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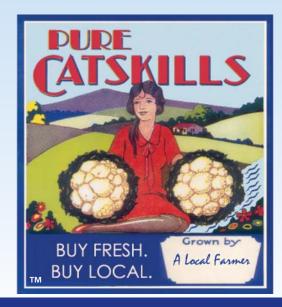
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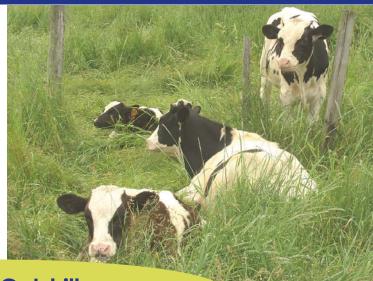
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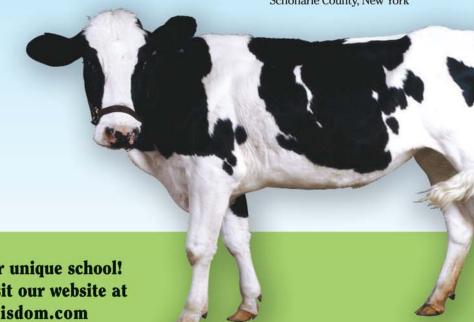
people who have worked with the land all their lives.

Courses are scheduled weekends through October and, naturally, the cost is dirt cheap.

Class size is limited, so sign up today. Because we all know

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Find out more about our unique school! Call 800-41-VISIT or visit our website at www.schoolofcountrywisdom.com

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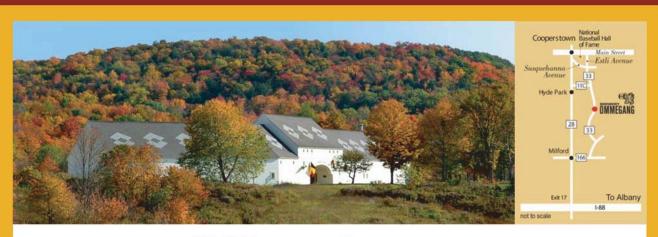
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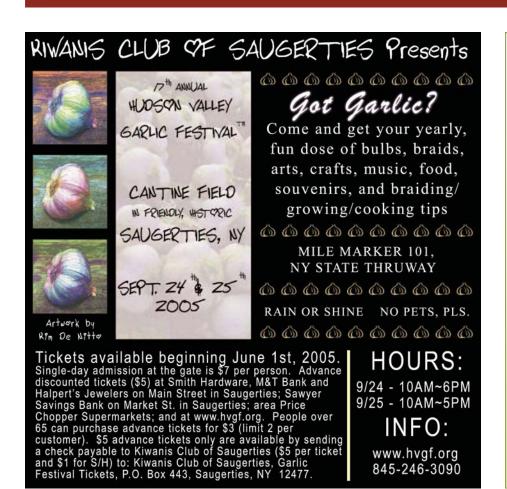
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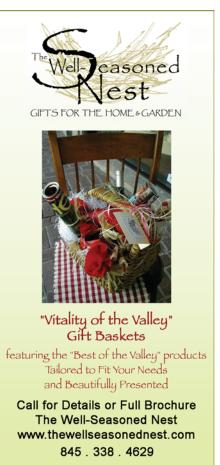
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### The Catskill Region has a long tradition of family

farms producing quality foods. Why seek out these foods?

- \*Locally grown food tastes better and is better for you. Studies have shown that the average distance food travels in this country from farm to plate is 1,500 miles. Food that travels this far loses quality and nutrients. By purchasing from a local farm, you're buying the freshest 'just picked' product available.
- \*Local farms and forests protect our environment. The farms and forests of the Catskills keep our water clean, protect wildlife habitat, and open space. By supporting them with your purchase, you help to ensure a vibrant agricultural landscape into the future.
- \*Purchasing from local farms and businesses supports the local economy. Farmers in turn spend their income locally. Studies show that every dollar spent at a local farm turns over in the local economy about 2.5 times – more than any other industry!
- \*Agriculture helps keep your taxes in check. Studies in the region have shown that for every dollar a farm pays in property taxes, local government spends about 50 -80 cents in services. For every dollar spent on residential taxes, local government spends on average \$1.25 in services!
- \*Buying local food is fun! You have the opportunity that many city-dwellers around the country do not to interact face-to-face with the farmers who grow your food, and to learn first hand how your food is produced.
- \*When you buy from local farms, your food becomes more meaningful, and connects you to the community. You become part of the interconnected web of the food system locally, and you can take pleasure in knowing who produced your food, and how it was raised.

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### **Delaware County**

### **Betty Acres Organic Farm**

Aissa and Tom O'Neil 21520 State Hwy 28 Delhi, NY 13753 607-746-9581 / bettyacres@delhi.net www.BettyAcresOrganic.com

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### Bevilaqua Farms

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### **Brovetto Dairy and Cheese House**

1677 County Route 29 Jefferson (North Harpersfield) 607-278-6622 / ronrinfar@aol.com

Our family's cave-aged "Harpersfield" cheese has made a name for itself locally and into New York City. You can buy this cheese at the Pakatakan Farmers Market or many other local stores, or visit the farm. The farm store is open 11am-4pm every day. When we're not making cheese, visit the cheese plant and cave with 600 wheels of cheese. Taste our varieties of cheese in the farm store.

### **Burn Ayr Farm**

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Featuring local products including vegetables, berries, cut flowers, herbs, hanging baskets, bedding plants, maple products, honey, jams, vinegars, mustards, cheese, eggs and more. Quality wood products, alpaca items along with handmade baskets. Preorder meat from Village Seafood and pick it up at the farmstand weekly. Open Thurs-Sat 10am – 6pm, Sunday 1-4pm.

### **Bush Creek Farm**

Doug & Marlene Sluiter 184 Cole Drive, PO Box 158 Andes, NY 13731 845-676-4479 / dsluiter@catskill.net

Breeding intelligent Morgan horses of good size, conformation and temperment for the showring, sport disciplines or backyard best friend. Stock available for sale. Visitors welcome. Please call ahead for appointment.

#### **Double S Farm**

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Marguerite Uhlmann-Bower 10517 Turnpike Rd. East Meredith, NY 13757 607-278-9635 / liontooth@elkcreekherbals.com www.elkcreekherbals.com

At Elk Creek Herbals we offer our community a plant medicine experience. Chemical free skin and body care from the Catskills. All are ethically wildcrafted by hand. Tours of our cultivated medicinal herbal gardens also offered. Our products are available at many local stores including Stone and Thistle, Good Cheap Food, the Market Basket, and Green Earth.

### Flower Farm

Diane Rena

2305 Loomis Brook Rd., Co. Hwy 47 Walton, NY 13856 607-865-8582

In a picturesque valley on Loomis Brook, 2 miles north of the Cannonsville Reservoir, originally settled in 1878 by Phineas Flowers whose family cemetery overlooks the farm. Classic 3-story overshot barn built in 1902. Hand-rolled beeswax candles available year-round, plus seasonal produce.

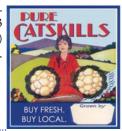
### Forgotten Acres Farmstand

Tony Van Glad 335 Cornell Rd. Stamford, NY 12167

607-652-7590 / woodhomesteadmaplesyrup@yahoo.com

Come visit our two farmstands located in Gilboa, NY. Fresh vegetables can be purchased July 4 through October 31. We have a large selection of 45 different kinds of vegetables, from onions to

watermelons, from zucchini to pumpkins. See us at the corner of County Route 13 and Route 30 (near Minekill State Park) and Route 23, 1.5 miles east of Stamford.



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### Frank Spinelli's Natural Beef Farm

Frank Spinelli

1365 Dugan Hill Rd. Roxbury, NY 12474

607-326-3407 / Fcspin@dmcom.net

My natural grassfed beef have never been given any medications or hormones. They contain two to six times the omega 3 fatty acids and vitamin E which reduces your risk of cancer, heart attacks, and Alzheimers disease. We also sell 4x4 round bales. Call for price lists.

