



# THE TWILIGHT OWL

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## SUMMER IN FULL SWING!

Fourth of July *Week* proved to be great fun in Twilight this year! With the holiday smack in the middle of the week, Twilighters and guests of the Park had the opportunity to visit with friends and do some extra lolling - a relished opportunity for all.

Thanks to some very holiday-spirited Twilighters, on July 4, 2012, we were regaled with a celebratory parade, a carnival at Wingate Field with games and face-painting, and the Danny Maurer pool barbecue and annual diving contest, emceed by none other than Bill Clare. On Saturday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, Twilighters enjoyed the annual cocktail party on the lawn, hosted by the Board, followed by the Annual Dinner Dance.

When we left the Mountain Top on Sunday morning, guests from the dance were still sleeping, so it must have been a huge hit! We don't know about all of you, but we were exhausted by all the fun and needed a few days of rest!

In sum, summer in Twilight is now in full swing!

Enjoy!  
Ariana and Penny

## JULY 20-22, 2012 WEEKEND EVENTS



Sat., July 21, 2012  
6pm Youth Program  
Fundraising Dinner @  
The Clubhouse



Sat., July 21, 2012  
7pm Greg Dayton  
performance



Sun., July 22, 2012  
9:30am Choir Practice  
10:30am Worship,  
followed by  
Lemonade on the  
Lawn

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS FOR  
NEXT TWILIGHT OWL  
**THURSDAY, JULY 26<sup>th</sup> @ 5pm**  
PLEASE SUBMIT BY EMAIL  
WITH EMAIL SUBJECT LINE:  
"TWILIGHT OWL"

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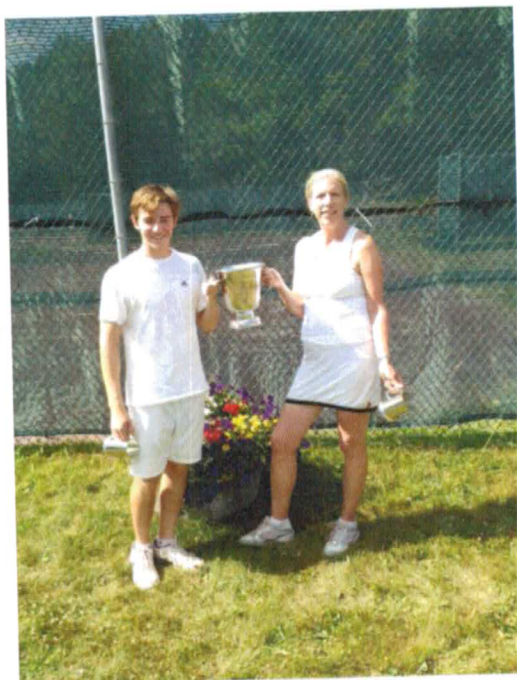
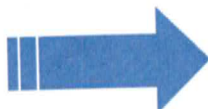
## Twilighters Prevail in Onteora Tennis

**Paula Canning**  
(Twilighter by birth  
and in her heart)

and

**Will Bennett**

won the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Gailliard Cup Mixed Doubles Tournament in Onteora. Jim Ault and Mary Dickinson played beautiful tennis in an exciting finals before bowing out 6-1, 6-4. Many Twilighters participated in the 15-team draw, including semi-finalists, Hendy and Jackson Dayton.



## The Owl Matches (sign up before 7/28)

A team tennis match of Twilight versus Onteora is scheduled for Saturday afternoon, July 28<sup>th</sup>.

There have been thirty-three contests over the years with Twilight winning eighteen and Onteora fifteen. Onteora has triumphed the past four years. The teams usually include junior doubles, women's doubles, men's doubles, and men's singles.

The Dayton Family donated the Owl Matches Trophy Plaque, which hangs in the Tennis House, in 1978, in memory of James and Millicent Callender who frequented Twilight circa 1906.

## Other Tennis News ...

### Ladies' Tennis everyday @ 9am

This is a causal round robin style of play.  
Every level is welcome.

### Tennis Clinics every Tuesday and Thursday @ 9am

Everyone is welcome.  
Come on down and play with our Pro Darren.  
Give him a call at 589-6222.

## THE OWL MATCHES!

Interested in playing in the famed Owl Matches on Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>?  
Please contact Scott Graves at  
917-697-0807

## WATER ALERT!!!

### News from Nathan...

Due to the lack of rain, we have to put water restrictions in place.

At this time:

- *NO watering of gardens*
- Run only full loads in washing machines and dishwashers
- Fix any leaks
- Check for any leaking toilets. (A toilet that is running can use thousands of gallons of water overnight.)
- If you will be leaving the park for an extended period of time, please consider closing the outside shutoff to avoid any potential leaks.

If you have any questions, please call Nathan.

Here's a suggestion, how about a little rain dance, so we can fill the reservoir with fish? ☺



"See, here's where you screwed up."



