



# ***The 2024 Annual Meeting***

***Saturday, December 7th, 2024 12:00 pm***

***Chestnut Ridge Park Casino***

***Open to the Public***



# ***The 2024 Annual Meeting Call to Order***

***Good Afternoon Members, Guests and Conservancy Directors.  
Welcome to the Chestnut Ridge Conservancy 2024 Annual  
meeting.***

***Our Annual Meeting is officially called to order  
Saturday, December 7th, 2024 at 12:00pm***

***We appreciate your interest in the Conservancy and it's  
mission and hope you enjoy listening to and viewing our  
information and achievements here in.***



# Agenda

- ☐ Annual Meeting Call to Order – Gordon Panek President
- ☐ Determination of Quorum
- ☐ Approval of October 2024 meeting minutes. **(Motion required)**
- ☐ Election of Officers for 2025 Term **(Motion required)**
- ☐ Election of Board of Directors for 2025 Term **(Motion required)**
- ☐ Submission of signed “Conflict of Interest” and “Whistle Blower” forms.
- ☐ About the Conservancy – Mission Statement
- ☐ Board of Directors 2025
- ☐ Guardian Award Presentation - Michnik
- ☐ 2024 Highlights - Panek
- ☐ CRC Financial Statements 2024 v 2023 - Corbin
- ☐ CRC 2025 Proposed Budget – Corbin **(Motion required)**
- ☐ 2024 Party for the Park - Corbin
- ☐ 2024 Capital Projects Summary – Panek
- ☐ 2024 Trail Maintenance Initiative – Fred Bristol
- ☐ Special recognition - Trail Maintenance
- ☐ 2024 Eagle Scout Project – New Tennis Court Benches – Chris Rushton
- ☐ 2024 Eagle Scout Project – Boy Scout Trail Bridge – Zachary Restorff
- ☐ 2024 Annual Tree Planting - Roger Restorff
- ☐ Special recognition - M & T Bank Volunteer & Teams
- ☐ 2025 & Future Initiatives - Panek
- ☐ Erie County Parks Update & Questions – Commissioner Troy P. Schinzel
- ☐ Open forum for Additional Questions
- ☐ Annual Meeting Conclusion





# Approval of October 2024 Minutes

● All in receipt of the October 2024 meeting # 5 minutes?

● **Motion to approve the October 2024 meeting # 5 minutes?**

● **Second?**

● **On the question? Any changes / amendments or comments?**

● **All in favor? Opposed?**

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## CHESTNUT RIDGE CONSERVANCY MINUTES

2024 Board of Directors Meeting #5  
Wednesday October 2, 2024 5:30 pm - 6:42 pm  
Chestnut Ridge Park Casino  
Orchard Park, NY 14127

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**Executive Committee Members Present:** Gordon Panek, President; Michael Corbin - Treasurer /Secretary

**Directors Present:** Liz Cash, Andy Gernold, Robert Barnashuk, Ronald Michnik and Roger Restorff.

**Directors Absent:** Edward Murphy, William Thornton, and Troy Schinzel

**Recording Secretary:** Michael Corbin

President Gordon Panek called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

Determination of quorum: (5) 50% board member quorum required – Quorum achieved (7) board members present .





# *Election of 2025 Officers and Board of Directors*

## 2025 Officer Nominations....

- President – Gordon Panek
- Vice President – Neil V. Farrell
- Secretary-Treasurer – Michael Corbin
- **Motion to approve officer nominations for the 2025 Term? Second? Discussion?  
All in Favor? Opposed?**

## 2025 Board of Directors “Et Al” Nominations...

- Robert Barnashuk
- Liz Cash
- Andy Gernold
- Ron Michnik
- Roger Restorff
- Bill Thornton
- Troy P. Schinzel – Ex Officio – Commissioner of Parks
- **Motion to approve “et al” Board of Directors for the 2025 Term? Second?  
Discussion? All in Favor? Opposed?**



# *About the Chestnut Ridge Conservancy*

- ☐ *In an effort to assist the County of Erie in preserving and restoring Chestnut Ridge Park in the midst of budget cuts and rising expenses, a dedicated group of concerned citizens came together in 2008 to form the Chestnut Ridge Conservancy.*
- ☐ *Incorporated in 2010 as a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization the Conservancy was established to support the restoration and preservation of the rich natural, recreational and historic resources that comprise Chestnut Ridge Park.*
- ☐ *The Conservancy is a all-volunteer organization comprised of a non-paid Board of Directors. We work in partnership with Erie County Department of Parks, Recreation and Forestry through a Memo of Understanding with Erie County.*
- ☐ *Our funding stream is based on memberships, general donations and a once a year Gala fund raiser.*





