

TOWN Talk Newsletter



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A Message from Town Supervisor Elizabeth Rounds
Email: supervisor@townofbinghamton.com

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With the beginning of this new year, it has been brought to my attention that the **Binghamton Township Historical Society (BTHS)** is in need of help.

Several members of the Historical Society have stepped down over the past few months for various reasons. They include Phyllis Hawley, Esther Pettingill, and most recently Kenna Lou Mills. In addition, Michelle Yates, Editor-in-Chief, who supported BTHS through the years with her creation of professional quality newsletters, also recently resigned. All were talented, dedicated, and knowledgeable officers and active members for many years. Their absence has created a large hole in the heart of the Binghamton Township Historical Society and our town.

The Historical Society is now at a serious crossroads and desperately needs your help. There are only a few remaining active members left. They are urging new volunteers to step forward and to join them in helping to preserve and protect our town's unique history. They're also looking for someone to become the new editor of their newsletter. I'd like to ask you . . . Do you like history? Would you like to learn more about your town and the founding families? Would you like to explore more about your own family's ties to our town? If you or anyone you know might be interested in becoming involved in the BTHS in any capacity, please contact Karen Thurber, President, at (607) 222-8953 or send an email to lefty71111@aol.com. As the classic Joni Mitchell song says, "You don't know what you've got 'til it's gone". Please consider helping out. We don't want to lose our history!

Finally, as I do at the beginning of each new year, I'd like to take this opportunity to remind our residents about the Town's website and to encourage you to check it out from time to time. We always have activities going on, and **our website is our main form of communication**. Please check us out at www.townofbinghamton.gov I wish you all a safe, happy, and healthy New Year!



Elizabeth Rounds

Mark Leighton - Highway Dept. / Water & Sewer Dept. Phone: (607) 669-4323
Hours: 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. E-mail: highway@townofbinghamton.com



Can you believe it? Another year just flew by. I hope everyone had a great 2025! I'd like to first mention our **Christmas Tree Pickup Dates**. You can put your tree to the curb anytime during the month of January; there's no need to call. Please make sure your tree is completely bare of any decorations. No pickups after Friday, January 30th.



As we get into the heart of winter 2026, I'd like to remind everyone to please find parking **off the streets** so we can clean the streets for the entire community. Also, be careful when traveling on snowy roads. Typically, roads will not be clear until 24 hours after the snow stops and even then, there will be drifting and blowing of snow. Feel free to call the Highway Department with any persistent or new hazards as you see them.

As always, we have a full slate of road work we're looking to schedule in the 2026 construction season. There is, again, more work than we can squeeze into the year. I am prioritizing this work; however, things change and sometimes roads that need work get pushed out. The only constant here at the Highway Department is change. I wish all of you a happy and blessed 2026!

Mark Leighton

FRIENDLY REMINDER ABOUT MAINTENANCE OF COUNTY ROADS

The Town of Binghamton Highway Dept. IS NOT responsible for plowing, sanding, and routine maintenance of COUNTY roads in the Town of Binghamton (including plowing, ditch cleaning, mailbox repair, and animal removal). The COUNTY is solely responsible for COUNTY roads. If you are unsure which roads are County roads, they are: Brady Hill, Hawleyton, Murphy, Park Ave., Pierce Creek, Powers, and Saddlemire. If you have a complaint concerning the maintenance of any County road, please call (607) 778-2228.



WATER/SEWER BILLING CYCLE (These are approximate mailing dates.)

November 1st (1st billing in an annual cycle); due in early December

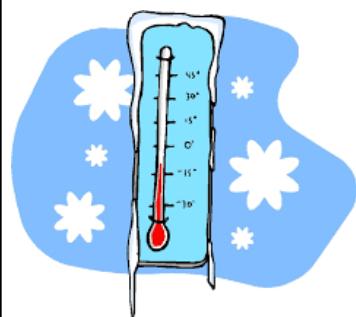
February 1st, 2026 (2nd billing); due in early March

May 1st, 2026 (3rd billing); due in early June

August 1st, 2026 (4th billing); due in early September



THE TOWN IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR REPAIRING FROZEN WATER METERS AND PIPES



This is a friendly reminder that the Town is NOT responsible for fixing your frozen water meter or broken pipes. It is the homeowner's responsibility to maintain heat in and around the water meter and pipes to keep them from freezing. It's imperative that you make it a priority to keep your meter and pipes warm. A water break inside your home can cause considerable damage to your home and its contents, PLUS, it will cost you \$450 to replace one of our water meters. Please call us if you have any questions. We can be reached at (607) 669-4323.