## ALL ANGELS

Sunday Services begin at 10:30am

Choir practice starts at 9:30am

ALL ARE WELCOME

### News from the All Angels Auxiliary

*Super Seventies Cabaret!* – Saturday Night Fever hits Twilight Park on August 4! You are up for a FUNtastic evening! Reservation forms have been placed in the mailboxes and extra forms are at the back of the Church. Cost of \$40/person includes sumptuous buffet, soft drinks (BYOB), dessert, and tremendous entertainment presented by our award winning Twilighters that is guaranteed to keep your boogie shoes tapping for days!

Karen Hulse  
All Angels Auxiliary





## 65th ANNUAL TWILIGHT PARK ART EXHIBITION

On August 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, the 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Exhibition, sponsored by Twilight Park Artists, will be open to the public at the Twilight Park Clubhouse. The Exhibition is open to artists and photographers on the Mountain Top, surrounding areas, and invited guests. *Entries were due by Wednesday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, i.e., the date is now past due.* Entries, to be hand-carried, are accepted the day before the show opens; they must be delivered to the Twilight Park Clubhouse between 9:30am and 12 noon on Friday, August 10.



### Twilight Park Artists

Cordially invite you  
to help us  
Celebrate 65 Years of Art

## 65th Annual Art Exhibition 2012

Twilight Park Clubhouse,  
Haines Falls, NY

**Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup>**

4-5pm Guided Gallery Walk,  
Admission \$10\*

5-7pm Wine Reception,  
Admission \$5\*

\*Includes Saturday Wine Reception  
and admission on Sunday 1-5pm

*Participating artists are guests for  
Wine reception and Sunday events*

**Sunday, August 12**

1-5pm Exhibition open,  
Admission \$5 per adult

Artist Demonstration: 3pm

Handicap assistance available on request

### Art Show Judges announced

The Art Committee is pleased to announce the  
two judges selected for the 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Twilight  
Art Show scheduled for August 11-12

Fawn Potash is a studio artist, curator and art educator whose work was recently seen at the Albany Airport Gallery, Gallery Ehva in Cape Cod, Massachusetts and a solo show in her hometown St. Louis, Missouri. She has recently completed two commissions for Ulster County's Area Transit building and the Woodstock Land Conservancy. Her work is part of private and public collections worldwide, including the Sony, Dow Jones, Standard and Poors Asia, the Bibiliotech National in Paris and Sheraton Hotels, Montreal. Potash is an instructor at the School of Visual Arts as well as the Visual Arts Director at the Greene County Council on the Arts, curating exhibitions for the Catskill Gallery and Masters on Main Street storefront exhibitions.

Pia Oste-Alexander of Bearsville is an instructor of Art at the Woodstock School of Art.

## Twilight Park Counselor in Training Program

A core part of our Youth Program this year is building a Counselor in Training (CIT) Program that provides guidance and opportunity for leadership and eventually for summer employment for our younger Teens. We are providing our young inexperienced teens with leadership training and team building skills and gradually giving them experience working with the younger children. Our older experienced CITs earn a salary and play an important role in the supervision of the children in the Youth Program.

Erica Christakis, in a recent article, says, "There aren't a lot of Harvard students who've worked as camp counselors, but I can usually spot them: they have a combination of flexibility and interpersonal savvy that makes them good leaders. I always thought that the kind of person who chooses to be a camp counselor is likely already an affable and mature person. But many educators have come to recognize that summer camp, and specifically being a counselor, fosters precisely the skill that we value so highly in young adults: taking responsibility. Caring for younger children helps teenagers learn how to be more mature themselves."

Read more:

<http://ideas.time.com/2012/07/10/summer-camp-can-it-make-kids-more-responsible/#ixzz20GwPcABl> (sic).

Our Counselors and Counselors in Training recently completed 3 days of intense leadership training, including Parent and Community Panels to better understand their role as caretakers of their children and responsible members of the community. The Junior Counselors in Training supplement their training with community projects such as repairing the path from the first level to the Church Lane (which is used frequently by the campers as well as the community). They are also learning camping and hiking skills and recently hiked from Twilight to Palenville and stopped for pictures at Poet's Ledge. *See photo top right.*

We are very proud of the fine group of young men and women in our Counselor in Training Program including: **Senior CITs**- Anna Zabel, Annie Canning, Charlotte Mack, Zachery Hommel & Caroline Sade.

**Junior CITs** - Aidan Gibbons, Anna & Kate Titowsky, Ryan Clare, Milo Marcus, William Stephens, Harris Cavanaugh... and more are coming later in the summer.

Our wonderful new Head Counselor, Mollie Zucker, who has lots of wilderness, leadership and camp experience, supervises this group.



## Teen Activities

If you are interested in sponsoring  
a teen event, please contact

Paula Canning at

[canningpaula@aol.com](mailto:canningpaula@aol.com).

## Twilight Park Teens Play Minute to Win It

The Teens added to their fun with the second Annual "Minute to Win It" contest on July 5<sup>th</sup>, which was absolutely crazy fun to watch. A big thank you goes to Terry & Jimmy Douglass who put it together and to Danny Maurer for being the Moderator.

