

**COMMUNITY EVENTS**  
**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5 – SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13**

We'd also suggest as excellent sources of information *The Record Review*, *The Bedford-Katonah Patch*, <http://patch.com/new-york/bedford>; *The Bedford Daily Voice*, <http://bedford.dailyvoice.com/events>; as well as the websites of each of the organizations mentioned. Please also check the Recreation and Parks Department on the Town's website for programs and activities. Please send an e-mail at [supervisor@bedfordny.gov](mailto:supervisor@bedfordny.gov) to let us know your thoughts about our continuing to provide this information.

**DECEMBER 5**

**Katonah Elementary School (KES)**, *Holiday Boutique* – 5:30pm to 8:30pm.

**The Bedford Village Business Association**, *Tree lighting*, 7pm, Village Green  
Count clown to the tree lighting. Gathering begins at the firehouse.  
*Jingle Pass Holiday Shopping*, the shops of Bedford Village would like you to shop locally this holiday season. Participating merchants will be offering special holiday discounts and treats during this period. Offers and hours vary by store. Friday, December 5<sup>th</sup> - Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>.

**The Foundation for Arts, Music and Education (F.A.M.E)** *art sale* featuring work by local artists, faculty and students. Admission is FREE and the evening will include student musical performances. FLHS Commons, 5pm to 8pm.

**The Katonah Village Improvement Society (KVIS)**, *It's A Wonderful Life*, The Katonah Village Library, 7:00pm, free event, reception to follow

**Rotary**, *Exceptionally beautiful Christmas Trees*, the tree sale runs now through the 24<sup>th</sup> or until the trees are all sold!  
Bedford Hills Memorial Park, Thursday and Friday 5:00pm-8:00pm  
Saturday and Sunday 9:00am–7:00pm. All proceeds benefit Rotary Charities

**DECEMBER 6**

**Bedford Hills Neighborhood Association (BHNA)**, *Tree Lighting*, 5pm, cookies and special visitor. For more information email [bhna10507@aol.com](mailto:bhna10507@aol.com) or call 318-6937.

**Bedford Police Department**, *Coffee with a Cop*, 720 Bedford Road, Bedford Bagel. Join the police officers and get to know them, 11am to 2pm.

**Bedford Presbyterian Church**, Village Green, *Mistletoe Mart*, 9:30am – 3pm, proceeds benefit local community groups. For raffles contact Cheryl Raman at [cherylraman@hotmail.com](mailto:cherylraman@hotmail.com) or call Jeanne Morrison at 234-3581

**Kisco Pet Food Center, A New Chance Animal Rescue**, *Adoption Event*, 382 N. Bedford Road, Bedford Hills, Details go to [anewchancear.org](http://anewchancear.org)

**DECEMBER 7**

**Bedford Presbyterian Church**, *Charis Chamber Voices* will welcome the holiday season when the Bedford Presbyterian Church hosts the group that has been called "the finest chamber choir in Westchester." 4 p.m. at the church, Village Green, Bedford. Tickets may be purchased in advance through the Charis website,

[www.charisvocals.com](http://www.charisvocals.com), or by calling 931-6575. Tickets are also available at the door.

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**St. Matthew's Church, Messiah Concert Sun**, free, 10:00am, 382 Cantitoe Street, Bedford

### DECEMBER 8

**Katonah Village Library**, *Baby Lap Time*, 11:15am, for infants through 18 months with caregiver.

*Stories and Crafts*, 2pm, drop in for stories and related craft, ages 3 to 5, kindergartners are welcome.

More information go to [katonahlibrary.org](http://katonahlibrary.org) or call 232-3508.

**Fox Lane Middle School** is hosting its second annual Author Palooza, where 10 authors will talk about real life in the fictional lane, 6pm -7:30pm.

### DECEMBER 9

**Bedford Free Library** on the Village Green, *Toolbox Story Time*, 2pm, for preschoolers, go to [bedfordfreelibrary.org](http://bedfordfreelibrary.org) or call 234-3570.

**Bedford Hills Free Library**, 26 Main Street, *Read More Threes and Fours*, go to [bedfordhillsfreelibrary.org](http://bedfordhillsfreelibrary.org) or call 666-6472

### DECEMBER 10

**Bedford Hills Free Library**, *Little Folks and Friends Storytime*, 10:30am, 18 months to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, go to [bedfordhillsfreelibrary.org](http://bedfordhillsfreelibrary.org) or call 666-6472

**Bedford Recreation and Parks**, *Senior Adult Holiday Luncheon*, 11am – 2pm, Bedford Hills Community House, call 666-7203 or email [recreation@bedfordny.gov](mailto:recreation@bedfordny.gov)

**St. Matthew's Church**, Bedford Chamber Concert Series, 8:00pm, 382 Cantitoe Street, Bedford, \$40 per person, for more information go to, [bedfordchamberconcerts.org](http://bedfordchamberconcerts.org)

### DECEMBER 11

**Fox Lane High School**, *7th grade Band/Orchestra/Chorus Concert*, free, Fox Lane High School Mary Lou Meese Theater, 7:00pm.

### DECEMBER 12

**Shaaray Tefila**, 89 Baldwin Road, Bedford Corners, *Shabbat Unplugged Service with Blessing for Teen Exchange*, 7:30 pm.

### DECEMBER 13

**Caramoor**, *Holiday Concert: Windsync*, Simple Gifts: A Holiday Sampler. Buy

tickets now at <http://www.caramoor.org/> 8:00 pm.

