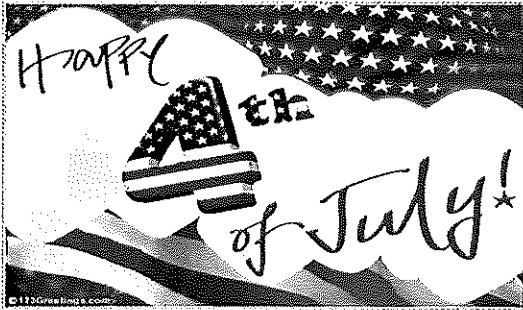


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AUTHORITY
JULY 2019 NEWSLETTER
Damaris G. Carbone, Executive Director



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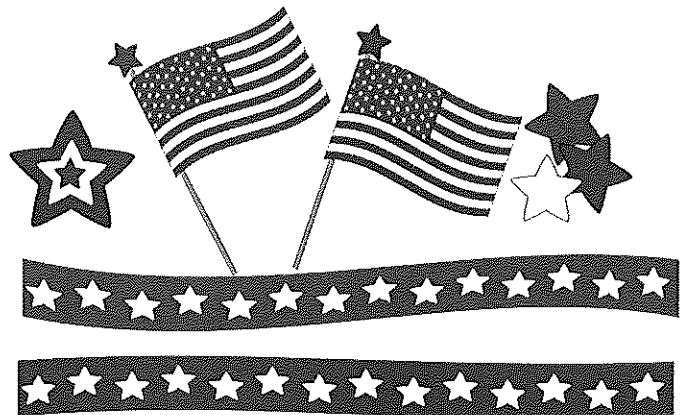
Office Address:

52 Division Street
Amsterdam, NY 12010

Maintenance Requests:

518-842-2895 (24 hour – emergencies
only after 3:30pm)

Police: 518-842-1100





FOBS

Remember...your FOB is assigned to you, do not let anyone else use your FOB to enter the building. If you need an additional FOB for a family member or medical professional, please contact the office to request an additional Key/FOB form.

IMPORTANT - REPORTING INCOME CHANGES

Please remember that it is imperative that you abide by program regulations. You must report any changes in your family income.

When you start a new job or change employment you MUST report the change to the office within 10 days. Do not assume that because the pay rate is the same that it is not necessary to report the change.

You must report ANY changes in....

- Employment - including change of job or increase or decrease in hours worked.
- Child Support or Alimony
- Public Assistance
- Social Security or SSI
- Pension

AHA Board Meeting

There will be no Board Meeting for the month of July or August.

General Tenant Meeting

A General Tenant Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 16th at 10:00 in the Hi Rise Community Room.

Thursday, July 4th - Office Closed for Holiday



Notes from the Office



The Amsterdam Housing Authority is now on Facebook & our website is www.amsterdamhousingauthority.org

Summer Office Hours

Reminder: The office is open from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm during the summer months. The office is closed from 12:00-12:30 for lunch.

- Workers Compensation or Disability
- Veteran's Benefits
- Unemployment Benefits

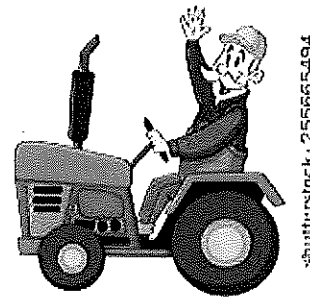
Please **DO NOT** wait until you come in to the office to sign your recertification papers to report these income changes or to bring in your medical expenses. Remember, failure to report income changes in a timely manner can result in you having to repay funds to the Amsterdam Housing Authority.



BED BUGS

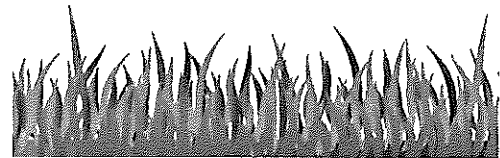
Bed Bugs can be a big problem. Preventing them from entering your home can be easy if you take the right precautions. Bed bugs are usually unknowingly carried into homes by luggage, bedding, or furniture. To prevent an infestation, make sure you wash luggage and clothing immediately after returning from a trip. Also inspect used furniture before bringing it into your home. Never bring discarded bed

frames, mattresses, box springs, or upholstered furniture into your home. Make sure to clean your bedding and furniture regularly. Please call the AHA office immediately if you think you have a bed bug infestation & we will notify Charles the exterminator.



Mowing

If you have outdoor furniture, toys, bikes, etc., please make sure that everything is moved out of the way when maintenance is mowing!



Reminder...

The courtyard behind the Hi Rise is for our Senior Tenants, children should not be playing in this area.