### Hand in Hand Farm

Nancy Haycock 3841 Roses Brook Rd. Hobart, NY 13788 607-538-1864 / nhaycock@dmcom.net

Our farm is located in the Roses Brook Valley, nestled between two mountains, midway between Stamford and Delhi. We specialize in organic heirloom vegetables, herbs, baked goods, chutneys, relishes and jam. Open July – October, Thursday – Sunday, 10am –6pm.

#### La Basse Cour

Diane Frances and Larry Hepner 3228 Gunhouse Hill Rd. South Kortright, NY 607-538-9707 / diane.frances@verizon.net www.la-basse-cour.com

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#### Lion's Head Farm

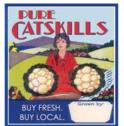
5594 Co. Hwy 12. East Meredith, NY 13757 607-278-6239 / lionshead@acmenet.net

We hand raise six varieties of gourmet purple-stripe and porcelain hard-neck garlic under Certified Naturally Grown regulations. We are striving to provide garlic year-round by cultivating special purple-striped early producers. Our garlic is available at the Great American in Delhi, Emmanuel's in Stone Ridge, the Market Basket in Arkville, and by mail-order from the farm.

### **Lucky Dog Farm**

Richard Giles and Holley White 35786 State Hwy 10 Hamden, NY 13782 607-746-9898

Lucky Dog Farm is a certified organic farm growing a wide vari-



ety of vegetables, herbs and cut flowers. We also sell organic eggs from our pastured hens. We sell our produce at the Pakatakan and Callicoon farmers' markets and at our store in Hamden.

### Misty Morning Farm

Rosalie Glauser and Bob Murray 27 Shaver Hill Rd. Andes, NY 13731 845-676-3615 / mistymorningalpacas@hotmail.net Alpacas, many colors, breeding stock & pet animals for sale. Breeding and boarding services available. Farm visit by appointment. Visit us and learn more about these wonderful animals. Ask for Rosalie or Bob.

### **Paul's Maple Products**

Paul Aitken

112 Back River Rd. Hamden, NY 13782 607-746-7708

Paul's Maple Products has a large variety of maple products, including maple syrup, maple cream, maple candy, maple jelly, maple lollipops and more! We participate in the NYS Maple Weekend which will be held on March 18th & 19th of 2006. We are located just off of NYS Rt. 10 between Delhi & Walton.

### **Scranton's Natural Products**

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### **Betty Acres Bodacious Rib Rub**

For spice rub and ribs 1 tablespoon chipolte chili powder 4 tablespoons dark brown sugar 1 tablespoon dry mustard 1 tablespoon coarse salt 1 1/2 teaspoons cayenne pepper

1 1/2 teaspoons ground cardamom 1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon

6 pounds baby back pork ribs (about 3 whole racks)

Mix first 7 ingredients in medium bowl. Rub spice mixture over both sides of rib racks. Arrange ribs on large baking sheet. Cover and refrigerate overnight.

Cut racks in half. Grill outdoors or bake at 375 for 40 minutes or till done. Separate ribs. Toss with your favorite BBQ sauce and sear at high heat. Enjoy!

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### Skate Creek Farm

Amy Kenyon 1496 Co. Hwy 12 East Meredith, NY 13757 607-278-5602 / skatecreekfarm@earthlink.net www.skatecreekfarm.com

Skate Creek Farm sells grassfed, organically-raised meat, poultry and eggs from our farm in East Meredith. Visit our booth at the Sunday Rhinebeck Farmers Market, come to the farm, or order our delicious meats by mail-order. Plan a vacation to the farm – visit our website for details.

### Stone & Thistle Farm and Kortright Creek Creamery

1211 Kelso Road East Meredith 607-278-5773 / stoneandthistlefarm@starband.net

www.stoneandthistlefarm.com

Stone & Thistle Farm produces grass-fed lamb, goat, beef, pork, poultry and eggs. Kortright Creek Creamery produces raw and pasteurized, grass-fed goat milk. The farm practices sustainable agriculture and feeds organic grains. Farm store open 7 days. Farm tours and tastings every Sunday at 1:00pm, June through October. Fee: \$4/person.

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#### Stone Tavern Farm

John Burrows 2080 Upper Meeker Hollow Roxbury, NY 12474 607-326-3600 / stonetavern@catskill.net www.stonetavernfarm.com

If you want to truly experience the history and beauty of the Catskills, there is no better place to visit than the Stone Tavern Farm. You can horseback ride our 400 acres, stay in our 200 year old Inn, or enroll your children in our summer horse camp.

### Stony Creek Farm

Kate Marsiglio

1738 Freer Hollow Rd. Walton, NY 13856 607-865-7966 / katemarsiglio@mac.com

We are a small family farm located just off the Franklin-Walton Road. We raise pastured turkeys, chickens, eggs, and a wide variety of organic vegetables. All of our animals and vegetables are grown naturally. We sell direct from the farm. Please call or stop by!

### Taggarts Dunk Hill Beef Farm

3764 Dunk Hill Rd. Walton, NY 13856 607-865-6251

We sell naturally-grown beef ready to put in your freezer or on your grill. We also have registered Hereford stock and commercial stock to start your own herd. These are friendly, easy to handle animals. We also have square bales of hay and maple syrup for sale.

### Tea Thyme Herb & Fruit Farm

Cheryl and William Patterson 288 Vega Mountain Rd. Denver, NY 12421 607-336-7153 / tthf@aol.com www.TeaThymeHerbFarm.com

Visit our farm shop, walk through our raised bed gardens and other featured plantings. Sample and Taste Tea Thyme products and local cheeses. We offer fruit jams, pepper jellies, aged vinegars, dip and cheese mixes, fruit syrups, and our famous flavorful mustards. The shop is open most weekends, or call ahead. You can also find our products at the Market Basket in Arkville, Burn Ayr Farm Market on Rt. 28 in Delhi, and the Pine Hill and Sunday Margaretville farmers markets.

### **Greene County**

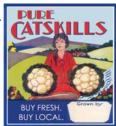
### Armstrong's Elk Farm

Les Armstrong

936 Hervey Sunside Rd. Cornwallville, NY 12418

518-622-8452 / elkfarmerd@aol.com

Come and learn about and see Rocky Mountain Elk in the beautiful Catskill Mountains. Tours are available free of charge, by appointment. Please call us at 518-622-8452. Also, taxidermy studio on the premises.



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### Catskill Mountain Foundation Farm

Kenji Ban, Farm Manager P.O. Box 924 Hunter, NY 12442 518-263-4104

www.catskillmtn.org

The farm follows the Natural Agriculture method taught by the Japanese organization Shumei. The principle of Natural Agriculture is an over-riding respect and concern for nature. Fertilizers, insecticides, and chemical soil treatments are never used. Only naturally occurring nutrients enrich the soil. Compost is not used as a nutrient but only to keep the soil moist, warm, and soft. The result is crops that are more resistant to disease and pests, better tasting, that stay fresh longer, and are more nutritious than those produced by standard industrial farming.

### **Dines Farms**

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### The Fleece & Flower Company

5469-2 Main Street Windham, NY 12496 518-852-0128

hugasheep@msn.com

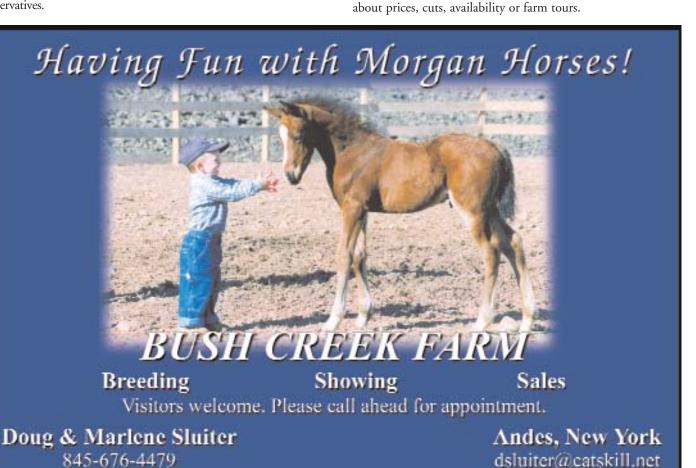
Offering handspun and designer yarns. Hand-knit garments. Natural color, dyed, and luxury fibers for handspinners and felters. Angora rabbits and fiber. Fresh brown eggs. Seasonal sales on site. Mail-order and internet sales available year-round for knitting supplies, yarns, and fiber.

