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Fire Department

Emergency Call 911

Ripley Hose Company #1
P.O. Box 342
12 South State Street
Ripley, NY 14775
716-736-2001

Mark Smith, Fire Chief
716-736-2490

Ripley Hose Company #2
South Ripley Fire Hall
10268 NE-Sherman Road
Ripley, NY 14775

James Spacht, Deputy Fire Chief
716-269-4754

Police Department

Actual Emergency Call 911

Chautauqua County Sheriff's Dept.
Mayville, NY 14757
716-753-4231

RIPLEY TOWN HALL

14 North State Street
P.O. Box 352
Ripley, NY 14775

Town Supervisor: Doug Bowen

ripleyts@fairpoint.net
Office: **716-736-2209**
Home: **716-736-4418**

RIPLEY TOWN CLERK OFFICE

Rebecca Rowe Carvallo **716-736-6881**
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
9:30 a.m. – Noon 1:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Saturday Mornings 9 a.m. – Noon
Closed Wednesdays

The Town Clerk's Office is also closed during various Holidays

The Town Clerk may also be reached during her off hours at: 736-6856(H) or 736-9341(cell) Rebecca Rowe Carvallo

If you or someone you know is in need of help, contact the following numbers:

Chautauqua County Crisis Helpline
1-800-724-0461 (24-hours)

Victims of Domestic Violence & Rape Crisis Hotline

1-800-252-748 (24-hours)

Mobile Crisis Team (supports & services) 716-363-3684



The Easter Bunny is coming to town!

The Easter Bunny will be at Coffee on Main for breakfast on Saturday, April 16th from 7:30a.m. until noon!



At noon an Easter egg hunt will take place on the front lawn of the school in the playground area. Kids up to age 12 are welcome.

Prizes will be given out at the firehall from noon until 1p.m. where there will be crafts and visits with the Easter Bunny. Bring your camera to take photos of your children with the Bunny!



Wanted!

House or Garden plants wanted for Ripley Library Plant Sale to take place on April 30th.

If you have more plants than you need, consider donating some to the library for the Vendor/Craft/Plant sale. Start cuttings or seeds now and help the library raise much needed funds for matching grants to complete the work on the new and improved Ripley Public Library.

A New Year– New Beginnings

The Bookworm and About Town newsletters are here to inform, enlighten, and entertain you. However, your help is needed to make these newsletters the best they can be. You are encouraged to send information or news to:

thebookworm14775@gmail.com

Thank you for your past support. We look forward to a healthy and prosperous New Year!

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Ripley, New York

JUSTICE DEPARTMENT

Justice Vera L. Hustead
P. O. Box 573
Ripley, NY 14775
Office: 716-736-7575
Clerk: Jodie D'Anthony 716-736-7575
courtclerk@ripley-ny.com
Monday Evenings 4-6pm
Tuesday & Thursday 9a-3pm
Traffic Court held Monday 6:00pm
Calendar Call Held:
2nd Thursday of each month 2pm

BUILDING/ZONING CODE

OFFICER—Melanie Eddy

P.O. Box 2
Ripley, NY 14775
716-736-3737
ripleybz@fairpoint.net
Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am-3:00 pm

RIPLEY TOWN BOARD Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm at the Town Building located in the Ripley Central School 14 North State Street.

RIPLEY PLANNING BOARD

Meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30pm at the Town Offices located in the Ripley Central School on N State St
The Public is welcome to attend these meetings.

WATER/SEWER DEPT

10168 W. Lake Road
Ripley, NY 14775
ripleywp@fairpoint.net
Office: 716-736-6000
Cell: 716-581-3281

HIGHWAY DEPT

Jim Spacht, Highway Supt.
50 Ross Street
P.O. Box 506
Ripley, NY 14775
ripleyhs@fairpoint.net
Office: 716-736-3434
Cell: 716-753-6553

ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Gloria McCormick
716-269-9882

TOWN HISTORIAN

John "Doc" Hamels
H. 716-736-4255
C. 716-223-0112

From Desk of Post Command 2769, David Bower

Apr 01 April Fool's Day
Apr 06 U.S. entry into WW1 1917
Apr 09 National Former POW Recognition Day
Apr 10 Palm Sunday
Apr 15 Tax Day/ Good Friday/ Passover Begins
Apr 17 Easter Sunday
Apr 22 Earth Day
Apr 23 Passover Ends
Apr 27 Administrative Professionals Day
Apr 28 Post Meeting @ 10:30am, Town Hall
Apr 29 Arbor Day



We would like to see more members at the meeting. We are always looking for new members to stay strong. Please contact me or any officer about joining.

Resources for Ripley News

Please check these Facebook pages for up-to-date information concerning Ripley and its residents.

Ripley Hose Company—www.ripleyfire.org

Ripley NY-Alive and Well-Administrator Ruth Blackman

Ripley Central Alumni (Ripley NY)-Administrators Mark Dickey & Connie Wright Middleton

It's Ripley's (Believe it or not) Community Page-Administrator Cindy Eddy

You may be from Ripley, NY if...no administrator listed

Ripley Community Mobile Food Pantry-Administrators Leigh Lyon and Ruth Blackman

Ripley NY Perennial Exchange-Administrator Ruth Blackman



Ripley NY Buds— Administers Coralee Shearer and Stephanie Eimers

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Ripley Trash & Recycle Days

Located near the Highway Barn on Ross Street, open the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8a.m. until noon. Ripley bags may be purchased at the Town Building. Recyclables may be dropped off on those days. Please enter via North State Street.

To have About Town and The Bookworm newsletters sent to you directly, send your name and email address to:

thebookworm14775@gmail.com

Ripley Mobile Food Pantry

April 27th @ 12:30p.m.

Call (716)223-0345 or text

ripleymobilefoodpantry@gmail.com to pre-register each month.

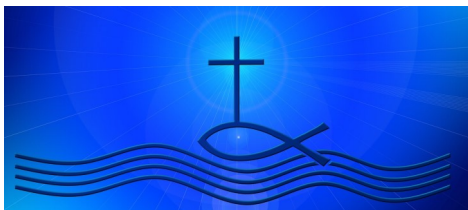
Look for an abbreviated copy of The Bookworm and About Town in your mail. Let your neighbors and friends know about our little library! The monthly newsletters can be in your email by registering with your name and email address and sending that information to:

thebookworm14775@gmail.com

Businesses, or individual supporters of the Ripley Library who donate \$5 per month will receive business card space in The Bookworm.

Local Worship

- ♦ First Baptist Church
Sunday Worship
Sunday School
- ♦ First Presbyterian Church
Sunday Worship
- ♦ St. Dominic Roman Catholic Church
Saturday Worship
Sunday Worship
- ♦ South Ripley Methodist Church
Sunday Worship
Sunday School
- ♦ Stateline United Methodist Church
Sunday Worship
Sunday School
- ♦ Still Waters Mennonite Church
Sunday Service
- ♦ United Methodist Church
Adult Sunday School
Sunday Worship
- ♦ Victory Family Church
Sunday Worship



Happy Easter