Activites & Events



- Planet Fitness – Front Desk Associate, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Aldi's – Full Time Manager Trainee & Cashiers, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Power & Composite Technologies – Production Workers, Amsteram
- Big Lots – Sales Associates, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Group Family Daycare – Daycare Assistant, Amsterdam
- Sticker Mule - Amsterdam
- Petsmart – Early Morning Stocker, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Amsterdam Printing Company, Wallins Corners Rd., Amsterdam
- Rite Aid – Cashier, Market St., Amsterdam
- Recovery Sports Grill – Server, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Pizza Hut – Team Member, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Burger King – Route 30, Amsterdam
- Panera – Cashier, Route 30, Amsterdam
- Town & Country – Deli Staff, Route 30, Amsterdam
- The Raindancer – Route 30 Amsterdam
- Securitas Security Services – Security Officer, Amsterdam \$13-\$17 per hour

July Events on Bridge St. & the Riverlink Park

The Saturday night place to be this summer is Bridge Street and Riverlink Park!!! Head down to Bridge Street and meet up with friends, grab dinner or a drink, take a stroll down to the river, then walk over the Mohawk Valley Gateway Overlook Bridge for a beautiful sunset and go into Riverlink park to listen to some AMAZING bands during the Waterfront Foundations 2019 Summer Concert Series!

All concerts put on by The Amsterdam Waterfront Foundation and their participating sponsors. Special events before and after concerts sponsored by Lanzi Family Restaurants Authentic Italian Cuisine.

*July 6th - Special event, Independence Day Festival. Whiskey Highway, line dancing lessons before the show and end the nights with FIREWORKS!

*July 13th - Dark Sarcasm: Pink Floyd Cover Band and end the night with FIREWORKS

*July 20th - Across the Pond: Beatles Tribute

*July 27th- Reunion show with Amsterdam bands spanning FIVE decades. Seven bands beginning with the 60's through present day!

**** See attached flyer for full concert schedule**



Free Summer Day Camp

At the Walter Elwood Museum

**** See Attached Flyer &
Registration Form ****

Amsterdam Rec

Summer Camp

Grades K & up

July 8th-August 16th

Monday - Friday

8:00am - 3:00 pm

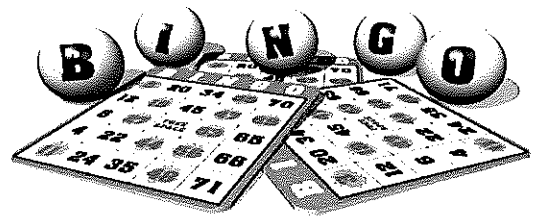
Bacon Youth Center

40 Henrietta Blvd.

~Free Breakfast & Lunch~

Register at

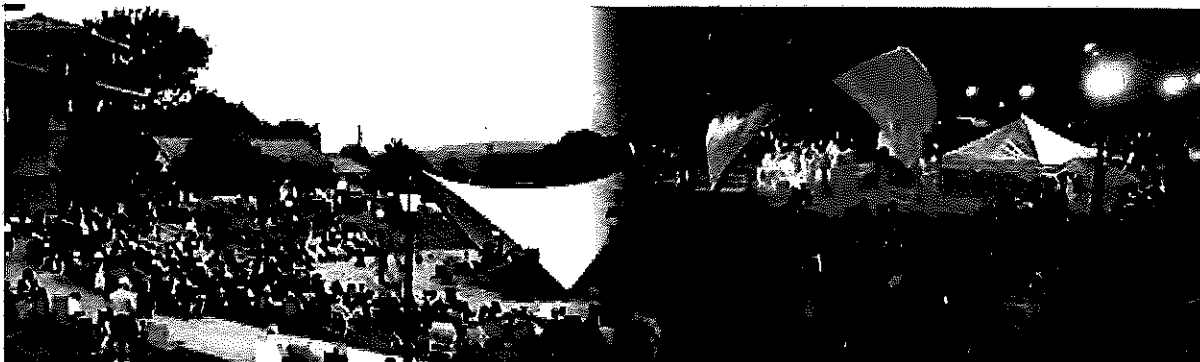
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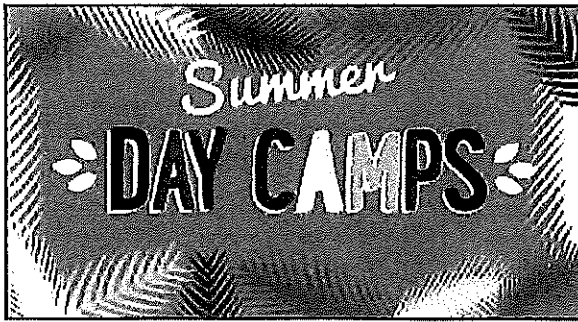
Stratton BINGO

