	16	1	28	6	1	21	7&21	1	13
	12&27	7	28	6	XmasP	4	6	19	5	6	11

MEETING TIMES: Tn. Bd: 6:30P; Planning & Zoning Bds - 7PM; Fire Dept - 7:30PM; Sr. Cit Bus 8:30AM; Sr. Cit meeting - 1:30PM, Chamber of Commerce - 7:30PM; Amer. Leg. 7:30PM, WHW - 7:30PM, Fish & Game - 7:30PM; Home Bur. - 10AM

DEADLINE FOR CHRONICLE ITEMS IS THE ±TH OF EACH MONTH, EXCEPT FOR MARCH, WHEN IT WILL BE THE COMMUNITY CENTER TELEPHONE NUMBER (518)543-6161.

1995 HAGUE WINTER WEEKEND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, FEB. 18

- 7:00AM - 11:00 AM Firemen's Breakfast, Hague Community Center
- 9:00AM - 3:00PM Snow Sculpture Contest, Town Park
- 9:00AM - 3:00PM Fishing Contest, Town Park
- 10:00AM Polar Bear Run, Town Park
- 11:00AM - 2:00PM Rifle Shoot, Hague Fish and Game Club
- 2:00PM Horseshoe Contest, Hague Fish and Game Club
- 5:00PM - 7:00PM Beste Benefit Buffet, Silver Bay Association
- 7:00PM Beste Scholarship Awards, Silver Bay Association

SUNDAY, FEB. 19

- 7:00AM - 11:00AM Firemen's Breakfast, Hague Community Center
- 10:00AM - ? Kids' games, volleyball, chainsaw contest, tug-of-war, PoKeNo, Penelope, and Ice Auger Championships, Hague Fish and Game Club

ALSO: FOOD, BEER, SODA, SNACKS AND RAFFLEMANIA

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR JANUARY/FEBRUARY 1995

JANUARY

- 16 Martin Luther King's Birthday observed
- 17 Food distribution - 1-2PM
- 17 Fish & Game club meeting - 7:30pm at clubhouse
- 18 Blood pressure clinic - Town Center - 1-2PM
- 18 School Board meeting - 7:30PM THS cafeteria
- 19 Winter Stargazers' Show - 7:30PM - THS Planetarium (p7)
- 19 Carillon Garden Club meeting - Town Center - 11AM
- 24 Senior Citizens meeting - 1:30PM - Town Center
- 26 ZBA meeting - 7PM - Town Center

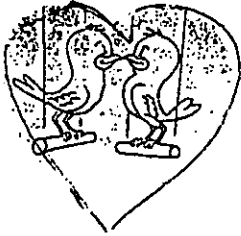
FEBRUARY

- 1 Senior Citizens Bus to Glens Falls
- 1 Chamber of Commerce meeting - 7:30, Town Center
- 1 American Legion - 7:30PM - Legion home
- 2 Spaghetti dinner, Eddies Rest. (p6)
- 2 Planning Board meeting - 7:30PM
- 6 HVFD meeting- 7:30PM - Firehall
- 10 Hague Chronicle Deadline
- 13 Women Helping Women - 7:30PM (p5)
- 14 Town Board - 6:30PM
- 15 Blood Pressure clinic - Town Center - 1-2PM
- 15 School Board meeting - 7:30PM, THS cafeteria
- 16 Carillon Garden Club - 11AM - Town Centr

FEBRUARY 18-19 - HAGUE WINTER WEEKEND
(morenext month)

"Love is very patient, very kind. Love knows no jealousy; love makes no parade, gives itself no airs, is never rude, never selfish, never irritated, never resentful; love is never glad when others go wrong, love is gladdened by goodness, always slow to expose, always eager to believe the best, always hopeful, always patient. Love never disappears."

... 1 Cor. 13:4--8 (Moffatt)



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

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