



decided to take advantage of a nice day and do some singing on the front circle of Oneida High School. Technology teacher, Mr. Gillander, brought out his drone class to capture the singing of the OHS Alma Mater. If you look closely, you'll see the students created an OHS formation during the impromptu performance. Mr. Gillander's student teacher, Mr. Crumrine put the video and audio together. What a great collaboration between technology and music!

CONGRATULATIONS!





ONEIDA HIGH SCHOOL

Graduation day will be here before you know it! Congratulations on reaching this incredible milestone. As you close one chapter and begin the next, remember that your hard work, resilience, and determination have brought you here. Whatever path you choose—college, career, service, or exploration—do it with courage, kindness, and confidence. The future is yours to shape. Your community is proud of you!





CITY OF ONEIDA JUNE MEETINGS

All city meetings are open to the public. The agendas and any related material are posted on the city website, as well as the minutes when approved.



JOIN OUR MEETINGS

JUNE 3, 2025

Common Council Meeting-6:30PM Common Council Chambers

JUNE 10, 2025

Water Board Meeting-3:30PM Water Department

JUNE 10, 2025

Planning Board-6:00PM Common Council Chambers

JUNE 17, 2025

Common Council Meeting-6:30PM Common Council Chambers







WE'RE HIRING

Looking for talented people to Join our Team. If you are interested in learning about our open positions, contact Jessica Kaiser today!

Positions Open:

Police Officers-Lateral
 Transfers

Send your CV and portfolio to: jkaiser@oneidacityny.gov

APPLY NOW



JESSICA KAISER
Deputy Comptroller-Civil Service

JUNE MESSAGE

June has arrived, and the City of Oneida is alive with the sights and sounds of summer! Our parks are in top shape thanks to recent cleanup efforts, and we invite you to enjoy a round of Disc Golf at Allen Park or unwind in one of our many revitalized green spaces. As always, please watch out for our hardworking Department of Public Works crews who are busy maintaining roads and infrastructure throughout the city. In the coming weeks, you'll also notice beautiful flower displays being planted by DeBrucque's, our trusted local landscaping partner. Don't forget to take a stroll through our historic downtown-browse our unique shops, and treat yourself to an afternoon coffee at The Blend or one of our other great small businesses. There's no better time to enjoy everything Oneida has to offer!



Contact us:

315-363-7378 KLOVELL@ONEIDACITYNY.GOV KYLE LOVELL CITY MANAGER

Upcoming Events

June 1



Pitch, Hit & Run

The Pitch, Hit & Run program is a FREE event series for boys and girls and consists of a series of movements that are important in baseball and softball.

June 6



Ride for the Missing Children

Riders participating in this event will be stopping in Oneida at 12:50-OHS. Cheer them on as they pass through!

June 20



Fairways For Futures

Show your support for the Madison County Children's Advocacy Center by participating in their golf tournament!

June 21



OHS Graduation

From 10:00am to 11:00am, the Class of 2025 will graduate and receive their diplomas! 560 Seneca St.

CLICK ON EACH EVENT FOR MORE INFORMATION

Congratulations



Officer Zachary Bitz, Lieutenant Ryan Warner, Assistant Chief Will Clark, Chief Steve Lowell, Officer Isabella Barner, Officer Jacob Clark, Officer Michael Leibl, Officer Dylan Lawrence



WELCOME To The Team!



POLICE OFFICERS

Hunter West~Justin Kossner~Jon Lyon~Amelia Bowman-McCoy~Kelsey Milana



We are proud to see members of our Police and Fire Departments cheering on the next generation of entrepreneurs. Your support brings smiles and strengthens the bonds that make our community so special.







Many thanks to city employees and community volunteers who came out to help clean up our city parks and get them ready for the upcoming season!



WORKING TOGETHER MAKING IT BETTER

Thank you Carrie Earl and Happy2Assit, your sponsors, and volunteers for taking a day to clean up downtown! We truly appreciate your time and dedication to improving the city!





