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Cooking Demonstrations,
Live Music & Food Truck Rally

Tuesdays through October 8th 7am - 3pm

General Membership Meeting August 6, 2019

- A. Call to Order & Welcome
- **B.** Reports
 - 1. President
 - Secretary minutes of July meeting
 - 3. Treasurer
 - 4. Introduce new members and/or guests
 - 5. Programs
 - a. Party in the Plaza update
 - 6. Vice President
 - Public Relations
 - 8. Membership
 - a. Sunshine
 - b. Outings
 - 9. Special Events
 - a. Upcoming Events
- C. Unfinished Business
- **D. New Business**
- E. Membership Announcements
- **F.** 50/50 drawings
- G. Adjournment

Volunteer Opportunity

Empire State Marathon

Sunday, October 13th
Start & finish at NBT Bank Stadium

Please let Diane Knowlton know of future volunteer opportunities of which you become aware.

The PressRoom Pub has cancelled their presentation of Party in the Plaza for the remainder of the summer.

Minutes: General Membership Meeting of July 2, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 6:03pm by President Bill Cooper. No corrections were noted to the June meeting minutes; a motion was made by Don Goulet, seconded by Yvonne Russell, and the minutes were approved by the membership. Treasurer Ann Goehner reported balances as of April 30th as Checking: \$ and Investment:

\$. There were no guests or new members in attendance.

The Vice President, Don Goulet had nothing to report. He asked on the progress of the Redhouse sponsor tile; we have asked for and are awaiting our logo version that was displayed on this year's PIP poster design.

In Programs, PIP at the PressRoom Pub attendance is still light. Tom Hornstein has decided to move the live music portion later, to 7pm – 10pm, on the advice of his social media people. That loses the essence of PIP as a Happy Hour type event. Their only advertising seems to be on Facebook.

Under Public Relations, after Ann's contact with the Downtown Committee, she received a follow-up email which was forwarded to Bill. He spoke with Bethany Holbrook there about our goals and they will begin exploring ways the UDT can partner with them.

Special Events Director Diane Knowlton noted the following volunteer opportunity: Empire State Marathon on Sunday, October 13th beginning & ending at NBT Bank Stadium.

In Membership, the Meet Out/Eat dates for July were as noted in the July newsletter, on the 7th,12th, 23rd, 24th and 29th. There is a games & cards night scheduled for Monday the 8th at Wegman's in Dewitt, Onondaga Ski Club Happy Hour on the 9th at 110 Grill in Destiny USA and a Walk & Talk outing at Onondaga Lake Park on the 15th. There was no new Sunshine to report.

In Unfinished Business, members were directed to see the Thank You note sent from the Reedhouse Arts Center. For New Business, a listing of Rt I81 Information meeting dates was shown in the July newsletter. There were no Membership Announcements. There was no 50/50 drawing.

Break (6:32pm - 7:05pm)

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:07pm by Diane Knowlton and seconded by Don Goulet.



New Cafe: Scratch Bake House Located at 311 W Favette Street

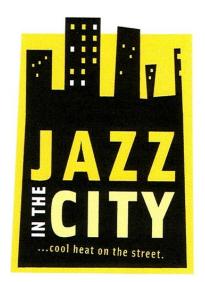
The Scratch Bake House opened in July in the space formerly occupied by the Stoop Bakery Cafe. The bake house will serve pastries and a variety of artisan breads, soups and salads. There are plans in the works to also serve pizza down the road!

The hours of the Scratch Bake House are: Wednesday through Friday 7am - 3pm; Saturday: 9am - 3pm



York Scottish Games and
Celtic Festival
at Long Branch Park
Saturday, August 10th
10am -6pm
ADULT: \$10.00

SENIOR (55 & UP): \$7.00 AGES 5 TO 12: \$4.00 UNDER 5: FREE



Jazz in the City – Atlas Thursday, August 22nd 7pm – 9pm Free

Atlas, the eight-piece funk & pop juggernaut now celebrating their 38th year in show business, returns by popular demand for an outdoor dining concert at the Regency Tower, hosted by Attilio's.

The KC Cuse Line Dance Seniors will perform a pre-show demonstration.

