

WHAT'S IN THE PARK?

For more information
call 695-1307
www.villageofphoenix-ny.gov

June 26, 2015

4:00 PM – Dusk, St. Stephen's Church & Henley Park
Summer Strawberry Festival, Music and Fireworks

"Nite Life Band"

July 6, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"Tom Gilbo & The Blue Suedes"

July 10, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"Hendry"

July 13, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"Jo Whiting"

July 17, 2015

9:00 AM – 11:00AM, Lock Island
Children's Fishing Derby

July 17, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"2 Feet Short"

July 20, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"El-Kabong Rides Again"

July 24, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"Vote for Pete"

July 27, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park

"Phoenix Community Concert Band"

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Village of Phoenix

Newsletter

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Message from the Mayor and Board of Trustees

The Village water bill took a big hit this year. It was noticed by some previous board members that it was not self-sustaining. The only way the Village would be able to provide water was to increase the rates. The current (from the March election) board agenda is to examine the water and sewer budgets and find cost saving ideas with the help of the public. The water committee board consists of Mayor Wood, Trustee Burgess and two spots to be filled by the public. The board is in place to keep the meetings on track and focused but all meetings are open to anyone that is willing to help. Once again this increase was passed during the January's budget and board meeting. Even though nothing was communicated to the public outside of the normal meetings and website, it is the newly elected board's priority to keep the public informed as much as possible. We will be using this quarterly newsletter to facilitate that goal. Please use the Village website, FaceBook page, public meetings as well as the Phoenix Register for all immediate Village notices. You can call the Village clerk's office at (315) 695-1307 for assistance with home internet access or use one of the

many computers available at the Public Library. The Phoenix Public Library has wonderful staff that are more than willing to help navigate to the Village website. If you have any questions or would like to see certain articles in this newsletter please e-mail, call or stop by the Village office. Contact information and office hours are listed here in our newsletter.



Phoenix Police News

With summer finally here, we will be opening our Bridge House Office in the near future. Citizens will also see our Officers patrolling on the Police bicycles; it is a great way for us to connect with the public. A few days ago we announced a summer basketball program for children 10-15 yrs. old, once a week they will meet with our community Officer to play basketball. For more details visit our FaceBook page (Village of Phoenix Police). We would also like to remind everyone to please watch out for our youth as they enjoy their summer break.

D.P.W. News

Hydrant Flushing August 17- August 21

Brush chipping done on Fridays. Brush should be neatly piled. Leaves & grass clippings must be bagged. Dirt must be piled. DPW will not pick up piles of brush, leaves and dirt that are mixed together.

Reminder! Please place all yard waste in biodegradable paper bags.



Village of Phoenix Board & Administration



Mayor Ryan Wood
Trustee Andrew Bittel
Trustee Jennifer Burgess
Trustee David Pendergast
Trustee Michael Wyant Jr.
Administrator James Lynch
Village Clerk Roxanne Demo
Deputy Clerk Laura Gonzalez
D.P.W. Crew Leader John Kerfien

Ways to Save Water



❖ Verify that your home is leak-free, because many homes have hidden water leaks. Read your water meter and

again after a two hour period when no water is being used. If the meter does not show exactly the same readings, there is a leak.

❖ Avoid flushing the toilet unnecessarily.

❖ Don't let water run while shaving or washing your face.

❖ Operate automatic dishwashers and clothes washers only when they are fully loaded or properly set the water label for the size of load you are using.

❖ When washing dishes by hand, fill one sink or basin with soapy water.

❖ Don't overwater your lawn. As a general rule, lawns only need watering every 5 to 7 days in the summer.

❖ Do not hose driveway or sidewalk. Use a broom to sweep leaves and other debris from these areas. Using a hose to clean a driveway can waste hundreds of gallons of water.

❖ Create an awareness of the need for water conservation among children.

❖ Try to do one thing each day that will result in a savings of water. Don't worry if it is minimal. Every drop counts. And every person can make a difference.