Tree Planting Ceremony in honor of Arbor Day

Thank you to our Parks & Recreation Dept., Mayor Rossi and Councilor Hitchings, and a special thank you to the 3rd grade class from Seneca St. School and staff for participating in this special ceremony!











ONEIDA LITTLE LEAGUE



Opening Day was a tremendous success—despite the weather! The day kicked off with a spirited parade to the field, followed by a heartfelt ceremony where the late Bob Sayles' family honored his memory by throwing out the first pitch. A sincere thank you to the board members who worked tirelessly to make the event so special, and to the family and friends who joined in to celebrate the start of the season. We wish you all the best, and hope that the memories you make remain with you always!









If your child was one of the lucky ones who found an egg with a gift certificate for a free ice cream from Coneheads during our Parks & Recreation Annual Easter Egg Hunt, you can thank this awesome young man right here!

Evan Worden wanted to spread a little extra joy by putting smiles on kids' faces and ice cream in their bellies. Thank you, Evan, for your generosity and kindness—you made the day even sweeter!



ONEIDA FLAG GARDEN CEREMONY

Thank you to all who attended and participated in this special ceremony. We are especially grateful to the Oneida Memorial Association for all they do to honor and remember our fallen heroes.













CITY OF ONEIDA DRI PROJECT UPDATE

Moving Forward with Key Community Improvements

The City of Oneida is proud to share the latest progress on several transformative projects made possible through Governor Kathy Hochul's Downtown Revitalization Initiative (DRI). Thanks to this vital state investment, our community is advancing projects that will improve public infrastructure, enhance recreational facilities, and create more opportunities for residents and visitors alike.

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS:

• <u>Improve Downtown Infrastructure and Streetscaping:</u>

Plans are underway to revitalize our downtown streets, sidewalks, and public spaces — making them safer, more accessible, and welcoming for everyone who lives, works, and visits Oneida.

• <u>Upgrade Facilities at Veteran's Memorial Park:</u>

Enhancements at Veteran's Memorial Park will honor those who have served while providing modern amenities for families and community events.

• <u>Develop AYSO Soccer Fields:</u>

The City is moving forward with plans to develop dedicated soccer fields for the Oneida Area Youth Soccer Organization (AYSO), supporting youth athletics and providing quality recreational spaces for our community's young athletes.

To support the successful delivery of these initiatives, the City of Oneida has contracted with C&S Companies to provide professional engineering services through the 30% design phase. This marks a critical milestone as project concepts are refined and prepared for future development stages.

ELECTRICAL SAFETY MONTH



May is National Electrical Safety Month—a time to raise awareness about the importance of electrical safety in homes, schools, and workplaces. From checking smoke detectors to avoiding overloaded outlets, simple precautions can prevent fires, injuries, and save lives. This month, take a moment to inspect your electrical systems, educate others, and stay safe by staying informed.

Safety starts with you!