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### **Pathfinder Farms**

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Bob and Sandy Kiley 13255 Route 23A Prattsville, NY 12468 518-299-3198

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### **Story Farms**

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Ann Stettner Route 351 Medusa, NY 12120 518-966-5990 / info@wildthymes.com www.wildthymes.com

Wild Thymes offers a critically-acclaimed, award-winning, all-natural, kosher line of dipping sauces, cranberry sauces, chutneys, marinades and vinaigrettes. Made on our family farm in New York's Hudson Valley, all products are made in small batches using only the freshest ingredients. They are cholesterol and sulfite free, extremely low in calories, carbohydrates and salt, and most are fat and gluten free.

### Windham Vineyards & Winery

County Route 10 Windham, NY 12496 518-734-5214

www.windhamvineyard.com

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### **Otsego County**

### **Brewery Ommegang**

Larry Bennett, Marketing Director 656 County Highway 33 Cooperstown, NY 13326 800-544-1809 / info@ommegang.com

www.ommegang.com

Brewery Ommegang is 3624 miles from Brussels, but our heart is right in Belgium. Our beers are created out of devotion to the unique ales created in a country where brewing is an art and partaking is a passion. Open every afternoon for free tours and tastings, including gift shop.

### Dancing Veggie Farm

Rachel Ainslie-Hamblin 246 Ainslie Rd. Richfield Springs, NY 13439 315-858-0506

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### Chocolate Zucchini Cake Hand in Hand Farm, Hobart

Makes about 14 servings.

2 1/4 cup all-purpose flour
1/2 cup unsweetened cocoa powder
1 tsp baking soda
1 tsp salt
1 3/4 cup sugar
1 stick butter, room temperature
1/2 cup canola oil
2 large eggs
1 tsp vanilla
1/2 cup buttermilk
2 cups grated zucchini
6 oz. chocolate chips
3/4 cup chopped walnuts

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Preheat to 325.} \\ \text{Butter and flour 13 X 9 X 2 pan.} \end{array}$ 

Sift flour, cocoa powder, baking soda and salt into medium bowl. Beat sugar, butter and oil in large bowl until well blended. Add eggs, 1 at a time, beating well after each addition. Beat in vanilla. Mix in dry ingredients, alternately with buttermilk in 3 additions.

Mix in grated zucchini.

Pour batter into pan.

Sprinkle chocolate chips and walnuts on top.

Bake about 50 minutes.

Cool completely in pan.







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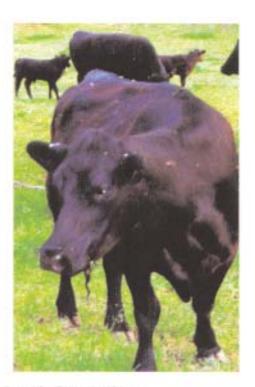
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### Flying Rabbit Farm

Mary and Dave Dolan 174 Main St. Otego, NY 13825

607-988-9029 / flyingrabbitfarm@yahoo.com

Flying Rabbit Farm grows and sells produce for the NYC Greenmarket and local restaurants. We also have a farmstand that offers a wide variety of certified organic produce, as well as grass-fed eggs and chicken. Hours are 11am-6pm, Thurs-Sunday, June-Sept. Please drop by!

### Fox Hollow Nursery

Neil Monzeglio 2751 State Hwy 23 West Oneonta, NY 13861 607-263-5764

Please come visit our self-serve farmstand on State Hwy 23 in the village of West Laurens for fresh local vegetables in season. We also have Christmas trees, wreaths, and greens. Open mid-June to December 24th.

### **Hermit Pond Farm**

Pamela Haendle 10601 Merrill Road West Edmeston, NY 13485 315-899-7792 / haendle@frontiernet.net

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### Ideuma Creek Alpacas

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Home to more than 50 huacaya and suri alpacas, Ideuma Creek is a 140-acre family-run farm. Featuring an impressive alpaca gift shop where we offer hand-crafted alpaca garments and gifts. Farm and garden tours and gift shop hours are by appointment only.



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Skyland Farm offers over 16 genetic lines of some of the best winning animals in the country. Starter herds along with the registered bucks and does available. All our meat is grass-fed and cared for under strict humane guidelines. Shipping is available from our farm.

### Schoharie County

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Hands on or hands off farm tour on 15 acres in the Beautiful Schoharie Valley. Grind your own grain, pony rides, picnic area, pick-your-own eggs and more! Handicap accessible. \$4 admission per person, includes haywagon ride. 9am to 5pm, from Memorial Day weekend through Columbus Day weekend, all other times by appointment only.

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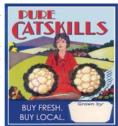
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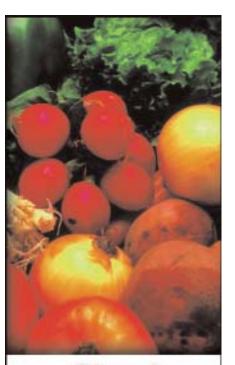


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1 onion chopped
1 egg
1 cup bread crumbs
1 tsp Worcestershire Sauce
1 clove garlic minced
1 cup mushrooms chopped
1 tsp salt
1/2 cup goat milk
2 tablespoons melted butter
(add only if mixture seems dry)
dash of pepper

Mix ingredients together except the barbecue sauce. Form meat mixture into loaf pan. Top generously with barbecue sauce. Bake at 350 degrees for one hour.

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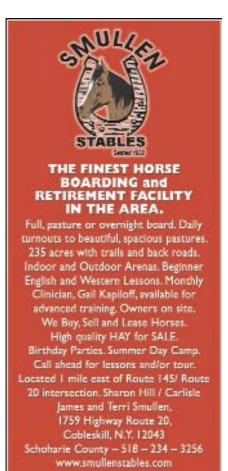
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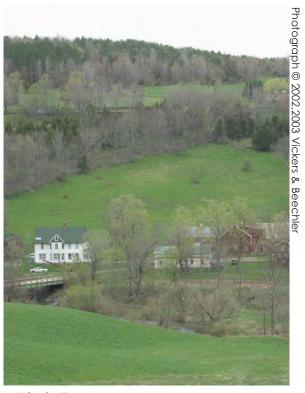
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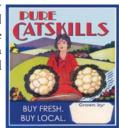
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sprouts	•	•	•	•	•	
basil		•	•	•	•	
arugula	•	•	•	•	•	
chives		•	•			
kale		•	•	•	•	
swiss chard		•	•	•	•	
escarole			•	•	•	
zuechini			•	•	•	
cucumbers				•	•	
tomatoes					•	
green beans				•	•	
beets				•	•	

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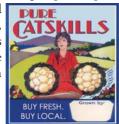


### Catskill Mountain Foundation Farm Market

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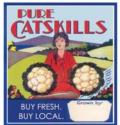
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### **Curried Butternut Squash Soup** La Basse Cour Farm, Harpersfield

4-6 servings

4 tbsp butter 2 c finely chopped onion 4-5 tsp curry powder 2 medium sized butternut squash (about 3 lbs) 2 Granny Smith apples, peeled, cored, and coarsely chopped 3 c chicken stock 1 c apple juice salt and fresh ground pepper to taste garnish: 1 shredded, cored but unpeeled Granny Smith Apple

Melt butter in soup pot. Add onions and curry, and cook over low heat until onions are tender. Peel squash, scrape out seeds and coarsely chop the flesh. When onions are tender, pour in stock, add squash and chopped apples and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer, partially covered, until squash and apples are very tender, about 30 minutes. Puree, add apple juice and season to taste. Simmer briefly to heat through. Garnish individual servings with shredded apple.