❖ For more information on how to save water visit our website www.villageofphoenix-ny.gov

Village News

Construction of Bathhouse is Underway

In late 2012, the Village of Phoenix was awarded \$50,000 from the New York State Canal Corporation's Canalway Grant Program for the Phoenix Waterfront Improvement Project which consisted of replacement of the pavilion and fencing on Lock Island and the construction of a unisex restroom and shower facility on State Street, in close proximity to the canal. The pavilion and fencing portion was completed in 2013 and the restroom/shower portion will be completed this summer. The project was designed to enhance the recreational opportunities within the Village, increase the frequency and extend the duration of time the boaters are in the community, encourage residents of the Village and surrounding areas to plan family and community events on Lock Island and Henley Park, and complement the myriad of projects that have already been completed within the Canal Waterfront District.



Summer Village Board Meeting Schedule

1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM

This is a great opportunity for residents to meet their local government officials and discuss any issues or concerns they have.

Make sure to mark your calendars!

Follow us on FaceBook to received weekly updates.

Do you want to receive this newsletter electronically?

E-mail Laura at:
newsletter@villageofphoenix-ny.gov



Summer is Here!

Please clean up after your pets...

Please stop by the Town of Schroepel Clerk's Office to license your dog or call (315) 695-6231 for more information



Do you have unwanted TV's, electronics, large items you

cannot get rid of?

The Village is hoping to hold a large trash pick-up day for all our residents. Look for more information soon!

Village of Phoenix Contact Information

Village Administrator

Jim Lynch (315) 695-1307

Clerk's Office

Roxanne Demo (315) 695-2484

Laura Gonzalez (315) 695-4084

Police Department

Please Dial 911

D.P.W. (315) 695-4300

Code Enforcement

Don Ryan (315) 380-6991

Office (315) 695-1307

Fax number for all departments (315) 695-3311

Phoenix Farmers Market



Mark your calendars to begin shopping at our local farmers market.

July 6, 13, 20 and 27 from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

August 3, 10, 17 and 24 from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Please support our farmers.

Buy fresh! Buy local! and Buy here!



Follow us on FaceBook!!

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July 31, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"Mood Swing"

August 1, 2015

11:00 PM – 3:00 PM, Henley Park Community Picnic

"Sponsored by Council of Churches"

August 3, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"Moss Back Mule Band"

August 7, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"Nelson Bros"

August 8, 2015

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM, Henley Park Crafters, Chicken BBQ.

August 10, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"Dan Elliot & The Monterays"

August 14, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"Nite Life"

August 17, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"Weekend Pass"

August 21, 2015

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park Music in the Park

"County Tradition featuring Freddy Vietch"

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August 24, 2015

**6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park**

“American Eagle Band”

August 28, 2015

**6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Henley Park
Music in the Park**

“Flat Face & The Shemp-Dells”

September 11, 2015

**7:00 PM, Henley Park
Community Vigil in Memory of those
who lost their lives.**

(Bring a candle & chair)



From the Codes Enforcement Officer



Considering a new pool? Now is the time to meet with our Codes Enforcement Officer to determine the requirements for installation of a new pool.

Call our Codes Officer with any questions or concerns at (315) 380-6991

2nd Annual Phoenix 3-on-3 Co-Ed Basketball Tournament



August 22, 2015

10:00 AM – End of Play

Sign ups available at Village Clerk's office and on FaceBook at
Village of Phoenix Police

“Dear Village of Phoenix Resident or Town of Schroepel Water Customer:

Please be advised the quarterly notice entitled “Important Information About Your Drinking Water” for the period of April 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015 has been posted in its entirety on the Village of Phoenix website at <http://villageofphoenix-ny.gov/> under the Documents and Application tab. Included is also a link to the informational document relative to microorganisms found in unfiltered water.

In the event you do not have internet access or for any other reason would still like a hard (paper) copy, one can be picked up free of charge at the Village of Phoenix Clerk-Treasurer's office during regular business hours (weekdays between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.).

If for any reason you are unable to access the Village website and would like an electronic transmitted (email) copy, please email your request to the following address: demo@villageofphoenix-ny.gov, and please permit seven (7) to ten (10) days for a response. This will permit the Clerk's office to transmit in groups.

Thank you.

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