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## Free Nail Trim Event

At the Humane Society of Schuyler County


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Donations are not required but are greatly appreciated!  
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This will be a first come, first served event.

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## Obituary



**KATHRYN LEAH TRECHTER**, of Sugar Hill, Watkins Glen, passed away peacefully at her home on Sunday, June 1, 2025. She was born on February 20, 1952, in Jefferson City, Missouri. With her parents and two sisters—Jeannie and Sandy—she crisscrossed the Midwest, camping in national parks from the Ozarks to the Grand Tetons. Those early miles taught her that land is something you live with, not merely on. She finished high school in Ellicott City, Maryland, then earned a bachelor's and a master's in psychology from Frostburg State University. A keen listener with a child psychology focus, Kathy became a prized substitute teacher in the Finger Lakes and later a reading specialist in the Campbell Savona School District. Students trusted her because she met them exactly where they were. In 1978 she moved to a 55-acre farm outside Watkins Glen, New York, bordered by thousands of acres of state forest. There she embraced self-sufficiency—hand weeded organic gardens, livestock, maple syrup runs, and any job that called for duct tape and drywall screws. She married Stephen Trechter at the Schuyler County courthouse in 1983, and together they turned the farm into a living argument for hard work and zero debt. Retiring at forty-nine, Kathy channeled her energy into an herbal salve business, growing almost every ingredient on the property. She explored the wider world through food, fearlessly mastering Thai curries, Mexican moles, and Mediterranean mezze while staging playful battles over puff pastry's right to stay puffed. The winter solstice—celebrating the sun's return—was her favorite holiday, planned for months and feasted with song. Kathy sang folk ballads while building greenhouses, photographed hawks at dawn with the care of a darkroom purist, and stitched sweatshirts, bathrobes, and sock bunnies for children. She loved cashews, shrimp, blue cheese, and a good maritime shanty; disliked scallops, Napoleons, and (mysteriously) Tom Hanks. Reality, she insisted with a wink, was just a first draft begging for a livelier retelling. As "Grandma", she delighted in teaching her grandchildren that creativity knows no limits. Together they devoured Studio Ghibli movies, licked cookie batter from wooden spoons, turned stockpots into percussion sections, and spent many summer afternoons swimming in the ponds. She was Steve's tireless advocate during his struggle with dementia and a steadfast protector of anyone she loved. Kathy disliked asking for help yet offered it without hesitation, convinced that most problems surrendered to effort and curiosity. Preceded in death by her beloved husband Steve, Kathy is survived by her sisters Sandy (Wayne) and Jeannie; her children James (Amy), Sam (Heather), and Kate; and her grandchildren Maria, Jeremy, Layla, Zoey, Lara, and Flynn. She also leaves nieces and nephews Ben, Hannah, Tim, Jason, Roger, and Nathan, along with extended family, friends, neighbors, and former students who learned from her that a garden bed and a hearty laugh can go a very long way. The family will hold a private celebration of her life. In lieu of flowers, please plant something edible and share the harvest with a neighbor—a simple act Kathy believed could change the world. If planting isn't possible, donations in her name may be made to the Southern Tier Food Bank, 171 Cedar Arts, or CareFirst Hospice, whose kindness eased her final journey. Royce-Chedzoy Funeral Home is assisting the family. A guestbook may be found at [www.RoyceChedzoy.com](http://www.RoyceChedzoy.com)

## Obituary



**RICHARD A. FLEMING**, Age 68, of Fairport, NY, passed away June 5, 2025 in his beloved cabin on Sugar Hill in Watkins Glen, NY. He is survived by his wife Judy, daughter Ashley Fleming, both of Fairport; brothers Jeff Fleming of Palmyra, and Bill (Bob Lynn) Fleming of Fairport; sisters Lynda Fleming (Larry) of Palmyra; sister-in-law Linda Fleming of Palmyra; best friend Don Zimmerman; and many cousins and friends. Condolences may be offered to the family in his guestbook at [www.RoyceChedzoy.com](http://www.RoyceChedzoy.com). The Royce-Chedzoy Funeral Home of Watkins Glen is assisting the family.



