

BOONVILLE life CENTER

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Boonville Life Center Newsletter

Building Connection, Belonging & Hope in Our Community

Hello from the Life Center Collaborative!

Welcome to the second edition of our Boonville newsletter—a place where we share a little about what we're doing in Boonville and what we hope to bring to the community.

The Life Center Collaborative was created with a simple belief: rural communities are strongest when neighbors have places to connect, find support, and build hope together.

Through our work at the Camden Life Center, we've seen how bringing services, partnerships, and community together under one roof helps neighbors navigate challenges, reduce isolation, and find practical support close to home.

Now, we're excited to begin building those same opportunities in Boonville and across the Adirondack Central School District community.

Our goal is to create a welcoming space where people can connect with resources, access support, build relationships, and find help navigating life's challenges—all while feeling like they belong.



We're in Town Every Tuesday!

Our team is now in Boonville weekly as we begin building relationships and bringing services closer to home.

Willow Network Office – 44 E Schuyler Street, Boonville
Tuesdays from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Stop by to say hello, ask questions, or learn more about what the Life Center is working toward in Boonville. We'd love to meet you!

Special Guest on April 7:

A National Grid Consumer Advocate will be joining us on Tuesday, April 7th to answer questions and help community members navigate their National Grid accounts, billing concerns, and available assistance programs.

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Mental Health First Aid Training

Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) teaches people how to recognize the signs of mental health or substance use challenges and how to respond with support until professional help is available. Becoming trained gives you the confidence and skills to help someone who may be struggling and helps build a stronger, more supportive community.

Saturday, April 18

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Location TBD in Boonville

Registration required:

<https://forms.gle/PPQGGNxAxK1jaoiJA>

Community Conversations: What We Heard

Thank you to the community members who joined us on March 7th at the Boonville Village Office to share ideas and hopes for the future of the Boonville Life Center. These conversations help ensure the work we are doing is shaped by the voices of the community

What we heard:

- Boonville is valued for its strong community pride, safety, and outdoor lifestyle.
- Key challenges include childcare, transportation, housing, employment, and food access.
- Opportunities for the Boonville Life Center include reducing stigma, sharing information about resources and activities, and creating life skills programs and sober social spaces.

These conversations are just the beginning. We will continue sharing what we learn and using this feedback to help guide the direction of the Boonville Life Center. If you agree, disagree, or have additional ideas, we want to hear from you. Your voice is an important part of shaping what comes next.

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