

**DPW REPORT March 6, 2019**

**A: WATER**

- 1) Perform daily water operations
- 2) Read water meters house closings
- 3) Repair water line 84 South Main Street
- 4) Repair water line 66 North Main Street
- 5) Repair water line 32 Boltwood Ave

**B: STORM WATER, MS4S AND SANITARY SEWER**

- 1) Clear storm drops throughout Village

**C: STREETS**

- 1) Plow and salt roads
- 2) Shovel Village Hall and clean sidewalks and parking lots
- 3) Order 2 loads of salt, pile in salt shed
- 4) Remove snow on Main Street
- 5) Clean up branches and debris from high wind storm
- 6) Prepare budget

**D: MECHANICAL**

- 1) Grease sanders
- 2) Grease backhoe

**E: MISCELLANEOUS**

- 1) Complete monthly inspection of bulk petroleum storage tanks.
- 2) Clean vehicles
- 3) Work on Hometown banners

Respectfully submitted;  
Richard A. Saville

**VILLAGE OF CASTLETON-ON-HUDSON**  
**WATER AND WASTEWATER REPORT**  
**March 11, 2019**

Average daily water flow for November 105,000 GPD

Average daily water flow for December 108,000 GPD

Average daily water flow for January 108,000 GPD

Average daily water flow for February 120,000 GPD

- We used our leak detection equipment to find possible water leaks.
- Called in Prowler leak Detection to pinpoint the water leaks we found.
- We have repaired 7 water breaks this year.
- Repaired a water service line break on Boltwood.
- Removed a leaking saddle off the water main on South Main.
- Replaced a service line on North Main and lower Benedict.
- Rechecked water service lines that are supposed to be shut off.
- Repairing water meters that are not working properly.

Average daily sewer flow for November 247 ,000 GPD

Average daily sewer flow for December 214,000 GPD

Average daily sewer flow for January 185,000 GPD

Average daily sewer flow for February 203,000 GPD

- Removed the grease stuck on the wet well walls.
- Received a call for plugged sewer line on Scott.
- Joe is attending a laboratory course to complete his training to be a licensed operator.

John Shortsleeve

**Village of Castleton**  
**Building Department**  
**Monthly Report February 2019**

- 2-1-19 At Village Hall.
- 2-2-19 Telephone call with owner of 45 Benedict Street regarding renovation questions.
  - At 56 Seaman Avenue – fire call.
- 2-3-19 At Village Hall.
  - At 48 Boltwood Avenue – Karin/Nix - Building Permit#2019-03 – Woodstove inspection – re-inspection is needed.
  - At 26-28 Campbell Avenue – Cantwell – rental inspection of one unit.
- 2-4-19 At Village Hall.
- 2-5-19 At Village Hall.
  - Telephone call with owner of 85 South Main Street regarding zoning regulations.
- 2-6-19 At Village Hall.
  - At 1 Green Avenue - Building Permit#2017-53 – Palladino – final inspection of two-unit residence. Project complete. Certificate of Occupancy issued.
- 2-7-19 At Village Hall.
- 2-8-19 At Village Hall.
  - At 53 North Main Street – Clifford – rental unit inspection of two units.
- 2-11-19 At Village Hall.
  - Attended Work-Place Violence Training.
- 2-13-19 At Village Hall.
- 2-14-19 At Village Hall.
- 2-15-19 Attended Code Class in Colonie – Residential Energy Code.
  - At Village Hall.
  - Conference call and meeting with Village Attorney, Code Officer, Village Clerk and Planning Chairperson regarding vacant properties.
  - Issued Building Permit#019-04 – Ackerman – 55 Seaman Avenue – porch/deck.
- 2-16-19 At Village Hall.
  - At 14 Chestnut Street – Acierno - Building Permit#2018-23 -final inspection – re-inspection is needed.
  - At 42 North Main Street – Milano - Building Permit#2018-03 -porch railings. Project complete. Permit closed.

