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#### Note From The Friends

We love to hear all the feedback from Little Valley residents and those who attend or support our events. Just remember when you catch one of us out and about, as much as we love catching up and hearing your ideas, also remember that we have our "Event Suggestion" tab! On the last page of every newsletter, feel free to submit your ideas or events you think your friends and family want to see in Little Valley! We're always a Facebook message or e-mail away so reach out and we'd love to chat!

~ The Friends of Little Valley

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# Little Valley Seeking Lifeguards for '24 Season

Certified lifeguards are welcome to find applications at the village office or their website for the upcoming season at the First Street pool with a starting pay of \$15 an hour.

## Trivia Night Comes to The Bear Brick

The Friends of Little Valley are thrilled to sponsor an electrifying trivia night coming to The Bear Brick, hosted by a local Little Valley business, Roaming Riddles! Join us for an evening of brain-teasing questions, laughter, and friendly competition on April 18th starting at 7 PM. Teams of up to 4 people!

# **April 12 Deadline** For Community Surveys

Submissions for the village community feedback survey will no longer be accepted after April 12! Please find the link to the survey to the right of the flyer below.





**SURVEY LINK** 

#### Organization Highlight: Beautification Committee

The quiet yet proud members of our Beautification Committee are spearheading an Earth Day themed village wide clean up this April! The committee responsible for the gazebo holiday decorations, the summer planters around the village, and what provides natural facelifts around Little Valley are hoping you share in some of that excitement this spring.

Earth Day lands on April 22, so on Sunday, April 21, the Friends of Little Valley and the Beautification Committee want to invite you join in on a village-wide clean up day! Starting at Noon, we will meet at the gazebo in the center of the village at Park St. and Main St. by the traffic light, where supplies will be handed out and assignments given to those wishing to tackle the various landmarks we have designated. Certain high traffic spots in Little Valley need a little extra attention from us all.

While a few village landmarks and locations will be attended to, you do not necessarily need to be at the event to participate! All residents are encouraged to clean up the areas around your residences and kindly remember to be more responsible with trash around the village.



Cinco De Mayo 5K Sunday, May 5

Friends of LV in Association with EBC-LV Host A New Cinco De Mayo 5K

In what is sure to be a festive Event, the 5K will be begin at EBC-Little Valley, 202 2nd St. Weaving through the village Streets and looping back to Finish at EBC. Participants Will be treated to a Complimentary drink at the Restaurant, which will be Open with food and dining Options reflecting the Cinco De Mayo theme!

Participants can pre-register At the below link or by Scanning the QR code found On the flyer to the right and Throughout the village. The Race is \$25 per entrant,



Which includes a commemorative t-shirt, a door prize raffle ticket, and a complimentary drink at EBC following the race. Water stations and aides will be set up along the path through the village streets that we start and end on the Pat McGee Trail. Although pre-registration is encouraged to ensure accurate shirt siz amenities, it is not required and participant can register the day of. Registration and check in starts at 11 at EBC-Little Valley with the 5K beginning sharply at 12:15 PM. Further info on the race map and proceed can be found on the next page to be continued...

5K Pre-Registration Link

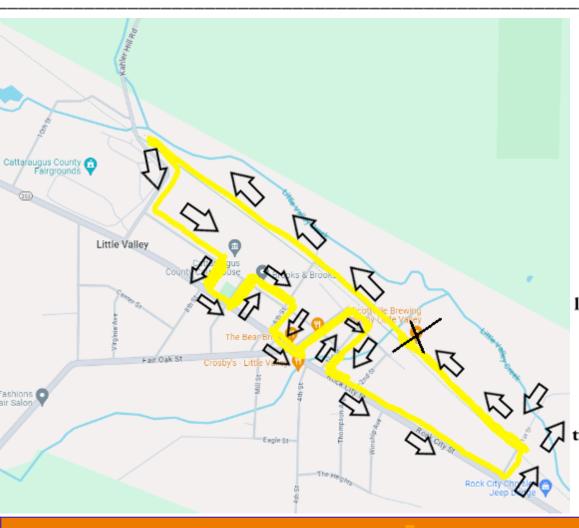


## 5K Proceeds Portion to Saving Grace in Cattaraugus

The Cinco De May 5K will see a portion of its proceeds go to Saving Grace Outreach. This not-for-profit located in Cattaraugus, serves all throughout the Cattaraugus-Little Valley Central School district providing clothing and household items to families in need. They also serve as the Cattaraugus food pantry and is need of many donations to keep their doors open.

Their address is 26 Mill St. Cattaraugus, NY 14719 and if you are so inclined, donations can also be sent directly to Saving Grace for their cause.

Further funds through the 5K will continue to support The Friends of Little Valley and our bevy of events to host. Annual events will settle in as our group further cements ourselves in this community and with adequate support, events like Christmas breakfast with Holiday Characters will return as well as our Glow In the Park dance event, Music in the Park, and certainly more we can't announce yet. As always, we appreciate your support in keeping Little Valley alive and well in all that we do.



You'll find here the map of the 5K bobbing and weaving through the village. Racers will begin at EBC (marked with the "X") headed west towards the fairgrounds and following the arrows from there, linking back to EBC-LV after meeting a water station a little ways up First St. Although not highlighted multiple water stations will be placed throughout the course as well as bathroom access.

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can be digitally integrated in right

with your personal device?

At <a href="https://www.lvhappenings.com/events-calendar">www.https://www.lvhappenings.com/events-calendar</a>

our event calendar can be directly

imported to your device at home so

you can be sure to never miss an

employer, employee, or any small business in Little Valley, reach out and let us highlight you!

Check out our Business Spotlight
Drop box HERE with everything
you could ever need to be the star of
the next Happenings newsletter!

While exploring our website and specifically the Events Calendar tab, note that you can submit your own event to us! Let us do the job and spread the word on your behalf, just click right HERE.

event again!

Fill in with your event details and let us take care of the heavy lifting.

In another effort to stay connected, we're looking for businesses to be featured as our Business Spotlight each month. If you are connected as an Also, if you want to join our
Friends of Little Valley Volunteer
Group, check the link below to join
in on being a part of our event team
and become a friend too! We look
forward to hearing from everyone;
we're thrilled to continue to
highlight all that excites us about
calling Little Valley our home!

<u>Friends of Little Valley</u> <u>Volunteer Sign-Up Form</u>