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Join Us for the 5th Annual Winter Carnival on February 10th!

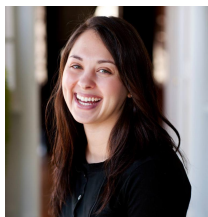
HHLT, Philipstown Recreation Department and Friends of Philipstown Recreation invite residents and visitors to join us on **Saturday, February 10**, to celebrate the season during our [5th Annual Winter Carnival](#).

First, kick off the weekend with a free family movie and pasta night on Friday, February 9, at the Philipstown Rec Center. Doors open at 6:00pm for a spaghetti

dinner and showing of *The Mighty Ducks* on their inflatable big screen. Reservations are required. Call 845-424-4618 for more info.

Winter Carnival will take place 1-5pm on Saturday at both [Winter Hill](#) and the [Philipstown Rec Center](#). Activities at Winter Hill will include sledding and indoor children's entertainment. [PAPPI'S Mediterranean](#) food truck will be parked onsite with hot food and beverages for sale. The day will also include a community outdoor skate session at the Philipstown Recreation Center. There, families will be able to buy food from [B&L Deli](#) and other hot refreshments.

Parking is available at both sites and a free shuttle bus will provide transportation between locations. Bring your own sled and skates. Please note that activities may be adjusted according to the day's weather conditions.



HHLT Welcomes New Outreach and Events Coordinator

We are delighted that Ashley Rauch will be joining our staff as our Outreach and Events Coordinator. Ashley has worked in development and communications for a number of local environmental non-profits, most recently Glynwood and Bedford 2020. We hope you will join us in welcoming her to the team!

Educational Forum on Conservation Subdivisions and Open Space Overlay, February 5th

We will be hosting an [educational forum](#) on Conservation Subdivisions in Philipstown this upcoming **Monday, February 5 at 7pm in our offices at Winter Hill**. As you may know, Philipstown is reviewing its first Conservation Subdivision under the 2011 Zoning Code (read more in the [Highlands Current](#)). We are hosting this forum for interested residents to learn about this type of subdivision and to deepen their understanding of the Open Space Conservation Overlay District. Space is very limited so [pre-registration](#) is necessary.

Garrison, NY

Apr 15

*HHLT Sustainability
Forum*

Highlands Country Club
Garrison, NY



Save the Date: HHLT's Sustainability Forum, April 15th

Our annual Sustainability Forum will take place on **Sunday, April 15, at the Highlands Country Club** in Garrison. This year's forum will focus on how land-use decisions can impact our drinking water supply and steps that can be taken to protect this essential resource. Additional details and pre-registration will be available next

month.

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Bedford 2020 Climate Action Summit

HHLT is excited to partner with Bedford 2020 on their upcoming [Climate Action Summit](#). The Summit will address the urgent need for immediate, local and regional action - from Westchester County to the Hudson Valley and Long Island - to create and implement solutions to climate change. [Registration](#) for the Summit is open through the end of this week, and hope you'll join this upcoming **Saturday, February 3** to take action against climate change.

HHLT and Garrison in the News

The New York Times recently published a great article on Garrison that highlighted our land conservation efforts in the area. Read the article, **Garrison, N.Y.: A Bucolic Hamlet on the Hudson**, [here](#).

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The Hudson Highlands Land Trust is the one local organization that focuses *exclusively* on protecting the natural resources and scenic beauty of the Hudson Highlands. Since all of our resources are directed toward this mission, your contribution makes a difference *right here, right now*. Thank you!

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