

**ASSESSOR/CODES
MONTHLY REPORT
February 2018**

CODE ENFORCEMENT

A copy of the monthly report for permit activity is on file in the Town Clerk's office.

The yearly Codes Training Conference was held in Lake Placid, March 4th through March 8th. One of the interesting topics covered this year was Zombie properties, how are communities, towns and states creating new laws to handle the growing problems created by abandon homes. I received credit for my annual 24 hours of mandated training.

ASSESSOR

I have received the preliminary list of Taxable State Land Parcels for 2018 assessment roll, there doesn't appear to be any changes, once I have studied the report I will be certifying by April 11th. I have also received from Barry Baker an estimated impact on State owned land taxes if the 2019 proposed pilot cap is imposed, the impact could be approximately \$5000.00.

Respectfully submitted,

Aimee VanWie

Inlet Parks Dept Report For February 2018
Mitch Lee Parks Dept Supervisor

1. Our Town Hall Cleaning Staffer is expected back on March 18th.
2. John Rouse accepted the position available at the Parks Department with a starting Date of April 1st.
3. The materials for Cottage 3 roof are on hand and the roof project will start the first day the weather improves.
4. All the furniture and stalls are done and in place for the Changing rooms and the Furniture for the Rest Rooms in Arrowhead park will be completed by March 14th.
5. The Ice rink has not been open since the warm up of Late February and without a few very cold nights we are not able to add water to freeze the surface.
6. Fern Park has been groomed each and every day that the weather has provided us good conditions. But the Golf Course remains un-groomed until snow totals on the surface improve.
7. The Floors and offices in the Basement all received a new coat of paint, while Our Codes officer was away at classes.
8. The Arrowhead Rest Rooms interiors were repainted and the Floors should be done by the end of the month.

Information Office Report of the month February 2018

1. Balance in Petty Cash on February 28 was \$53.16.
2. From April 1, 2017 to February 28, 2018 this office has processed 979 snowmobile permits for the 2017/18 season (343 Preseason, 24 Deal, 371 Seasonal, 210 Weekly, 9 Upgrade, 22 Replacement). Old Forge processed 13,112 (7,492 Preseason, 156 Deal, 3,367 Seasonal, 1,789 Weekly, 129 Upgrade, 179 Replacement). Stillwater processed 61 (3 Deal, 25 Seasonal, 33 Weekly). Waters Edge processed 170 (18 Deal, 67 Seasonal, 85 Weekly). OF Camping Resort processed 41 (4 Deal, 15 Seasonal, 22 Weekly). Total permits compared to last year listing last year's number first:
6,761/7,838 Preseason, 229/205 Deal, 4,256/3,845 Seasonal, 2,552/2,139 Weekly, 196/138 Upgrade, 201/201 Replacement. Total of 171 more transactions this year.
3. During the 2017 "Arts in the Park," \$2,480 was collected from 29 vendors to reserve 30 spaces (two also paid for additional space) for the 2018 "Arts in the Park". During the 2017 Fall Festival and up until September 30, \$1,280 was collected from 20 vendors to reserve 23 spaces for the 2018 Fall Festival. Since January 1st, we have collected an additional \$1,360 from 16 vendors to reserve 17 spaces for "Arts in the Park" and \$335 from 6 vendors to reserve 6 spaces in Fall Festival. Applications and a list of vendors signed up can be found at www.inletartsinthepark.com and www.inletfallfestival.com.
4. 2018 CAA vacation planners are in. Please help distribute them!
5. Registration for the 23rd running of the Black Fly Challenge opened on February 2nd. The committee has been meeting regularly, and is looking forward to another awesome event. Race day is June 9th, and the race starts in Arrowhead Park this year. www.blackflychallenge.com
6. The IABA will hold a regular meeting on March 6th aboard the WW Durant Winter Boat, and their April 3rd meeting will be at Fourth Lake Wine & Spirits. Their May 1st meeting will also be their spring social, and will be held at Red Dog Tavern. This group has lots of great ideas and is working well together. Notes from IABA meetings can be found at www.GoInletNY.com. They are now accepting dues for 2018. **You can pay your dues online!**
7. The IABA has a subcommittee working on the idea of a youth hockey tournament for 2019. If you know anyone interested in any aspect of this idea, let me know.
8. Fern Park Master Plan Committee has set the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the meeting room of Inlet Town Hall for regular meetings. Anyone interested in the future of Fern Park is welcome to attend.
9. Frozen Fire & Lights went very well even with the lack of snow. A thank you and recap of the day's activities was posted in the local papers and at www.inletfrozenfireandlights.com. Full report available upon request.
10. On February 28th the Northern New York Vintage Snowmobile Racing moved their ice oval races planned for Fourth Lake on Saturday, March 3rd to Raquette Lake. On March 1st they cancelled the races completely.
11. March 10th will be the 5th annual "Let's Get Crooked!" fundraiser. Bring a crockpot of your favorite soup to share, along with a \$10 donation to the local food pantry, and enjoy some company, good soup, and we will vote for People's Choice!
12. Old Forge's St. Patty's Day Parade is Friday, March 16th. Inlet has been well represented in this parade the last few years. Hoping to keep this going. Our king, queen & princess plan to participate and hand out beads.
13. I will be out of the office during the school spring break starting on March 17th and returning on April 3rd. As always, I will be checking emails and voice messages and will respond appropriately. Margie will be filling in on the Wednesdays and Thursdays that I am gone.
14. Mitch will have a booth representing Inlet and the Black Fly Challenge at the Adirondack Sports & Fitness Summer Expo in Saratoga Springs on March 17 & 18. Margie will be alone in the office these two days.