Awareness



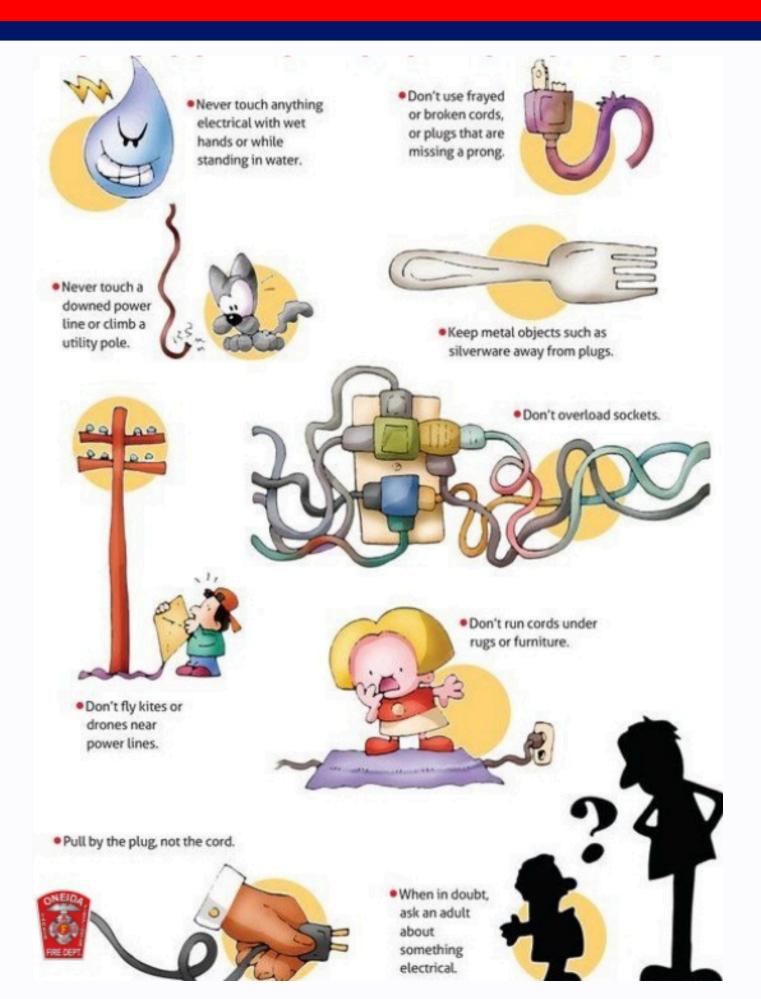
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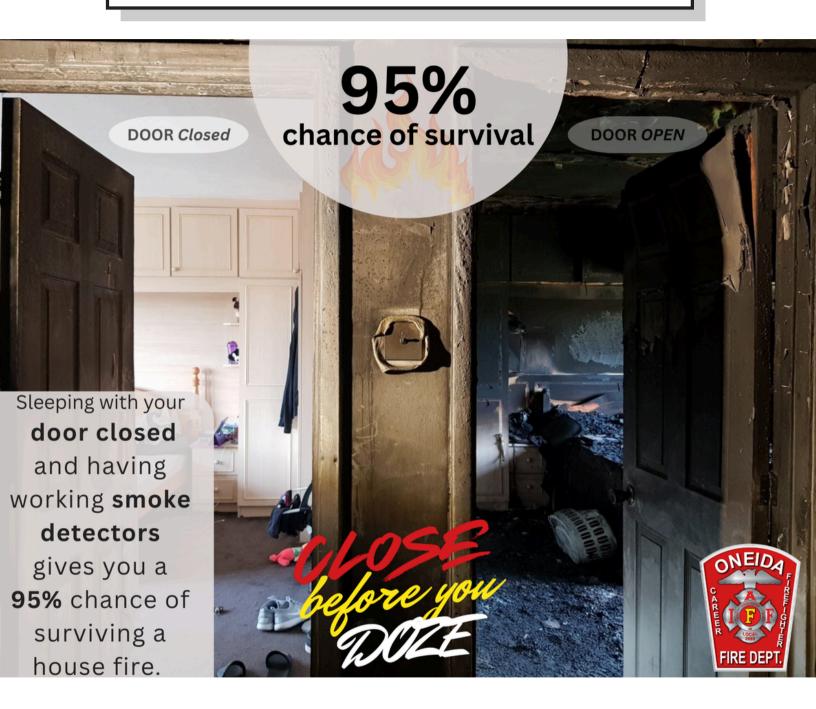
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ONEIDA FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION



FIRE SAFETY



Close Before You Doze: A Simple Step That Could Save Your Life

Route 5-Just Past Hanifins On the Right

GREEN DROPOFF WASTE







Green waste refers to biodegradable organic waste that comes primarily from gardens, yards, and landscaping activities.

- **Grass Clippings**
- ⊗ Small Branches

Mon-Thurs 8:00-2:30pm

Friday 8:00-9:30am

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Milling of streets under this year's program is expected to commence on May 22nd. Residents can expect minor inconveniences, but traffic will be allowed and safety will be ensured. Paving of streets is expected to commence between 3 to 4 weeks upon the completion of milling. A separate notification will be released prior to the start of paving.

