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If you are interested in this position, you can apply at <https://cortlandcountyny.gov/266/JobExamApplication> or Personnel Division at 60 Central Avenue, Cortland, N.Y. 13045

Tenant Relations Assistant

The Cortland Housing Authority is currently accepting applications for a Tenant Relations Assistant. The position accepts applications, conducts interviews, property inspections, and determines eligibility for the CHA Public Housing and Section 8 programs. Work is performed in the CHA offices and out in the field at various sites.

This position is 35-hour work week and pays \$20.50 per hour with an excellent benefit package, including New York State Retirement.

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Classified Ad DeadlineMonday Noon
Display and Classified Cancellation DeadlineFriday 5pm
Ad Requiring ProofThursday Noon
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Community News



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Applicants must complete a Cortland County Civil Service Application, which can be obtained from the Cortland County Personnel Department, 60 Central Avenue, Cortland, NY 13045 or by calling 753-5076. Applications are available online at <https://www.cortlandcountyny.gov/266/JobExam-Application>

Maintenance Mechanic

The Cortland Housing Authority has an opening for **1 full-time Maintenance Mechanic position.** Must possess two years of full-time or its part-time equivalent experience of maintenance work in one or more of the standard trades such as carpentry, plumbing, HVAC, or electrical. This position requires a valid NYS Driver's License. This position pays \$21.00 per hour plus weekly on-call compensation and overtime. We have an excellent Benefit Package which includes 80% of Health and Dental paid by employer; clothing allowance; vision allowance; paid time off includes vacation, sick, personal, and floating holidays, along with major holidays. This position is in the New York State Retirement System.

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Dec. 6 - Dryden Baptist Church - 7:00pm
138 Virgil Road, Dryden NY
Dec. 7 - Groton Assembly of God - 3:00pm
701 South Main Street, Groton NY

For your convenience, all sanctuaries are handicapped accessible
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Community News



HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE
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Town of Locke Public Notice
 Town Offices Location Change

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Locke, NY Town Offices and Justice Court have moved to the new location of 1215 State Route 38 Locke, NY 13092 as of December 1, 2025. This includes the supervisor, town council, justice and court clerk, town clerk/tax collector, and code enforcement officer.

By Order of the Town Council
 Melanie Funk, Town Clerk

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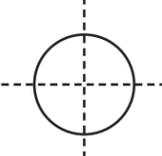
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Saturday December 6 Dryden Holiday Celebration



Schedule of Events— Saturday, December 6

Time	Event	Location/Details
10-5	Holiday Scavenger Hunt	Pick up a sheet at Protagonist Books & Coffee and visit locations throughout the Village!
8-11	Breakfast with Santa	• Dryden Hotel with Cops, Toys & Kids 8-11 • The Corner Brew 9-11
9-2	Holiday Craft fair with family activities	Dryden Agway
10-1	Unique Holiday Ornament Workshop	Dryden Historical Society @ Southworth Homestead
10-1	Free Hay Wagon Rides with the Carpenters & their animal friends	Pick up/drop off at the Southworth Library
10-1	Hot cocoa bar and donuts with FNB & Kiwanis	First National Bank on Main St
10-1	Open House with cocoa & cookies	Arnold's Flower Shop
10-1	Grab an holiday Cookie while they last!	Falcon Optical
10-5	Coloring contest for kids!	Pine Ridge Grocery
11-1	Kids Fiber Craft (while supplies last)	Connected Stitches
11:30-1	Stories with Santa, crafts, cookies and a free book	Southworth Library
10-2	Holiday games & fun	Dedrick's Farm Market
10-4	Holiday Pottery Sale	Claybird Studios
12-4	Kids Ornament Making Activity	Kinney Drugs
2-6	Tastings with Brandy Santa!	Dryden Wine & Spirits
2-3	Visit with Santa	Protagonist Books & Coffee
5-5:30	Live Nativity on the Village Green with free refreshments available inside the church	Dryden Presbyterian Church
5:15-6:30	Caroling on the green	Dryden HS/MS Chorus & Band
5:30	Santa arrives by Fire Truck to light the tree!	Dryden Fire Dept on the Village Green
6-8	Refreshments and Scavenger Hunt prize drawing	Protagonist Books & Coffee

