

THIS ISSUE

Keep up to date with
community happenings
that impact business in
our community

SARAH DAVIS, IDA

- Legislation that made in through House & Assembly that would require a board member for the IDA to be a school superintendent, school board member, and union rep
- Outreach is happening
- Vacancies are coming up

STEVE ZIELINSKI, SOUTH SENECA

- Bus accident yesterday; everyone is okay
- Please watch out for buses and stay safe
- There's skepticism about data regarding the measurements with literacy
- State Ed has launched a new initiative for schools to report back to Albany the science behind how they're teaching reading

DR. MESTAN, NORTHEAST COLLEGE OF

HEALTH SCIENCES

- Finishing up the first week with undergrad students for the first time
- 25 seats in each program of undergrad filled
- There were 63 applicants for one program and 40 for the other
- Each year there will be 50 seats total per program
- Issues finding local clinical placements, many students are local
- Massage therapy program will start Saturday with 35+ students; nights and weekends schedule
- Community Expo to happen Oct. 10th from 11:30-1:30, open to the community for tours

SEPT. EVENT:

- Business After Hours, Sept. 18th at Sessler Wrecking
- Sept. 25: Lux Hotel Ribbon Cutting

THIS WEEK'S HEADLINES

THIRD-PARTY FINANCING FOR LITIGATION IS KILLING NY'S TRUCKING BUSINESSES. ALBANY MUST ACT

Lohud: Most of New York's trucking companies are small, family-owned businesses crucial to the supply chain, but they are facing severe threats from rising costs, workforce shortages, and hidden nuclear verdicts driven by third-party litigation finance agreements.

GOV HOCHUL HIGHLIGHTS NATION-LEADING LOCAL HIRE INITIATIVE IN SYRACUSE

Gov Kathy Hochul: Hochul highlighted the progress of the State Department of Transportation's I-81 Viaduct Project in Syracuse, which includes a local hiring initiative under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law that is boosting employment for residents in the city and Onondaga Nation Territory, serving as a national model for workforce development in highway construction.

WITH KAMALA HARRIS NOW IN FAVOR, HOCHUL SHOULD LET UPSTATE NY FRACK

NY Post: Last week, Kamala Harris went on the record to confirm that as president, she would not ban natural gas fracking, admitting to CNN's Dana Bash that she had changed her mind about her 2019 campaign pledge to do so.

MIGRANTS HAVE BEEN A "GODESEND" NY SCHOOLS CHIEF SAYS

NY Times: In an interview, Chancellor David C. Banks said migrants had helped schools that were bleeding students. He also promised a big new role for artificial intelligence.

SCHOOLS BRACE FOR 'PROFOUND TOLL' OF BOOK BANS, LOW LITERACY

NY UP: In the backdrop of a literacy crisis, some school boards are cutting students' reading options. 4,000 books were banned in the first half of the last school year alone.

AS ANOTHER DEADLINE APPROACHES, THERE'S STILL NO SENECA GAMING DEAL

Spectrum: The Seneca Nation and New York state continue to extend the terms of their gaming compact quarterly as they negotiate a new deal.

NYS FAIR'S 800 POUND BUTTER SCULPTURE RECYCLED INTO ENERGY AT LOCAL DAIRY FARM

FL1: The butter, which was unsuitable for consumption, will be transported to Noblehurst Farms in Pavilion, N.Y., where it will be processed through the farm's digester, generating enough electricity to power about 350 homes for a year.

SENECA CO SUPERVISORS SET TO MOVE AHEAD WITH SOLID WASTE PLAN

FL Times: On Tuesday, the Board of Supervisors' Agriculture and Environmental Affairs Committee approved the 65-page plan, developed by the Genesee Finger Lakes Regional Planning Council, and scheduled a public hearing for October 8.

JOIN US FOR THE NEXT ONE SENECA MEETING

When: Thursday mornings at 10 a.m.

Where: Zoom

Meeting ID: 885 5612 6750

Password: 974642

Open to members of the community who want to know things that are happening or have something to add to the conversation.