**ASSESSOR'S OFFICE — (607) 772-0357, press option 4
Joe Cook, Assessor / Mary Atkinson, Assessor's Assistant**

Assessor's Office Hours:

Assessor: Wednesday Mornings: 9 a.m. to noon (Appointments suggested)

Assessor's Assistant: Tues. through Thurs.: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Drop boxes are available outside the main entrance and inside the Town Hall foyer.

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**This is a reminder that all exemption applications and renewals must be filed with our office before March 1st each year. We will need your identification and 2024 tax return when filing your application.**

**2026 Renewal Exemptions – Low Income Seniors and Disability Exemptions**

The 2026 renewal exemptions and filing procedures will require income verification. All letters from the Town's Assessor's Office and/or NYS Tax and Finance should be opened, reviewed and returned, if required.

**PLEASE NOTE: Your AGED (SENIOR EXEMPTION) will be based on your 2024 income. The County has increased the limit for the AGED (SENIOR EXEMPTION) to \$33,500. The DISABILITY EXEMPTION is also based on your 2024 income. The maximum to receive this exemption is \$26,899.**

**STAR registration for new homeowners**

Have you recently moved to a new home in the Town of Binghamton? You may be eligible for the STAR credit through New York State. To learn more, please visit [www.tax.ny.gov/star](http://www.tax.ny.gov/star) or call (518) 457-2036.

**Enhanced STAR Exemption**

Beginning in 2026, if you are turning 65 and have been receiving the Basic STAR exemption, you will no longer need to take any action to upgrade to the Enhanced STAR exemption. The NYS Tax Department will automatically notify you and the Assessor when you become eligible for Enhanced STAR.

The Assessor's Office will no longer be accepting applications for Basic STAR or Enhanced STAR. You will have to call the NYS Homeowners Property Tax Relief Credit Line at (518) 457-2036 or visit [www.tax.ny.gov/star](http://www.tax.ny.gov/star) for assistance with the Basic and Enhanced Exemptions.

**Veterans Exemption**

In addition to the Low-Income Senior Citizens Exemption and the Enhanced STAR Exemption, there is also a Veterans Exemption. The Veterans Exemption is available to an honorably discharged Veteran's residence and reduces the Town & County (but not school) taxes. Not only can the Veteran apply, but it is also available to un-remarried widows of veterans. Applications are available in our office or on the town's website. A copy of the Veteran's DD214 form must be submitted along with a completed application.

Please visit our website at <https://townofbinghamton.gov/assessment-department/> for all applications and further information regarding all exemptions. As always, if you have any assessment questions, please call our office at (607) 772-0357 (press option 4) or send an email to: [assessor@townofbinghamton.com](mailto:assessor@townofbinghamton.com)

Thanks, and enjoy the winter season!



**If you'd like to receive this newsletter and other important Town news items via e-mail, go to: [www.townofbinghamton.gov](http://www.townofbinghamton.gov)**

**Scroll down to the bottom on any page and look for the gold box with these words, "Subscribe to Our Email List to Stay Informed".**

**Click on the gold box and fill in your email address.**

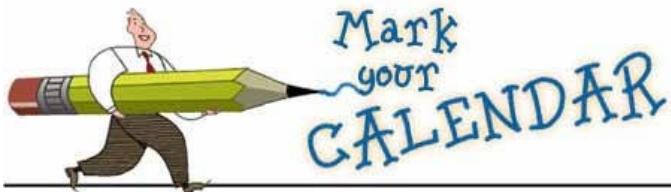
## Senior Activities Presented by the Town's Senior Citizens Commission

**Dennis & Susan See / Lisa Young**

*Please be patient awaiting replies to our email address. We are volunteers and will check emails as often as we can.*

Email: [tobseniors@townofbinghamton.com](mailto:tobseniors@townofbinghamton.com)