**Village of Castleton**  
**Building Department**  
**Monthly Report February 2019**

- 2-18-19      At Village Hall.
- At 12 South Main Street – Klein – stopped window work – advised owner of need for building permit.
  - Telephone call with Planning Board Chairperson regarding Historic Review Application.
- 2-20-19      At Village Hall.
- At 54 North Main Street – Clifford – re-inspection for rental property.
- 2-21-19      At Village Hall.
- At 56 Benedict Street – advised contractor of need for window permit.
- 2-22-19      At Village Hall.
- Issued Building Permit#2019-05 – Morine – 56 Benedict Street – windows.
- 2-25-19      At Village Hall.
- At 18 First Street with Castleton Fire Company – wires pulled from house – contacted owner and property manager.
- 2-26-19      At Village Hall.
- Telephone call with owner of 22-24 Campbell Avenue – questions on smoke detectors in rental unit.
- 2-28-19      At Village Hall.



# Classes and Events at Castleton Public Library March 2019

## Weekly Programs

### Pajama Storytime

#### Pajama Storytime

Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. March 5, 12, 19, 26; April 2.

Feel free to wear your pajamas or bring a stuffed animal friend to this evening storytime! Ages birth-8.

### Learn & Play Storytime



#### Learn & Play Storytime

Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. March 7, 14, 21, 28; April 4.

Children from birth to age 5 are invited to enjoy stories, rhymes, music, and movement while building their early literacy and motor skills! Join us every Thursday for fun and learning.

## Other Programs



#### Bridge Club

Friday, March 1, 10:30 a.m.

Come play bridge with us! We play every 2 weeks. All experience levels welcome.



### After Dinner Book Club

#### After Dinner Book Club – *Winter of Our Discontent* by John Steinbeck

Monday, March 4, 7:00 p.m.



#### Family Movie Night – *The Grinch* (PG)

Friday, March 8, 6:00 p.m.



#### Knock Hockey

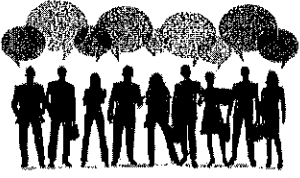
Saturday, March 9, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



#### Read to Lacey the Therapy Dog

Monday, March 11, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

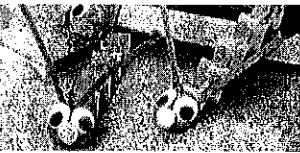
Lacey loves for kids to read to her! Kids are invited to stop in to read to Lacey, or just pet her and say hi.



#### Hello Yellow Brick Road: Rediscovering & Rebuilding Community

Tuesday, March 12, 6:30 p.m.

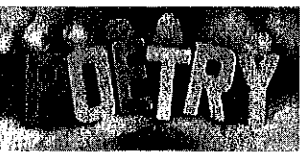
Join Michael Hiser for a discussion, drawing from a selected number of relevant books, of how our lives as members of a community have changed over time, some causes and possible effects of those changes, and some suggestions for trying to recapture and build community locally.



#### Insect Art

Wednesday, March 13, 3:00-8:00 p.m.

Get ready for spring with crafts celebrating some of our favorite outdoor creatures – insects! Make a caterpillar pencil creature and other fun bug-themed crafts!



#### Teen Time: Poetry Games

Thursday, March 14, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Do you enjoy poetry, or want to try something new? Stop by to enjoy snacks and join us for some fun poetry exercises and games. For teens in 6th-12th grades.



#### Bridge Club

Friday, March 15, 10:30 a.m.

Come play bridge with us! We play every 2 weeks. All experience levels welcome.



### Afternoon Book Club

#### Afternoon Book Club – *Maggie Murders* by Anthony Horowitz

Tuesday, March 19, 1:00 p.m.

Join us the third Tuesday of each month for a book discussion! Books available at the front desk.



#### Perler Bead Crafts

Friday, March 22, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

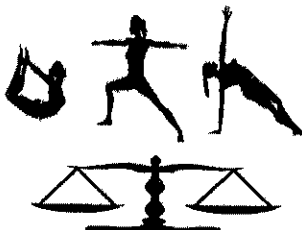
Have the day off from school? Stop by and make something awesome out of perler beads!



### Recycled Art: Flower Wreaths

Saturday, March 23, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Stop in to make a pastel flower wreath out of styrofoam egg cartons!



### Downsizing Seminar

Saturday, March 23, 11:00 a.m.