The following streets are being milled as part of this year's program:

- Broad Street Intersection of Broad St. and Walnut St.
- Coe Avenue from Broadway to End
- Lynnburt Street from Summit Ave. to End
- Main Street from Sands St. to Shattuck Ave.
- Maple Drive from Seneca St. to Seneca St.
- Morgan Lane from Sayles St. to Sayles St.
- Phillips Street from Grand St. to Boston St.
- Searles Avenue from Lynnburt St. to Seneca St.
- Tilden Street from Belmont Ave. to Summit Ave.
- East Walnut Street from Main St. to Wilbur St.
- Wilbur Street from E. Walnut St. to E. Grove St.
- Wilson Street from Sconondoa St. to E. Walnut St.







GRIEVANCE DAY

CITY OF ONEIDA

ASSESSOR:

EMAIL:

Rebecca Lennon

rlennon@oneidacityny.gov

Tax Grievance Day in the City of Oneida is an annual opportunity for property owners to formally challenge the assessed value of their real property for tax purposes.

Key Details:

- Held annually on the second Tuesday in June (in 2025, that's June 10).
- Grievances will be heard in Common Council Chambers-109 N. Main St., Oneida from 4:00pm to 8:00pm. No appointment necessary.
- This is set by New York State Real Property Tax Law § 512(1).
- The Board of Assessment Review convenes to hear formal complaints from property owners regarding their property tax. The purpose is to dispute the assessed value, not the tax rate or amount of taxes owed.

How to Participate:

- 1. File Form RP-524: This grievance form must be submitted to the Assessor's Office on or before Grievance Day.
- 2. Provide evidence: Appraisals, recent sale prices of similar properties, or photos showing deterioration may support your claim.
- 3. Attend the hearing (optional): You can appear in person or have a representative attend. If you don't attend, the Board will review your written submission.

If you're unhappy with the BAR's decision, you may file a Small Claims Assessment Review (SCAR) petition with the County within 30 days.

JUNE 10, 2025

Grievance Application Form Instructions

GRIEVANCE FORM

JOIN SAMANTHA FIELD

MADISON COUNTY

Public Information Officer

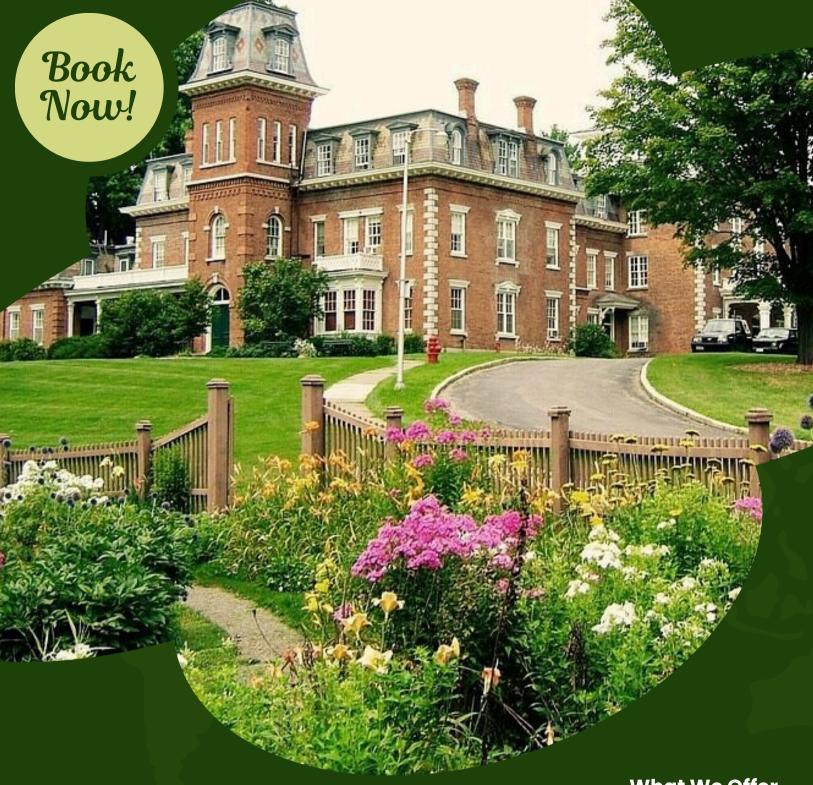
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Join host Samantha Field and quests for bi-monthly podcasts that provide updates on policies, current local issues, and other topical information about what is happening in Madison County.