# *The 2025 Board of Directors*

- Gordon M. Panek – President
- Neil V. Farrell – Vice President
- Michael Corbin – Secretary-Treasurer
- Troy P. Schinzel – Erie County Parks Commissioner Ex Officio
- Robert Barnashuk
- Liz Cash
- Andy Gernold
- Ron Michnik – Founding Trustee
- Ed Murphy
- Roger Restorff
- William Thornton

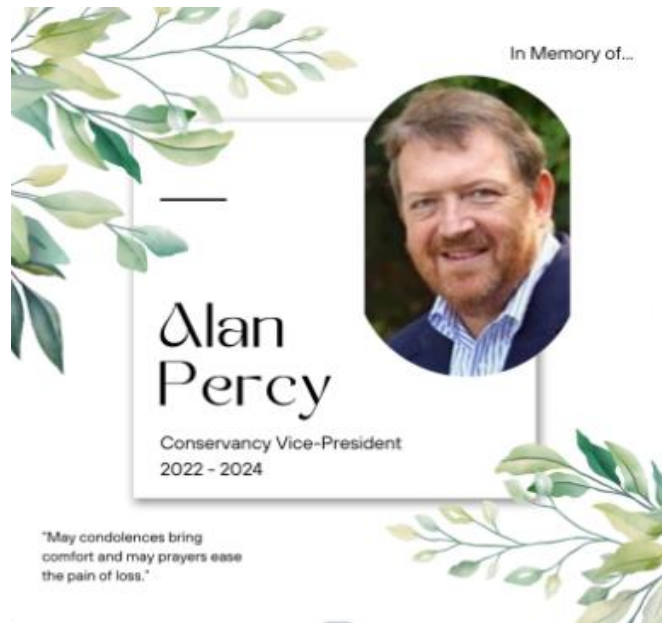
- The CRC Board of Directors is a 100% volunteer Board.
- There are no paid board members or other paid executive positions.
- We strive to have our Board Members contribute their time and efforts on our community outreach events as well as coordinating our capital project initiatives with Erie County Parks and outside vendors.
- To this end we owe our board members much gratitude for their time and support for the Conservancy's mission.



# *In Memory*

## *Alan Percy – Conservancy Vice President*

*Our Vice President – Alan Percy passed away unexpectedly this year much to our shock. We wish the Percy family our deepest condolences. Alan's passing is a sad and significant loss to the Conservancy but even more so to his family & friends.*





# **2024 Raymond A. Fabiniak Guardian Award – William Thornton**

*Each year, the Conservancy gives recognition to an individual who has given a considerable amount of their time and talents to the mission of the Conservancy for the good of Chestnut Ridge Park... This year the Conservancy's Board is awarding its distinguished Raymond A. Fabiniak Guardian Award to William Thornton, Conservancy Board Member since 2013*



*Bill Thornton has been our elder statesman and guidance counselor at the Conservancy for over ten years. He has seldom missed any board meetings over the years and has actively participated in our community outreach events whenever and wherever we conducted them. Bill has been an excellent watchman for the Conservancy's internal governance and has always provided the board specific mindful insights relative to the boards decision making processes. His previous employment as Deputy Commissioner for the Erie County DPW has given him a knowledgeable base on how the County infrastructure works and transferred that knowledge and experience to the various preservation and restoration projects the CRC has undertaken within Chestnut Ridge Park. Bill also has many years as a Boys Scouts Leader. We are blessed to have a board member in Bill with so many years of experience to help guide us in partnering with the Erie County Parks on projects the CRC should or should not be doing. It is with unanimous consent the Board of Directors of the Chestnut Ridge Conservancy honor William Thornton with this award. Congratulations Bill!*