### The Town of Binghamton Senior Citizens Commission Rings in the New Year with a New Slate of Activities!



**IMPORTANT NOTE!** Activities are held at the  
Town of Binghamton Town Hall, located at  
279 Park Avenue, unless noted otherwise.  
Please make all RSVPs to (607) 772-0357, x301

**Chair Yoga:** (exercise) Due to the great turnout & response, the Town is continuing to offer (and INCREASING to 3x per month!) **FREE** Chair Yoga sessions to our Seniors led by our own Town of Binghamton resident, Tina Fetten! She is a Foundational Yoga Therapist who uses her special background and training to meet the needs of all students' body types and abilities. Modifications to accommodate differing abilities are always offered. No RSVP and no special equipment are required. Sessions are held on the following Mondays from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Community Center, located at 1905 Coleman Rd., Binghamton: **JAN 19 & 26 - FEB 2, 9, 16 - MARCH 2, 9, 16**

Follow the Susquehanna Valley School District notices for class/after school activity delays or closures, in which cases there will be no class. PLEASE NOTE: The Town Board had determined that non-residents will be permitted to attend, for a \$4 per person fee, payable IN CASH to Vickie Conklin at time of sign-in to class. Wear loose clothing.

**The Town of Binghamton Seniors Book Club continues to meet on the second Tuesday of each month at the Community Center at 1905 Coleman Road from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. All are welcome!** Here is the list of the upcoming books:

Tuesday, February 10, 2026 - "The Third Gilmore Girl" by Kelly Bishop  
Tuesday, March 10, 2026 - "Crow Mary" by Kathleen Grissom



If you haven't read any of the featured books, please feel free to come anyway!

PLEASE NOTE: The Book Club (as a group) chooses the books to be featured each month. If you have a book you'd like to recommend, please bring it with you to the next meeting and join the club!



**Do you sew? Come to our "Sit and Stitch" – Tues., Jan., 20, 2026, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Community Center at 1905 Coleman Rd.**  
Come and join a group of individuals that do different types of sewing. Our purpose is to offer you time to work on your own projects while visiting with others. No RSVP is necessary.

**Additional activities continued on the next page.**

**Senior Activities Presented by the Town's Senior Citizens Commission****Dennis & Susan See / Lisa Young****Email: [tobseniors@townofbinghamton.com](mailto:tobseniors@townofbinghamton.com)***Please be patient awaiting replies to our email address. We are volunteers and will check emails as often as we can.***Senior Activities continued . . .**

**Mosaics:** (Crafts/Learn Something New) Class will resume its regular schedule (last Thursday of each month from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Town Hall) as follows: **Jan. 29, Feb. 26, & Mar. 26.** All materials are provided, although students are encouraged to bring whatever items they wish to experiment with. Please **call Lisa at (607) 772-0357 x 301 to advise if you'll be attending.** **FREE REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED.**



**It's Time to Play Cards!** Folks at the Holiday Lunch expressed interest in this activity, so please join us on **Tues., February 3, 2026, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Community Center** at 1905 Coleman Road. Our playing schedule will be discussed as a group, and we'll decide on which card games to play. **RSVP by calling (607) 772-0357, x301 by Weds., January 28, 2026.**

**Our next Potluck Luncheon will be held on Wed., Feb. 11 at noon at the Community Center, at 1905 Coleman Road.** Please bring a dish to pass. Plates, silverware, napkins, and drinks will be provided. **RSVP by Fri., Feb. 6 by calling 607-772-0357 x301.**



**Macramé':** (Crafts/Learn Something New) The Macramé' class is finally here! **Thurs., Feb. 12 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Town Hall.** **Minimum of three people must RSVP to Lisa at (607) 772-0357 x301 by Mon., Feb. 2nd or the event will be cancelled.** Leave your name, phone number, and preference for what you'd like to make between a keychain or a canning jar decoration. **FREE REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED!**

There have been some inquiries about forming a **Felting Class** (Crafts/Learn Something New) and a Felting Instructor has been located. Due to the specialty tools and expensive material necessary to hold this class, we'll need to explore serious interest before scheduling a class. **Please RSVP to Lisa at (607) 772-0357 x301, indicating your interest by Mon., Feb. 2nd.**

**The Petting Zoo** outing, which received over 20 sign-ups, will be rescheduled when weather permits according to the **Edwards Farm** & advance notice will be given for new sign-up.

