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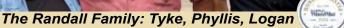


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Valentine's Day Dinner/Dance - Feb 14 - Osco Robinson, Post 617 American Legion, 1073 US Rt. 11, Marathon

Valentine's Day Dinner - Feb 14 - Groton American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 800, 307 Main Street, Groton

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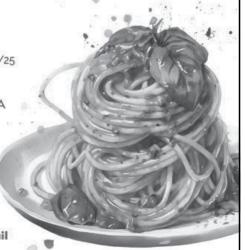
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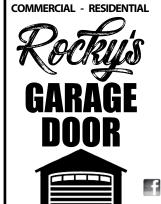
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Article by Margie Manthey





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always looking for ways to up their game. Whether it is a new recipe, or a fine cocktail there is always something in store. Aiello's Restaurant has always been a family affair. Their father Vito Aiello helped Calogero (Charlie) and Vincenzo (Vinny) open a small pizzeria in the community. Inspired by Mama's busy kitchen and being around restaurants they grew Aiello's from a small pizzeria it was to the premier fine dining establishment it is today. Through the support and friendliness of the people of Whitney Point they have been able to grow their reputation and reach far beyond the area. Now people come from all over Central New York and beyond to enjoy the Aiello's experience. As the years have passed and the Aiello's has grown, they have embraced ways to improve the entire customer experience. In March of 2020, they updated their website aiellosrestaurant.com and were the first local restaurant in Whitney Point to offer their own online ordering dine in or pickup. In 2023 they added outside dining tables and music on Friday and Saturday during the spring/summer (Follow them on Facebook for music updates). Additionally, they specialize in catering events large and small. You can see both their regular menu and catering menu on their website. Don't worry if you aren't tech savvy, you can still give Aiello's a call at 607-692-4114 to order to go, make a reservation or set up your next catering event. Stop in and pick up a jar of Aiello's Sauce! They are open 7 Days a week from 11 am to 9 pm (10 pm on Friday, Saturday and Sunday). To commemorate their 40th Anniversary in 2022 -June 4th is now "Aiello's Day" in Broome County!









February 5-18, 2025



CORTLAND COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY TRIVIA

HEN YOU THINK OF TOBACCO, you probably think of southern states. When you think of cigars, you might think of Cuba. Did you know that tobacco was not only grown in northern states, but that cigar making was big business in Cortland County? To learn more about this interesting occupation from the past, we consulted our general file on "Cigar Makers."

The most informative piece in the entire folder was an article written in July of 1971 by Porter K. Bennett. Porter was an active member of CCHS, and he searched high and low for information about cigar businesses in our area. He spoke to old-timers and went through resources at CCHS. His conclusion was that there were about 30 cigar manufacturers in Cortland, not including the cigar makers in surrounding towns within the county, particularly in Homer. The Leighton shop alone employed 40 people!

Porter Bennett's research included the process of how cigars were made as well as an anecdote about one man who grew

tobacco locally to make his own cigars. They were so terrible that he couldn't even give them away! Some of the tobacco used for "binder" for local cigars was probably grown in the Horseheads and Big Flats area, and tobacco was grown north of Syracuse as well. One of his sources confided that his father stopped making cigars because the profits greatly diminished over time due to taxes on the tobacco.

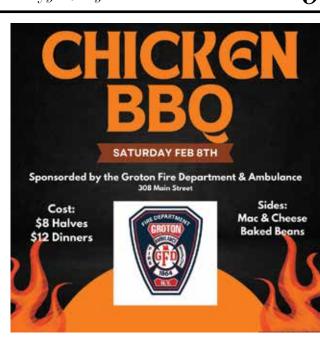
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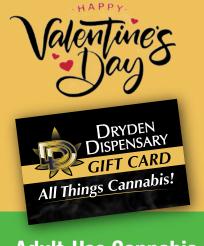
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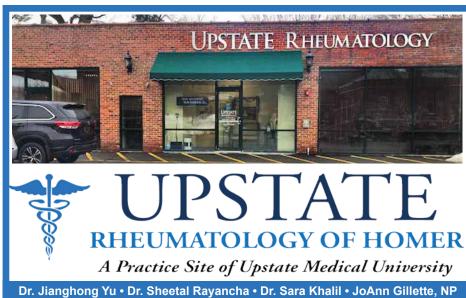


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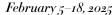
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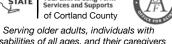
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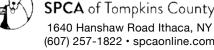
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