For seniors or anyone hoping to simplify their life, this seminar offers information about the downsizing process. Presented by Licensed Assoc. Real Estate Broker Cindy McMahon. *Register; call 518-732-0879.*

### Spring Renewal Yoga

Monday, March 25, 6:00-7:15 p.m.

This is a time for renewal and growth – what has been lying dormant in the winter is now ready to come to light! Join instructor Patricia McCarthy for 75 minutes of yoga to begin your journey into spring. Ages 12+.



### Legal Clinic (*Appointment required; call 518-435-1770*)

Tuesday, March 26, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

### Tick & Lyme Disease Prevention

Tuesday, March 26, 1:00 p.m.

Presented by Rensselaer County Department of Health. Learn about how to protect yourself and your family from tick bites and tick-borne illnesses such as Lyme Disease. *Please register; call 518-732-0879.*



### Cool Science!

### Cool Science: Candy Structures

Tuesday, March 26, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

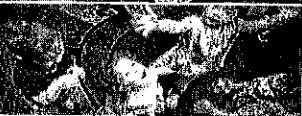
Learn about physics by creating structures using toothpicks and candy! How strong will your structures be?



### Bridge Club

Friday, March 29, 10:30 a.m.

Come play bridge with us! We play every 2 weeks. All experience levels welcome.



### Early Literacy Class: Sing, Dance & Play!

Saturday, March 30, 10:30 a.m.

Children ages birth to 5 enjoy an interactive class with songs, dance, and movement, followed by playtime!



### Duct Tape Crafts

Saturday, March 30, 12:00-4:00 p.m.

We have a rainbow of duct tape to match your imagination! Make wallets, bow ties, flowers, and more.



### Monday Mile Community Walk

Monday, April 1, 5:00 p.m.

Location: Intersection of Main Street and Scott Avenue

Let's walk the Main Street Mile together every Monday (**weather permitting**) starting April 1! We'll meet at the intersection of Main & Scott. All ages welcome (ages 10 & under must be accompanied by adult).



### Afternoon Book Club

### After Dinner Book Club – *Nomadland: Surviving America in the Twenty-First Century*

Monday, April 1, 7:00 p.m.

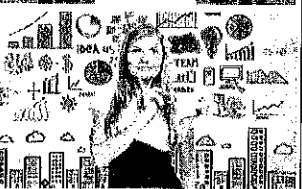
Join us the first Monday of each month for a book discussion! Books available at the front desk.



### Rainbow Art

Tuesday, April 2, 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Decorate your own rainbow with a variety of colorful materials!



### So You Want to Be an Entrepreneur

Wednesday, April 3, 6:00 p.m.

Explore the "dos and don'ts" of success with career counselor Tom Denham. Learn to navigate the 3 stages of entrepreneurship & develop an understanding of your business' core concepts. *Registration required; call 518-732-0879.* Supported by funds from the NYSL Adult Literacy Library Services Program.

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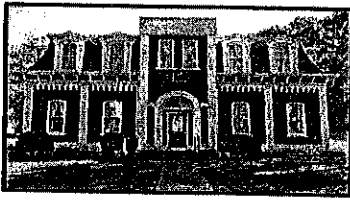
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### Pajama Storytime

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Feel free to wear your pajamas or bring a stuffed animal friend to this evening storytime! Ages birth-8.

Learn & Play  
Storytime



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Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. April 4, 11, 18, 25 (4/25 storytime meets at Community Garden)

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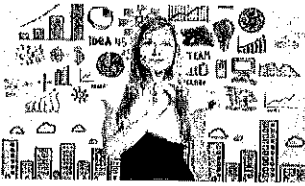
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### Family Movie Night – *Mary Poppins Returns* (PG)

Friday, April 5, 6:00 p.m.



### Read to Lacey the Therapy Dog

Monday, April 8, 4:00-5:00 p.m.



### One-on-One Career Coaching

Wednesday, April 10, 5:30-8:00 p.m.

Discuss your career and workplace questions with career coach Marsha Lazarus. Explore any topic – from job-seeking, to goals and motivation, to handling challenges. **Appointment required; call 518-732-0879 to reserve your 45-min. appointment.** Supported by funds from NYSL Adult Literacy Library Services Program.



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Friday, April 12, 10:30 a.m.

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Saturday  
Storytime

### Saturday Storytime

Saturday, April 13, 10:30 a.m.

