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September 29 - Get Ready for Fall, Fall Antiques, **Columbus Dav & Fire Prevention Issue**

PLUS Fall & Winter Travel Guide Insert Deadline 9/24

October 13 – Fall/Winter Car Care & Halloween (Corn Mazes & Pumpkin Farms) Issue Deadline 10/8

October 27 – Restaurant Guide/Catering & Pre-Thanksgiving Issue

Deadline 10/22

November 10 – Thanksgiving & Black Friday Issue Deadline 11/5

November 24 – Get Ready for Winter, Winter Sports Enthusiasts & "For Kids" Holiday Issue

> **PLUS** Last Minute Gift Guide Insert Deadline 11/19

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Deadline 12/3

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- 1. Wedding veils from ancient Rome were what color?
- 2. About 62% of weddings have a what?
- 3. What is the average age for brides/grooms in the US?
- 4. The word "bride" means what in old English?

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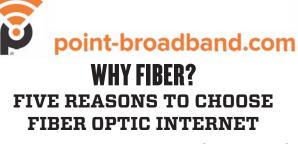
PICCADILLY LANE'S FALL OPEN HOUSE is this Saturday, September 18 starting at 10am! Come in to shop and see the new fall delights! Check out the new items including farmhouse prim unique and country, wreathes, candles in fall scents and more for autumn! Lots of specials all day long. Free items to first 25 people. Drawings. The store is beautiful and waiting. Please wear a face mask and remember to practice social distancing.

The Piccadilly crew have decorated the store in every room and wall with ghoulish delights! Come peek in the nooks and crannies of Piccadilly corners if you dare! The holidays are right around the corner! Shop now to brighten up your home with a new look or pick out that perfect gift for your loved one! Piccadilly Lane has an array of new fall and holiday items arriving, including snowmen, beautiful wreaths, furniture, new Park curtains, placemats, delightful scented candles, shower curtains, soaps, bath prints and more!

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Point Broadband wanted to answer the question "why fiber?" because we want everyone to know what makes fiber-optic Internet stand out among the leading broadband solutions of today. While there are hundreds of answers, we narrowed it down to five great explanations as to why you should choose fiber-optic Internet.

Symmetrical Speeds

Fiber download and upload speeds are symmetrical. For those who might not know the difference between upload and download, here is a quick lesson. Whenever you buy broadband from an Internet service provider (ISP), two numbers are used to measure your bandwidth. For example, Point Broadband base speed is 100/100 Mbps. The first number is your download speed, which you use for most Internet activities, such as streaming TV or surfing the web. The second number is your upload speed, which you use to upload information to the Internet, like posting videos or sending documents to the cloud.

Symmetrical speeds are one of the many reasons why fiber Internet is so popular. Most broadband services offer very low upload speeds because, up until recently, the Internet was used primarily for downloading. Now, with the rise of telecommuting, telehealth, online gaming, and Youtubers, more and more consumers need upload speeds that match their download.

A Greener Solution

Fiber is a greener Internet solution, because it has a minimal ecological impact, reduces waste, consumes very little energy, and helps decrease greenhouse gas emissions. Most importantly, fiber infrastructure is very sustainable. It can more easily withstand the elements, such as snow, rain, and wind, meaning repairs are needed less often. Fiber is also



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believed to be a "future-proof" solution by industry experts, so providers will have to expel fewer resources when replacing fiber.

Lower Latency and Attenuation

Latency is the delay in data transfer. It is those few moments between when we tell the Internet to do something and when it does it. One reason that fiber is the best choice for businesses is that it has lower latency than other broadband options, due to its faster speeds and clearer transmissions. Latency is also significant to serious gamers, who are playing games live and need quick reaction times.

Attenuation is the weakening or loss of a signal. After 320 ft. of cable, fiber loses only 3% of its signal, whereas other leading Internet solutions lose 94% at the same distance. Lower attenuation is how fiber Internet is still able to provide reliable service in the most rural of areas.

Unlimited Data Without Throttling

Many broadband solutions involve shared bandwidth, where several locations are all sharing one lump speed. To manage the amount of bandwidth going out, ISPs will use throttling and or data caps. Throttling is when a provider slows down the speeds going to one location, sometimes during busy hours or after a customer has consumed a certain amount of data. Data caps are a slightly more upfront version of throttling, where the provider sets the amount of data a consumer can use and caps their Internet there. With fiber-optic Internet, customers

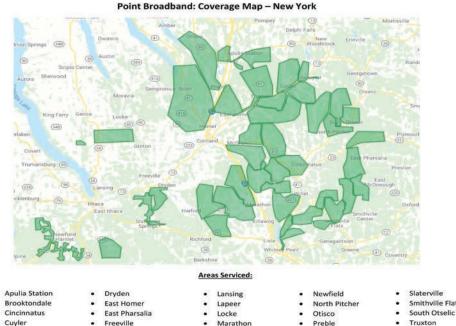
can use the Internet to their heart's delight, at the same speed, all the time.