Food and beverages will be available at Attilio's.



Anything But Beer to Open Downtown Soon

Coming to The White Memorial Building

Anything But Beer will open in Downtown Syracuse by the end of August or early in September in the White Memorial Building, located at 201-203 South Salina Street. There will be a taproom featuring Anything But Beer's products, as well as guest beers, cider, wine and distilled products from New York State. There will also be a kitchen, with an expanded dining room expected to open later this fall. The menu will feature gluten-free, vegan and paleo options, and the restaurant will offer lunch, dinner and latenight service.

Anything But Beer products have been served at 70+ venues locally. The concept uses a fruit and/or vegetable base to brew

alcoholic beverages instead of the barley malt typically found in beer. The beverages are carbonated like beer and share a similar alcohol percentage (6-7%). Anything But Beer originally planned to open their taproom at 250-252 East Water Street, but now will occupy the space that was most recently home to Sahm Brewery, and prior to that, Clark's Ale House.

Sync Bike Share Now Available!

Ten bike hubs located in Downtown!

A total of ten bike hubs in Downtown Syracuse - and 25 more throughout Syracuse - have been added to provide residents & visitors with a convenient way to move around the city! The SYNC bikes are part of a 200-fleet bike share system, accessible from a smart phone app. Users can download the Gotcha app, find a bike hub, scan the QR code on the bike's handlebars, pay a fee and ride off. Users pay a \$2 fee, plus 15 cents for each minute of use. Monthly & yearly subscriptions are also available, which provide users with one hour of ride time each day. When finished, users may return the bikes to any of the 35 bike hubs. A special grant from the Downtown sector of Tomorrow's Neighborhoods Today (TNT) will support the purchase and installation of maps to help SYNC Bike Share users navigate Downtown Syracuse destinations





Bring your blanket or lawn chairs for a fun relaxing evening.

The Syracuse Inner Harbor Outdoor Movie Series presents "The Greatest Showman" (2017) at Iron Pier. An American musical drama film inspired by the life of P.T. Barnum, starring Hugh Jackman.

Barnum was a visionary who rose from nothing to create the "Greatest Show on Earth," a spectacle & celebration of his larger-than-life imagination that captivated audiences around the globe.

Film is rated "PG".

Food trucks & local breweries will arrive on site at 5pm Smart Phone Trivia & Prizes to begin at 7:15pm (YES THIS IS ALL FREE)

Outdoor Movie to follow. Parking can be Found on site at Iron Pier across the street from the event

August 2019				1	2	LATINO FESTIVAL
4	5	General Membership Meeting 6pm, San Miguel's	7 BINGO	8	9 OUTDOOR MOVIE	ZOO VISIT Scottish Games
CITY MARKET	12	13 Meet Out/ Eat Out	14	15	16 Happy Hour	17
18	19 WALK & TALK	20 NO Board Meeting	21 NYS Fair Begins	JAZZ in the CITY with ATLAS	23 Meet Out/ Eat Out	24
25	26 Meet Out/ Eat Out BOARD GAMES & CARDS	27 Meet Out/ Eat Out			30 Outings – Contail know you are	

MEET OUT / EAT OUT

Panera Bread

Tuesday, August 13 at 6pm 3409 Erie Blvd, E.

Kirby's

Friday, August 23 at Noon Westvale Plaza

Wegman's Café

Monday, August 26 at 6pm
Fayetteville
for Dinner AND Board Games & Cards

TGI Fridays

Tuesday, August 27 at 6pm Destiny USA Mall

SOCIAL OUTINGS

Bingo at the Liverpool Elks

Wednesday, August 7 Game starts at 7pm Bring dabbers

Rosamond Gifford Zoo

Saturday, August 10 Burnet Park at 11am

Walk and Talk

Monday, August 19 at 5:30pm
- Meet at Salt Museum Circle (walk for an hour)

Happy Hour with the Onondaga Ski Club

Friday, August 16th 5:30 - 7:00
The Reef, 1161 Old Rt. 31, Memphis
OSC will be providing hors d'oeuvres
and the restaurant will have Happy Hour specials.
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