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# Welcome!

Dear Readers,

The **Sullivan County Democrat** would like to welcome you to our twenty-ninth edition of "Where to Go, Where to Stay, Where to Dine." We hope you will keep this handy 32-page guide by your side as your ticket for summer fun in Sullivan County.

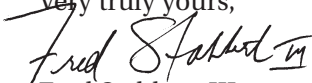
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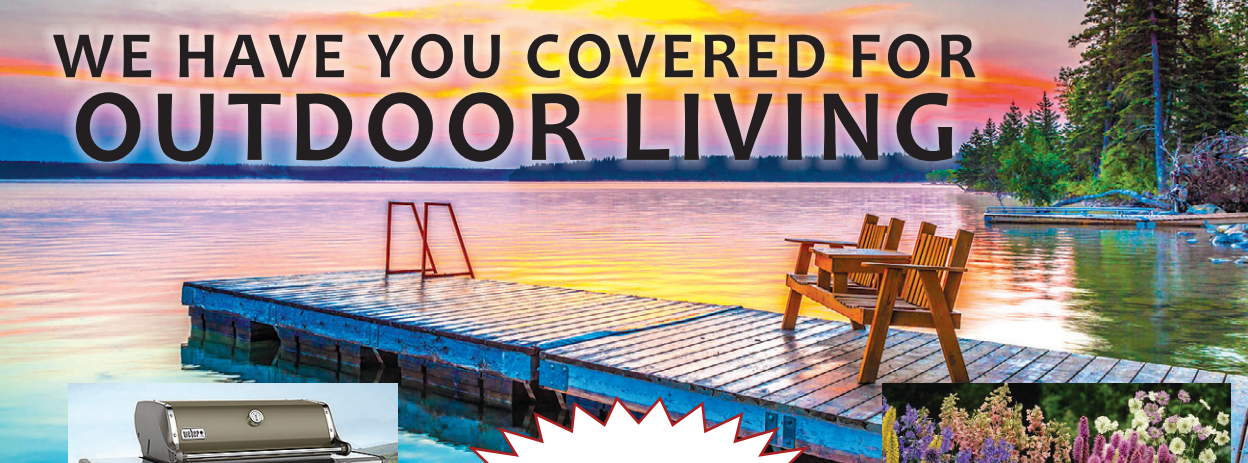
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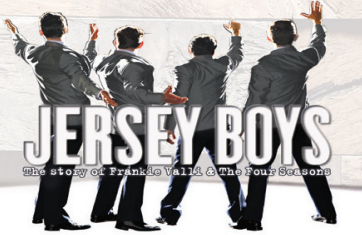
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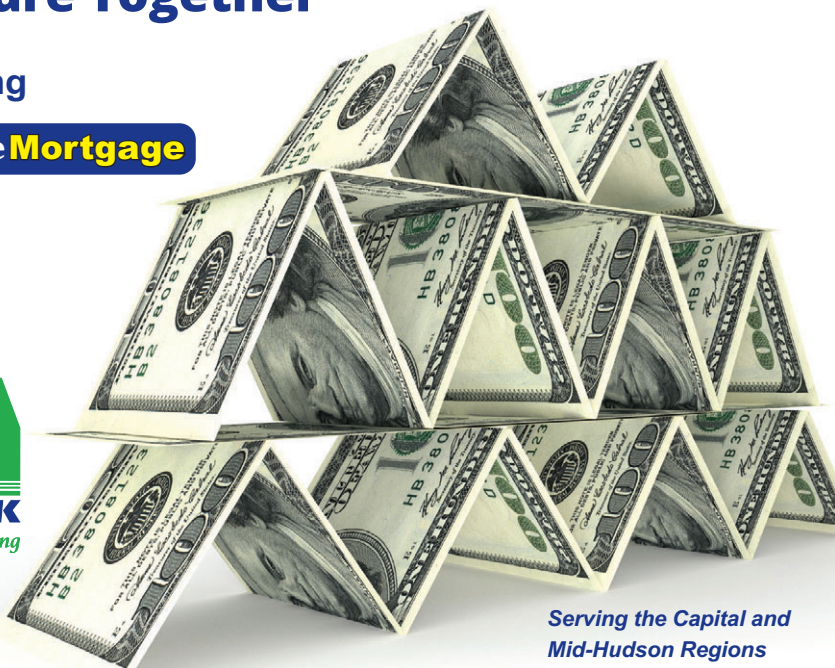
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## **Tarry Brae**