15. The Community Pride Day Shirt Contest was open to ninth grade students in Town of Webb, Long Lake, Indian Lake, Speculator and Wells. Deadline for submissions was February 9th. Twelve designs were submitted, all from Town of Webb students. The top four designs are posted on Inlet's Facebook page for public voting. The one with the most likes at 10:00 p.m. on Friday, March 16 will be the front of this year's shirt. Sponsors are asked to commit prior to April 6th to be listed on the back of the shirts. Still looking for ideas for activities to do with the Inlet School children on that day.
16. I have begun collecting prizes and eggs for the Adult Egg Hunt, which will be on the same day as the Youth Commission's Egg Hunt – Saturday, April 7th.
17. The Decentralization Grant Program's award ceremony will take place at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 28 at the Plattsburgh Library. I plan to attend this, and hope to bring home a check that day. You can find this year's summer concert lineup at www.InletConcertSeries.com.
18. Bikes & Brews has renamed their event to Thunder in the ADKS. The four businesses that took over the event (Slicker's, TOW Bar, The Back Door & Tony Harpers) want to include Inlet, if there is interest. The hope would be to have one Inlet business take on the role as the "Inlet hub" for the day. This year's date is June 2nd. (On this same day will be memorial services for Margaret Chambers and Bruce Caldwell.)
19. Ping Pong Ball Drop?
20. Keep checking www.InletNY.com, and send us all comments, suggestions, etc. We will also continue accepting photos, especially pictures with people in them enjoying Inlet! You can send pictures to info@inletny.com. And if you have any interest in blogging about Inlet, we need bloggers!
21. Information Office Window Hours for March will be: Saturday, Sunday & Monday 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Friday 8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. as long as there is snow to ride the trails.
22. Like Inlet, NY Information & Events on Facebook and then subscribe to our events to always know what's going on! Inlet is also on Instagram and Twitter!
23. Some events between this and the next town board meeting:
 - ☞ March 16 – St. Patty's Day Parade @ Old Forge
 - ☞ March 17-18 – Adirondack Sport & Fitness Summer Expo @ Saratoga Springs
 - ☞ March 17 – Scavenger Hunt @ Raquette Lake
 - ☞ March 17 – Irish Road Bowling @ Pelon Road, Indian Lake
 - ☞ March 17 – Annie & the Hedonists @ Long Lake Library
 - ☞ March 18 – Bubble Trouble @ Long Lake Town Hall
 - ☞ March 18 – Mohawk Iron Workers @ Adirondack Experience
 - ☞ March 19 – Pizza for Kids @ Raquette Lake Fire Hall
 - ☞ March 21 – Eastern Star Spaghetti Dinner @ Long Lake Diner
 - ☞ March 27 – Trivia Night @ Raquette Lake Tap Room
 - ☞ March 29 – Ladies' Night @ View
 - ☞ April 1 – Kids Egg Hunt @ Raquette Lake School
 - ☞ April 7 – Easter Egg Hunt @ Arrowhead Park
 - ☞ April 7 – Adult Egg Hunt @ Fern Park
 - ☞ April 8 – Horse Shoe – An Adirondack Creation @ Adirondack Experience