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What We Offer

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Golf Course/Restaurant 🗸

Museum/Education 🗸







ONEIDA MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION







FRIDAY-MAY 23, 2025

CEREMONY 6:30PM-TRIANGLE PARK

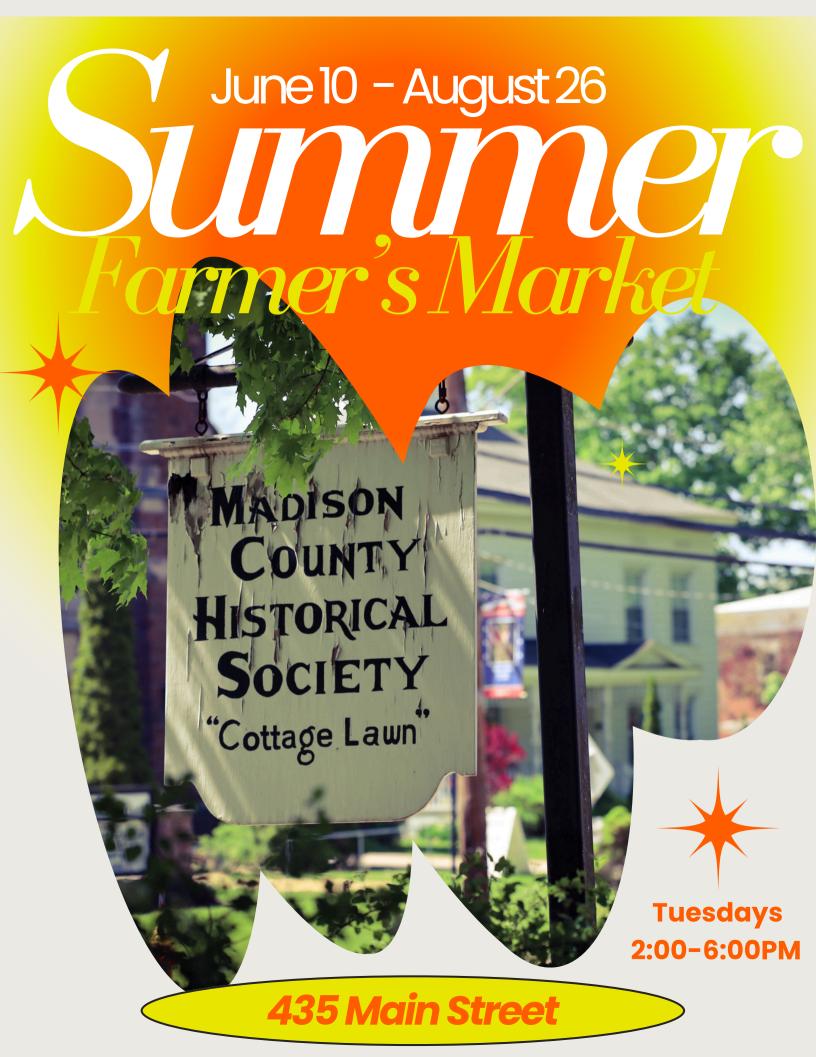
PARADE 7:00PM-MAIN ST

FIREWORKS
DUSK-VETS FIELD



Line Main St. and cheer on our groups as they honor and remember our Fallen soldiers. After the parade, head down to the Oneida American Legion to listen to live music, grab some great food and watch the fireworks.