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- Dedrick's Farm Market— 19 Cortland Road
- Dryden Agway — 59 West Main St
- Dryden Creamery —62 West Main St.
- Dryden Wines & Spirits— 23 West Main Street
- Dryden Town Historical Society —14 North Street
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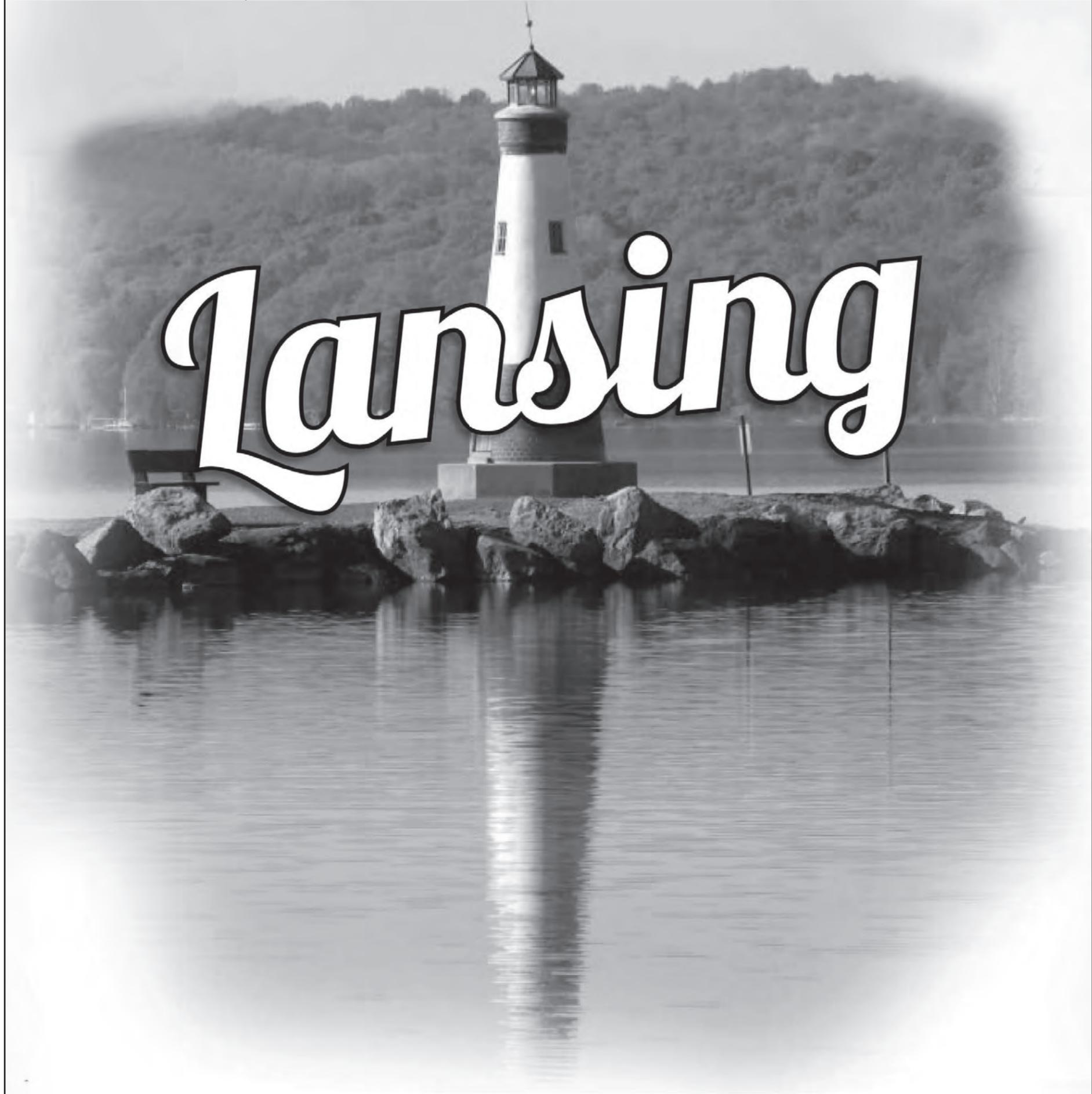
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