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SEPTEMBER
6th—15th

for the 4th Annual ORLEANS COUNTY

Heritage Festival

The Erie Canal Culvert - the only place along the canal where you drive UNDER the canal.

The Orleans County Heritage Festival is a county-wide celebration of historical and cultural attractions. Participants will deepen their appreciation of our region's ...

Priceless People • Places • Organizations • Historical Assets

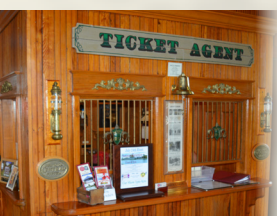
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2019

1 PM • **Albion Rocks** at the Gazebo on the Erie Canal & Platt St. Paint rocks with an Orleans County theme. Free

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

11 AM • **Company F Memorial Statue**

Dedication: The Company F Statue at the Medina Armory/YMCA will be dedicated with several guest speakers, veterans, honor guard and sculptor Brian Porter. Reception following the ceremony. Located on the corner of Pearl St. & Prospect Ave., Medina. (See photo above left.)



1 PM & 3 PM • **Medina Railroad Museum, Medina:** Scene/skit set in 1920's depicting actions of railroad freight agents and customers. (Two performances)

1 PM • **Rudely Stamp'd Performance at GCC, Medina:** "Now We Stand by Each Other Always"; an engaging conversation between Civil War Union generals Ulysses S. Grant and William T. Sherman portrayed by Tracy Ford as Sherman and Derek Maxfield as Grant. (See photo above right.)

1 PM • **Cobblestone Kids Day at the Cobblestone Museum, Childs:**



Illustrator Patty Blackburn will read "Cobble the Museum Mouse." Each child will receive a copy of Cobble's Coloring & Story Book. Make & Take a Cobble the Mouse Holiday Ornament Tours of the Museum will be available at 3:00, KIDS FREE. Cobble the Mouse Scavenger Hunt forms included with

a full campus tour. Pre-registration required at CobblestoneMuseum.org or 585-589-9013. \$5 per child, accompanied by an adult.



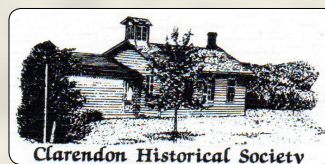
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2019

2-5 PM • **Town of Murray & Village of Holley Museum of Local History, Holley:**

View Holley's "Halloween Bell" cast by the McShane Bell Foundry in 1894 in Baltimore, MD. Free



6 PM • **Tour of Hillside Cemetery, Holley:**



County Historian Matthew Ballard and Clarendon Historian Melissa Ierlan will lead guests on a tour of Hillside Cemetery.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2019

12:30 – 2 PM • **The Heritage Fruit Farm Luncheon & Tour at Hurd Orchards:**

Our luncheon will feature recipes taken from historic Orleans County recipe books from 1895 through the mid 20th century. We'll share the colorful history and development of our fruit farm properties and tour our newly restored Greek Revival farmhouse, the oldest house in the Town of Murray, and our 1910 family home. \$\$ Reservations required by calling 585-638-8838.



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2019

7 PM • **Author Melissa Ostrom at the Yates Community Library:**



Melissa Ostrom, author, will discuss her novel, THE BELOVED WILD, with its setting of Orleans County in the early 19th century.



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2019

8 PM • **Murder & Mayhem Tour – Torch-lit Tour of Downtown Albion:**

Matthew Ballard, Orleans County Historian, will lead guests on a nighttime tour of downtown Albion. Come hear the stories of disappearances, crafty plans to secure the county seat, murders, theft and many more! Bring a flashlight, wear comfortable shoes, and pack an umbrella (just in case!).

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2019

11 AM – 5 PM • **Old Timers Fair at the Cobblestone Museum:**

The Cobblestone Museum will come alive with artisans and re-enactors as we recreate the feel of Orleans County life in the 19th century. A chicken BBQ is available for dining al-fresco or take-out. (See photo above left.)



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

1 PM • **Concert at St. John's Episcopal Church, Medina:**

A concert with songs of years past at the Church built in the middle of the street as stated in Ripley's Believe it or Not. St. John's church is built of Medina Sandstone and home of the oldest church congregation in the county.



1-5 PM • **Medina Sandstone Society Bus Tour:**

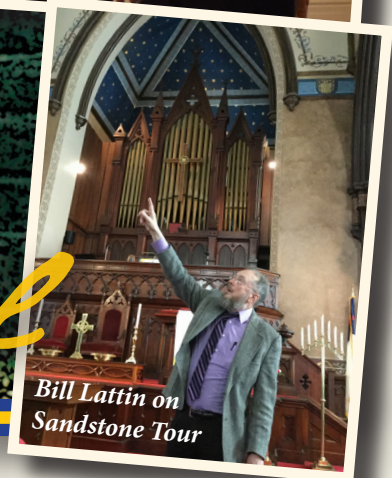
County-wide narrated bus tour of Medina Sandstone structures with Bill Lattin, narrator (above right). Refreshments included. Reservations required, email shollan2@rochester.rr.com. \$25 members, \$30 non-members.



1 PM • **Medina Sandstone Society's Hall of Fame, City Hall, Main St. Medina:** Established in 2013, the Hall of Fame is a display of informational plaques of sandstone structures in NY & PA that have been deemed worthy of inclusion in the Sandstone Hall of Fame. Free admission.



Rudely Stamp'd



Bill Lattin on Sandstone Tour

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