### **Delaware County Drive Tour**

### Margaretville to East Meredith

- Margaretville Farmers Market
- Slow Down Food Company
- 3 Betty Acres Farm
- 4 Burn Ayr Farm
- 5 Elk Creek Road
- West Kortright Arts Center
- 7 Stone & Thistle Farm
- 8 Hanford Mills Museum

### Walton to Hobart (Route 10)

- Stony Creek Farm
- East Brook Farm Alpacas
- 3 Healing Waters Farm
- 4 Lucky Dog Farm Store
- Quarter Moon Café
- 6 Delaware County Historical Society & Museum
- 7 Fitch's Bridge
- 8 Hobart Meat Market
- 9 Book Village
- Hand in Hand Farm

### **Greene County**

- Story Farms
- Catskill Farmers Market
- Windham Vineyards & Winery

### Otsego

- Flying Rabbit Farm
- Green Earth Natural Foods Store
- Brewery Ommegang
- 4 Skyland Farm

### **Schoharie County Drive Tour**

### Route 10 North

- Buck Hill Maple Farm
- 2 Horton Hill Farm
- BW Delaney's
- Festival Farmers Market
- Grapevine Farms
- 6 Stone House Farm
- 7 American Hotel

### Route 30 North

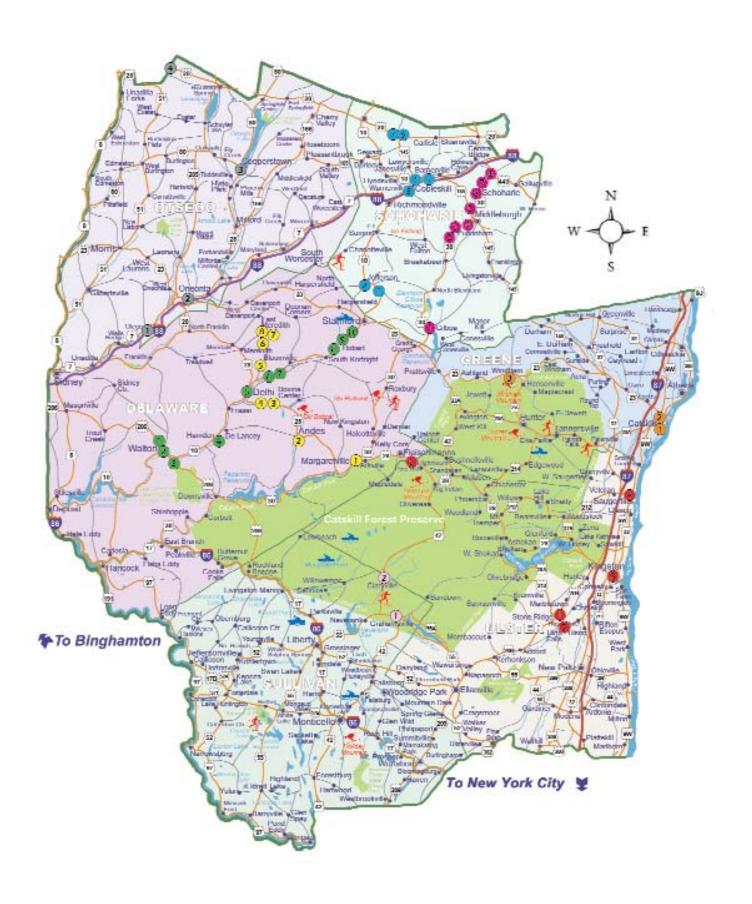
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- Vroman's Nose
- 6 Wellington's Herbs & Spices
- The Carrot Barn
- 8 George Mann Tory Tavern

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- Frost Valley YMCA

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- Adams Fairacre Market
- Miss Lucy's Kitchen
- Belleayre Mountain



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### Delaware County Drive Tour www.delawarecounty.org

### Margaretville to East Meredith

On Sundays from May to October, the new Margaretville Farmers Market will be open, featuring meats, eggs, produce, and cheeses from local farms. The market will also feature artisans and crafts. The market begins at is open 10am to 3pm. Located at Rt. 28 and Fair Street.

Fuel your morning with a delicious brunch at the Slow Down Food Company in Andes (behind Brooke's Variety, open Thursday – Sunday 10-4). Rosalie uses all-local and organic ingredients whenever possible, and sells many of them in her café store.

Heading out of Andes on Rt 28 will bring you to the Betty Acres Farm Store (right hand side before Delhi). This stop includes a farm store with local products, and a tour for children, with a pizza garden. Farm tours by appointment with friendly livestock to greet visitors. Visit www.bettyacresor-

ganic.com for news and contact information.

Just after Betty Acres Farm is Burn Ayr Farmstand. This brand new store offers a variety of plants, vegetables, and many products from local farms and artisans. www.burnayrfarm.com

In Delhi, turn right towards Stamford on Rt. 10. About 2 miles out of town, turn left onto Elk Creek Road—one of the most picturesque back roads you can find anywhere. You'll pass some of the old dairy barns that Delaware County is known for—a picture of dairy farming in days gone by.

At a fork in the road, take the right fork to go to the West Kortright Arts Centre. Visit www.westkc.org for a schedule of performances, workshops, and exhibits.

Turn left on West Kortright Church Road and right on Kelso Road to get to Stone and Thistle Farm. Tours are on Sundays at 1pm, the farm store is open on other days until 6pm. Visit www.stoneandthistlefarm.com for more information. Not able to bring grassfed meat home with you? Visit the website of www.skatecreekfarm.com, also in East Meredith, to place a mail-order.

End your day at the Hanford Mills Museum. From Stone and Thistle, head back out on Kelso Road, turn right to go into East Meredith, and right again to visit the Hanford Mills Museum. www.hanfordmills.org

### Walton to Hobart (Rt. 10)

Start in Walton at Stony Creek Farm, located on Freer Hollow Rd, just off the Franklin-Walton road. Pastured poultry and a wide variety of organic vegetables are available direct from this farm. 607-865-7966.

Walton is also home to East Brook Farm Alpacas, on Dunk Hill Road, where visitors can watch the alpacas and llamas leisurely graze on green pastures. Check our their website at www.east-brookfarms.com. Or stop by Healing Waters Farm, one mile west of Walton on Route 206, which features the Little Boy Blue Animal Land and the Walton Carriage Museum. Open Thursday through Sunday. Hay rides are offered by appointment. www.healingwatersfarms.com

Driving out of Walton east on Route 10 brings you to Lucky Dog Farm Store, across from the Hamden Inn. Open Wednesday through Sunday, this restored general store features organic produce from the farm, other organic and local foods, antiques and collectables.

Continue on Route 10 to Delhi for lunch at the Quarter Moon Café on Main Street. Chef Jonah Shaw prepares his menu with fresh local ingredients wherever possible. Or bring a picnic lunch to the Delaware County Historical Society and Museum, just two miles past Delhi.

Leaving the Museum, you'll come to Fitch's Bridge, a wooden covered bridge on your right. Drive over the bridge and turn left on Back River Road to take the scenic route to Hobart through Bloomville and South Kortright. You'll pass a number of small dairy farms, which are still the largest part of the county's agriculture. If you bring along your bike, the old railroad track has been converted to a 30 mile trail for public use, and begins in Bloomville.

As you go through Hobart you may want to stop in at the Hobart Meat Market for some of Sal's delicious charcuterie, or meander through the Book Village—www.bookwormvillage.com Hand in Hand Farm is one of the picturesque small farms located in the outskirts of Hobart—stop by to pick up some organic vegetables for your dinner.

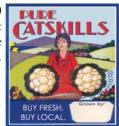
### **Schoharie County Driving Tours**

### Route 10 north

Start in Jefferson at Buck Hill Maple Farm, located on Fuller Road, off of Rt. 10 north of Stamford. Pancake breakfasts on Sunday October thru May. The store is open year round with all kinds of maple products made on the farm. www.buckhillfarm.com

Next stop is Horton Hill Farm, a family farm which sells pasture raised chicken, eggs, heritage turkeys, pork and Bee Pee honey.