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Memberships: Available. Call or visit [www.tarrybrae.com](http://www.tarrybrae.com).  
Greens fees w/cart: \$55 weekends and holidays; \$44 weekdays;. Discounted afternoon rates are offered. Food service available.  
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"Gordon Gets Down!" will take the stage on Thursdays and Saturdays at 11 AM, starting from July 8. The barn theatre is the perfect setting for this fabulous production! Join us at Sunny Creek Goat Farm on Martha Gruffington Day, where Gordon, while getting ready for the annual line dance, discovers that he seems to have four left hooves. Through a journey of self-discovery, love, and a series of toe-tapping songs, Gordon is determined to find his rhythm!

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The inviting hunting lodge feel with its taxidermy, antler chandeliers, cabin relics and hunter green waxed cotton seating coupled with the aged original logs and beams and a wood burning stove glowing in the heart of the cabin are just some of the authentic details that set the tone for this diamond in the Catskills rough.

Looking out over the horse pastures, fields and winding country roads, you can imagine how much (and thankfully, little) has changed over the course of The Cabin's history. Snowmobiles line the roads in dead of winter leading to an intimate thriving pub with inspired music, sports on the screens and dollar bills covering the ceiling, gathered and dispersed when a local person or family is in need. The Cabin continues the

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The hand built log cabin still stands today thanks to the community who frequented it as a favorite watering hole amongst workers, neighbors and town folk, and as a dinner spot for couples and families. Over the years as the demographic changed with city transplants, the cabin drew an eclectic cast of locals and visitors alike. The unifier has always been the sense of being home away from home, and that life is better at the cabin.

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# Your calendar to summer fun

**B**elow is a calendar of some of the great events that are happening in Sullivan County this summer. Have fun and don't forget to check out [www.scdemocratonline](http://www.scdemocratonline) or pick up a copy of the Sullivan County Democrat on Tuesday or Friday to see all the latest happenings in our area. Have fun!

## Saturday, June 24

**The Callicoon Country Fair** is back in town. Town-wide event with art, music, food, and fun! Artisan Market features local vendors offering locally made artisan goods, crafts and jewelry, as well as antiques, art, food and more. Wander along the historic streets, view the architecture and admire the beautiful Delaware River. The fair opens at 11 a.m. and closes at 5 p.m.

**The Livingston Manor Library** invites kids to read aloud to a friendly local dog to boost reading confidence at 10:00 a.m. Sign up at [www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org](http://www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org) programsignup. Located at 92 Main Street, Livingston Manor.

## Sunday, June 25

Sullivan County native **Patti Greco** Sunshine continues **The Bradstan Cabaret Series** at 7 p.m. The Eldred Preserve is located at 1040 State Route 55, Eldred.

## Tuesday, June 27

**Forestburgh Playhouse presents:** *Clue the Musical*. The internationally popular movie and board game is now a fun-filled musical that brings the world's best suspects to life. This show will be performed through July 2nd. Tickets can be purchased by calling (845)-794-1194 or by emailing [info@fbplayhouse.org](mailto:info@fbplayhouse.org).

## Thursday, June 29

**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents James Taylor** and his All Star Band. Live music on the Pavillion stage kicks off with Rock and Roll Hall of Fame inductee James Taylor. Performance begins at 7:30 p.m. Located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

## Saturday, July 1

**Geoffrey Hutchinson** has an exhibit on photography at the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance.

**Johan Sellenraad** has an exhibit on oil paintings at the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance.

**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents** Robert Plant and Alison Krauss with special guest JD McPherson. Performance begins at 8 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

## Sunday, July 2

**Steve Miller Band with special guest Joe Satriani** is performing at Bethel Woods Center for the Arts. This will start at 7:30 p.m. and will end at 10:30 p.m. Located at 200 Hurd Road, Bethel.

## Monday, July 3

**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents** Shania Twain with special guest Priscilla Block. Performance begins at 7:30 p.m. Located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.



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**Tuesday, July 4**

**Fortsburgh Playhouse presents:** Monty Python Spamalot! This play retells the legend of King Arthur and his Knights of the Round Table based off the very popular movie Monty Python and the Holy Grail. This show will be performed through July 16th. Tickets can be purchased by calling (845)-794-1194 or by emailing info@fbplayhouse.org.

**A 4th of July tradition returns to Narrowsburg** this year! Narrowsburg Chamber of Commerce and The Tusten Youth Commission are co-hosting a family friendly celebration featuring live music, carnival activities, food & drink, games, inflatable slide, lots of vendors. This will start at 3:30 p.m. and ends at 8 p.m. Located at Fireman's Field in Narrowsburg.

**Wednesday, July 5**

**Tears for Fears with special guest Cold War Kids** is performing at Bethel Woods Center for the Arts. Performance begins at 7:30 p.m. and will end at 10:30 p.m. Located at 200 Hurd Road,

Bethel.

**Thursday, July 6**

The Livingston Manor Library will host professional book restorer, Madeline Lambelet, for a talk on book repair, restoration, and conservation, from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Sign up from [www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup](http://www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup). Located at 92 Main Street, Livingston Manor.

**Friday, July 7**

Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents Big Time Rush with special guest MAX and Jax. Performance begins at 7 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

**Saturday, July 8**

The Livingston Manor Library will present part one, "What is the Internet," of a five-part Digital Literacy Series, from 10:00 - 10:30 a.m. Sign up at [www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup](http://www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup). Located at 92 Main Street, Livingston Manor.

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**June 29th:** Season Opener Forest Burg Playhouse Sneak Peek 2023

**June 29th:** Joanna M Gass & Search & Rescue Orchestra

**July 6th:** Scott Eckers Broadway Hits

**July 13th:** Albi Beluli & Brian Gordon

**July 29th:** Fisher, Kean & D'Oraz

**July 27th:** Keith Newman & Lynn Reno / Poison Love

**Aug 3rd:** Jaketown Road

**August 10th:** The Wagner Project & Aerial Acoustics

**August 17th:** Elizabeth Rose & Cliff Westfall

**August 24th:** Lake St Laura Garone w/Baking Trio Steven Schwartz, Kenny Windheim, Bill Paschall

**Aug 31st:** The River Ramblers

**September 7th:** Season Finale Tribute to 1st Responders

**September 7th:** Robert Tellefsen & the Usual Suspects

The Bethel Lakeside Music outdoor concerts are for all ages. Bring the whole family, come alone or with a friend. Bring your blanket or a folding chair, sit back, relax, and enjoy the concert; then stick around the neighborhood for dinner and enjoy the sunset on the Lake. Rain location Kauneonga Lake Fire Pavilion behind the Kauneonga Lake Fire Department.

The Bethel Lakeside Music project is made possible in part with funding from a Sullivan County Arts and Heritage Grant, funded by the Sullivan County Legislature and administered by the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance.

Concert sponsors include the Town of Bethel, The Bethel Local Development Corporation (BLDC), the Bethel Council of the Arts (BCA), the Bethel Business Association (BBA), and generous donors including: Forestburgh Playhouse, Bethel Woods, Eldred Preserve, Diane Lorino T&C, Sorella Restaurant, The Local Table & Tap, Benji & Jakes, 52 Wines and Liquors, White Lake Liquors, Sticky Fingers, Lori Rae LLC, Sullivan County First Responders, Bold Gold Media, Kauneonga Lake Fire District and Department, White Lake Fire Department Debbie Fisher, David Rosenberg, Kean Arts, Kristt and Co, Lizard Bytes, Speaker network, SC Chamber of Commerce, SC Democrat Newspaper and many more.



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Join for Mountandale Second Sunday's Artisan Fair & Farmer's Market. Featuring a diverse range of products from artists, makers, thrifters, and farmers, this market is a must-visit destination. Located at 69 Main Street, Mountandale and is opens at 11 a.m.

Join hosts Scott Samuelson + Eddie Dudek as The Bradstan Cabaret Series continues with Steven Brinberg's Simply Barbra at 7 p.m. Located at 1040 State Route 55, Eldred.

Counting Crows with special guest Dashboard Confessional is performing at Bethel Woods Center for the Arts. Performance begins at 7:30 p.m. Located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

## Thursday, July 13

The Livingston Manor Library will host local microbiologist, Lorry Green, for a talk on the science, history, and use of genetically modified organisms, from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Sign up at [www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup](http://www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup). Located at 92 Main Street, Livingston Manor.

## Friday, July 14

The Rivoli Theater in Fallsburg presents Oliver! (The Musical). This show will run until the 16th and from the 21st to the

23rd. Musical tickets are \$18 dollars for adults and \$15 dollars for students, vets and seniors.

Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents Jason Aldean with special guest Mitchell Tenpenny, Corey kent and DeeJay Silver. Performance begins at 7:30 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

## Saturday, July 15

The Zane Grey Festival is back for their 16th anniversary. Come enjoy the activities that are offered in the festival from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

## Sunday, July 16

Join for the 25th Annual Delaware Youth Center 5K River Run. The Delaware Youth Center River Run is one of the largest and most vital fundraisers for our facility. This funding allows us to operate the facility and keep the Youth Center open for another generation of Callicoon-area kids. The race starts at 8:15 a.m. for walkers and 8:30 a.m. for runners. Located at the Delaware Youth Center, 8 Creamery Road, Callicoon.

## Tuesday, July 18

Forestburgh Playhouse presents: Matilda the Musical. Come witness the story of an extraordinary girl who dares to take a stand and change her own destiny. This show will be performed through July 30th. Tickets can be purchased by calling (845)-794-1194 or by emailing [info@forestburghplayhouse.org](mailto:info@forestburghplayhouse.org)

## Saturday, July 22

Boy George & Culture Club with special guests Howard Jones & Berlin is performing at Bethel Woods Center for the Arts. Performance begins at 7 p.m. Located at 200 Hurd Road, Bethel.

## Sunday, July 23

From 10 am to 4 pm, DVAA hosts the 33rd annual Riverfest, a celebration of art, music, and ecology along the Delaware River in Narrowsburg, NY. In addition to unique artisan vendors, the highly anticipated day-long event features amazing live music, a benefit poster auction, a hands-on Kids Crafting Corner, the beloved River Dogs (on) Parade, and regional street theater.

Join hosts Scott Samuelson + Eddie Dudek as The Bradstan Cabaret Series continues with Mark Nadler at 7 p.m.

## Monday, July 24

The Livingston Manor Library will host a Picture Book Read-A-Thon, inviting kids to stop in anytime to listen to a story read by a community member, from 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Located at 92 Main Street, Livingston Manor.

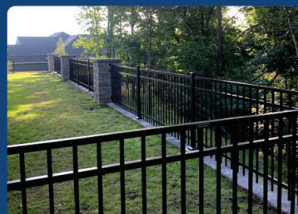
## Thursday, July 27

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## Friday, July 28

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**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents** Dierks Bentley with Jordan Davis and The Cadillac Three. Performance begins at 7 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

## Saturday, July 29

**The Livingston Manor Library** invites kids for a Summer Youth Program Field Trip Series: Gael Roots Community Farm Tour, rain or shine, dress for the weather, at 11:00 a.m. Sign up at [www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup](http://www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup). Meet at the farm, located at 734 Cattail Road, Livingston Manor.

**The Livingston Manor Library** is co-sponsoring a Repair Café, where broken

household items and more can be fixed instead of thrown away, to be hosted at the Catskill Fly Fishing Center, from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Sign up at [www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup](http://www.livingstonmanorlibrary.org/programs/signup). Located at 1031 Old Route 17, Livingston Manor.

