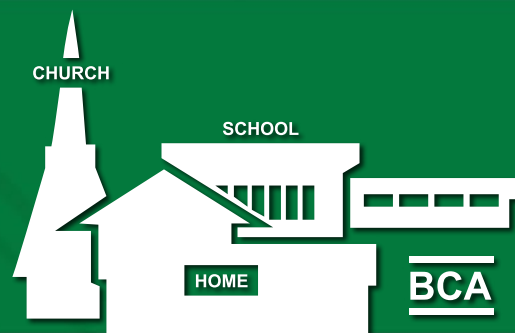


BAYBERRY news



BAYBERRY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.

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Bayberry MEET THE CANDIDATES



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19TH
United Church of Christ • 7:00pm
215 Blackberry Rd, Liverpool, NY 13090

MEET THE CANDIDATES NIGHT

Sunday, October 19 at UCC on Blackberry Road

BCA will again host local candidates. Candidates for Town of Clay, county legislative districts, and state supreme court justice levels have been contacted. Thank you to the volunteers who have already stepped up to moderate, keep time, etc. Please contact BCA if you wish to help. *Special note – the event will take place in the sanctuary room this year.*



BCA HALLOWEEN PARTY IN THE BAYBERRY PLAZA

Saturday, October 25

BCA will once again host a party in the plaza starting at 11am by the United States Post Office. BCA will be giving away treats and goodie bags. There will be a children's costume contest (all contest participants will submit pictures via QR code).

Please join us for a fun time (rain or shine).

UPCOMING EVENTS • NOV 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2 BCA Meeting 7pm	3 LCSD BOE Meeting 6pm	Superintendent's Conference Day Students Do Not Report	5 Town Board Meeting 7:30pm	6	7	8
9	10 Zoning Board Meeting 6pm	11 Veterans Day NO SCHOOL	12	13	14	15
16	17 LCSD BOE Meeting 6pm Town Board Meeting 7:30pm	18	19 Planning Board Meeting 6pm	20	21	22
23	24 LCSD BOE Meeting 6pm	25	26 Thanksgiving Recess NO SCHOOL	27 Thanksgiving Recess NO SCHOOL	28 Thanksgiving Recess NO SCHOOL	29
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NEXT BCA MEETING:

November 2, 2025 • 7pm

United Church of Christ
215 Blackberry Road

Meetings are open to all residents!

SEE PAGE 3

for important
information concerning
ANNUAL DUES

More info on meetings and events will be posted on our website, Facebook and Instagram pages, as the dates draw near.



FACEBOOK:

facebook.com/bayberrycommunity.org



INSTAGRAM:

instagram.com/bayberryyny



BAYBERRY LINKTREE

Upcoming Events continued on page 2...

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TOWN OF CLAY LEGAL NOTICES

Please check the Town of Clay website for upcoming public hearings. Residents are welcome at all meetings to voice any concerns or questions.

townofclay.org/government/legal-notices

BRUSH PICK-UP

From the town website:

District Wide Collection - Please keep in mind: The Highway Department understands that not all leaves have begun to fall in October, we ask for your patience and we will do our best to go throughout the town to pick them up during the months of November and December, weather-permitting, as a courtesy.

As you are aware, living in Upstate New York we never know what to expect for weather conditions. If leaves are too wet from the snow or rain the leaf vacuum cannot retrieve them. Also, if snow accumulates on the leaves they will not be visible for the crews. The highway department crews do not ever intentionally drive by a resident's home that has leaves, but because of these reasons, they may be missed.

If the snow should fall before your leaves are picked up, we will continue the leaf pick-up as soon as possible. If the leaves are visible after a thaw, and the crews are able to get at them, they will be picked up.

Please have your leaves out in time for our pick up so that the highway crews can continue with their scheduled work as planned.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

ROAD SAFETY

Colder weather is coming! The sun sets earlier in the fall and winter. Be aware of pedestrians; if you are walking, it is best to wear light-color clothing along with reflective elements.

SCHOOL AFFAIRS

Please check the Liverpool School District website for details on the following information:

- Tip411 is an internet-based communication system that allows students, staff, and community members to report safety related issues in the Liverpool schools. Directions for use are on the district website.
- Fall Fun Festival will be held October 25 from 12:00pm to 4:00pm at the high school. Admission is \$5, and families are welcome to participate in a variety of activities.
- All details on the new cell phone policy for students are on the website.

CRIME PREVENTION MONTH

October is Crime Prevention Month as designated by the National Neighborhood Watch Association and the National Crime Prevention Council. It was instituted by a Presidential Proclamation in 1984. Many of you may remember the slogan, "Take a Bite Out of Crime!" <https://nnw.org/october> What is Neighborhood Watch, and how do we "Take a Bite Out of Crime?" Taking a bit out of crime is a renewal of our commitment to help prevent crime in our neighborhoods. You may have seen the signs around the Bayberry Community Association boundaries designating our neighborhood as a Neighborhood Watch Community. What does that really mean? It means we look out for our neighbors and "watch" for suspicious behavior and criminal activity. Law enforcement cannot be everywhere every minute, and it is up to us to be on the watch. It's not something we have to sign up to do or even meet about. Just make sure to "Take a Bite Out of Crime" on your street.