Also ceramic trophy trout sculptures from Mount Tree Studio. Return to Co. Rt 10 north, turn left onto Westkill Rd, then left on Enid and Right on Horton Road. The Parker Family is located at 127 Horton Rd. (607) 652-9450



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Head to Cobleskill to dine at BW Delaney's. Located in the Best Western Cobleskill, this American Café serves breakfast, lunch and dinner. B.W. Delaney's routinely serves Farm Fresh products. Open Daily 7 am to 9 pm. Rt 10 to I-88, exit 22, follow Route 7 east into Cobleskill, 121 Burgin Drive, Cobleskill (518) 234-0944 www.besstwesterncobleskill.com

The Festival Farmers Market is also in Cobleskill. Fruits and vegetables, herbs, honey, garlic, plants, maple syrups, USDA meats and homemade breads. Country crafts, special events and workshops. 10 am to 2 pm Saturdays mid-July through October, and 3 to 5 pm Wednesdays August and September. RUA and Sons, Route 7 east, Cobleskill. (518) 284-2609

Stop at Grapevine Farms, the country store and bakery in a 1800's farm house with themed rooms. Home of the Schoharie County chocolate jumbo. Terrace Mountain apples, McGillycuddy's soaps, Buck Hill Farm syrup and Cripplebush wool. Also local honey, alpaca fiber products, candles, linens. Seasonal decorations, gourmet jams, jellies mixes, coffee, Crabtree & Evelyn. Come see our beautifully decorated fireplaces. Located on Route 7, east of Cobleskill Country Club.

Head north on 145 to Sharon Springs to visit Stone House Farm. Small family farm with 40 Jersey cows, plus youngstock, and 1,000-tap maple operation. Pure maple syrup, cream, candy and sugar year-round; also serve pancakes breakfasts in the saphouse 8 am-1 pm Saturdays and Sundays during Feburary, March, April. Maple products and farm tours available anytime, please call. Fresh produce available late summer into fall. From Sharon Springs: Route 20 west 1.5 miles, right on Lynk Road for 1.2 miles. Stone House Dairy on the left saphouse on the right. Call (518) 284-2476 or e-mail StoneHouseFarm@excite.com

Also in Sharon Springs is the American Hotel, listed on the National Registry of Historic Places. Full restaurant serving lunch, dinner and weekend brunch. Dinner reservations recommended. Featured on the Food Network and HGTV Restore America. Please call for seasonal business hours of operation and lodging information. Main Street, Route 10, Sharon Springs (518) 284-2105 www.americanhotelny.com

### Route 30 north

Start at the Schoharie Reservoir and the NY Power Authority in Gilboa. The resevoir is part of the system that supplies New York City with it's clean water from the Catskills. Visit www.nycwatershed.org for more information about these watersheds. The NY Power Authority Visitor Center is housed in a 19th-century dairy

barn. State-of-the-art exhibits and interactive displays demonstrate how our power is made and how it's used. Video and computer technology help explain the science of energy and electricity to children and adults alike. Tel. 800-724-0309

Continuing on Rt. 30 towards Middleburgh will bring you through Schoharie County's beautiful vegetable farms, including Shaul Farms, growing, hand picking and selling fresh homegrown vegetables since 1934. They feature a wide variety of fresh vegetables and herbs in our flower surrounded retail stand. Open July to November, Seven days a week 8am to 6 pm. Located in Fultonham, 5 miles south of Middleburgh on Route 30 (518)827-5750 www.shaulfarms.com

Barber's Farm on Route 30 has a retail market with a friendly staff, bushels of product and great local products. Greenhouse hanging baskets, flowering and vegetable plants. U-pick tomatoes, peppers and eggplants. Fall corn maze. You can even visit the cows in the dairy barn. Open 7 days a week May to November, 3 1/2 miles south of Middleburgh on Route 30, (518) 827-5452

The Bohringer's Fruit Farm is 1.5 miles south of Middleburgh on Rt. 30. The season begins early June with luscious strawberries followed by juicy, ripe blueberries. Then there are peaches, pears, apples, fall raspberries and strawberries, fresh sweet cider and ice cream made with their fruit all season. Located under beautiful Vroman's Nose. Tel. (518) 827-5783

If you have time for a hike, stop at Vroman's Nose for some stunning views. This loop trail gives you a short, steep climb to a fresh perspective. Perched six hundred feet above the rich farmland of Schoharie Creek Valley.

Continuing from Middleburg to Schoharie, visit Wellington's Herbs and Spices. A family-friendly facility offering spectacular hillside views, fully stocked 2500 square foot quaint country store, beautiful herb and flower gardens, children's petting zoo, ponds, and a tea room. Open April to December, Wed to Sat 10 am to 4 pm, Sun 11 am to 4 pm 649 Rickard Hill Road, Schoharie. (518) 295-7366 www.wellingtonsherbsandspices.com

Back in Schoharie on Rt. 30 is the The Carrot Barn. Growers of quality, "valley-grown" vegetables, small fruits and greenhouse crops. Also gifts, floral designs and baked goods, including the famous carrot cakes. Open daily March 1 through December 24. (518) 295-7139, www.schohariechamber.com/svfarms

Finally, enjoy dinner at the George Mann Tory Tavern. American cuisine in the warmth of a colonial setting. Open Sunday 1-7 pm, Wednesday to Saturday 5 pm to 9 pm. Reservations recommended. Intersection of Routes 443 and 30 in Schoharie. 104 Vrooman Cross Road, Schoharie (518) 295-7128

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### Owl's Ridge Farm

1866 High Falls Rd. Catskill, NY 12414 518-943-9223 / trevail@francomm.com www.francomm.com/home/trevail

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Judy Clarke 40 Clark's Lane Milton, NY 12547 845-795-2383 www.prospecthillorchards.com

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Bob and Sandy Kiley 13255 Route 23A Prattsville, NY 12468 518-299-3198

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#### Scranton's Natural Products

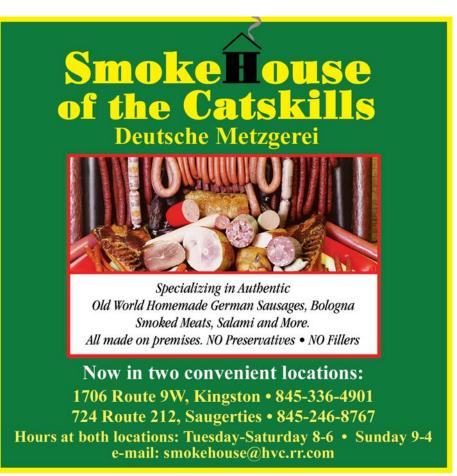
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Stone & Thistle Farm produces grass-fed lamb, goat, beef, pork, poultry and eggs. Kortright Creek Creamery produces raw and pasteurized, grass-fed goat milk. The farm practices sustainable agriculture and feeds organic grains. Farm store open 7 days. Farm tours and tastings every Sunday at 1:00pm, June through October. Fee: \$4/person.

### **Sweet Tree Farm**

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Karen Fitzgerald 300 Wall Street Kingston, NY 12401 845-338-4629 / thewellseasonednest@hotmail.com www.thewellseasonednest.com

This gifts for the home and garden shop is housed in a vintage bank building in the historic Stockade district in Kingston, NY. The shop is a browser's delight of home accessories, garden wares, tabletop décor, personal care lines, and more. Custom-designed gift baskets of all varieties are a specialty—guaranteed to please you and/or your client or other recipient, shipped throughout the United States.

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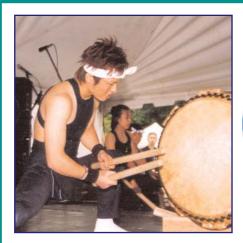
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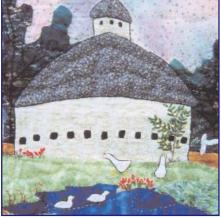
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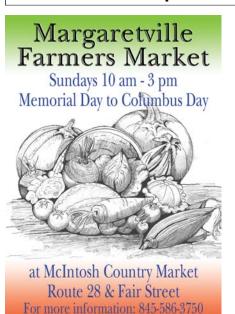




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Local and organic fruits, vegetables, flowers, potted plants, baked goods, honey, maple syrup, wines, cheeses, pastured meats and poultry. Special Thanksgiving market on November 19.