# 2024 vs 2023

| 2024 vs 2023                                      | 2024F            | % of Rev        | 2023               | % of Rev        | Change             | %        | 2025 Proposed      |
|---|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------|--------------------|
| <b>Revenues</b>                                   |                  |                 |                    |                 |                    |          |                    |
| Membership Dues                                   | \$ 2,605         | 7%              | \$ 3,935           | 3%              | \$ (1,330)         | -51%     | \$ 2,850           |
| General Donations                                 | \$ 2,614         | 7%              | \$ 1,840           | 2%              | \$ 773             | 30%      | \$ 500             |
| Event Sponsors, Donations, Fees                   | \$ -             | 0%              | \$ -               | 0%              | \$ -               | -100%    | \$ -               |
| Grants ( Playground Grants & Donations)           | \$ 20,000        | 53%             | \$ 96,780          | 81%             | \$ (76,780)        | -384%    | \$ -               |
| Party for Park Gross                              | \$ 9,960         | 26%             | \$ 14,329          | 12%             | \$ (4,369)         | -44%     | \$ 10,250          |
| Misc Sales  | \$ 1,321         | 3%              | \$ 428             | 0%              | \$ 893             | 68%      | \$ 800             |
| Other Revenues (Interest)                         | \$ 1,457         | 4%              | \$ 2,552           | 2%              | \$ (1,095)         | -75%     | \$ 1,250           |
| <b>Total Revenues</b>                             | <b>\$ 37,957</b> | <b>100%</b>     | <b>\$ 119,865</b>  | <b>100%</b>     | <b>\$ (81,908)</b> |          | <b>\$ 15,650</b>   |
| <b>Expenditures</b>                               |                  |                 |                    |                 |                    |          |                    |
|   |                  | <b>% of Exp</b> |                    | <b>% of Exp</b> |                    | <b>%</b> |                    |
| Administrative - Marketing, Office, Ins.          | \$ 5,765         | 23%             | \$ 4,837           | 3%              | \$ (929)           | -16%     | \$ 4,975           |
| Professional - Consulting, Acctg, Taxes           | \$ 2,490         | 10%             | \$ 2,975           | 2%              | \$ 485             | 19%      | \$ 1,600           |
| Capital - Park restoration/maintenance            | \$ 5,357         | 21%             | \$ 137,036         | 90%             | \$ 131,679         | 2458%    | \$ 18,925          |
| Events - Inc Party for Park                       | \$ 8,057         | 32%             | \$ 4,688           | 3%              | \$ (3,369)         | -42%     | \$ 6,700           |
| Other Expenditures                                | \$ 3,410         | 14%             | \$ 2,377           | 2%              | \$ (1,033)         | 0%       | \$ 900             |
| <b>Total Expenditures</b>                         | <b>\$ 25,079</b> | <b>100%</b>     | <b>\$ 151,912</b>  | <b>100%</b>     | <b>\$ 126,833</b>  |          | <b>\$ 33,100</b>   |
| <b>Net Revenues Less Expenditures</b>             | <b>\$ 12,878</b> |                 | <b>\$ (32,047)</b> |                 | <b>\$ 44,924</b>   |          | <b>\$ (17,450)</b> |
| <b>Ending Fund Balance</b>                        | <b>\$ 57,035</b> |                 | <b>\$ 44,157</b>   |                 | <b>\$ 12,878</b>   |          | <b>\$ 39,585</b>   |
| <b>Reserved (Hunter Kelly Playground Project)</b> | <b>\$ 36,780</b> |                 | <b>\$ 26,780</b>   |                 | <b>\$ 10,000</b>   |          | <b>\$ 36,780</b>   |
| <b>UnReserved</b>                                 | <b>\$ 20,254</b> |                 | <b>\$ 17,377</b>   |                 | <b>\$ 2,878</b>    |          | <b>\$ 2,805</b>    |
| <b>Party for Park Net</b>                         | <b>\$ 2,798</b>  |                 | <b>\$ 10,782</b>   |                 | <b>\$ (7,984)</b>  |          | <b>\$ 4,000</b>    |





## ***2025 Proposed Budget***

### ***Chestnut Ridge Conservancy Proposed Budget for 2025 Summary***

|   |           |                    |
|---|-----------|--------------------|
| <b>2025 Revenues - Memberships, Donations, Party for Park</b> | <b>\$</b> | <b>15,650.00</b>   |
| <b>Total Revenues</b>   | <b>\$</b> | <b>15,650.00</b>   |
| <b>2025 Capital Project expenditures</b>                      | <b>\$</b> | <b>18,925.00</b>   |
| <b>2025 Gala, Programs and Events expenditures</b>            | <b>\$</b> | <b>6,700.00</b>    |
| <b>2025 Operational / Administrative expenditures</b>         | <b>\$</b> | <b>7,475.00</b>    |
| <b>Total expenditures</b>                                     | <b>\$</b> | <b>33,100.00</b>   |
| <b>Surplus / (Deficit)</b>                                    | <b>\$</b> | <b>(17,450.00)</b> |
| <b>2025 Net Residual</b>                                      | <b>\$</b> | <b>(17,450.00)</b> |
| <b>Fund Balance</b>   |           |                    |
| <b>2025 Beginning fund Balance - Un-Reserved</b>              | <b>\$</b> | <b>20,254.49</b>   |
| <b>2025 Ending Fund Balance - Un-Reserved</b>                 | <b>\$</b> | <b>2,804.49</b>    |
| <b>Current Reserve for Hunter Kelly Playground</b>            | <b>\$</b> | <b>36,780.35</b>   |