**COMING UP IN SPRING . . .**

Let Lisa know by calling (607) 772-0357, x301 if you are interested in a day trip to **Corning Glass** to tour the museum AND participate in a glassworks class! Leave your name, phone number, and preference for what you'd like to make between etching a drinking glass, blowing an ornament, or melding glass pieces into a flat decorative piece. Only one will have to be chosen, but the most votes will be given preference.



**TOWN OF BINGHAMTON VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY****The Chief's Corner - Darin Lewis, Fire Chief****E-mail: [chief@tobfire.org](mailto:chief@tobfire.org)** Phone: (607) 761-1218

Dear Members of Our Community,

As we welcome the start of a new year, the members of the **Town of Binghamton Volunteer Fire Company** would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to our residents, local businesses, and community partners for your continued support throughout 2025. Your trust, encouragement, and cooperation allow us to proudly serve and protect our town every day.

Whether through community involvement, attending events, supporting fundraisers, or simply lending a kind word, your support makes a difference. Because of you, we are able to maintain our training, equipment, and readiness to respond whenever we are needed.

As we move forward into 2026, we wish you and your families a happy, healthy, and safe New Year. We look forward to continuing our service to the Town of Binghamton and strengthening the bond we share with our community in the year ahead.

**Quick Fire Safety Tip:**

During winter months, ensure that heating equipment such as space heaters and fireplaces are used safely. Keep all flammable items at least **three feet away**, and always make sure heaters are turned off before leaving the room or going to bed. Please ensure you have CO detectors in each level of your residence.

Thank you once again for your support. We are honored to serve you.

Sincerely,

**The Members of the Town of Binghamton  
Volunteer Fire Company**

**TOB Fire Station #2 (2120 Pierce Creek Road) Has Pancake Breakfasts Planned**

Town of Binghamton Vol. Fire Company, Station #2, located at 2120 Pierce Creek Road, will be holding an "All You Can Eat" Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, January 18, 2026, from 8 a.m. until 11 a.m.

Cost: \$10 for adults (ages 12 & up) / \$8 for children (ages 5 to 11)  
Children under 5 are free.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR FUTURE BREAKFASTS:**

Sunday, February 15, 2026

Sunday, March 15, 2026 (Last one for the season)

**A MESSAGE FROM NICK PAPPAS, Code Enforcement Officer**  
**Phone: (607) 772-0357, press 3**  
**Email: [code@townofbinghamton.com](mailto:code@townofbinghamton.com)**



### **WINTER PARKING ORDINANCE IS NOW IN EFFECT**

The Town of Binghamton has a Winter Parking Ordinance that states: "No person shall park a vehicle on either side of any town or county highway within the Town of Binghamton between the hours of 11 p.m. and 7 a.m. on each day from December 1 to the following April 1, inclusive.

No owner or operator of a motor vehicle shall park the same unattended on any town street or highway within the Town of Binghamton following any snowfall of two inches or more until said street or highway shall have been plowed by or at the direction of the Highway Department of the Town of Binghamton. Any two-inch snowfall shall, for the purposes of this section, constitute a snow emergency.

Failure by the operator of a motor vehicle to obey any of the signs erected pursuant to these provisions shall be construed as a violation and punishable upon conviction by a fine." Please abide by this ordinance. It is very difficult for the large snowplows to navigate down narrow streets when cars are parked along the roadways.

**SPECIAL NOTICE TO PARK TERRACE RESIDENTS:  
 THERE IS NO PARKING ANYTIME ON STREETS LOCATED IN BOTH UPPER AND  
 LOWER PARK TERRACE AREAS. TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED TO VIOLATORS.**

**A MESSAGE FROM RICK MURRAY, Dog Control Officer**  
 (607) 772-0357, press 7    E-mail: [DCO@TownofBinghamton.com](mailto:DCO@TownofBinghamton.com)



Now that winter is here, I'd like to remind everyone of the "New York State Dog Shelter Law." Section 353-b of the New York Agriculture and Markets Law states that you are required to provide shelter for your dog at all times. The Broome County Sheriff's Dept. and New York State Police, as well as local police agencies, can enforce this law.