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112 Main Street, Herring Park, Stamford 607-538-9707

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### Pakatakan Farmers' Market

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### Pine Bush Farmers'Market

Saturdays, 9am – 2pm, June 11 – October 22 Located behind the Cultural Center on Main Street, Pine Bush 845-658-3002

www.pinebushfarmersmarket.com

Join us for early summer harvest and local cheeses, herbs, wines, breads, meats and desserts. Festivals, carriage rides, music and art.

### Pine Hill Farmers' and Artisans' Market

Saturdays, 10am - 4pm, May 28th - October 15th At the Pine Hill Community Center 287 Main St., Pine Hill - Just 11 miles west of Phoenicia 845-254-5469

Local Organic Produce, Jams & Jellies, Eggs & Meats; Food; Arts & Crafts; Workshops and Demonstrations. June 11th - Kid's Felting Workshop; June 25th - Blacksmithing Workshop; July 2nd - Make your own sundae. Call us for full schedule of market events!

### Saugerties Farmers' Market

Saturdays, 9am – 2pm, June 25 – October 29 Main & Market Streets, Saugerties 845-246-6466 / ann@allenbryan.com www.saugertiesfarmersmarket.com

Wide variety of produce including organic vegetables; luscious orchard fruits and berries; artisan bread; fresh laid eggs; delicious honey, jams & sauces; pasture raised poultry & meat; mushrooms; wine; fresh herbs; field-grown flowers; and tasty regional cheeses; locally roasted coffee, and biscotti, granola, and other baked goods. Products change seasonally. Take home freshly harvested food grown, picked, and brought to market by local farmers. Special events, kids can cook, chef demos.

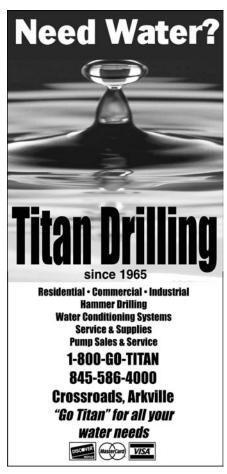




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Come experience the cuisine of the Catskills. These restaurants are dedicated to supporting local farms, and the Pure Catskills buy local campaign. Please support these restaurants, and when you visit, be sure to ask what is "fresh & local" on the menu that day.

#### **Andes Hotel**

Ed and Sally O'Neill 110 Main Street Andes (Delaware County) 845-676-3980

www.andeshotel.com

Chef, Ed O'Neill, a graduate of CIA, serves American cuisine with French and Mediterranean influences using products indigenous to Delaware County. Serving lunch and dinner 7 days a week with nightly specials and Sunday brunch. Lodging, tavern and on and off premise catering services available. Amex/Visa/MC/Discover accepted.

### Catskill Mountain Country Store and Restaurant

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Route 23 Windham (Greene County)

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Incredible breakfast and lunch restaurant, featuring eight different pancakes, four types of French toast, three wonderful waffles, 12 deliciously different omelets. Unique wraps, super soups, mouthwatering burgers, freshly squeezed juices, organic and vegetarian.

### Miss Lucy's Kitchen

90 Partition Street, Saugerties (Ulster County) 845-246-9240

Miss Lucy's is a farmhouse kitchen offering casual fine dining in a cozy atmosphere. The seasonal market menu changes often and is inspired by the seasons. Chef/owner Marc Propper uses produce from local farms, pasture raised chickens, all-natural local meats, and wild fish. His wife, Michelle Silver, makes all the desserts from scratch,

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### **Ruby's Hotel**

Frank Giorgini and Ana Sporer 3689 Co. Rte 67 Freehold (Greene County) 518-634-7790

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### Slow Down Food Company

22 Lee Lane Andes (Delaware County) 845-676-4488 / slowdownfood@catskill.net www.slowdownfoodco.com

Taste the bounty of local farms at our café. Our eclectic menu offers local and organic foods year-round, whenever possible. Open for lunch Wednesday to Friday from 11am to 3pm, Saturday and Sunday from 11:30am to 4pm. Open for breakfast Saturday and Sunday from 9 to 11:30am. Catering services available, on or off premises, any size.

### **SUNY Cobleskill**

Culinary Arts, Hospitality & Tourism Division Dr. Anne Rogan

CAHT Division, Champlin Hall, 102 Otsego Avenue Cobleskill (Schoharie County)

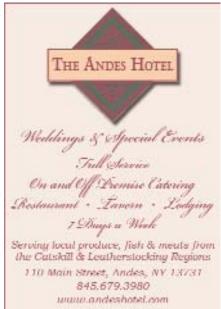
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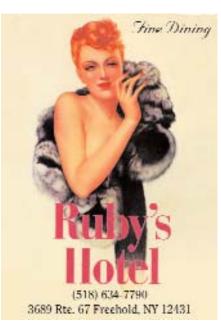
SUNY Cobleskill offers two year programs in culinary arts, restaurant management, hotel technology, travel & resort marketing and a baccalaureate degree in technology management and culinary arts. The faculty in the Division of Culinary Arts, Hospitality and Tourism at the College pride themselves in providing a curriculum that enhances the skills and knowledge of students while providing students with an opportunity to build their confidence.

### Windham Sunrise Market & Café

Main St. Windham (Greene County) 518-734-4999

Hot and cold breakfast and lunch specials, fresh bagels and donuts, flavored cream cheeses, sandwiches, homemade salads, soups. We proudly serve Boar's Head cold cuts and Green Friday Mountain coffee. Monday Open through 6:30am-2:30pm, Saturday 7:00am-2:30pm, Sunday 7:00am-2:00pm.











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### Armstrongs Elk Farm

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### Belleayre Mountain

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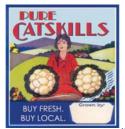
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### **DURR**

Route 28, Arkville 800-225-4132 www.durr.org

Historic train rides through the Catskill Mountains. Educational



exhibits, gift shop, light meals available. Special events excursions for children and adults, including Train Robberies, Twilight on the Rails and A Day Out with Thomas the Tank Engine®.



### **Elk Creek Herbals**

10517 Turnpike Rd. East Meredith, NY 13757 607-278-9635 / liontooth@elkcreekherbals.com www.elkcreekherbals.com

Special events focusing on medicinal herbs including the three roots dig and medicinal mushroom walks.

### Frost Valley YMCA

2000 Frost Valley Rd. Claryville, NY 12725 845-985-2291

www.frostvalley.org

A variety of outdoor activities, including swimming, archery, farm animals, horseback riding, blacksmithing demonstrations. Rustic Family Weekends available September 2 through October 23.

### Hanford Mills Museum

Routes 10 & 12, East Meredith 800 295 4992, 607 278 5744 www.hanfordmills.org

Home to a working sawmill and gristmill powered by a Fitz overshot waterwheel. Historic farmstead, historical exhibits, special events.

#### Kipp Hill

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Hiking, goat trekking, yoga in the woods. Petting zoo & educational programs. Call 518-868-9737 for hours of operation.

### School of Country Wisdom, Schoharie

For those whose heart is in the country, the School offers you the chance to learn from our farmers and artisans. Take away skills, knowledge and respect for the land. We're proud of our roots and want to share our love of the land with you. Review course calendar and register for classes at www.schoolofcountrywisdom.com or call 1-800-41-VISIT (418-4748)

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Cobleskill 518-234-3256 / smullenstables@midtel.net Horseriding, beginner English and Western lessons, birthday parties and summer day camp. Call ahead for lessons or tour.

### Stone & Thistle Farm and **Kortright Creek Creamery**

1211 Kelso Road East Meredith 607-278-5773 / stoneandthistlefarm@starband.net www.stoneandthistlefarm.com

Farm tours and tastings every Sunday at 1pm June through October. Fee: \$4/person. Come and see how we raise our grass-fed lamb, goat, beef, poultry, pork and eggs!

### Stone Ridge Orchard

3012 Rt. 213 Stone Ridge, NY 12484 845-687-2587 / mike@stoneridgeorchard.com www.stoneridgeorchard.com U-pick apples and raspberries. Open through November for picnics, farm tours, and havrides.