2018 Dates for Events in Inlet:

- ☞ February 2-3 – Inlet Barnstormers Poker Run
- ☞ February 24 – Frozen Fire & Lights
- ☞ March 10 – "Let's Get Crooked!" @ Inlet Town Hall
- ☞ April 7 – Egg Hunt @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ April 7 – Adult Egg Hunt @ Fern Park
- ☞ May 2 – Community Pride Day
- ☞ May 6 – Fire & Spice @ Seventh Lake House

- ☞ May 6? – Locals Appreciation Day @ Screamen Eagle
- ☞ May 18-20 – The “Otter” Paddlesports Event @ Frisky Otter Tours
- ☞ May 19-20? – Health, Wellness & Holistic Weekend @ The Woods Inn
- ☞ May 28 – Post #1402 Wreath Laying Ceremony @ Legion Square
- ☞ June 1-2 – Thunder in the ADKS
- ☞ June 2 – National Trail Day
- ☞ June 9 – Black Fly Challenge @ Arrowhead Park & Indian Lake School
- ☞ June 17? – Cousins Pancake Breakfast @ The Ole Barn
- ☞ June 30 – Tom O’Carroll @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ July 4 – Ping Pong Ball Drop, Live Music & Fireworks
- ☞ July 7 – Annie & the Hedonists @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ July 14 – Kathy Sommer & Paul Hubert @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ July 21 – Dan Duggan & Peggy Lynn @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ July 21-22 – “Arts in the Park” @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ July 27 – “An Evening with the Symphony” @ The Woods Inn & Arrowhead Park
- ☞ July 28 – Inlet Classic Car Cruise & Show @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ July 28 – Shakespeare in the Adirondack Park @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ July 28? – Navy Band @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ July 28 – Shrinking Violets @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ July 29? – Army Band @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ August 4 – 6th & 7th Lakes Improvement Association Picnic @ Fern Park & Fireworks over Seventh Lake
- ☞ August 4 – Karen Savoca & Pete Heitzman @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ August 5 – Inlet Public Library Ice Cream Social
- ☞ August 11 – Bill Staines @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ August 18 – Dan Berggren & Ed Lowman @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ August 19 – Gary Rudd Memorial Golf Tournament @ Inlet Golf Club
- ☞ August 20-22 – Cycle Adirondacks @ Fern Park
- ☞ August 21? – Inlet’s Walk for Memory Loss @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ August 25 – My Sweet Patootie @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ September 1 – The Jam Bones @ Arrowhead Lakefront
- ☞ September 7 – Adirondack Canoe Classic passes through
- ☞ September 8 – IVES Clam Bake @ IVES Building
- ☞ September 15 & 16 – Inlet Fall Festival @ Fern Park
- ☞ October 6 – Adirondack Kids Day @ Arrowhead Park
- ☞ October 6 – Breast Cancer Awareness Bike Ride @ Pedals & Petals
- ☞ October 26 – Halloween Parade & Party @ IVES Building
- ☞ November 23-25 – Adirondack Christmas on Main Street
- ☞ December 8 – New York Shootout @ Chip & Cindy’s Track
- ☞ December 9 – Cookie Swap @ Inlet Town Hall
- ☞ December 31 – Champagne Bus