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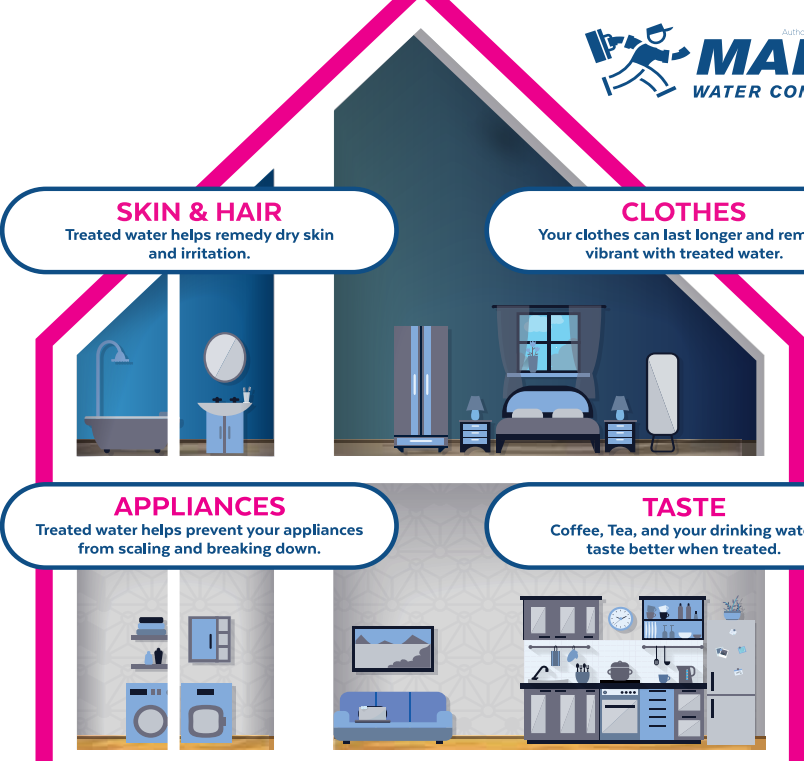
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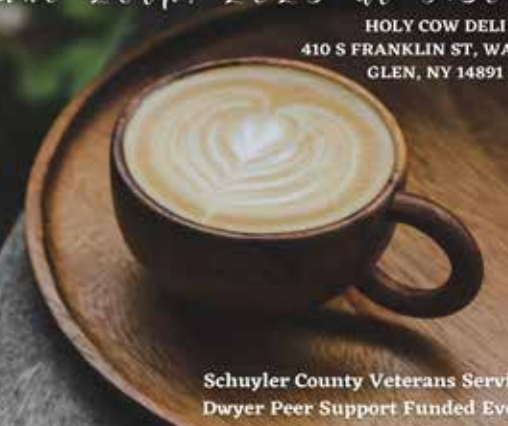
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REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION, JUNE 24, 2025

Town of Catharine, Cayuta, Hector District 6, Montour Districts 1 & 3 and Orange

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SCHUYLER COUNTY

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REP

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POLLING PLACES – SCHUYLER COUNTY, N.Y.

ALL POLL SITES ARE HANDICAP ACCESSIBLE

Hours for voting are 9:00 am until 2:00 pm

TOWN HALL (Catharine), 5182 Park Rd, Odessa, NY 14869

TOWN HALL (Cayuta), 6360 SR 224, Cayuta, NY 14824

FIRE HOUSE (Burdett), 4124 Lake St., Burdett, NY 14818

FIRE HOUSE (Montour), 111 Lee St., Montour Falls, NY 14865

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FIRE HOUSE (Monterey), 1465 South St., Beaver Dams, NY 14812

Brian T. Eslinger

Commissioner

Joseph Fazzary

Commissioner

Schuyler County Republican Primary Election

Town of Catharine, Cayuta, Hector District 6, Montour (Districts 1 & 3 only) and Orange

VOTE EARLY

YOUR TIME ★ YOUR VOICE ★ YOUR VOTE

Election Day is Tuesday, June 24th

Voters will have **nine extra days** to vote prior to the Primary Election at an Early Voting location. Everyone who is registered to vote in New York State, a resident of Schuyler County, is eligible to vote at our Early Voting site. Each site is fully accessible to voters with physical disabilities. Voters do not need to have an “excuse” for voting early. Once they have cast their ballot on a machine at the Early Voting site, they will not be able to vote on Election Day.

County Courthouse Building

105 9<sup>th</sup> Street in Watkins Glen, NY 14891

Voting Machines and Election Inspectors will be set up in the Legislative Chambers on the 1<sup>st</sup> Floor. There will be the same election day set up as in polling places with a display totem, sample ballots and all other information.

Early Voting Hours of Operation

Saturday,	June 14	from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday,	June 15	from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Monday,	June 16	from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Tuesday,	June 17	from 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Wednesday,	June 18	from 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Thursday,	June 19	from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Friday,	June 20	from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Saturday,	June 21	from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday,	June 22	from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

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Week 3: July 21-25 Superheroes Training

Week 4: July28-August 1 Performing Arts

Week 5: August 4-8 Nature Explorer

Week 6: August 11-15 Summer Carnival

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Friday, July 4th, 2025

IN OBSERVANCE OF

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our deadline for our

July 9th issue will be

Thursday, July 3rd at 3pm!

Have a fun & safe holiday!

From,

Everyone at the Hi-Lites