**Effective July 1st Dolly's BINGO
at Stratton will be on Sunday's
only at 6:30pm.**

Riverlink Summer Concert Series



Saturday, July 6	7-9:30pm	Whiskey Highway A high energy country band playing today's hot new country along with some 90's/00's.
Saturday, July 13	7-9:30pm	Dark Sarcasm Pink Floyd Tribute
Sunday, July 14	5-8pm	Prog Rock Sunday Alice Frost : Music of Yes Dave Porter of B05 opens the show
Wednesday, July 10	6-8 pm	The Piggly Wiggles A swing band playing jazz & dance music from the 1920's-1940's...and coming in on a canal boat!
Saturday, July 20	7-9:30pm	Across the Pond A group of musicians paying tribute to the music of the Beatles.
Saturday, July 27	6-10 pm	Rockin' River Reunion! Eight Amsterdam bands spanning five decades!
Saturday, August 3	RIVERFEST	TWO SHOWS! Doc Orloff and Showtime Doc Orloff plays rhythm and blues, classic and southern rock from 1-3:30 pm. In the evening, CNY's ultimate cover/party band Showtime plays 7-9:30.
Saturday, August 10	7-9:30pm	Skip Murphy and his Merry Pranksters American rock from its roots: country, blues, Americana and just plain rock'n roll.
Saturday, August 17	6-9 pm	An Evening Honoring Bert DeRose
Saturday, August 24	7-9:30pm	MedRock! (show canceled if it rains)
Saturday, August 31	5-10 pm	End of Summer, 80's Style!!! Benefit for the Amsterdam Waterfront Foundation Pulled pork BBQ and TWO bands loaded with powerhouse vocalists. Amsterdam's Lights Out delivers great classic rock and Little Queen performs the music of Heart and Pat Benatar.



WALTER ELWOOD MUSEUM

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Summer 2019 Camp Days at the Museum

Fun camps for kids of all ages!

Thanks to all of our Sponsors camps are now free

Each week we will focus on the Basics of art, color, line, texture & form. We will have two and three dimensional art projects, drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpture & crafts. Every Camp week will focus on the Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math (STEAM) of each topic we cover. STEAM introduces the concept of inquiry-based learning- where students develop critical thinking and analytical skills. Programs are unique and designed to enable discovery, ignite curiosity and celebrate success!



Nature: Survival of the Slowest- July 16th to July 18th from 10:00am to 12:30pm

We will look at snails, starfish, turtles and sloths in our collections and read "The Tortoise and Hare Fable". We will be painting birds with pastels and doing rubber fish prints. We will do fabric printing and make insect & butterfly sculptures.



Amsterdam Artists- July 23rd to July 25th from 10:00am to 12:30pm

We will look at the four local artists featured in our Amsterdam art exhibit room. We will paint our own Portraits and Landscapes using several mediums and make self portrait wooden heads and a personalized collage box!



Tinker Tinker Toymaker- July 30th to August 1st from 10:00am to 12:30pm

We will look at all the toys in our collections especially those with wheels. Each child will make a few toys of their own. We will make rolling toys, kaleidoscopes, our own play dough and much more.



Pop Artists & Color- August 6th to August 8th from 10:00am to 12:30 pm

We will look at famous Pop Art like Keith Hering's "Dancing Man" and other pop artists; Stewart Davis and Andy Warhol. We will try out a few different printing styles that Pop Artists use to make Art! We will make puzzles, pins and lots more cool things!

☛ CLASSES ARE NOW FREE

Donations are always welcome & appreciated.

Many Thanks to Dr. Rao, The Children's Aid Association, Mohawk Carpet Foundation, Price Chopper's Golub Foundation, CTW Foundation, Amsterdam Printing and Litho, National Grid & Fage Yogurt for their annual support of our Camps!

Bring a drink and a snack!!

Registration required for planning purposes.

All supplies are included in the camp days.

Parents are welcome to stay with any child and are encouraged to do so with children under age of five.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please check boxes on reverse for classes desired.

STUDENT NAME _____ Age _____ (for children only)

STUDENT NAME _____ Age _____

STUDENT NAME _____ Age _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ Email _____

PLEASE PRE-REGISTER BY 7/12/2019

**Return to: Walter Elwood Museum
100 Church Street, Amsterdam NY 12010
or via fax at 518.843.6098**

**For more info, call the Museum at 518.843.5151 or email
director@walterelwoodmuseum.org**