Office for the Aging's 13th Annual Golf Fundraiser June 13, 2025

Rogues Roost Golf Club Rt 31 East, Bridgeport

Registration begins at 9:30 am - Shotgun Start at 10:30 am

\$105 per person includes 18 holes of golf w/cart & Dinner - FREE Putting Contest

Get your foursome together & sign up today



BUT WAIT ... you're not a golfer????

You can still win the 'BALL DROP' CONTEST
500 numbered golf balls will be dropped at the Event.
Ball that lands in or closest to the hole wins!!
You do not have to be present to win!
\$5.00 per ball

1st price \$500 - 2nd prize \$300 - 3rd prize \$200

To purchase tickets for the "Ball Drop" and/or to register your team in the Tournament, come to the

Office for the Aging, 138 Dominic Bruno Blvd., Canastota

~ Call 315-697-5700 for more information ~

Contests, Prizes & Raffles - all to benefit programs and services for Older Adults in Madison County.

MCOFA is a non-profit agency *dedicated to promoting the independence of older individuals* and funded by US Administration on Aging, NYS Office for the Aging, Madison County & local contributions.





FAIRWAYS FOR

FUTURES

2025 GOLF TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY JUNE 20

ONEIDA COMMUNITY GOLF COURSE 1017 GOLF COURSE LN. ONEIDA, NY 13421

Check-in: 9:00am Shotgun starts: 10:00am

Benefiting:

The Friends of the Madison County Child Advocacy Center is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that supports the mission and activities of the Child Advocacy Center by organizing community outreach and fundraising events.

To learn more about the Friends of Madison County CAC visit:

madisoncountycac.org

PRIZES & RAFFLES

\$125 - Per Golfer

Register and Pay by 6/1/2025

Includes: green fee, cart, lunch, buffet dinner and gift bag.

To Register contact -Deb George: 315-363-2816 or Steve Sellin: 315-761-6114









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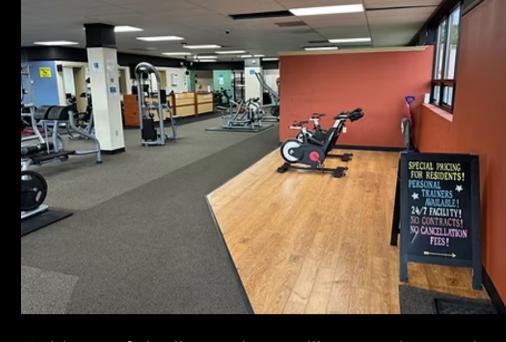
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With spring here I would like to announce the opening of our new Monument sales location at 402 Lenox Avenue. I offer local fabrication for a fast turnaround and can design any custom memorial. If you, or someone you know, is in need of a memorial please feel free to contact me for a no obligation consultation. (315) 560-3290 ~ Joshua Paul

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Joy's Sourdough

New Farm Stand!

Pickups are available on Fridays. Additionally, the new farm stand will be open to the public on Saturdays, offering fresh bread, baked goods, locally sourced eggs, and produce! "I'm thrilled to bring this initiative to our community." Thank you Joy Hartley for bringing your business to Oneida! Order Sunday-Tuesday (See the link below).

Visit us on Facebook



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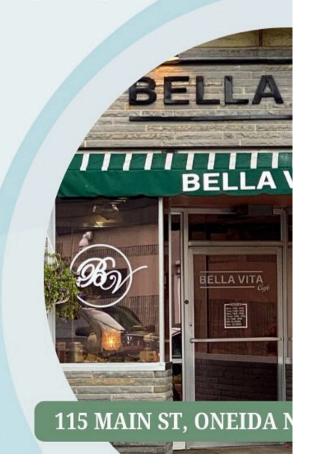


ANNIVERSARY!

Hard to believe we've been open for a year already! Thank you for all the Love and support this year! Here's to another wonderful year ahead!

April 2024

April 2025





ENJOY THE FAMILY-FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES

MOTT STREET

11:00-5:00PM



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