

# ¢ENTS for ST. SUSAN FOOD DRIVE APRIL 16—MAY 18, 2007



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**The St. Susan Center is located at 31 Water Street, off Foote Avenue, one block north of WCA Hospital. The hours of the Center are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday; 1:30-3:30 p.m., Saturdays and Sundays; telephone 664-2253. All are welcome.**

Drive sponsors are soliciting your CLEAN redeemable cans and bottles to benefit the Food Drive. You may drop off bottles and cans at the BPU Customer Service Department as well as any monetary donations any time Monday through Friday between 7 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Bottles and cans may also be redeemed at the four local Quality Market stores and your refund slip may be deposited in the appropriate canisters at the Quality Customer Service Desks to benefit the St. Susan Center.

Volunteers will be on hand at the Farm Fresh Foods Fluvanna Avenue store on Saturday, May 5, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. selling hot dogs and

accepting your redeemable cans and bottles or monetary donations you may wish to make. On May 12, Quality Markets on Foote Avenue also will sponsor a hot dog sale from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Look for the "¢ents for St. Susan" donation canisters at businesses throughout the community and drop in your spare change. The canisters are wrapped with the colorful logos of all of the participating sponsors around the St. Susan soup bowl logo. You also may send in your donation with your utility payment. In addition, checks made out to St. Susan Center may be mailed to the BPU, P.O. Box 700, Jamestown, NY 14702-0700 in care of Becky Robbins, BPU Communications Coordinator.

The Center opened February 1, 1984, made possible by a \$10,000 gift to local clergy from the parents of a young lady named Susan who died as a result of an accidental injury. Twenty two years later, more than 1,070,000 meals have been served to people in Jamestown who need it. Last year alone, nearly 80,000 meals were served.

In addition to daily nutritious meals, the St. Susan Center provides occasional bags of groceries for families struggling to make ends meet.

**Any gift, regardless of size, is important and truly appreciated.**



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## SPRING WATER MAIN FLUSHING TO BEGIN APRIL 28



Spring flushing of the water mains will begin at 9:00 p.m., Saturday evening, April 28, in the Village of Falconer and move into the extreme northeast section of the City of Jamestown (near JCC and Lutheran Social Services) on Sunday evening April 29. Flushing will proceed counter-clockwise throughout the BPU water system nightly from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Monday through Thursday.

Crews will move through the BPU water system in the following order: the north side of Jamestown, downtown Jamestown, the west

side of Jamestown, West Ellicott, the Village of Lakewood, Busti, North Harmony, the south side of Jamestown, and finish on the extreme east of Jamestown (the Allen Street industrial corridor).

The entire process is expected to take three to four weeks. Specific flushing locations will be posted daily on the BPU website and advertised in the newspaper, on cable television and on local radio stations. Flushing each day is weather permitting.

**TAKE CARE TO BE AWARE** of when crews are flushing in your neighborhood to avoid drawing roily water in your hot water heating systems, washing machines and dishwashers.



### JAMESTOWN SPRING CLEANUP

Gather your spring cleanup items now and be ready to put them curbside. Cleanup for those whose garbage is picked up Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be May 7, 8 and 9. Those customers whose garbage is picked up on Thursday and Friday will have spring cleanup on May 14 and 15.

Place your cleanup items curbside after 6:00 p.m. the evening BEFORE your regularly scheduled garbage pickup. **EVERYTHING PUT OUT FOR SPRING CLEANUP SHOULD BE IN GARBAGE BAGS JUST AS YOUR REGULAR GARBAGE.**

Any improper items left at the curb will result in extra charges imposed upon the resident for their removal. If you are not sure about an item, check with the BPU first by calling 661-1651.

No recyclables will be collected during the two weeks of cleanup. Save your recyclables and dispose of them during the proper collection week. Please remember to also bag your pizza boxes, which are considered garbage, NOT recyclable cardboard. Cardboard is a mandatory recyclable and should be disposed of during the proper recycling week.

No metal, wood, cardboard or large items will be accepted. Items such as toys, dishes, clothes, lamps and garden hoses are allowed. **THERE IS A CHARGE TO DISPOSE OF LARGE ITEMS** such as couches, mattresses, appliances; **CALL 661-1651 TO ARRANGE A PICK-UP.**



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**COMMUNITY CLEAN UP**

8 a.m. - Noon, **SATURDAY, MAY 19TH**

Free Food and T-Shirt

To Register, Call the DJDC at 664-2477

Individuals, Families,  
Youth & Community Groups  
Encouraged To Have Fun and Help

### BPU UTILITIES

**EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER**  
**ALL TROUBLES, ALL HOURS, ALL DAYS**  
661-1640

**CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENT**  
7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. **MONDAY- FRIDAY**  
661-1660

**GARBAGE HOTLINE**  
661-1651

*CLIP AND SAVE THESE IMPORTANT NUMBERS*



### FLUVANNA AVENUE YARD WASTE SITE PREPARES TO OPEN

The Fluvanna Avenue Yard Waste site will open to receive your yard waste, weather permitting, Saturdays **ONLY**, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. starting April 21.

Remember free mulch is available for the taking—just bring your own container.

The BPU has brown Yard Waste Bags for sale at four bags for \$10 which includes home pickup of the bags when full. Bags are available at the BPU Customer Service Department, 92 Steele Street.

### BPU Recycling Enhancement Focus Group

If you are a Jamestown resident and you would like to help promote recycling in Jamestown, consider joining this group.



Call for information:

Roseann Himes, Sanitation Supervisor 661-1651  
or

Becky Robbins, Communications Coordinator  
661-1666

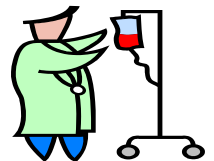
### Things You Can Do to Conserve Water and Money In Your Home

Having a leaky flush mechanism in a toilet can waste as much as 500 gallons per day. Test your toilet by putting a few drops of food coloring in the tank. If it is less than an hour before the color reaches your bowl, you have a leak. If your toilet was installed before 1993, consider upgrading to a low-flow toilet. Old toilets may be inefficient, using 2-3 gallons of water per flush.

While old showerheads can pour out five gallons of water every minute, the new low-flow showerheads use just 1.5-2.5 gallons per minute, cutting your water use by 50% or more. Test your showerhead by placing a one gallon bucket in the tub and turning on the tap. If it takes less than 20 seconds to fill, you should get a new showerhead.

### RED CROSS RESCHEDULES 2007 BLOOD DRIVES AT THE BPU (due to winter weather cancellations) NEW DATES:

May 31  
July 26  
September 20  
November 15



Drive hours are 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., with a light lunch served to donors. Walk-ins are welcome/appointments are appreciated by calling BPU Communications Coordinator, Becky Robbins, at 661-1666.

The Red Cross apologizes for the change.