

# Village of Millerton

**Dutchess County New York** 

**APRIL 2017** 

## Hello everyone.

The harsh weather seems to be breaking and hopefully we can get some t-shirt time in soon. This will be my last newsletter as your mayor, since I've decided not to run again. Being on the board for approximately seven years as a trustee, and four years as the mayor, have truly been an adventure. My belief of a government that is so small you don't even know it's there wasn't always embraced with open arms by the people around me, but I think it has made an impression on some. I listened to the residents long, unanswered concerns and made the correct changes to address them. In the end I can walk away with many accomplishments. The people working in the Village Hall and the Highway/Water Departments help make this village run and look as great as it does. I thank them for their dedication. This village is a tight knit community of people that care, and it really shows. Thank you to Townscape for contributing both time and money to make Millerton "one of the coolest small towns in America". The Legion and the Historical Society also do a great job and I thank them as well. Thank you to the board for putting up with me for all this time. A very big thank you to the residents who believed in me and supported me. With the economy in the state that it was in, I felt it was essential to keep the taxes as low as possible. As a result, myself and the board did not raise the village taxes at all over the last four years. I can't

say that it can always be held at a zero percent increase but considering the economic circumstances I thought It was necessary. I wish Mayor Debbie Middlebrook and the new board all the best.

Thank you,

Marty Markonic, Mayor



## Tuesday, March 21, 2017 Village Election Results

Many thanks to the residents who ventured out for the Village Elections.

Congratulations to Newly Elected Mayor: Debra Middlebrook

Recurring Trustees: Christine Bates

Newly Elected Trustee: Jennifer Najdek

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## **COMMUNITY CALENDAR APRIL 2017**

April 2	Legion Post 178 Pancake Breakfast
April 10	Village Organizational Meeting @ 7pm
April 10	Village Public Hearing—Preliminary Budget 2017-2018 @ 7pm
April 12	Planning Board Meeting @ 7pm
April 13	Thomas Jefferson Birthday (United States' third president )
April 13	Town of North East Board Meeting @ 7pm
April 15	Annual Easter Egg Hunt @ 10am Hay ride from Fire House to Gun Club
April 17	Village Board Meeting @ 7pm
April 26	Administrative Professional's Day
April 28	Arbor Day
April 29	Bulk Trash Day 8am—12 (noon)
April 30	Water bills due without penalty

## **North East Millerton Library**

Crafts & Games: Knitting—Adult Knitting and Craft Group —Thursdays 6:30pm-8:00pm at Library. Mah Jong—Ready to Play—Tuesday's 2pm-4pm

Kids & Youth: Sing, Play, Read!— Tuesdays, 10:30am-11:30am. K-3rd Grade Lego Club — Tuesday 4/5 & 4/19, 4:00pm-5:30pm at Library..

For all North East Millerton Library Events check out: <a href="http://nemillertonlibrary.org/">http://nemillertonlibrary.org/</a>

#### **North East Community Center**

Yoga-Tuesdays, 7:30am & Sundays 9:30am

Millerton Winter Famer's Market- Saturday 4/9 & 4/23, 10am-2pm, Millerton Methodist Church.

For all North East Community Center Events check out: http://www.neccmillerton.org/events.php

### Webutuck Central School District

**BOE Meeting**—4/4, 4/18 7:30pm at the High School library.

To have your events added to the monthly events calendar please send email to: Clerk@VillageofMillerton.com

## **BULK TRASH PICK-UP DAY**

"BULK TRASH PICK UP DAY" is for the residents of the Village of Millerton and the Town of North East. It will be held on Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> 2017 from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon. You can bring your unwanted soft waste items as well as old lawn mowers, junk, appliances and carpeting to the Town Garage at the corner of Fish Street and South Center Street. There will be plenty of volunteers pitching in to help you unload.

We cannot accept: paint cans, propane tanks, or heavy construction debris.

## Fees are as follows:

\$30.00
\$30.00
\$15.00
\$40.00
\$10.00 (each)
\$25.00 (each)
\$21.00 (each)



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## **Meeting Schedule**

Village Board—3rd Monday of the month at 7 PM Planning Board—2nd Wednesday of the month at 7 PM Zoning Board of Appeals—Meets as needed

#### **MAYOR**

Debra Middlebrook

#### **TRUSTEES**

David Sherman Christine Bates Jennifer Najdek

#### VILLAGE CLERK

Stephany Eisermann

## TREASURER / DPUTY CLERK

Amber Jordan

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Village Office Monday – Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Building Inspector Ken McLaughlin Wednesday Evening 5:00pm – 7:00pm

Deputy Zoning Administrator Nancy Brusie Wednesday Evening 5:00pm – 7:00pm





Arbor Day (from the Latin *arbor*, meaning tree) is a holiday in which individuals and groups are encouraged to plant and care for trees. Today, many countries observe such a holiday. Though usually observed in the spring, the date varies, depending on climate and suitable planting season.

In the United States Arbor Day was founded in 1872 by Julius Sterling Morton in Nebraska City, Nebraska. By the 1920s, each state in the United States had passed public laws that stipulated a certain day to be Arbor Day or Arbor and Bird Day observance.

National Arbor Day is celebrated every year on the last Friday in April; in Nebraska, it is a civic holiday. Each state celebrates its own state holiday. The customary observance is to plant a tree. On the first Arbor Day, April 10, 1872, an estimated one million trees were planted.

—From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia