THOMPSON NAMED TULLY ROTARY 2022 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

Tully, NY —- The Tully Rotary Club was proud to proclaim Mr. Paul Thompson as the Tully Rotary Citizen Of The Year for 2022 in a ceremony on June 22nd at The Loft at Vesper Hills. Tully Rotary President Lydia Aris presented the award to Mr. Thompson, Scoutmaster of Boy Scout Pack 62 in Tully.

Mr. Thompson has been the highly respected Scoutmaster of Tully Boy Scout Troop 62 since 2005. Right now, he is leading a group of 14 boys to become fine young men and outstanding citizens this community. Under his leadership, several hundred young men have received his guidance, friendship, mentorship, and influence.

In the past 17 years, Mr. Thompson has helped 43 scouts earn the prestigious Eagle Scout Award, the highest honor a scout can earn. These Scouts usually begin as Cub Scouts at around nine years old. The Eagle award must be completed by age eighteen. Ms. Aris explained "That is nine years of the boys lives that Paul has influenced and guided them. Paul was standing right along with each of these Scouts as they completed the stringent Eagle award requirements including thousands of hours of community service here in Tully. Paul gives his time most weekends to join the scouts on campouts, parades, ceremonies, and weekly scout meetings."

Mr. Thompson is a recipient of the Vigil Honor award of the Order of The Arrow which is the honor society of the Boy Scouts of America. He is highly respected by his peers, assistant Scoutmasters, members of the Longhouse Council and was recently honored with the Silver Beaver Award, one of the highest scouting awards. The award is given to those who implement the scouting program and perform community service through hard work, self-sacrifice, dedication, and many years of service.

Many speakers representing the Boy Scouts of America and the Rotary community spoke in praise of Mr. Thompsons contributions to the Tully community. Ms. Aris stated that the motto of Rotary International is "SERVICE ABOVE SELF". "When we talk about "SERVICE ABOVE SELF", it signifies that Rotarians put their duty to help others before their own needs. "SERVICE ABOVE SELF" is

exemplified by our Citizen of the Year, Paul Thompson", explained Ms. Aris.

For his efforts to help our young men become outstanding and productive citizens, Paul Thompson has demonstrated "SERVICE ABOVE SELF" and is deserving our appreciation and recognition as Tully Rotary Citizen of The Year.



Newsletter input from Supervisor Masters

The July 2022 Town Board meeting was routine. Most of the activity this month was focused around the public hearing on the moratorium, and the scheduling of the special meeting following the public hearing to consider action.

The one-year moratorium was enacted in the "special" Board meeting. Its purpose is to allow time for the development of a revised Comprehensive Plan. The process to update the Comprehensive Plan commenced in the fall of 2021. \$16,000 was set aside in this year's (2022) budget for a municipal planner. A search is underway for a planner, and a committee is in the process of being established to aid in development.

I have had comments from citizens that they are reluctant to speak at meetings or public hearings. In that case, I would encourage you to contact your Town Board representatives directly and express your views.

The issues before us are contentious. I ask all concerned to consider the views of others and be respectful!

Thank you for the support form the Tully Schools in hosting the Public Hearing.

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Help Us Celebrate

The Tully Community Day will be SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th on the Elementary School Lawn from 9:00-2:30. Booth $10' \times 10'$ space cost \$30; double booth is \$50. A mailing is going out to previous vendors and organizations. Any other interested Crafters, Organizations, Artists may call 315-696-4681 to reserve a booth or for inquiries. Games booths are also welcome to stimulate interest in your organization or business.

A parade will take place at 10:00. An additional opportunity to promote your business, encourage activity for your organization, and support the community.

Monetary prizes will be awarded to "Best" in several categories:

Business Float Organization Float Adult Marching Unit

Youth Marching Unit Costumed Pet

Antique Vehicle Clown/Costumed Youth/or Decorated Bicycle

T.A.G. will be holding their Annual Grand Garage Sale at the Tully United Community Church September 16th & 17th

HELP MAKE IT A TRUE COMMUNITY INVOLVED DAY

Village Board News

The Village has spread 36 tons of dirt on the infield of the ball park in Cummings Park in order to bring it back into good condition for our athletes.

We are hoping to reduce energy costs at the Wastewater Treatment Plant by insulating the office area with closed cell foam to bring its insulation up to code specifications. We are starting the process of doing a Level 1 Energy Audit on the treatment plant so we can reduce our energy costs and greenhouse gas emissions even more.

The Village's Climate Smart Community Task Force has joined forces with the Tully Action Group (TAG) to put a receptacle behind Tully Fine Wines for recycling of wine bottles and other heavy glass bottles of the same shape (liquor, olive oil, beverage) which OCRRA no longer recycles. These bottles will be taken to a special recycling center by a TAG member so they can be reused for construction of such things as roads.

The Task Force is currently working on several other initiatives regarding reducing food scraps, what to throw in your recycling bin, and how to compost organic wastes. We hope to join with TAG and OCRRA at Kings Corner Market and Tully Community Day on 9/17 to present some of these to the public.

Please visit our Tully Climate Smart Community Facebook page for tips on helping the environment.

Kathy Vernay, Village Trustee

SAVE THE DATE

TULLY ALUMNI GATHERING Sunday, September 25th

2:00-6:00 at the LOFT

Look for further information on Facebook

Kings Corner Market, 10th Anniversary

Here we are getting ready for the 10th anniversary of KCM market nights. It's a village market like no other. Ten years ago 6 women sat down and brainstormed how we could bring food into our village- How could we create a positive, family friendly opportunity to introduce the community to the local farmers, producers and artists? How could we create something that would support locals in an effort to sustain our community? From that year moving forward Tuesdays in August, from 4-7pm the center of the village has come alive! With a variety of vendors for produce, meat, baked goods, jewelry, handmade items, art, flowers, soaps, candles, oils, syrup and more. Rain or shine, it doesn't matter, the market nights still go on.

Although the market board has changed over the years, the mission still remains the same. For the last few years we have been looking for a volunteer to take over coordinating the market nights. We are happy to share that John and Gabe DiDomenico have volunteered and will now be the coordinators and go to people for questions and feedback. Rest assured, not much has changed, the KCM email remains the same- kcmtully@gmail.com as does the link for registration https://tinyurl.com/y6a6m6cy. This year we have food trucks lined up for all 5 nights and hopefully we will be able to enjoy some live music at Cornerstone Park. Tee shirts and Tully, NY glasses are still available year round at Earth 2 Soul and on the corner of Clinton/State Street during the market nights. So plan to come hungry and bring some money! Like us on Facebook for up-to-date information.

I personally would like to take a moment and say it has been a pleasure creating, organizing and working with so many talented people over the last ten years. I have enjoyed my time collaborating and contributing to the community of Tully. I thank you all for supporting KCM and making a vision become a reality. Please continue to show your support and "buy local". Looking forward to seeing you Tuesdays in August.

Tully Parks and Recreation Summer Programs

Green Lake Beach is open 7 days a week 1pm-8pm. Use of the beach is free to Town of Tully residents non-residents within our school district can pay a one time fee of \$25/family or \$10/individual to use the beach throughout the summer.

Youth soccer, pre-k -6th grade, will begin in September. Please join us for a family registration night Wednesday August 24th from 5-7pm. The soccer club will have the snack shack open serving hot dogs and snacks. Varsity soccer players will be there to play games with the kids, and we will be providing a coaching clinic for our amazing parent coaches who volunteer each year!

You can also register in person at Green Lake Beach, or online at Active.com-Town of



~Amy Kida

News From Tully Free Library

There's just a few weeks left of Summer Learning, but the fun isn't done! We have a couple special family-friendly events coming up:

Jeff the Magic Man, Monday, July 25 at 5 PM. Be amazed at his trickery! Plus, balloon animals!

Planets & Galaxies: Through the Lens of Brandon O'Meal, Tuesday, July 26 at 7 PM. See amazing photos taken by a local Astrophotographer.

Adult Programming has a couple fun things scheduled next month: on Tuesday, August 9 at 6:30 PM we have a craft night for adults, where we'll be decorating tile coasters with alcohol ink. Then it's Wine on Wednesday, which takes place on August 17th. We'll have a wine tasting hosted by Chris Weiler of Fine Wine Tully, and then see the movie "Bottle Shock." The fun starts at 7 PM!

Plus we have our weekly crafts for kids, teens and tweens, and the usual monthly activities such as Minecraft Club, Movie Club and more! You can find out more information about all of our events and also register in advance on our website at www.tullyfreelibrary.org.

Kids and teens should continue to stop in once a week to chart their reading progress in order to get their weekly prize and raffle tickets. We hope adults are enjoying their island cruise. Make sure to get your passports stamped!

Summer Learning ends on Friday, August 19th with our Ice Cream Social finale, with ice cream provided by Samantha's Sweets & Treats, starting at 1:00 PM! We hope to see you there and celebrate all the fun we've had this summer! Thanks to everyone for supporting our Summer Learning Program for 2022!



SAVE \$\$\$ - Conserve to Preserve!

Want to have fun? Put on your raincoats and boots, and wash your car in the rain! Free water to help you wash and rinse your car! Let nature help minimize the chemical runoff, and there is nothing better than a hand washed vehicle! You save money, have fun in the rain, and reduce the chemicals used in the drain process at the car wash. Give it a try!

Train Station Ready to RENT

The Train Station renovations are complete and is now available to rent.

A great location for graduation celebrations, family gatherings, or business meetings.

Call Tully Area Historical Society (315-696-4681)



Tully Community Day September 17th 9am-2pm Elementary School Lawn 10 x 10 ft. space - \$30 Double \$50 Seeking Interested Artists/Crafters Game Booths also welcome Contact 315-696-4681 Tully Area Historical Society

The Lifeline and 988

988 has been designated as the new three-digit dialing code that will route callers to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (now known as the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline), and is now active across the United States.

When people call, text, or chat 988, they will be connected to trained counselors that are part of the existing Lifeline network. These trained counselors will listen, understand how their problems are affecting them, provide support, and connect them to resources if necessary.

The previous Lifeline phone number (1-800-273-8255) will always remain available to people in emotional distress or suicidal crisis.

The Lifeline's network of over 200 crisis centers has been in operation since 2005, and has been proven to be effective. It's the counselors at these local crisis centers who answer the contacts the Lifeline receives every day. Numerous studies have shown that callers feel less suicidal, less depressed, less overwhelmed and more hopeful after speaking with a Lifeline counselor.

Dependable Disposal

REMINDER TO ALL CUSTOMERS

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR TOTES ARE OUT THE NIGHT BEFORE OR MORNING OF BY 5AM

This prevents you from being missed as the driver(s) can sometimes run the route differently due to many things ex: sub driver, truck issues, landfill stops, etc.



Thank you for understanding.