## **ONGOING EVENTS**

### **Bedford Hills Free Library, Children's Story times**

*Read More*, Tuesdays, 4:15pm, ages 3 & 4

*Little Folks and Friends*, Wednesdays, 10:30am, ages 18 months to 3 years

*Older Kids Only*, Fridays, 10:30am, grades K through 2

*Laptime for Pipsqueaks*, Fridays, 4:15pm, 6 to 18 months, pre-register

*Friday Mahem*, Fridays, 4:15pm, grades 3 to 5

*Monthly InBe Tween Pages* book group, grades 6 to 8, pre-register

26 Main Street, Bedford Hills, NY, 666-6472, [bedfordhillsfreelibrary.org](http://bedfordhillsfreelibrary.org)

**Bedford Hills Historical Museum** "*The Burbank Family Collection: Bedford Hills, 1890-1950*", which represents photographs and items from the Burbank Family with its link to Bedford Hills. Museum hours are Thursday and Saturdays, 11am-2pm. Exhibit goes on through Mid-March 2015.

**Caramoor, Katonah**, *Afternoon Tea and House Tour*, through Dec 18, for more info call 232-5035

### **John Jay Homestead Farm, Bedford Audubon Bird Walk**

Every day 8:00am-1:00pm

register with Jeanne Pollock at [jpollock@bedfordaudubon.org](mailto:jpollock@bedfordaudubon.org) or 519-7801

### **Katonah Chamber: Connecting Commerce with Community, Holiday Contest**

Window Decorating Contest for the Following Categories:

\*Most Festive \* Most Creative \* Prettiest

#### Window Decorating Deadlines:

~~November 1 Volunteers will Visit to Enroll You~~

~~November 26 Deadline for Window Decorations~~

November 26-December 13 Customers Voting Period

December 23 Winners Drawn

We will also be handing out "swag bags" on November 30 at the Tree & Menorah Lighting Ceremony and we invite the merchants to participate. See the photos below for suggestions on creative ways to get attention and have the visitors to the lighting come in to your store.

The Chamber is also sponsoring a raffle and invites merchants to contribute. The Gift Basket prizes will be inclusive of a variety of merchant's wares, so see which category best fits your shop and please let us know.

**Gift Basket 1: Pamper Yourself!** Possible suggested contributions are: massage, make-up, mani/pedi package; facial, wine, coupon for lunch for 2; jewelry, etc.

**Gift Basket 2: Holiday Cheer!** Possible suggested contributions are: champagne, wine, cheese, flannel PJ's, slippers, ornaments, fireplace decor, candles, etc.

**Gift Basket 3: Well Equipped!** Possible suggested contributions are: small tools, wine opener, socks, serving utensils, coffee mug, tea pot, pot-holders, picture display stand, etc.

Please respond if you would like to participate. You can participate in one or all three! We are here to serve you and help our merchants succeed!

Please email Kathy Boyle at [kboyle@chapinhill.com](mailto:kboyle@chapinhill.com) with participation inquiries.

### **Katonah Museum of Art**

***Lethal Beauty: Samurai Weapons and Armor***

In the Beitzel and Righter Galleries

October 12, 2014 – January 4, 2015

***Antique Kimono from the Alexander Collection***

In the Beitzel Gallery

October 12, 2014 – January 4, 2015

***Ushio Shinohara***

In the Atrium

October 12, 2014 – January 4, 2015

For the Katonah Museum of Art Exhibitions go to:

<http://www.katonahmuseum.org/exhibitions/>

**John Ruppert's Yellow Orb/Homage to Van Gogh on View**

Every day until May 31, 2015 at 10:00am-5:00pm

[katonahmuseum.org](http://katonahmuseum.org)

**Little Joe's Coffee & Books**

25 Katonah Avenue, Katonah

<http://www.littlejoesbooks.com/>

**Boredom Buster Preschool Story Time.** Tuesdays at 11am. Come in for a book, a craft, a visit. We'll be doing something new every week and encourage you to bring your little ones in for the fun!

**After-school Story Time.** Thursdays at 4:30pm. Join us for a few stories and an easy after-school social time. Books chosen may be best for ages 3+, but all are welcome.

**Sunday Funday.** Sundays at 11am. Bring your munchkins for a visit and a story. Great for working parents!

**Westchester Land Trust, Sugar Hill Farm, *Calling All Green Thumbs, Farm Market Fans, and Would-Be Farmers***, 403 Harris Road, Bedford Hills, Every day at 12:00pm

**KVIS and Katonah Village Library** for a free introduction to

*Duke Integrative Medicine's* evidence-based, Personal Health Planning Model.

For more information contact: Maura Rosenthal, at the Library, 914.232.3508.

An Introduction to Personal Health Planning, Thursday, December 4, 2014

7:30-8:30pm. The evening's introduction will be lead by Duke Certified,

Integrative Health Coach and Katonah native, Deirdre Breen.

For more information contact: Maura Rosenthal, at the Library, 914.232.3508.

Classes will be held on Thursdays: January, 8, 15, 22, 29, 7:30-9:00pm. Materials fee: \$25 payable at first class. Reservations required, space will be limited.

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**Temple Shaaray Tefila, *Blooming Babies***, Parents/Caregivers and their newborns through 22 months are welcome to drop-in for this free year round class. Arts & crafts, music and movement are included.

Every Wednesday at 9:30pm

89 Baldwin Road, Bedford Corners, NY 10528

[shaaraytefila.org](http://shaaraytefila.org)