## Tuesday, August 1

**Forestburgh Playhouse presents:** The Addams Family. This magnificently macabre musical comedy is a visually satisfying, rib-tickling, lunatic musical that will entertain you to death. This show will be performed through August 13th. Tickets can be purchased by calling (845)-794-1194 or by emailing [info@fbplayhouse.org](mailto:info@fbplayhouse.org).

## Thursday, August 3

**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents** The Chicks with special guest Wild Rivers. The performance begins at 7:30 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

## Saturday, August 5

**Shandalee Music Festival presents** a performance by violinist Misha Keylin and pianist Ilya Kazantsev. This performance will start at 8 p.m. Located at 442 J. young Road, Livingston Manor.

## Sunday, August 6

**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents** Goo Goo Dolls with special guest O.A.R. The performance begins at 7 p.m.

and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel. **Join hosts Scott Samuelson + Eddie Dudek** as The Bradstan Cabaret Series continues with Lumiri Tubo on Aug. 6 at 7 p.m.

## Thurs., August 10

**Shandalee Music Festival presents** a performance by Fei-Fei, a top finalist at the 14th Van Cliburn International Piano Competition. The performance will start at 8 p.m. and is located at 442 J. Young Road, Livingston Manor.

## Friday, August 11

**The Rivoli Theater** in Fallsburg presents: The Play That Goes Wrong. This show will run until the 13th and from the 18th to the 20th. Tickets are \$15 dollars for adults and 12\$ for students, seniors and vets.

## Sat., August 12

Mary Sweeney has an exhibit on ceramics, sculptures and drawings at the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance.

Traci Johnson has an exhibit on fiber arts at the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance.

**Shandalee Music Festival presents** An Evening of Jazz - a performance by Eliane Elias on jazz piano and Mark Johnson on double bass. Performance starts at 8 p.m. Located at 442 J. Young Road, Livingston Manor.

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### Sunday, August 13

**Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents** Joe Bonamassa and Styx with special guest Don Felder. The performance begins at 6 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

**Join for Mountaintale Second Sunday's Artisan Fair & Farmer's Market.** Featuring a diverse range of products from artists, makers, thrifters, and farmers, this market is a must-visit destination. Located at 69 Main Street, Mountaintale and is opens at 11 a.m.

### Tuesday, August 15

**Forestburgh Playhouse presents:** Jersey Boys! This show

follows the fascinating story of four blue-collar kids who became one of the greatest successes in pop-music history. This show will be performed through August 27th. Tickets can be purchased by calling (845)-794-1194 or by emailing [info@fbplayhouse.org](mailto:info@fbplayhouse.org).

**Shandalee Music Festival presents** a performance by the Arcadia Players, New England's Period Instrument Ensemble. Performance begins at 8 p.m. and is located at 442 J. Young Road, Livingston Manor

### Thursday, Aug. 17

**Shandalee Music Festival presents** a performance by Ukrainian concert pianist Anna Federova. Performance begins at 8 p.m. and is located at 442 J. young Road, Livingston Manor.

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# UDC welcomes public on a river raft trip

The 35th Annual Family Raft Trip sponsored by the Upper Delaware Council will take place on Sunday, August 6. Public reservations are due by Friday, July 28.

The 2023 river section to be paddled is a scenic six-mile stretch from the Staircase Access in the Town of Lumberland, NY to Kittatinny Canoes' Matamoras Base in Westfall Township, PA.

Kittatinny Canoes will provide the rafts, paddles, life jackets, safety instructions, and shuttle transportation.

Plan to arrive between 9-10 a.m. at 1147 Delaware Drive in Matamoras to park and check-in. Guests will be shuttled up to the Staircase Access to launch.

The average length for this trip is 3.5 hours, depending on the water level and the group's desired pace. This segment of the Upper Delaware Scenic and Recreational River offers Class 1 & 2 rapids, with stretches of quiet pools. There are multiple sets of rapids at Staircase, Mongaup, Butlers Rift and Mill Rift. Participants

will paddle beneath cliffs and spectacular rock formations, through lush vegetation then reach the dramatic gorge known as the Hawks Nest and go under the No. 2 Railroad Bridge.