Faster Speeds

The number one reason why fiber stands out among leading broadband solutions is its bandwidth capabilities. Fiber optic Internet has the potential to reach gigabit speeds, meaning 1000/1000 Mbps. It does this by harnessing the speed of light through glass tubes that are as thin as a piece of human hair. With fiber you have the speed you need to run all your Internet-connected devices without buffering.

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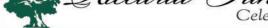
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The golf course has been host to incredible tournaments, leagues, and benefits to support local causes. The course consists of eight par 3 holes and one par 4, great for any age to enjoy the beautiful game of golf.





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THE LONG-EARED OWL INHABITS DENSE woodlands where its L monotonous, low-pitched "hoot" can be heard almost one mile away. It's a slender, medium-sized owl with elongated buff colored facial discs and orange eyes. Its body is splashed and streaked with black, brown, buff and white feathers. The two tall, prominent ear tufts that inspired its name, however, are certainly this owl's most defining feature.

Between its nocturnal habits and superb camouflage, the longeared owl can be difficult to spot; but in winter, large numbers can sometimes be seen roosting together in sheltered stands of trees.

The long-eared owl is a skilled flyer, silently hunting rodents and other small mammals in open, grassy places within or near the forest. It has extremely sensitive hearing enabling it to capture prey in total darkness.

This species often commandeers the nests of crows and other birds as well as squirrels, driving them off. Its eggs are incubated for approximately 1 month before hatching; then, about 5 weeks later, the juvenile owls are ready to leave the nest.

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CORTLAND COUNTY TRIVIA FROM THE CORTLAND COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

AST TIME WE ASKED YOU to tell us what Cortland County native served as a U.S. Secretary of War—did you guess the answer? Daniel S. Lamont served a term as the U.S. Secretary of War under President Grover Cleveland. Lamont was born in McGraw (at that time called McGrawville) on February 9, 1851. His father started a grocery business about a year after Daniel was born, and he spent his spare time helping his father in the store. At 12, he went into a printing office and his interest in the newspaper industry led to involvement with the "Albany Argus." He also became involved in politics and was very active in the Democratic party.

In 1882, he became a private secretary to then New York State Governor Grover Cleveland. When Cleveland became President of the United States, he kept Lamont on as his private secretary, later placing him in his cabinet as his Secretary of War (1893-1897).

Lamont died in 1905 at only 54 years of age. He was a millionaire at the time of his death, and though he lived in Millbrook, he never forgot his Cortland County roots. He was a generous supporter of both the Cortland Memorial Hospital and of the YMCA. After his death, his widow Juliette (Kinney) Lamont donated his family home in McGraw to the village for use as a library.

What street in Cortland was formerly called Merrick Street?

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JUDY KILMER Founder/Editor

Are you curious about who started The CAT? The Cortland Area Tribune is published by me, Judy Kilmer. I live in Dryden with my husband John. John and I have 3 grown children and an 8 year old granddaughter and 3 month old grandson.

I have been working in advertising for 40+ years. My first job was at a Pennysaver in Binghamton in 1974 while I was studying

Commercial Art and attending high school where I learned the fundamentals of creating and selling newspaper ads and writing articles. Next I was employed at an advertising agency for 10+ years then took some time off to raise our family. In 1989 we moved to Dryden and in 1995 I started working in the advertising field again for a local newspaper.

After spending a few months talking and listening to folks about a need for an old fashioned community paper in the Cortland area, I was inspired to create a newspaper that featured articles about businesses that folks drive by every day. Plus offer free community events listings for non profit organizations and do each issue with a "theme" to keep the paper interesting for curious consumers.

The Cortland Area Tribune was launched in September 2002, providing local merchants with an affordable, attractive bi-weekly paper and boosts of almost all of its original advertisers today!

Thank you to my devoted advertisers and thank you "my readers" for reading The Cortland Area Tribune in print and online!

And thank you to my layout/graphic designer Dustin, graphic designer Nanci and the crew that sells ads, writes articles and delivers the papers to allow me to enjoy the success of publishing The Cortland Area Tribune for 19 years! Next year is the 20th Anniversary!

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MARTHA NELSON Advertising Consultant



I have been in advertising sales since 1993, when I was hired by Lakeside Printing in Skaneateles. I have won awards for outstanding sales and have been recognized for the design, sales and overall success of different promotions over the last 28 years. I retired in Nov. 2009 from the Scotsman Press. I started working with Judy in August 2012 at The Cortland Area Tribune. I have 2 children—Lisa and Matt—5 grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren—Kris, Maverikk,

Remington, Winston. I live in Cortland at the Country Music Park! I winter in Florida near Ocala for 6 months where I enjoy growing flowers and visiting friends.

