

# What's Going On this Week in the CITY OF NORTH TONAWANDA

February 26, 2021

## "TALK OF THE TOWN"

The North Tonawanda Neighborhood Watch, led by Chairman Joseph Marranca Jr., will sponsor a Dyngus Day Celebration on April 5 on Oliver Street. A parade down Oliver Street between 11<sup>th</sup> Ave and 1<sup>st</sup> Ave will end at Dom Polski's. This will allow the public to support the many small business owners with storefronts on Oliver Street during these difficult times. Oliver Street will be closed between these streets from 4:30pm - 7:30pm so we can celebrate our rich ethnic heritage. These plans will be contingent on residents' safety during the pandemic, so changes in this itinerary could occur.

Additionally, Pam Hogan, North Tonawanda's Recreation and Senior Coordinator will host a Dyngus Day Dinner drive thru/pick-up at the Senior Center between 3:00 – 4:00 pm. The dinner will include kielbasa, pierogi, sauerkraut, and dessert for the low cost of \$5 for members and \$6 for non-members. Contact the Senior Center at 716-695-8582 to reserve your dinners. Alderman-at-Large Bob Pecoraro will be there helping to distribute dinners and hopes to see many of you there.

## GOOD NEWS FOR ONE OF NT's RESTURANTS

Brownie's Sports Bar & Restaurant will have their Grand Re-Opening this week on March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 4:00 pm

## CITY COUNCIL

President Pecoraro & Alderman Tylec have decided to resupply the Little Free Pantries located around the city. During the pandemic, large pantries received food and other items, however smaller, more accessible little free pantries started to combat hunger were omitted so I challenge all city leadership to support this great cause – stand by for more as we develop this concept.

Clerk-Treasurer, Donna Braun has worked with President Pecoraro to find a solution to hear your views on the two areas of public comments: on **any agenda item** and/or **any other city business**. Our agendas are posted on the City of North Tonawanda's website at [northtonawanda.org](http://northtonawanda.org). If you would like to comment on any item on the agenda or any other City business, please email Donna Braun at [dbraun@northtonawanda.org](mailto:dbraun@northtonawanda.org) with your name, address, phone number, and the specific agenda item/general comment on the state of the city. During our Common Council Meeting on the first and third Tuesday between 6:30pm – 8:30pm, we will call you during the meeting to hear your comments. If we have an add-on item to the agenda after the original posting (called a "late communication") and you would like to comment and didn't have time to email, Donna will accept texts from her phone (716-998-4307). As always, I expect these "late comms" to be very few.

As always, President Pecoraro is available at any time, please reach out to him either by phone (716-696-2851) or email ([rpecoraro@northtonawanda.org](mailto:rpecoraro@northtonawanda.org)). He feels as do the rest of the Common Council members, that the greatest calling is to serve our citizens, and we take this responsibility very seriously.