

# Village of Manchester

**AUTUMN 2008**

**8 CLIFTON STREET PO BOX 188**

**PHONE: 289-4340**



**LEAVES...** The Village crew has begun to pick up loose leaves from the curbside and will continue to do so until Friday, November 21st, weather permitting. **The last day to place your loose leaves at the curb is Thursday November 20th**, after that all leaves will have to be bagged for pick up. Please remember to rake them near the curb, still on the grass, not in the road where they can block the flow of water drainage. **THERE WILL BE NO BRUSH OR BAGGED LEAF PICK UP AFTER DECEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup> UNTIL RESUMING ON APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup>.**

**... PARKING:** The following will be **strictly enforced:** Our snow local law goes into effect on November 1<sup>st</sup> until April 1<sup>st</sup> stating that **NO PARKING** is permitted on all village streets between the hours of 2:00AM and 6:00AM. At no time is parking permitted over village sidewalks. Please note that the Village is not responsible for any damaged mailboxes or posts.

### Scouting for Food

On **Saturday November 1, 2008**, the Boy Scouts will place notices on your doorknobs to begin their **Scouting for Food** campaign in the fight against hunger. Bag **PICK UP WILL BE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2008.** All food collected will be given to our local Food Cupboard and stay in our area. **Items sought:** CANNED, PLASTIC, AND BOXED FOODS ONLY Please – No perishable or frozen food, or glass containers!

**Instructions:** Fill the grocery bag (plastic) with canned, plastic and boxed foods. Place bag on your front door steps or in a location easily visible from the street before 9:00AM on Saturday, Nov. 8th. They will pickup bags starting at 9:00AM.



### CHRISTMAS WREATHS

The Boy Scouts are now taking orders for their Christmas Wreath sales. The wreaths are \$12.00 each and will be delivered around Thanksgiving. Contact a local boy scout or call Gary Bogner at 289-3046.

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS** – Turn your clocks back one hour November 1<sup>st</sup> before you go to bed.

### FRIENDS OF THE RED JACKET

#### COMMUNITY LIBRARY



Are currently conducting their 2009 Membership Drive. Individual - \$5.00; Student - \$2.50; Family - \$10.00; Contributing - \$25.00; Sponsoring - \$50.00; Patron - \$100.00. Send your name, address with your check to: Friends of the RJ Community Library, PO Box 370, Shortsville NY 14548. New members are always welcomed and they thank you for your support.



**ODOR COMPLAINTS** should be directed to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Region 8, 6274 Avon-Lima Road, Avon NY 14414. Telephone: (585) 226-2466 or e-mail them at [region8@gw.dec.state.ny.us](mailto:region8@gw.dec.state.ny.us). The Village DPW has made numerous calls to have the DEC investigate the exceptionally strong odors that have occurred in the village and it was stated that they have not received that many complaint calls. If you find that the odor is offensive and disturbing your quality of life, please contact the NYSDEC to investigate.



**The Lehigh Valley Railroad Historical Society** is having **SANTA TRAIN EXCURSIONS** to run on November 29<sup>th</sup>. The museum, located at 8 High Street, Shortsville, will be open. Fares are \$10, children under 3 are free (“lap sitters”). Visit their web-site [www.lvrhs.org](http://www.lvrhs.org) or call 289-8022 for more information.

☰ On September 10, 2008 we were notified by the Dept. of Health that only one of the two required monthly coliform monitoring samples were taken from our water system in August. We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. During the month of August 2008, we did not complete the second required testing for total coliform bacteria, and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time. Please note that because we purchase our water from Canandaigua/Farmington Water Supply it was tested at those locations before arriving here.



### **CATS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD?**

If you are caring for local outdoor stray/feral cats and need assistance, contact HABITAT FOR CATS, INC., PO Box 25637, Rochester NY 14625 or 585-234-2894 or [www.habitatforcats.com](http://www.habitatforcats.com) or e-mail: [catchacat\\_2@hotmail.com](mailto:catchacat_2@hotmail.com)

**FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES:** Sometimes emergency personnel will use a *hyper-reach* service to contact a large group of people. It is a recorded voice that will alert large areas to an emergency. Recently, the Ontario County Sheriff’s Dept. used this service to alert Shortsville residents of a missing person.



For those without a doctor or with difficulty in getting a flu shot, Ontario County Public Health is offering public flu clinics throughout the county. A list is posted at the village hall or call OCPH at 396-4343.

**REMEMBER TO VOTE** - All registered voters within the village: Vote Tuesday, **November 4th from 6:00 am to 9:00 pm** at the village hall.

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*HAPPY HOLIDAYS!*

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