



The Clinton Chamber of Commerce Newsletter

November 2016



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Welcome New Member

Clinton Lions Club 

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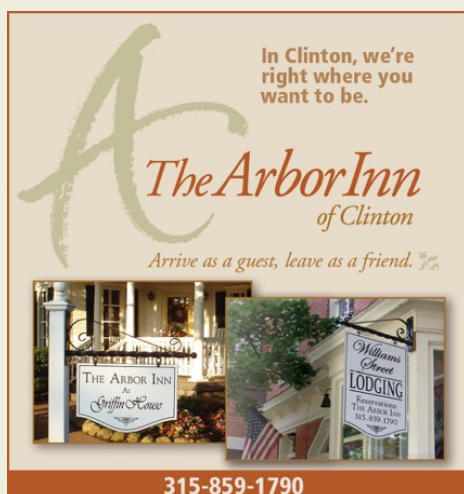
Welcome new Chamber member, the Clinton Lions Club! Serving the Village of Clinton and Town of Kirkland since 1958.

The Clinton Lions Club meet the second and fourth Thursday each month September - June. We invite you to join us, to learn more about Lions, at Alteri's Restaurant on College St. in the village of Clinton, dinner begins at 6:30 pm.

**Clinton Chamber of Commerce
Networking Breakfast at
the Clinton Cider Mill
Wednesday, November 2
from 8 - 9:30 am**



Join us at the [Clinton Cider Mill](#) to pass business cards and network with current and prospective Clinton Chamber of Commerce members from the surrounding area.



The Mill opened in Clinton in 1903 with a screw press which was powered by a steam engine. In 1927, a new hydraulic press was installed. Since then, the cider making process has stayed the same, with the addition of screening and refrigeration.

In 1998, John and Mimi Fehlner purchased the Cider Mill. Their son, Ben, and daughter-in-law, Laura, moved to Clinton in 2006. Together, they continue to make sweet apple cider the same way it has been done for more than a century.

Complimentary breakfast treats and beverages provided by the Clinton Cider Mill.

Open to ALL Current and Prospective Members

Clinton Cider Mill   

28 Elm Street
Clinton, NY 13323

Please RSVP to Jackie Walters at 315-853-1735
or info@clintonnychamber.org.

Clinton Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors

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Thank You to our Members!



Thank you to our Major Events Sponsors:

[Access Federal Credit Union](#),
[Brookdale Clinton](#), [Coldwell Banker Sexton Real Estate](#),
[Krizia Martin](#), [NBT- Mang Insurance](#) and
[Strategic Financial Services](#)

We invite you to become an integral part of the Clinton Shoppers' Stroll & Holiday parade by becoming a sponsor.
[Click here](#) for sponsorship opportunities.

Interested in participating in the Shoppers' Stroll festivities and/or parade? Please [click here](#) for the participation form.

We Need your Help to plan the Shoppers' Stroll activities and events! Join our committee and/or volunteer on the day! Please email Jackie Walters at info@clintonnychamber.org if you're interested.