If your dog spends anytime outdoors, you must provide shelter to protect the dog from direct sunlight, rain, snow, wind, cold weather, hot weather, and other inclement conditions. The shelter must be waterproof, insulated, and allow the dog to move around freely. The dog must be able to stand up, turn around, and lie down. Violators will receive a Court citation and be required to pay a fine ranging from \$50 to \$250, as well as to show proof of shelter for the dog. If you suspect that someone is not providing their dog with adequate food and/or shelter, don't hesitate to call the Sheriff's Dept. at (607) 778-1911 or the New York State Police at (607) 775-1241.

### **Broome County Landfill's Winter & Spring 2026 Electronics & Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Dates**



The Broome County Landfill continues to accept hazardous waste (including household and auto batteries, propane tanks, fluorescent bulbs, driveway sealers, paints, solvents, stains, cleaners, pesticides, and pool and photography chemicals) AND old electronics (such as computers, printers, stereos, TVs, copiers, fax machines, mobile phones, etc.) You can drop these off, FREE OF CHARGE, at the landfill on the following days from 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.:

Sat., Jan. 24 / Wed., Feb. 4 / Sat., Feb. 21

Wed., March 4 / Sat., March 7 / Sat., March 21

Wed., April 1 / Sat., April 4 / Sat., April 18

**A MESSAGE FROM CHRISTOPHER STRENO**  
**Director of Youth Activities**

**Email: [tobyouthsports@gmail.com](mailto:tobyouthsports@gmail.com)**  
**(607) 772-0357, ext. 048**



**TOB YOUTH ACTIVITIES: YEAR IN REVIEW (2025)**

As we usually do, we began this year in the middle of our Youth Basketball season. Last season we had 40 boys and 30 girls playing competitive basketball in grades 3-6. This season we combined forces with the Town of Conklin to form an **SV Youth Basketball Program**. We are playing in the Greater Broome County Youth Athletic Conference along with programs from Kirkwood, Windsor, Chenango Valley, Chenango Forks, and Whitney Point. The goals of this league are centered on development over competition followed by a month of more competitive play in February. We had 63 boys and 49 girls register to play and are divided among 13 teams. We continue our partnership with the SV basketball coaching staff, who are heavily involved in the newly combined program. For the third straight season, the K-2 Skills & Drills program is being conducted by the SV coaching staff and being held at the SV High School. In the past, this was a program that each town ran on their own but now the kids in this age group from the entire school district get to participate together and begin building some SV pride at an early age.

**Baseball and Softball** began practice in March and games began in May. We had 35 kids on four teams for our T-Ball program. They spent a few weeks learning various skills and then played some games against each other. Softball and Baseball continue to have three levels of play after T-Ball; Coach-Pitch, Minors and Majors. This year we had one Coach-Pitch, two Minors & one Majors Softball teams, three Coach-Pitch, two Minors and three Majors Baseball teams representing the Town of Binghamton. This season we had 77 baseball players and 37 softball players playing at three different levels: Pony League, Minors, and Majors. This year the league decided to move Pony Baseball from coach pitch to machine pitch. This change helped to develop the players' skills a little better as they prepared to progress to the next level. For the third straight season, one of our major's baseball teams was sponsored by the **Binghamton Rumble Ponies**. We contracted with them to sell a number of discounted Rumble Ponies game tickets in exchange for official BRP jerseys for our team, custom made by the organization with our players' names. With the assistance of the Booster Club, there were no costs to the town for this collaboration.... and to top it off, our Major League Rumble Ponies were the Tri-Town League Champions! We continue to play in our Tri-Town Baseball & Softball league with the Towns of Conklin & Kirkwood. Windsor softball remained in our league for the third straight season.



**Football & Cheer** began in August. We continue to be a member of the Southern Tier Youth Football Conference which consists of 25 teams from 21 programs, ranging from Susquehanna, PA, in the south, Norwich and Lansing to the north, and Elmira, Corning and Horseheads to the east. For our 2025 Youth Football & Cheer Season, we had teams at four different age/grade levels for both cheer and football; BK/K, 1st & 2nd grade, 3rd & 4th Grade and 5th & 6th grade. We had over 90 cheerleaders and more than 70 football players combined from those levels. This year we joined just a handful of other youth programs from our Conference in introducing **Girls' Youth Flag Football**. Over 30 girls between the grades of 3-6 made up two teams embarking on a historical new program that was quite successful. We look forward to seeing this level of play grow even more in the years to come. We play in the Southern Tier Youth Football Conference (STYFC) which is comprised of 25 teams from 19 programs spanning the map east to west from Susquehanna, PA, to Corning and north to Norwich. We continue to play our home games at the SV stadium and continue to have a great working relationship with the school district and the Varsity football coaching staffs, who are all extremely supportive of our programs.