NANCI MCCRAINE Advertising/Marketing Consultant, Graphic Designer, Photographer



After working professionally as an advertising retailer with Judy (and the Tribune) since the early 1990's, Nanci joined the Tribune as a marketing/sales consultant and ad designer. Nanci has lived and worked in the Cortland-Homer-Ithaca region for years. She graduated from Homer High School and TC3. She has traveled extensively in the lower 48 states, Canada, Alaska and Britain. She enjoys photography, traveling, motorcycling, gardening, trains, airplanes, bagpipes, horses,

the outdoors, and birding. She is a stock photographer and contributes her weather images to FingerLakesWeather.com. She has experience with retail, event planning, graphic design, photography, and marketing. For years she coordinated the local Home Builder Show, was $an \ event \ coordinator \ for \ non \ profit \ organizations \ such \ as \ the \ Cortland$ Celtic Festival, Home Builder Association, plus many local restaurants and area businesses. She has also worked for many local outstanding print publications over the years. She resides in Freeville and works full time as a paraprofessional for the Lansing School District. Her art background allows her to create and design her client ads quickly and efficiently, and she looks forward to meeting the challenges of new business client advertising needs. A sample of her advertising artwork and photography can be seen at: facebook.com/McCraineMercantile. $She {\it is currently accepting new advertising clientele and can be reached}$ by email at: nydesignsbynanci@gmail.com, or directly through cortlandareatribune.com.

DUSTIN HORTON Designer

Hello—I'm Dustin.

I build the newspaper, both in print & online. I started out delivering for Judy while attending Dryden High School, took over the design duties in 2006, and launched the website in 2010.

 $\label{eq:intermediate} Im a Software Engineering consultant, working with clients like Amazon, NASCAR \& Remind.$

It's incredibly rewarding watching the businesses in the community grow, and the CAT is no exception—Judy is an amazing boss and her success is hard-earned and well-deserved.

LINDA M. BATES Advertising Consultant



Hi! It's Linda Bates coming to you from Triangle, NY where I live with my husband Dan, our Yellow Lab Bayne, and our Chocolate Lab/Bird Dog mix Elli Mae! I currently work several part-time jobs, one of which is with the CAT. I've known Judy for years and was thrilled when she asked if I would be interested in being an advertising consultant even on a part time basis and my wonderful nephew Dustin is the

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LAURA (SMITH) LOVELESS Advertising Consultant



My name is Laura (Smith) Loveless. I grew up in Dryden, NY and graduated from Dryden Jr/ Sr High School in 1996. I graduated from SUNY Cortland in 2003. I have a Cosmetology license. I currently reside in Cortland, NY. I have 2 adult children, Kayla (19) and Brandon (24). I have 3 wonderful cats. I currently am an Independent Advertising Sales consultant for the Cortland Area Tribune. I would be happy to assist you

with your advertising needs. You can reach me by email: laurams77@ yahoo.com. I am also an Independent Le-Vel Brand Promoter of The Thrive experience a 3 step nutritional system and amazing skincare line. I also help my father Mark Smith (Owner) of Hilltop Auto (Quality Used Car Sales and Repair Shop) over 40 years in business.



MCKAYLA MACOMBER Distribution

Hello- I'm McKayla Macomber, and I've been delivering the CAT for two years now. I enjoy the freedom I get with delivering papers because it allows me to do other things. I also work at the

Dryden Wine & Spirits liquor store, make dog bones treats and make art on the side.

SANDY BARRY Distribution



Hil I'm Sandy Barry and I deliver the CAT to the greater Cortland area every other Wednesday. I'm a retired teacher and I like to stay active and make a bit of extra money for birthday gifts to my 14 grandchildren. My husband, Arthur, usually drives for me. I love saying hi to all the great people on my route and being greeted by my regular doggie pals!

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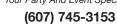


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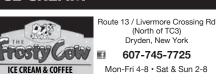
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- 2. Flower girl
- 3. 27 brides/29 grooms
- 4. Cook

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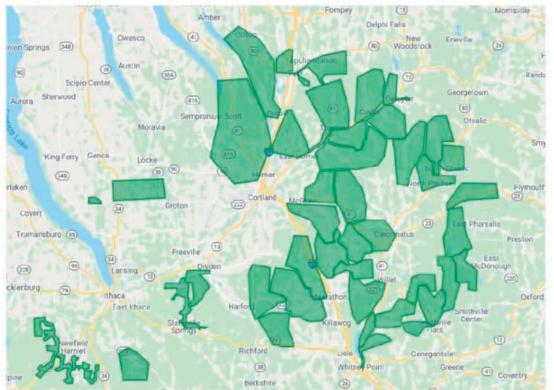
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