The Capital Region Archives Dinner Committee, in co-operation with Capital Area Archivists, is proud to present the Fifteenth Annual Capital Region Archives Dinner at the Edison Club in Rexford, NY.

Our main speaker this year will be **Dr. Gerald Zahavi**, Professor of History and Director of the Documentary Studies Program at the University at Albany. Focusing on an important aspect of General Electric's social life, Association Island, a corporate summer recreation retreat and conference center owned by GE for half a century, Dr. Zahavi will explore the usefulness of utilizing non-textual sources to interpret the often hidden social and cultural dimensions of economic history.

Past Capital Region Archives Dinners have similarly spotlighted the work of authors, artists, historians, musicians and photographers who made use of archival records to enlighten, educate and entertain present-day America.

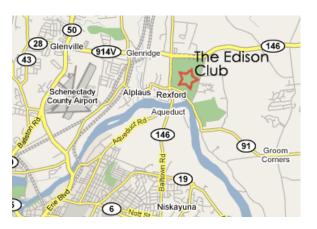
The Archives Dinner Committee is also pleased to recognize individuals and organizations who or which have made significant contributions to the preservation and enhancement of local archives as part of our annual celebration.

Last year, we recognized Sister Elaine Wheeler, Robert W. Arnold III, and Andrew Raymond. In recent years we've honored Jan Allen's work with student historical research, Albert Fowler of the Crandall Library, historical painter Len Tantillo, Kathleen Newkirk, Paul and Mary Liz Stewart of the Underground Railroad Workshop, Warren County Clerk Pam Vogel, Diane Tarity and Wendy McConkey of Saratoga County Cooperative Extension, Assembly Member John J. McEneny, Dr. Cathryne Welch of the Foundation of NYS Nurses, State Archivist Christine Ward, the Town of Niskayuna, the University at Albany, State Senator Joseph Bruno, and educator Deborah Escobar.

### The Edison Club

The historic Edison Club is located on Riverview Road (County Route 91) in Rexford, NY. The Club was founded in 1904 as a social club by GE employees and is the home of one of the Capital Region's finest golf courses.

### DIRECTIONS



From Albany: Take the Northway (187) North to Exit 8A. Turn left onto Grooms Road. Stay on Grooms Road until it merges with Riverview Road. Merge Right onto Riverview Road. Take Riverview for about 1 mile. The Clubhouse will be on your right.

From Schenectady: Take Route 146 (Balltown Road) North to Rexford. Cross the Rexford Bridge. At the light (Stewarts) take a right onto Riverview Road. The clubhouse is approximately ¼ mile on your left.

From Saratoga: Take the Northway (187) South to Exit 9. Follow Route 146 approximately 6 miles. Turn Left at the Four-way traffic light. Go to The next light (Stewarts) and take a left onto Riverview Road. The Clubhouse is approximately ¼ mile on your left.

http://www.edisonclub.com/club/scripts/view/ view directions.asp

For further information, please visit our website <a href="www.archivesdinner.com">www.archivesdinner.com</a> or e-mail us at kan331@aol.com.

# You Are Cordially Invited to Join Us for

# The Fifteenth Annual Capital Region Archives Dinner

Wednesday, October 6, 2010



THE EDISON CLUB
Riverview Road
Rexford, NY

www.archivesdinner.com

### The Capital Region Archives Dinner Committee

- Brian Keough, Head, Special Collections & Archives, University at Albany, Chair
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- Robert W. Arnold, III, Adjunct Professor, College of St. Rose
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- Geoffrey P. Williams, University Archivist, University at Albany



We come together one evening each year, in celebration of archives; to honor and appreciate those whose work draws its life from our documentary heritage.

The Capital Region Archives Dinner celebrates the archival heritage of Albany, Columbia, Fulton, Greene, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren and Washington counties in New York State.

# THE FIFTEENTH ANNUAL CAPITAL REGION ARCHIVES DINNER

### Wednesday, October 6, 2010

Cash Bar & Hors d'oeuvres - 6 pm Dinner and Program - 7 pm

## THE EDISON CLUB RIVERVIEW ROAD REXFORD, NY



Dr. Gerald Zahavi

as well as

Awards, Recognitions, and Appreciations

Tickets to the Capital Region Archives Dinner at The Edison Club on Wednesday, October 6, 2010, may be obtained by mail at the address below or from members of the Dinner Committee.

Please reserve tickets at \$35.00 each:
(Indicate number for each choice of entrée)
Chicken Marsala
Baked Scrod with Lemon Wine Sauce
Sirloin of Beef
Vegetable Lasagna
All meal choices come with oven-roasted red potatoes and glazed carrots, with apple dumpling for dessert.
Names
Address
Telephone
Affiliation

Please RSVP by September 30, 2010

### Seating is limited to 125 people.

Please make contributions payable to "Archives Dinner Committee"

Mail ticket requests to Hon. Kathleen A. Newkirk, 331 Clapper Road, Selkirk NY 12158. You may also reach her by telephone at (518) 767-2980.

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