



Hello, friends...

Sennett Seniors

March 2026

We will be back! It will be good to see each other at our first meeting of 2026 at The Lodge in Skaneateles: 11:30 on Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>.

We will miss members **Nancy Castellano, Evelyn Moretti, Barbara Judson, and Peggy Kolo**, who have died since our December meeting. Our heartfelt condolences go to their friends and families. As you think of them, please also keep in mind any member you know of who may be managing health issues. And please contact **Pat Baran @ 315-834-9993** so she can send a card from us to any member who would like to be remembered.

**Information to be aware of**—and please note some significant changes:

This year we are asking for payment with separate checks for separate purposes: meetings or dues or trips...Please, and thank you.

### **Meetings:**

for April, May, and June remain the same as planned. Beyond those meetings, please **disregard** the yellow Sennett Senior meeting/ luncheon schedule distributed at our December meeting. Unfortunately, some things have changed.

April 15<sup>th</sup> and May 20<sup>th</sup> meetings will be held at The Lodge @ 11:30.

June 17<sup>th</sup> birthday party meeting will be held at Yawger Brook @ 11:30.

Due to changes in The Lodge policy, several of our meeting dates need to be rescheduled. We hope to have new, revised meeting schedules available at our April 15<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**Cost of luncheon** for members remains the same: \$20 per person except for veterans and those in the “90+ club”, who will pay \$10 each.

**Checks** – made out to “Sennett Seniors” -- are strongly preferred, if possible, instead of cash, with a “luncheon” note on the memo line. MaryEllen and Nancy will take these payments at meetings, or checks can be sent to Kathy

(10 S. Hunter Ave.) or MaryEllen (3 Elm St.)—both in Auburn. **PLEASE remember to mail early**, since the mail is not always reliably delivered as expected!!!

**Dues:**

**Annual membership dues for non-Sennett residents**—expected at our April meeting--this year **will increase to \$25**. Again, we are encouraging **payment by check made out to “Sennett Seniors”**, with “dues” on the memo line. Bonnie Ford will be accepting dues at our meetings.

**50-50 raffle:**

Ticket cost remains the same; but the **50% not going to the winner will be kept for our use**, not donated to another organization.

**Trips:**

**Cortland Repertory Theater** trip to see “9 to 5” on July 8<sup>th</sup>, leaving from the bus headquarters in Auburn. **\$75 cost** will include the bus, the show, and choice of meal at The Hollywood. More info. to follow.

Laura and Russ and the other trip committee members are in the process of planning:

**August trip on the Erie Canal.** Cost will also be **\$75 per person**. Details to follow.

**September trip to Alex Bay**, including a luncheon cruise. Cost per person **also \$75**...and more information will become available.

This year a **non-refundable deposit will be requested before any trip**. Trip **checks should be made out to “Sennett Seniors”**, with the name of the trip on the memo line, and if not paid at a meeting, should be sent to Laura and Russ Harkins @ G28 Southfield Apts. Auburn, NY 13021.

Finally: If you know of members not at a meeting or not using email, please share a newsletter or the info. in it with them. See you next month!