

## City & Region

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### Coming up

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**WASTE DROP-OFF:** The Erie County Department of Environment and Planning, in cooperation with the Town of Amherst, Erie Community College and Northeast Southtowns Solid Waste Management, will hold a hazardous household waste drop-off from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at the ECC North Campus, 6205 Main St., Amherst. Enter from Wehrle Drive. Items that will not be accepted include latex paint, car tires, computers and electronics, appliances, pharmaceuticals, fluorescent bulbs, commercial/industrial wastes. For more information, call 858-6800 or visit [erie.gov/environment](http://erie.gov/environment).

**MOTHER'S DAY TEA:** The Hull Family Home and Farmstead will host the annual Mother's Day Tea at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., Saturday at 5962 Genesee St., Lancaster. The cost for adults is \$20 and children younger than 10, \$10. All proceeds benefit the restoration of the Hull Family Home and Farmstead.

**RUN FOR literacy:** The Cummins 5K Run for Literacy will take place at 9 a.m. Saturday and the 5K walk at 9:05 a.m., at the James Prendergast Library, 509 Cherry St., Jamestown. Registration is \$20 at [prendergastlibrary.org](http://prendergastlibrary.org). Proceeds benefit the library's Family Literacy Program.

**CRAFT FAIR:** The Daughters of the Nile will sponsor a vendor/craft fair from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday at Ismailia Shrine Center, 1600 Southwestern Blvd., West Seneca. For information, call Karen at 257-3342.

**ARTS SYMPOSIUM:** Young Audiences and Arts Partners for Learning and New York State Alliance for Arts Education will present Arts Connects All New York symposium from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday in the Buffalo & Erie County Central Library, 1 Lafayette Square. The cost is \$35 general registration; \$30 for NYSAAE members; \$25 for Young Audiences teaching artists and Arts Partners for Learning Partners; and \$5 for students. Register at [nysaae.org](http://nysaae.org).

**mother's day mass:** Bishop Richard J. Malone will celebrate a special Mothers' Day Mass at 10:30 a.m. Sunday in St. Joseph Cathedral, 50 Franklin St. The Mass will include the Rite for the Blessing of a Child in the Womb.

**MOTHER'S DAY WALK:** The Asian Indian Community Foundation of Western New York will hold a 3-mile walk at 9 a.m. Sunday at the Ellicott Creek Trailway, corner of North Forest and Maple roads, Amherst. Cost for a family to register is \$25 or \$10 for an individual. Register online at [aicfwny.org](http://aicfwny.org).