TOWN AFFAIRS

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

October 13 – Zoning Board meeting 6pm

October 20 – Town Board meeting 7:30pm

October 22 – Planning Board meeting 7:30pm.

VETERANS AFFAIRS

Beginning May 5, 2025, Centro will offer a new unlimited ride pass providing free rides for all qualified veterans on its regular bus routes. See <https://www.centro.org/news-opportunities/media-room/-press-releases> for more information.

Please contact Debbie Magaro-Dolan to suggest a Veteran to be highlighted in the future.

Email: dmd26@verizon.net

BCA SCHOLARSHIP

The BCA scholarship, awarded annually to a volunteer-oriented high school senior who lives in the association neighborhoods, is another way the BCA gives back to the community. For a high school senior going on to college or trade school this scholarship is a great way to help out. This scholarship is funded

through a fund that is separate from the dues account. To donate to the scholarship fund, you can send a check made out to the "Bayberry Community Association" to our PO Box: Bayberry Community Association, P.O. Box 2184, Liverpool, NY 13089.

THE IMPORTANCE OF OUR \$10 ANNUAL DUES

The purpose of the BCA is to facilitate communication and a sense of community within the neighborhood; to keep residents informed; to advocate for our interests with local government; to organize community events and activities; and to keep the community a safe, friendly and well-maintained place to live.

To fund its sponsored events, activities and operating expenses, the BCA offers community residents membership in the association by payment of dues, currently assessed at \$10.00 annually (**July 1st – June 30th each year**).

Current BCA Services, Activity and Event Expenses Include:

- Earth Day Litter Cleanup
- Spring / Fall Garage Sale Publicity
- Child Car Seat Safety Check
- Summer Ice Cream Social
- Halloween Party in the Plaza
- Halloween Costume and Coloring Contest
- Holiday Decorating Contests
- Cookie Drive for MCFD and NOVA
- Santa Drive through the community

- Town & School Board Meeting Attendance & Reports
- Meet the Candidate event prior to elections
- Nine Monthly Electronic Newsletters
- Manages Facebook and Instagram accounts, as well as other social media, as needed
- BCA Postcard delivery to new members of the community
- Signs to advertise BCA events throughout the year

BCA Operating Expenses Include:

- Meeting Space Rental
- Liability Insurance
- Hosting of BCA Website & URL Fee
- Various Administrative Costs
(PO Box, Postage, Office Supplies)

Donations to Various Community Groups:

- Selected annually by the BCA Executive Committee

To keep our wonderful association going, please pay your dues, get involved and if you would like to learn more, reach out and/or come to a meeting.

HOW TO PAY YOUR 2025/2026 DUES

There are two convenient ways to pay the annual dues of \$10 via PayPal through www.bayberrycommunity.org or use the form below and mail a check to the BCA Post Office box. Donations can also be made to the Bayberry Scholarship fund using these same two methods. The BCA will continue to serve the community with information and events as allowed and thank you for helping with the success of the Bayberry Community Association.

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Member/Family Name: _____

Member/Family Address: _____

Email Address: _____

☐ Dues Amount Paid \$10.00 ☐ Scholarship Donation _____

Make checks payable to: BCA

Mail to: Bayberry Community Association Inc.
 P.O. Box 2184
 Liverpool, NY 13089

SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT



UCC History

Since 1961, the **United Church of Christ in Bayberry** has been a strong presence in the northern suburbs of Syracuse, witnessing to the extravagance of God's grace as revealed through Jesus Christ. Our congregation is welcoming of all God's people, embracing diversity as a sign of the richness of God's creation. While we seek to be inclusive, we are also firmly rooted in the Holy Scriptures and in Christian tradition. Come and join us as we share the hope and promise of the gospel through worship, music, learning, service, and fellowship.

It just might be that UCC in Bayberry is a community of faith you can call "home."

We are an "Open and Affirming" congregation of the United Church of Christ.



UCC Nursery School

The UCC Nursery School is a private pre-school that has been serving families of the greater Liverpool community since 1965! The school is sponsored by the United Church of Christ in Bayberry and is nonsectarian and **open to all**. The Church Council employs a professional director. Together they carry out the planning and administration of the school.

Registration begins on January 1st for families currently enrolled in our program. Open enrollment for the public begins February 1st.

Worship Schedule

SUNDAY:

8:30 AM

10:30 AM (*also live-streamed*)

OFFICERS AND CHAIRPERSONS

POSITION:	NAME:	CONTACT
President	Ryan Vollmer	315-857-8930
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2nd Vice President	Mary Eidt	315-652-8610
Secretary	Jordan Curtis	315-395-0852
Treasurer	Kyle Adams	315-807-8160
Historian	June Baycura	315-652-6971

POSITION:	NAME:	CONTACT
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Town Affairs	Jordan Curtis	315-395-0852
Communications Coords.	Gina Schell	315-481-2739
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