### Stone Tavern Farm

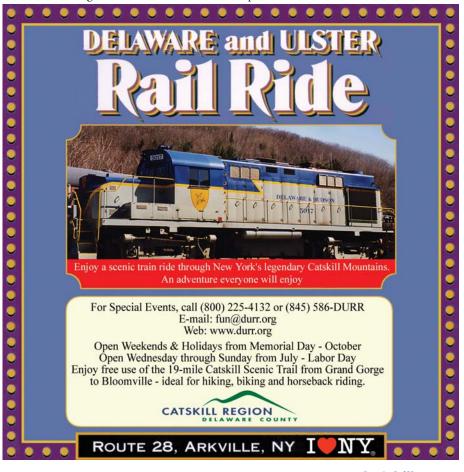
Roxbury 607-326-3600 www.stonetavernfarm.com Horseback riding, childrens summer horse camp

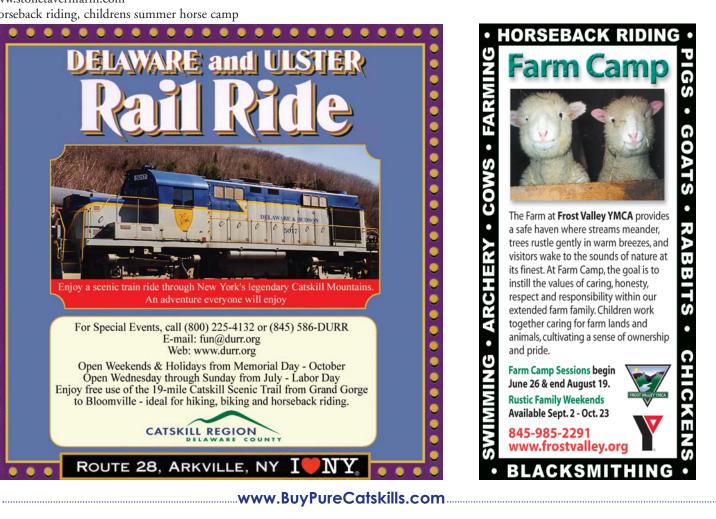


### Story Farms

Catskill, NY 518-678-9716

Pick your own strawberries (in season). Farmstand open June to November, seven days a week. Located on Rt. 32 in Catskill.





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www.frostvalley.org

The Farm at Frost Valley YMCA provides a safe haven where streams meander, trees rustle gently in warm breezes, and visitors wake to the sounds of nature at its finest. At Farm Camp, the goal is to instill the values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility within our extended farm family. Children work together caring for farm lands and animals, cultivating a sense of ownership and pride. Farm Camp Sessions begin June 26 and end August 19. Rustic Family Weekends available September 2 through October 23.

### **Hurd's Family Farm**

Susan O. Hurd Route 32 Modena, NY 12515 845-883-7818 / susan@hurdsfamilyfarm.com www.hurdsfamilyfarm.com

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Sloansville 518-868-9737

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### **Prospect Hill Orchards**

**Judy Clarke** 40 Clark's Lane Milton, NY 12547 845-795-2383

www.prospecthillorchards.com

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Each fall our orchards are open for U-pick apple and raspberries. Open through November for picnics, farm tours, and hayrides.

### Stone Tavern Farm

Roxbury 607-326-3600

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The Catskill Region is full of events for the whole family that let you connect with our farms and the picturesque working land-scapes. Don't miss these festivals, special farm tours, tastings, and classes.

#### June 11th

Kids Felting Workshop, Pine Hill Community Center, 287 Main St., Pine HIll, NY 845-254-5469

### June 11th - 12th

Meredith Dairy Fest. Hosted by the Meridale & Andes Volunteer Fire Departments. 9 am - 5 pm Rain or Shine. Art Shows, Craft Shows, Sample Dairy Products, Children's games, McGruff the Crime Dog, Hayrides, Cow Plop Bingo, Flea Markets, White Elephant sale and more. For further information call 607-746-6882 or e-mail dairyfest@dairyfest.com.

#### June 18th

Catskill Mountain Outdoor Adventure Expo, Belleayre Mountain, Rt. 28 Highmount, NY 800-942-6904 www.belleayre.com

Catskill Animal Sanctuary's fourth annual SHINDIG! 12 am -6 pm. Roam our 100 acres with the horses and farm animals and enjoy food, live bluegrass, a silent and live auction, children's activities, hayrides, tours, films, animal talks, cooking demonstrations, and a talk by renowned author/speaker Erik Marcus. \$10/\$8 for members, children 6 and under free. 316 Old Stage Road, Saugerties, NY 845-336-8447

#### June 25th

Blacksmithing Workshop, Pine Hill Community Center, 287 Main St., Pine Hill, NY 845-254-5469

Dairy Day at the Oneonta Farmers Market. Featuring free tastings of local dairy cow and goat products - milk, cheese and yogurt. Milk a goat, enjoy music and shop for local vegetables, dairy, meat, eggs, baked goods, herbals and crafts. 9 am - 3 pm.

### July 1st & 8th

Medicinal Tree Mushroom Walks, Elk Creek Herbals, East Meredith 607-278-9635, www.elkcreekherbals.com

### July 2nd

Annual Strawberry Festival. At the Andes Presbyterian Church from 4 - 8 pm. For more information go to www.andesny.org.

### July 2nd - September 3rd

Belleayre Music Festival Summer Concert Series at Belleayre Mountain Overlook Lodge. Belleayre Mountain, Rt. 28 Highmount, NY 800-942-6904 www.belleayre.com

### July 9th

2nd Annual Wine Tasting And Dinner. A Rondout Valley Growers Association Fundraising Event 845-687-2587

### July 9th - 10th

Mountain Culture Festival. A celebration of life in the mountains through music, fine crafts, film, farm animals, family events, food and more! On the grounds of the Catskill Mountain Foundation, Route 23A, Hunter. 518-263-4908 or www.catskillmtn.org

### July 15th

Family Day on the Farm, Kipp Hill Farm, Sloansville 518-868-9737

### July 15th - 17th

Belgium Comes to Cooperstown, Brewery Ommegang, Cooperstown. www.ommegang.com

### July 16th

Yoga in the Woods, Kipp Hill Farm, Sloansville, 518-868-9737. \$25 per person.

Our Barn Doors are Wide Open Day, Schoharie County farms open their doors for a special day of tours and events. www.schoolofcountrywisdom.com

Crab Boil And Beer Fest, Stone Ridge Orchard, www.stoneridgeorchard.com

### July 27th - 31st

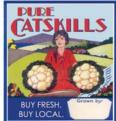
Greene County Fair. Route 145, East Durham. 518-943-4222 or www.greenecounty-chamber.com

#### July 23rd

Horseshoe Festival hosted by the The Hobart Civic Association.10 am. 607-538-9690

### July 30th

Indian River Olde Time Lumberjack Show Hanford Mills Museum, East Meredith, NY 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992



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### August 2nd - 7th

Otsego County Fair, Morris, NY 607-263-5289

Ulster County Fair, New Paltz, NY 845-255-1380

### August 9th - 14th

Cobleskill "Sunshine" Fair, 113 Sunshine Drive, Cobleskill, NY, 518-234-2123

### August 15th - 20th

Delaware County Fair, South Street, Walton, NY. 607-865-4763 or www.delawarecountyfair.org

### August 19th, 20th, 21st & 26th, 27th, 28th

A Day Out with Thomas the Tank Engine. DURR, Arkville. 800-225-4132 or www.durr.org

### August 20th

Making a Birdhouse Gourd, Kipp Hill Farm, Sloansville. 518-868-9737

Yoga in the Woods, Kipp Hill Farm, Sloansville, 518-868-9737. \$25 per person.

### August 27th & 28th

Garlic Harvest Celebration, 10 am - 6 pm, Dancing Veggie Farm, 246 Ainslie Rd., Richfield Springs, NY 315-858-0506

### September 3rd

Raspberry Social, Stone Ridge Orchard, www.stoneridgeorchard.com

#### September 4th

Kirkside Park Turn of the Century Day in the Park. 19th century activities plus an authentic 19th century Base Ball game. Admission free, donations appreciated. www.roxburyny.com 607-326-3722 or e-mail parkproj@roxburyny.com.