Join Miss Joelle for stories, songs, and a craft! Recommended for ages birth to 8.



### Make a Suncatcher

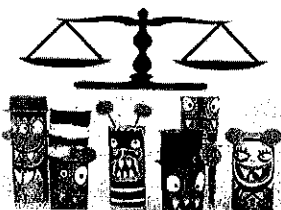
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Afternoon  
Book Club

### Afternoon Book Club – *Why We Sleep: Unlocking the Power of Sleep & Dreams*

Tuesday, April 16, 1:00 p.m.



**Legal Clinic (appointment required; call 518-435-1770)**

**Tuesday, April 16, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

**Recycled Art: Robots & Monsters!**

**Friday, April 19, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

Get creative and make your own unique robot or monster out of a tin can or paper tube!



**Friends of CPL Bottle & Can Drive**

**Saturday, April 20 through Saturday, April 27**

Save us your empties! Bring your returnable bottles and cans to the library any time from **Saturday, April 20 through Saturday, April 27**. All proceeds benefit the Friends of CPL.



**Rainbow Scratch Art**

**Saturday, April 20, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**



**Perler Bead Crafts**

**Monday, April 22, 12:00-8:00 p.m.**

**Cool Science: Rain Clouds**

**Tuesday, April 23, 4:00-6:00 p.m.**

Learn how rain clouds work as we create colorful rain using food coloring and shaving cream!



**Cool Science!**



**Spring Crafts**

**Wednesday, April 24, 3:00-7:00 p.m.**

Stop by the library to celebrate the warmer weather and make some special spring crafts!



**Community Garden Storytime**

**Thursday, April 25, 10:30 a.m.**

**Location: Castleton Community Garden, on river side of Main Street, just north of Seaman Ave.** Meet us at the Community Garden for stories and songs -- then we'll get to plant seeds in the garden and learn how fruits and veggies grow! In case of bad weather, storytime will be held at the library.



**Build with Keva Planks**

**Thursday, April 25, 12:00-4:00 p.m.**

Want to build something cool? Drop in and make a tower or other exciting structure out of Keva Planks!



**Teen Time: Design Your Own Bookends**

**Thursday, April 25, 4:00-6:00 p.m.**

Come design and decorate your own bookends to take home! For teens in grades 6-12.



**Marble Run Fun!**

**Friday, April 26, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**



**Bridge Club**

**Friday, April 26, 10:30 a.m.**

Come play bridge with us! We play every 2 weeks. All experience levels welcome.



**Friends of CPL Fundraiser at The Hill Restaurant**

**Friday, April 26, 4:00-10:00 p.m.**

**Location: The Hill Restaurant, 133 Scott Avenue, Castleton, NY 12033**

When you dine in at The Hill on April 26, 10% of your purchase cost for entrees, sides, drinks, desserts, and more will go to benefit the Friends of CPL! Fundraiser does not apply to take-out orders.



**Cat Rescue Storytime**

**Saturday, April 27, 10:30 a.m.**

Join us for a special storytime with Kitten Angels to learn all about cat rescue and meet some cats and kittens! Kitten Angels will also be accepting donations of cat food and cat toys at this event.

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**March 11, 2019 – Clerk-Treasurer’s Report**

Receivables as of 3/7/18

Property Tax: \$ 0.00

Capital Water: \$ 0.00

Refuse: \$ 3,779.00

Sewer-Residential: \$ 6,102.86

Sewer-Commercial: \$ 0.00

In Village Residential Water: \$ 1,901.39

Out of Village Residential Water: \$ 1,514.27

In Village Commercial Water: \$ 0.00

Out of Village Commercial Water: \$ 0.00

Out of Village Water Judgements: \$ 0.00

Preliminary Budget has been completed. Two unknown variables are AIM funding and water rate increase.

PERMA conducted annual review on March 5. The Village is doing very good according to their report but additional steps need to be taken including policy updates and mandatory trainings for some employees.

PERMA has Sexual/Harassment and Workplace Violence training on their online institute. I will facilitate a training for the fire department and anyone else that missed the training once I am enrolled.

The Office of the State Comptroller is coming in on March 14 for a Tax Cap Audit, to make sure we are not increasing our budget over 2% annually.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Padraic Ellis