

Scene Around Town

Too Many Cats!

by Dianne Turner

Cat overpopulation is a very real concern in the Village and surrounding townships. Sue Clarke has an excellent working arrangement with the Ulster County SPCA in an attempt to address our problem.

Yes, Ellenville/Wawarsing kitten season has begun anew. These three little guys (*Sushi, Ginger Boy, Wasabi, below*) were orphaned at a day old. Rescued by our local cat trapper extraordinaire Sue Clarke, they now have a foster mom who will raise them until they are old enough to be adopted out. These three are “lucky”—there are many more out there who are not.



PLEASE, make arrangements to have your cats spayed or neutered before they can contribute to the overpopulation problem. There is no reason to produce another litter of “cute kittens.” They all far too quickly grow up to be cats... and there are plenty of those in shelters awaiting homes.

There are several local spay/neuter programs available. If you need assistance or know of someone who does, please call the **Ulster County SPCA, Kingston, 845-331-5377.** ✨



At the Open House of the Ellenville Cooperative Nursery School on April 9th. Back row, from left: Wayne Storey, President; Alison Storey, Fund Raising; Karen Guiney, Asst. Treasurer. In wagons: “Miss Sally” Minich, Teacher; “Grandma Gail” Kristoff, Asst. Teacher. For details, see **Wawarsing.Net** April 2005, page 19.



John Simon and wife C.C. Loveheart performed at the cabaret café concert to benefit Shadowland Theatre on April 2nd. For details, see last month's **Wawarsing.Net**, page 23.



Ellenville Police Chief Phil Matraccion waves to the TV cameras as he prepares to take volunteer passenger Dianne Krulick, EWCoC Secretary, on the village's new all-electric police car's first public spin around the block on March 31st. For more details, see page 6.

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