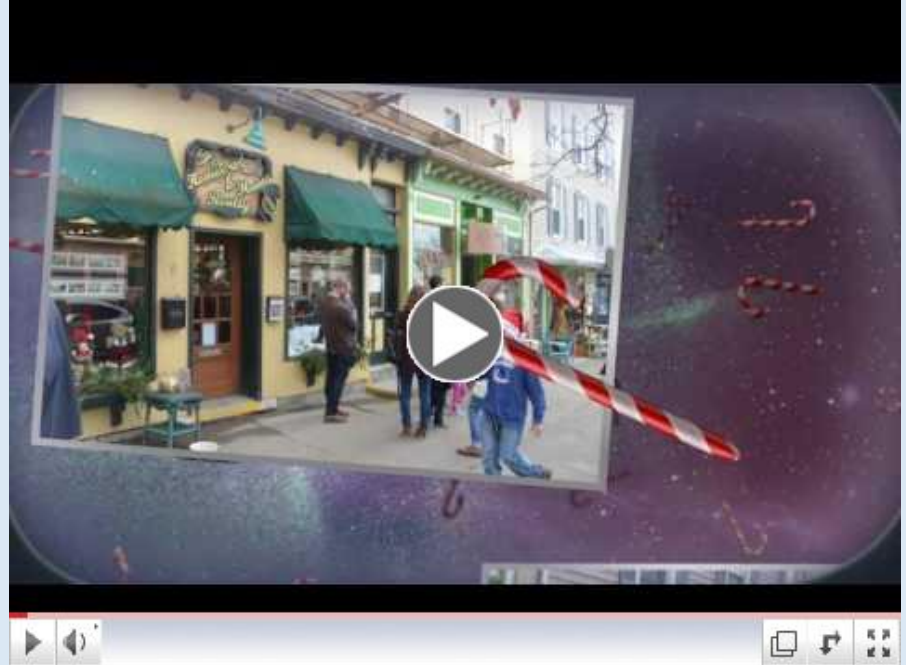
Thank you for your continued support!



Thank you to [North Star Orchards](#) for hosting the October Networking Breakfast!



Thank you to [Utica Score](#) for hosting the October Networking Business After Hours
Thank you also to the [Alexander Hamilton Institute](#) for the use of their board room for the event.



SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY | NOV 26

**SUPPORT YOUR
NEIGHBORHOOD BUSINESSES**

Join us in celebrating Small Business Saturday!

#ShopSmall #ShopLocal

[Click here](#) to create FREE custom downloadable marketing materials for your social networks, site and storefront from American Express!

**Facebook for Small Business
hosted SDBC
at the Clinton High School Computer Lab
Tuesday, November 29
from 5:30 - 7:30 pm**



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A Message from the Merchants Group:

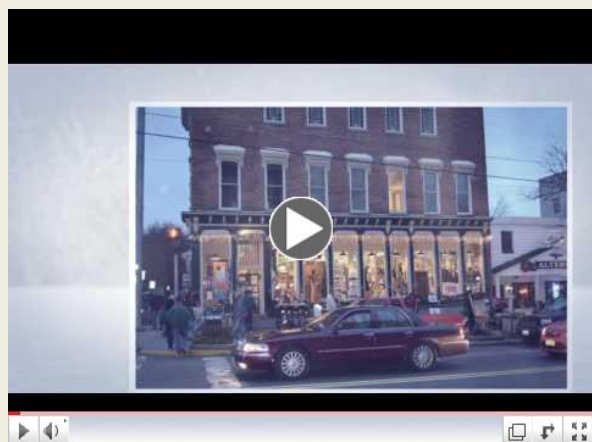
Once again, the Merchants Group is organizing the annual **Ladies Night Out on Friday, December 9th** and **Men's Night Out on Friday, December 16th**.

These events were started as a way to invite visitors to the Village of Clinton and to support local business during the holiday season.

We are reaching out to all Clinton Chamber members who might be interested in becoming a part of these events through sponsorship opportunities.

Shoppers have the chance to win a shopping spree along with other prizes at participating stores. Some of the local businesses also offer refreshments and free gift wrapping.

Our sponsors last year included [KeyBank](#) (formerly First Niagara Bank), [Clinton Tractor](#) and [Clifford Fuel](#). Sponsorship opportunities start at \$100. Sponsors will have their name on all advertising media (Chamber website and social media pages, rack cards, posters, etc). If you would like to be a part of this special event, please send an email to info@clintonnychamber.org.



Ladies Night Out



Men's Night Out

Last year, Men's Night Out made it on the late news on WKTV! [Click here](#) to check out the clip.

The Professional Series: Training for Established Small Businesses

The Small Business Development Center at SUNY Polytechnic Institute announces an opportunity for small business owners to attend a new seminar that will provide invaluable information for use in their individual businesses.

Facebook for Small Business

Learn best practice Facebook marketing strategies to grow your business. Hands-on!

