

Spring Luncheon!!

Hooray for Spring and all the good things that it brings especially our **Spring Luncheon**.

Save the Date: May 24 @ 1:00!! Once again we will be gathering to reconnect with each other, celebrate springtime, and enjoy a fabulous lunch prepared by the folks at Brian's USA Diner.



We are so lucky and proud to be able to again welcome Jane Oakes as our speaker. As you know, Jane is a well-known local historian who has brought her scholarship to the public across the state and country. Her topic this time is will be the opera houses of Livingston County.

Avon Opera Block



Opera Houses and Halls of Livingston County

From the mid-19th century to the Depression, nearly every city, village or hamlet in New York State had its opera house or hall, but did they really only show operas? The answer may surprise you! Many of these structures have fallen to fire or "progress," but some remain hidden in our communities. Learn about the role of the opera house in our ancestors' social life, and see examples of the most frequently built styles from a ten county region.



Brian's USA Diner, 5524 Mt Morris Rd, Mt Morris, NY, is a local gem chosen by upstateny.com as one of the notable diners of New York State. Brian's offers us the full range of their menu with separate checks. This means that you can choose whatever you please. The only thing we will need is a

headcount so they can arrange the meeting room to accommodate us. So, we will need you to **contact us at mecorey888@gmail.com with LUNCHEON in the subject line by May 21 at the very latest to let us know you're coming.** Follow the link to view their entire menu. <https://www.briansusadiner.com/>