Also, congratulations to Anna Zabel and Walker Douglass for winning the big \$100 prize.



# July 4<sup>th</sup> Activities and Upcoming Events

## Fourth of July Festivities

(submitted by Sarah Post)

The week of Fourth of July was very exciting for the youngest members of our community... and a highlight of their summer thus far. The activities for the children included:

- Making their Bear, Skunk, Eagles or Deer costumes and banners for the Big Parade
- Dedicating our new Flag on the morning of the Fourth... including singing patriotic songs
- Decorating the Galatti's golf cart
- Parading & singing down Spray Falls Road to the church... with many clapping parents & friends
- Ringing the church bells 236 times (more or less)
- Enjoying the cook out at the pool coordinated by Janinne & Danny Maurer
- Participating in the Children's Carnival (prepared by our Counselors in Training) along with parents and community members
- Ending the day with the Traditional Diving contest at the pool coordinated by Danny Maurer and emceed by Bill Clare

Wow what a fun week!

**For photos from  
July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012,  
go to page 7!**

## 125<sup>th</sup> TWILIGHT PARK CELEBRATION

ATTENTION TWILIGHT ARTISTS:

The Twilight Art Committee has been directed by the 125<sup>th</sup> Committee to sponsor a competition for the 125<sup>th</sup> Twilight Park Poster for 2013. Any Twilighter: professional, young or old may compete. A framed copy of the 100<sup>th</sup> Poster is hanging in the Tennis House for all to review.

Designs, suitable for reproduction should be completed by **August 15, 2012** and submitted to Gracia Dayton.

Dimensions should be limited to 24" x 18" either vertical or horizontal...the use of oil, pastel, watercolor, and photography are eligible.

Call Gracia Dayton with any questions @ 518-589-5119.

## Youth Program Fundraising Dinner

Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup>, 6pm  
in the Clubhouse

Chef Chris Douglass and his Team!

Adults \$25 and Kids \$10

## Come support our musical Twilighters!

Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup>, 7pm



**Greg Dayton**



# Independence Day 2012 Festivities



## In Twilight Park

(Pictures available from Ariana Tadler Paterson)





# Park Notes

## Pool Reminders

### ❖ SNACKS:

Snacks at the pool are available for *PURCHASE*. If you wish to enjoy a beverage or treat available from the snack bar, *please be sure to pay for it at the time of selection*. To avoid finding yourself short on funds, as you likely may not have waterproof pockets, please "fund" an account in your name by submitting a sum of \$ (e.g., \$10 or \$20) and filling out a card in the box on which you can keep a running tally. Please do not assume that you will pay up your account later or at the end of the summer – those who purchase the goodies need the funds to purchase new goodies for all of us to enjoy.

### ❖ CLEAN UP:

Please clean up after yourself and your children and/or guests. This includes food and beverage remnants, as well as toys, towels, etc.



## DOGS:

- Dogs should not be permitted to roam the Park unattended.
- When attended and walking about the Park, dogs should be on leashes.
- Although we are "in the woods," please pick up after your dog.



## Lions, Tigers and BEARS, oh my!

**Well, maybe no lions or tigers, but we definitely have BEARS. There have been many a BEAR sighting over the last several weeks. Please be alert when walking through the Park.**





## TWILIGHT OWL NEWS ALERT

### *Search for Editors for Summer 2013*

Although the time has not yet arrived,  
the time to pass the Editors' torch is nearing.

Ariana Tadler Paterson and Penelope Tadler  
will be *resigning* their posts as co-editors  
at the end of the 2012 Summer Season.

**And so the search for talented, enthusiastic,  
Twilight-spirited editors begins...**

If you are interested in serving as an editor  
for the Twilight Owl for the 2013 Summer Season  
- or at least are willing to take on the job -  
please contact Ariana and Penny.

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[ptadler1@mac.com](mailto:ptadler1@mac.com)

Ariana and Penny would be pleased to  
answer questions,  
show you the ropes,  
and share practice tips  
during late July and August.





Do you recognize this Twilight spot? See if you can identify its location in the Park...

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Come take it away.  
Large cedar lined steamer trunk.  
Provides great protection for your  
clothes and bedding against  
critters over the winter.

Contact - Dianne Butt, 589-5259  
weekends or  
the week of July 19 - 27.

Note: It's heavy.

### THE TWILIGHT OWL directions for making submissions

- Deadlines are strict – **NO exceptions**
- Submissions must be brief in length and allow for easy cut and paste – with few exceptions, a quarter/half of a column in 10pt font is used per submission
- WORD format is preferred (please do NOT send PowerPoint; PDFs are NOT easily manageable)
- Please size graphics/photos accordingly
- Please only use permissible inserts
- Please use simple fonts and formatting
- Please spell check and proofread your work

All submissions are subject to editing.

All submissions must be sent to **BOTH**  
Ariana Tadler at  
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**AND**  
Penelope Tadler at [ptadler1@mac.com](mailto:ptadler1@mac.com)