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Coming in May: *Shadowland Theatre, Memorial Day, Run Like the Wind, Gateway Strategy, School Elections*

We want to thank the following Distribution Locations for carrying our March Issue #4 of *Wawarsing.Net* —

Ellenville: Canal Street: Thornton Hardware, Canal Lodge Adult Care, Ellenville Lumber, Top Shelf Jewelry, JM Originals, Nu-Design Furniture, Time Warner Cable, Village Cleaners, Curves, Paraco Gas, Hidden Treasures, La Bella Pizza, Coin-op Laundry Washmat, Dollar World, Stedner Printing, Wags, Ellenville Post Office, Fort Lox Bagels, Sprague & Killeen, B&G General Store, Ed & Al's Barber Shop, Mail Boxes & More, Lighthouse Deli, Matthews Pharmacy, Ellenville Florist, Ace Hardware, Wawarsing Supervisor Office, Wawarsing Town Hall, Stewart's (Ellenville), Ellenville National Bank, Ellenville Library, Wilson's Market.

Center Street: Ellenville Medical Group, Johnny's Super Service, Getty Mart, H & R Block, Cohen's Bakery, Napa Auto, Visions.

South Main Street: Berger & Solomon, Stoeckeler Realty, Kaiser Murray Collier, Shanghai Red.

North Main Street: M & T Bank, Ellenville Village Hall, Ellenville Dodge, Osterhoudt Excavating, Euro Deli, McDonalds, RiteAid, Ellenville Beverage, Craft Chiropractic, Hair Encounter, Lucille Hand, Ellenville Ceramic & Tile, Pizza Hut, Family Dollar.

Rte. 209 to Napanoch: Dunkin' Donuts, Boob Tube, B. Petroleum, B & H Garage, Route 209 Diner, Ellenville Auto Parts, Ellenville Hospital, Family Practice Center, China House, GNC, Spin City, Creative Clippers, Il Paradiso.

Napanoch: Peters Market, James' General Store, Brother John's, Guzman's Bakery, Napanoch PO, Katherine's Korner, Valley Mall Wines, Ricke Len's.

Wawarsing to Kerhonkson: 209 Sand & Gravel, Wawarsing PO, Citgo Xtra Mart (Wawarsing), Colonial Motel, Dr. John Lichtenstein, Exxon (44-55), Minnewaska Motors, STS Tire, M & M Variety, Stewart's (Kerhonkson), Mountain View Diner, Kerhonkson Post Office.

South/East of Ellenville: Callaway Club, Nevele Grande, Gold Mountain, Spring Glen Grocery, Spring Glen Post Office, County Line Rest. Ice Caves, Cragmoor Library, Cragmoor Post Office.

Also: Ellenville School, Ulster County Tourist Information Office (Kingston).

(Don't see your location listed here? Call or email to be added to our route!)

From the Editor

We are pleased to report that our March *Village Election Special Edition* was very well-received. Only one person wrote in with any qualms at all, in that we might, over time, let "small community politics take over" what should be a "non-political, business-oriented publication."

Well, *Wawarsing.Net* was always planned to be a general interest community magazine. Certainly, as the *Chamber of Commerce* is the sponsor and publisher, local business will always be among our top priorities and subjects. But, as our audience is so large and varied, a business-only publication would likely have limited appeal. Hence, we also cover local non-profit clubs & organizations; our schools, hospital, and library; and local history, events, and milestones.

And now, we expect to cover local elections and issues that impact the community, which includes local businesses, of course. But, as mentioned last month, *Wawarsing.Net* will never take sides, show favoritism, or endorse candidates; political partisanship has NO place in its pages, and never will! This community has pleaded, for years, for a fair and unslanted source of information on local issues and candidates, and *Wawarsing.Net* is simply answering the call.

We are pleased to introduce Sylvia Fogarty as our new Ad Representative! Sylvia, who is active in the *Shawangunk Garden Club*, *Ellenville Hospital Auxiliary*, and *Noonday Club* (among other organizations), has already done a fantastic job of bringing in a slew of new advertisers to this month's issue. Being the organized and methodical person she is, Sylvia has already mapped out her route of businesses to contact, so expect her to call on you, if she hasn't already.

But why wait? Call Sylvia at 647-3877, or email to Ads@Wawarsing.Net to set up a meeting to discuss your advertising requirements and options!

Please check out our new *Ad Rate Card* on page 23. Due to popular requests, we've added some new ad sizes and shapes; we've also tried to standardize and simplify the ad dimensions. For a blank copy of the *Ad Agreement*, see last month's issue, or download the form from the March issue on the *Wawarsing.Net* website, or contact Sylvia directly.

The *Shawangunk Garden Club* still has FREE Dogwood trees; see the March issue for details and the order form.

This is the last month we will include a *Chamber Membership Application/Renewal* form for 2003 Annual membership. If you haven't done so already, fill out the form and send it in with your check, so we can list this year's members in the May issue, and in our annual brochure.



Cover: *Christ Lutheran Church, Ellenville, Town of Wawarsing, Ulster County, New York, USA. Read a brief history of a local landmark, as it celebrates the 100th anniversary of its move to its current location. (See page 20)*

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