Positive improvements continue to be made at **Jackson Park**. New scoreboards were in place for last season that came with easy-to-use remote controls, and new portable pitching mounds were introduced. The fences were replaced on the upper fields, the new bathrooms are fully functional giving much easier access to visitors to the park, and some additional paving has made for a more fan-friendly environment around the concession stand. We're looking forward to a great new year of activities!

*Christopher Streno*

## Updates from Your County Legislator, Kelly Wildoner

Kelly Wildoner is a County Legislator representing District 3, which includes the Towns of Binghamton and Conklin along with part of Vestal.



I hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable holiday season. With the new year beginning, I wanted to take a moment to update the residents of the Town of Binghamton on what the County Legislature has been working on.

At the beginning of November, we approved the 2026 Broome County Budget. The Broome County Legislature has approved another property tax rate cut for Broome County residents. During the budget process we held multiple public meetings to review each department's budget. This fiscal oversight is important; it allows me and the other Legislators to go over each department thoroughly and have any questions answered by the Administration or departments. This budget allowed us to continue to maintain critical services, make strategic investments in public safety, infrastructure, parks, economic development and other projects and resources within our community. It is important we maintain fiscal oversight on tax-payer money and how it is spent.

The winter season has been a very cold one compared to recent years. If you're someone who enjoys getting active in this kind of weather, Broome County Parks offer a variety of activities for you to do. Aqua Terra Park is perfect for a winter hike or to do some cross-country skiing. The park is still beautiful this time of year.

Grippo Community Park, in West Endicott, just reopened after a big renovation project. This renovation project included installation of a covered ice-skating rink where members of our community can skate for free. Skate rentals are also available. Our Broome County Parks offer a wide variety of activities for families and community members to enjoy, no matter the weather outside.



During these cold months, not everyone wants to do outdoor activities. The County offers a number of indoor activities for you and the family to enjoy. Our local hockey team, the Binghamton Black Bears, continue to sell out the Arena. They have been an exciting addition to our community, even winning the Commissioners Cup last season. The Broome County Forum has a number of great shows going on during the winter months, too. There are so many different activities to do throughout our County, so try to take full advantage of them when you can!

I hope everyone enjoyed their holidays and are having a great start to the new year! If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 607) 778-2131, on Facebook by searching "Broome County Legislator Kelly Wildoner" or by sending an email to me at:

[kelly.wildoner@broomecountyny.gov](mailto:kelly.wildoner@broomecountyny.gov)

*Kelly Wildoner*



### CHECK OUT THE COMMUNITY CENTER FOR YOUR NEXT GATHERING

The Town's Community Center is located in a beautiful country setting with ample parking. The facility accommodates up to 80 people and may be perfect for your event. We reserve on a first come, first served basis, and rental rates are as follows:

A \$350 rental fee plus a \$200 refundable security deposit (payable by check only) for **Town of Binghamton** and **Town of Conklin** residents.

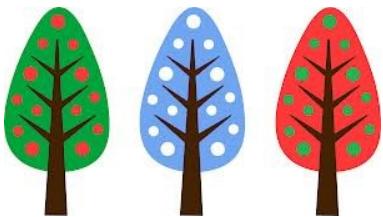
A \$450 rental fee plus a \$200 refundable security deposit (payable by check only) for **non-residents**. Rental fee is due with application and your check will be cashed immediately. The \$200 refundable security deposit is due when you pick up the key. Contact Zack Soboleski by email at [ccc@townofbinghamton.com](mailto:ccc@townofbinghamton.com) to reserve your date today.