October 25

5:30 - 7:30 pm
Little Falls High School
Computer Lab

November 29

5:30 - 7:30 pm
Clinton High School
Computer Lab

**Both Sessions
are Free!**

Pre-registration is required!

Call the **SBDC** @ 315-792-7547
or E-mail palazzp@sunyit.edu

Space is limited

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SBDC
NEW YORK

Open to ALL Current and Prospective Members

Location:

[Clinton High School](#), Computer Lab
75 Chenango Avenue
Clinton, New York 13323

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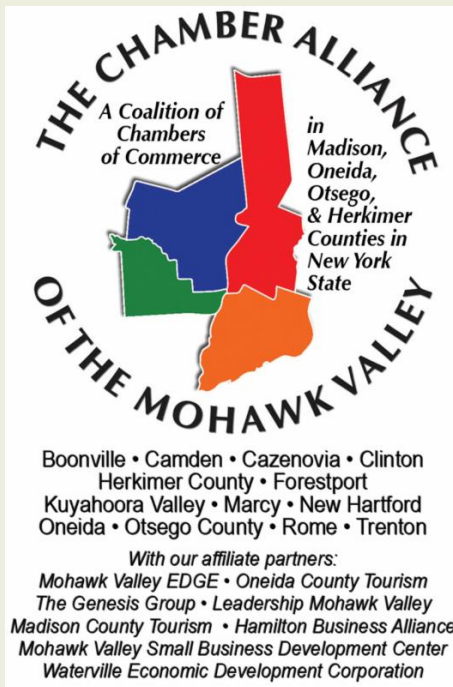
THE COUNTRY PANTRY

Clinton Chamber Networking Breakfast
Wednesday, December 7 at
[The Country Pantry](#)
from 8 - 9:30 am



[Click here](#) for more details on how to advertise with the Clinton Chamber of Commerce.

Contact Jackie Walters at
info@clintonnychamber.org or 315-853-1735



[Chamber Alliance of the Mohawk Valley](#)
announces

MEET THE CANDIDATES

Thursday, November 3rd
from 5:30 - 7:30 pm
at FX Matt Brewery

Reminder: Thanksgiving distribution is November 15th. Items in need are turkey gravy, stuffing and financial donations to defray the cost of Hannaford turkey gift cards.

Christmas distribution is December 13th. Collecting new dish towels and pot holders for our clients. Also, we are collecting gift cards for children aged 0-18 (\$5.00 and up) from child friendly stores such as Five-Below, Walmart, Hobby Lobby, Dollar Store or similar.

The [Burns Agency](#) is a drop-off point year round.

**EAT
DRINK
& BE
MERRY**

DECEMBER 7
WEDNESDAY
STARTING AT 6 PM

**CLINTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
HOLIDAY PARTY**

**SPECIAL GUEST: PRESIDENT WIPPMAN
OF HAMILTON COLLEGE**

**Join us in WELCOMING
President Wippman to Clinton!**

REGISTER NOW

**Clinton Chamber of Commerce
Gift Certificates**

RSVP by Nov. 1st to
info@romechamber.com
Checks can be made payable to
The Genesis Group

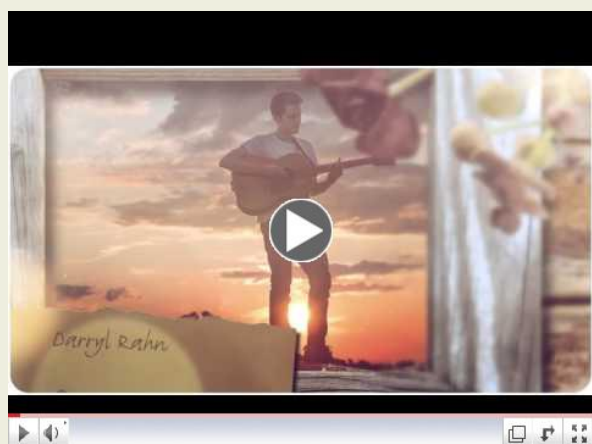
Please email questions for the candidates to
info@romechamber.com by Nov. 1st

[Click here](#) for more information.

