



Making Henrietta a better and healthier place to live...

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Dear HFI Members and Friends,
Welcome to the Henrietta Foundation e-newsletter!

We are grateful for your interest in the Foundation. To keep you up to date, we'll be sending you periodic updates about activities that we're involved in as well as hotspots where we really need your help. Because HFI runs on volunteer power, every minute that every individual donates makes us stronger. Thanks for your support!

Lehigh Valley Trail:

Check out the daffodil display at the Trailhead parking lot that our volunteer Trail Clean-up Crew planted last fall. What a difference their effort has made. Thanks gang!

Bluebirds will soon be taking up housekeeping in our birdhouses along the Lehigh Valley Trail. Take a hike and see how many you can spot.

Thanks you to the Town of Henrietta's Department of Public Works, which will be picking up brush along the trail.

Thanks also to the Henrietta Garden Club, who has offered assistance in keeping both the Trail and parking lot looking their best.

We always need volunteers to pick up the trail, clear bees from the kiosks, and trim brush along the Trail. Please e-mail Bill Dykstra at projectdirector@henriettafoundation.org to ask what you can do to help.

Even one hour a year makes a difference.

Accountant or Bookkeeper Needed:

Our treasurer, John Schmitt, needs help in recording and posting funds, invoices, etc. If you have a background in bookkeeping or accounting, please contact John at treasurer@henriettafoundation.org. We need your expertise!

Executive South Family Golf and Recreation Center:

Like Golf? Enjoy the outdoors? Retired, but want to put your organizational skills to work? Well, have we got some jobs for you!

Bill Dykstra, manager at Executive South, needs lots of help. Whether it be greeting customers at the desk, helping out in the office, landscaping, or picking up golf balls, he's got a job for you! Please contact Bill at golf@henriettafoundation.org. Any time you can offer will be appreciated.

Thank you to [Pedallers Bike Shop](#) on East Henrietta Road for donating a bike rack to HFI. Now you can ride your bike over to the golf course, lock it up to the rack, hit some balls, and enjoy a nutritious meal at the snack bar before riding home for a completely enjoyable day.

Our fundraising campaign to match New York State's \$300,000 grant to finish paying for Executive South's mortgage continues. If you have contacts with any local businesses or individuals who might be willing to support this conservation and recreational asset, please contact Chuck Eckert at advisory@henriettafoundation.org. Remember, donations to HFI are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

Have a Snack:

The Snack Bar at Executive South is now open, and Chef Kathy is there to serve you with a smile from 7:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Monday through Friday.

Membership Challenge:

We're looking for people like you who believe in land conservation and are

interested in joining us in any capacity. Many hands make light work, and the more we can engage in this great cause, the stronger we will be. Please ask your friends and neighbors to join HFI. If every one of us brings in one new member, just imagine what we'll be able to do. Go to www.henriettafoundation.org, or call the HFI office at 359-7071 for more information.

Thank YOU for caring about making Henrietta a better and healthier place to live!

Sincerely,

Ann Stevens