Lumberjack Festival and State Championship, Bobcat Outdoor Center. All Day. www.andesny.org

### September 9th, 16th, & 23rd

Medicinal Tree Mushroom Walks, Elk Creek Herbals, East Meredith 607-278-9635, www.elkcreekherbals.com

### September 10th & 11th

Antique Engine Jamboree. Hanford Mills Museum, East Meredith. Come view antique engines, automobiles, fire engines, and tractors. 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992

### September 11th

Family Farm Festival, featuring the Celebrity Chef Competion. 11 am - 6 pm Rain or Shine. Admission: \$5 General Admission. Ages 12 & under free. Advance tickets available. Epworth Farm, High Falls. www.sunstoneherbfarm.com/festival

### September 17th - 18th

OmmeFest at Brewery Ommegang, Cooperstown. www.ommegang.com

### September 18th

Down on the Farm Day. Delaware County farms open their doors for a special day of tours, tastings and events. Come learn about our diverse types of farming. www.buypurecatskills.com.

Taste Of New Paltz, www.newpaltzchamber.org

### September 18th & 19th

Harvest Festival, The Farmers' Museum, Route 80, Lake Rd., Cooperstown, NY 607-547-1450 or 888-547-1450 www.farmersmuseum.org 10 am to 5 pm, both days.

### September 24th

Culinary Institute Of America's Student Chef Demo, Stone Ridge Orchard, www.stoneridgeorchard.com

### September 24th & 25th

17th Annual Hudson Valley Garlic Festival, Cantine Field, Saugerties, NY. Saturday: 10 am - 6 pm. Sunday: 10 am - 5 pm www.hvgf.org 845-246-3090



Kid's Days-hay ride, cider pressing, scarecrow making, face painting, "Crafty Critters." Prospect Hill Orchard, 40 Clark's Lane, Milton, NY 845-795-2383

### September 25th

Delaware County Hunting & Fishing Expo. Demos and workshops on turkey calling, to flying, tying and casting. BB gun shoot, archery range, activities for youth involvement. Pancake breakfast to benefit the Walton Fire Dept. and a chicken BBQ from Wilson's. Delaware County Fairgrounds, Walton. 9 am - 4 pm. 607-829-8296

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### September 26

1st Annual Frost Valley YMCA Golf Classic. For information go to www.frostvalley.org

#### October 1st

6th Annual Schoharie County Harvest Festival, Blenheim-Gilboa Visitors Center complex on Route 30 in North Blenheim, www.schoolofcountrywisdom.com

#### October 1st - 10th

Quilt & Textiles Show – Visit the John Hanford Farmhouse and view beautiful quilts of all ages. Contact the Museum to enter your own antique or newly made quilts. 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992 Hanford Mills Museum, East Meredith, NY

#### October 2nd

Margaretville Cauliflower Festival. www.cauliflowerfest.com



#### October 3 & 4

Peak of the Harvest – Hay rides, cider pressing. Prospect Hill Orchard, 40 Clark's Lane, Milton, NY 845-795-2383

#### October 7th - 8th

Harvest Festival in Sidney. At Sacred Heart Church, Liberty Street. Food, Crafters, Decorations, Flea Market. More info www.sidneyonline.com.

#### October 8th

Waffles & Puppets, Brewery Ommegang, Cooperstown. www.ommegang.com

Halloween Pumpkin Carving Benefit, Stone Ridge Orchard, www.stoneridgeorchard.com

Sawyer's Holiday and Mechanics' Harvest Festival - Celebrate ingenuity and industriousness, and explore the skill of craftspeople at work. Enjoy a guided nature walk, and participate in handson activities. Watch over 200 years of sawing history at work. Pit sawing, the mill's own historic circular sawmill and a modern portable, band saw will also be in operation. 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992 Hanford Mills Museum, East Meredith, NY

Maple Leaf Festival. Sponsored by the Downsville Lions Club. For further information call 607-363-7814.

#### October 8th & 9th

Annual Fall Festival & Craft Fair plus Mega Ski Sale, Belleayre Mountain, Rt. 28 Highmount, NY 800-942-6904 www.belleayre.com

#### October 8th - 10th

Johnny Appleseed Cider Festival: Hay rides, cider pressing, scare-crow building. Prospect Hill Orchard, 40 Clark's Lane, Milton, NY 845-795-2383

### October 22nd

Belleayre Ski Center Sixth Annual Oktoberfest. Lower Lodge, State Route 28, Highmount, NY. Advance Tickets \$6 per person (by Oct. 10th.) Day of event \$8 per person at the door – children under 12 free. Live German music featuring: Bud Gramer & His Melodies 11am - 3pm, The Adlers 4pm - 8pm. For more information and advance tickets: call Marion at 845-586-2246.

#### October 28th

Medicinal Tree Mushrooms of the Northeast – Tonic Preparation, Elk Creek Herbals, East Meredith, NY 607-278-9635, www.elkcreekherbals.com

#### October 29th

Harvest Moon Ball. Come dance under the Harvest Moon Ball. Costume contest, music, dancing and hors d'oeuvres at the Andes Hotel Oct. 29th, 7 pm -11 pm. \$10 adults, children free. Tickets available at the door. For more information check out www.andesny.org.

### November 11th-13th

Girl Scout Weekend at Frost Valley YMCA. A weekend full of exciting activities especially for Girl Scouts! To register please call 845-985-2291 ext. 205 or email reservations@frostvalley.org

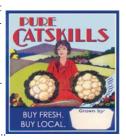
Volunteer Work Weekend! Volunteer Weekends are coordinated twice each year to help prepare the facility in spring for upcoming warm-weather activities, and in fall for cold-weather activities. The variety of jobs may include such projects as building picnic tables, Adirondack chairs, or lean-tos, or readying program areas for high-volume use. Please register for accommodations and jobs by contacting the Volunteer Coordinator at 845-985-2291 or by emailing a message to volunteers@frostvalley.org.

#### November 19th

Special Thanksgiving Farmers Market Historic Catskill Point, Catskill, NY 518-622-9820

#### December 10th

Sint Niklaas Visits Ommegang Brewery - www.ommegang.com



Members' Holiday Gathering at the John Hanford Farm House. Enjoy a holiday sing-along and tasty treats. 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992 Hanford Mills Museum, East Meredith, NY

Open House & Holiday Sale - Unique, mill-made products and holiday inventory. Refreshments will be served. 10 am -4 pm. (Also open by appointment in early December.) Hanford Mills Museum Gift Shop, East Meredith, NY 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992.

### January 21st - 29th

Winter Festival, Belleavre Mountain, Rt. 28 Highmount, NY 800-942-6904 www.belleayre.com

### February 4, 2006

Winter Ice Harvest. Come help the Museum fill the Ice House. Try your hand at cutting ice or watch the draft horse teams pulling the bobsleds. Hot soup & drinks will be available on site. 10 am - 4 pm. Hanford Mills Museum, East Meredith, NY 607-278-5744 or 800-295-4992

### March 18th & 19th, 2006

Maple Weekend. More than 80 maple producers throughout New York State participate in the NY State Maple Weekend. A complete list of participants is available at www.mapleweekend.com. 10 am to 4 pm each day.

Maple Weekend at Paul's Maple Products, Hamden. 607-746-7708

Shaver-Hill Farm Open House, 310 Shaver Road Harpersfield, NY 607-652-6792 www.shaverhillfarm.com

For more events listings around the region visit:

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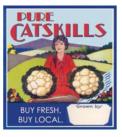
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mous with fine quality produce.

Marketing cooperatives, working together to increase efficiency and maximize profit, created distinctive labels for their wooden cauliflower shipping crates, like this one, representing the Walton-Hamden Cauliflower Growers Co-operative, Inc. This label became the symbol for the *Pure Catskills* local marketing initiatives because it exemplifies the long tradition of quality products and a working landscape here in the Catskill Region.

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