**Thank you for a great
Clinton Farmers Market
season! See you next year!**



Thank you from the Clinton Farmers
Market!



Thank you to all the entertainers at the
Clinton Farmers Market!



Take the Guess Work out of Gift Giving!

Purchasing a Clinton Chamber Gift Certificate ensures that money can be spent locally at participating Clinton Chamber of Commerce members in the Village of Clinton, Town of Kirkland and the surrounding area.

Clinton Chamber Gift Certificates are simple to order and make wonderful, flexible gifts for birthdays, holidays and tokens of appreciation. They are an excellent opportunity to support our local businesses. This is also an opportunity to give the recipient the ability to purchase exactly what they want or need.

How to Order:

Clinton Chamber Gift Certificates can be ordered in \$5 increments up to \$25 per certificate. Please email the chamber at info@clintonnychamber.org or call 315-853-1735 to place your order and arrange a pick up time.

[Click here](#) for a list of participating Chamber members where the gift certificate can be redeemed. To be added to the list, please email us at info@clintonnychamber.org.



from the Clinton Chamber of Commerce

Upcoming Member Events

Tuesday, November 1st - 20th: [Food Drive benefiting the Rescue Mission of Utica](#). Drop off at [Resurrection Church](#).

Tuesday, November 1st from 6 - 7 pm: Yoga at Signature 81. [Click here](#) to see more classes offered in November.

Wednesday, November 2nd at 7 pm: Kirkland Town Library presents free screening of "Food, Inc." Visit the [Kirkland Town Library](#) for more upcoming events at the library.

Thursday, November 3rd from 10 am - 3 pm: Indoor Makers Market at the Kirkland Art Center. Visit the [Kirkland Art Center](#) website for a list of upcoming events.

Thursday, November 3rd from 10:30 am - 6:30 pm: Visit the [Building Stones Fair Trade Shoppe](#) on Thursdays and 10 am to 4 pm, on second Saturdays. Special hours on Friday, Nov. 25th (Shoppers Stroll) from 10 am to 7 pm, Saturday, Nov. 2nd from 10 am to 4 pm and Saturdays in December from 10 am to 4 pm. The entrance to our shop is on Williams Street. For more information, call 315-853- 2933, visit our website at www.stonepres.org or like us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/stonepres.

Friday, November 4th from 5 - 8 pm: [Dinner at the Dessert Booth](#). The unique plant-base menu is created specially by Karen Booth. A portion of the proceeds benefit the Kirkland Town Library.

Saturday, November 5th from 8 am - 12 pm: [Anatomy In Motion](#) host [Rediscover You Workshop](#)

Saturday, November 5th from 10 am - 5 pm: Clinton Fine Arts & Crafts Festival

Saturday, November 5th at 7:30 pm: [Hamilton College Performing Arts](#) Presents HT Chen and Dancers

Sunday, November 6th from 10 am - 4 pm: Clinton Fine Arts & Crafts Festival

Friday, November 11th from 8 - 10 am: [A Veterans Day Tribute: Celebrate America's Finest](#) at [Brookdale Clinton](#).

Friday, November 11th at 7:30 pm: [Clinton Middle School](#) presents "Shrek Jr."

Friday, November 11th from 5 - 8 pm: [8 Fresh Fall Fridays](#) - listen to great music from local performers. Check out the 8 Fresh App to find all of the upcoming events! Order ahead from the app and skip the line!

Saturday, November 12th at 7:30 pm: [Clinton Middle School](#) presents "Shrek Jr."

[Click here](#) to visit the Clinton Chamber of Commerce calendar for Chamber and member events. To be added to this list or placed on the calendar, Chamber members can email details of upcoming event to info@clintonnychamber.org.

Thank you to our Major Events Sponsors



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