# Town of Binghamton

**279 Park Avenue  
Binghamton, NY 13903**

**The Town of Binghamton is an equal opportunity employer and provider. To file a complaint of discrimination, write:**

**USDA — Director  
Office of Civil Rights  
1400 Independence Avenue-SW  
Washington, DC 20250-9410**



## TOWN HALL MAIN PHONE

**(607) 772-0357**

**Telecommunication Device for the Deaf:  
1-800-662-1220 or 711**

## TOWN HALL PHONE EXTENSIONS LISTED BELOW

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Assessor, Joseph Cook                     | Ext. 015        |
| Assessor's Clerk, Mary Atkinson           | Ext. 013        |
| Bookkeeper, Sandra Reifler                | Ext. 021        |
| Code Enforcement/Bldg. Insp., Nick Pappas | Ext. 012        |
| Code Enforcement Officer, Zack Soboleski  | Ext. 014        |
| Court Clerk, John Petit                   | Ext. 019        |
| Dog Control Officer, Rick Murray          | Ext. 022        |
| <b>Emergencies at Night: Dogs/Water</b>   | <b>778-1911</b> |
| Highway Supt., Mark Leighton              | 669-4323        |
| Information Desk, Becky Smith             | Ext. 010        |
| Seniors Commission                        | Ext. 301        |
| Supervisor, Elizabeth Rounds              | Ext. 011        |
| Tax Collector (call Broome County)        | 778-2169        |
| Town Clerk, Tracy Tokos                   | Ext. 026        |
| Town Clerk's Deputy, Mindi Prince         | Ext. 023        |
| Town Justice, Hon. Christopher Streno     | Ext. 019        |
| Water/Sewer Maint., Lee Cooper            | 669-4323        |
| Water/Sewer Billing, Nadine Pappas        | 669-4323        |
| Youth Activities, Christopher Streno      | Ext. 048        |

## HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE TOWN OF BINGHAMTON

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|---------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Sun., January 18    | Pancake Breakfast - Fire Station #2 @ 2120 Pierce Creek Road - 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.   |
| Mon., January 19    | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., January 20   | Town of Binghamton Town Board meeting @ Town Hall at 6 p.m.                        |
| Tues., January 20   | "Sit & Stitch" at Community Center - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)    |
| Sat., January 24    | Hazardous Waste Collection @ Broome County Landfill - 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.   |
| Mon., January 26    | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., January 27   | Joint Planning & Zoning Board Meeting @ Town Hall at 6:30 p.m.                     |
| Thurs., January 29  | Mosaics @ Town Hall - 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (See page 5 for details.)             |
| Mon., February 2    | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., February 3   | Card Playing @ Community Center - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 5 for details.)       |
| Tues., February 3   | Town of Binghamton Work Session @ Town Hall at 4 p.m.                              |
| Wed., February 4    | Hazardous Waste Collection @ Broome County Landfill - 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.   |
| Mon., February 9    | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., February 10  | Rabies Clinic at BC Humane Society @ 167 Conklin Avenue - 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.      |
| Tues., February 10  | Book Club Meets @ Community Center from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. (See page 4 for details.) |
| Weds., February 11  | Pot Luck Lunch @ TOBCC - Noon to 2 (see page 4)                                    |
| Thurs., February 12 | Macramé' @ Town Hall from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (See page 5 for details.)         |
| Sun., February 15   | Pancake Breakfast - Fire Station #2 @ 2120 Pierce Creek Road - 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.   |
| Mon., February 16   | Presidents' Day - All Town Buildings are closed.                                   |
| Mon., February 16   | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., February 17  | Town of Binghamton Town Board Meeting @ Town Hall at 6 p.m.                        |
| Sat., February 21   | Hazardous Waste Collection @ Broome County Landfill - 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.   |
| Thurs., February 26 | Mosaics @ Town Hall = 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (See page 5 for details.)             |
| Mon., March 2       | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., March 3      | Town of Binghamton Work Session @ Town Hall at 4 p.m.                              |
| Wed., March 4       | Hazardous Waste Collection @ Broome County Landfill - 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.   |
| Sat., March 7       | Hazardous Waste Collection @ Broome County Landfill - 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.   |
| Mon., March 9       | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Tues., March 10     | Book Club meets @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)    |
| Mon., March 16      | Chair Yoga @ Community Center - 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. (See page 4 for details.)         |
| Thurs., March 26    | Mosaics @ Town Hall - 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (See page 5 for details.)             |