The UDC's deeply discounted group rate is \$29 for ages 13 and up, and \$19 for ages 4-12. Advance payment (cash, check, or Paypal) is requested by July 28 with the reservation to include complete contact information, all guest names, and the ages of any minor children under 18.

Minimum occupancy per raft is four people.

Pack a picnic lunch and plenty of drinking water. Dress to get wet, wear sunscreen and foot protection, and avoid bringing valuables. Small coolers and waterproof bags for items such as cameras and keys may be tied into the raft.

Please see the registration flyer posted at [www.upperdelawarecouncil.org](http://www.upperdelawarecouncil.org), which also includes the PayPal link. Call (845) 252-3022 or [laurie@upperdelawarecouncil.org](mailto:laurie@upperdelawarecouncil.org) to reserve or find out more information.

## Friday, Aug. 18-20

143rd Annual Little World's Fair. A true country fair hosted by Neversink Agricultural Society. Three days of exhibits, entertainment, food and down-home fun. 8230 State Route 55, Grahamsville, NY. Visit [www.grahamsvillefair.com](http://www.grahamsvillefair.com).

## Saturday, Aug. 19

Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents the Catbird Music Festival. A new music festival debuting on the historic festival fields featuring The Lumineers, Tyler Childers, Trey Anastasio Band and more. Located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

Shandalee Music Festival presents a performance by the Colorado Cello Quartet. Performance begins at 8 p.m. and is located at 442 J. young Road, Livingston Manor

## Sunday, August 20

Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents the Catbird Music Festival. A new music festival debuting on the historic festival fields. Located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel.

Join hosts Scott Samuelson + Eddie Dudek as The Bradstan

Cabaret Series continues with Sally Mayes at 7 p.m.

## Thursday, Aug. 24

Bethel Woods Center for the Arts presents Sam Hunt with special guest Brett young and Lily Rose. The performance begins at 7:30 p.m. and is located at 200 Hurd Rd, Bethel

## Sunday, August 27

There will be a lunch that will occur before the performances for A Taste of Broadway II. The lunch will start at 11:45 a.m. and it is open seating. They will have a variety of food items to enjoy. Located at 141 Canal St, Ellenville.

Ellenville Regional Hospital Auxiliary presents The Million Dollar Quartet at the Shadowland theater. It's an impromptu country rock musical super group of Elvis Presley, Jerry Lee Lewis, Carl Perkins, and Johnny Cash will be performing. This will be located at Gaby's Cafe at 141 Canal St, Ellenville. Tickets \$99 and it will start at 2 p.m.

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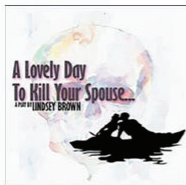
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## Tuesday, August 29

**Forestburgh Playhouse presents:** Misery, A play based on the novel by Stephen King. Misery follows a successful romance between novelist Paul Sheldon, who is rescued from a car crash by his "number one fan," Annie and wakes up captive in her secluded home. This show will be performed through September 3rd. Tickets can be purchased by calling (845)-794-1194.

## Sunday, September 3

Award-winning vocalist Jeanne MacDonald continues The Bradstan Cabaret Series on Sept. 3 at 7 p.m. Located at 1040 State Route 55, Eldred.

## Friday, September 8

The Rivoli Theater in Fallsburg presents: The 10 Minute Play Festival. This will occur until the 10th and from the 15th to the 17th. Tickets are \$15 dollars for adults and \$12 for students, seniors and vets. For more information contact Harold Tighe at haroldtighe50@gmail.com.

## Sunday, September 10

Join for Mountaindale Second Sunday's Artisan Fair & Farmer's Market. Featuring a diverse range of products from artists, makers, thrifters, and farmers, this market is a must-visit destination. Located at 69 Main Street, Mountaindale and is opens at 11 a.m.

## Sunday, September 17

The Tony Award-nominated Callaway sisters continue The Bradstan Cabaret Series on Sept. 17 at 7 p.m. Located at 1040 State Route 55, Eldred.

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