***Motion to approve proposed budget for 2025? Second? Any  
Discussion? All in Favor? Opposed?***



# *Party for the Park 2024 – Halloween Bash*

- ☐ *The Halloween Bash concept was great, wonderful Halloween ambiance inside the casino.*
- ☐ *Lot of folks in costumes.*
- ☐ *18 Piece Big Band was awesome. The sound effect inside the casino was perfect.*
- ☐ *Band cost \$2,500 total. That's \$138 for each band member for three hours of music.*
- ☐ *Our new food caterer "Kevins Catering" was the best with lot of food options. \$1,200. Willing to work with us next year even on sponsorship at some level.*
- ☐ *We nixed the tent idea because of the lower than expected turnout trend saving us \$1,700 in cost.*
- ☐ *Our net gain from the 2024 Party was \$2,700 vs \$11,000 in 2023 attributable to lower ticket sales (64 in 2024, 74 in 2023) and mainly lower total sponsorship contributions accompanied by higher party costs for marketing/decorations, entertainment, food & beverage. We threw a more upscale party in hopes of attracting more attendees.*
- ☐ *Perhaps changing the party date to a Saturday next year may be something to try.*
- ☐ *If you've read my "social media metrics" email, it seems like we still need to figure how to improve on those stats as well as over all marketing. We'll discuss further at our January board meeting.*





# *Party for the Park 2024*

## *Sponsors & Advertisers*

- ☐ *Rupp Pfalzgraf, LLC*
- ☐ *Farrell Financial, LLC*
- ☐ *The Chambers Family*
- ☐ *Litwin-Castle Insurance*
- ☐ *HoganKamp Optics*
- ☐ *Lawley Insurance*
- ☐ *Parkitects, Inc.*
- ☐ *Restorff Landscaping*
- ☐ *American Legion Post 567*
- ☐ *American Legion Auxiliary 567*
- ☐ *Brown & Stromecki Agency, Inc.*
- ☐ *XOAR Printing*
- ☐ *FE Brown & Sons*
- ☐ *Illio Dipaolo Restaurant*
- ☐ *Chestnut Ridge Nursery*
- ☐ *Images in Glass, Inc.*
- ☐ *GRX Renovations*
- ☐ *Orchard Park Chamber of Commerce*
- ☐ *Ten Thousand Vines Micro-Winery*
- ☐ *Hamburg Brewing Company*

*Thank you to all for supporting the  
Conservancy!*



# *Party for the Park Halloween Bash – October 2024*





# Party for the Park – October 2024







# *Capital Projects*

# *Trail Maintenance*



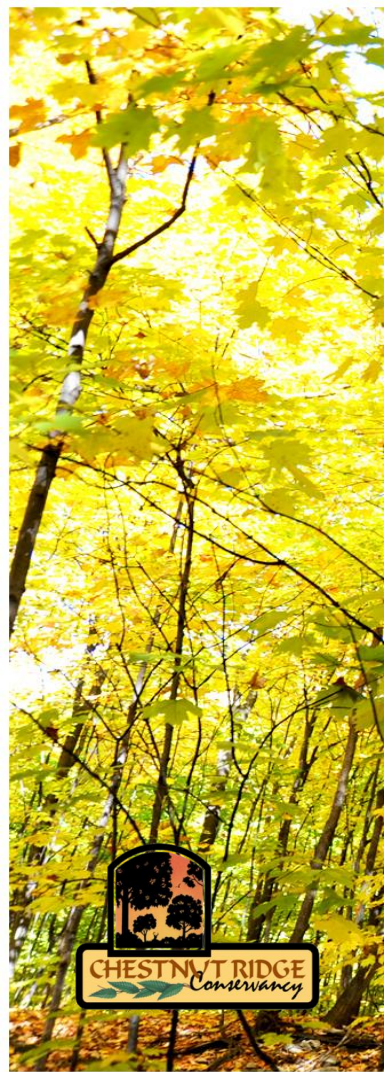


# Trail Maintenance 2024 Highlights

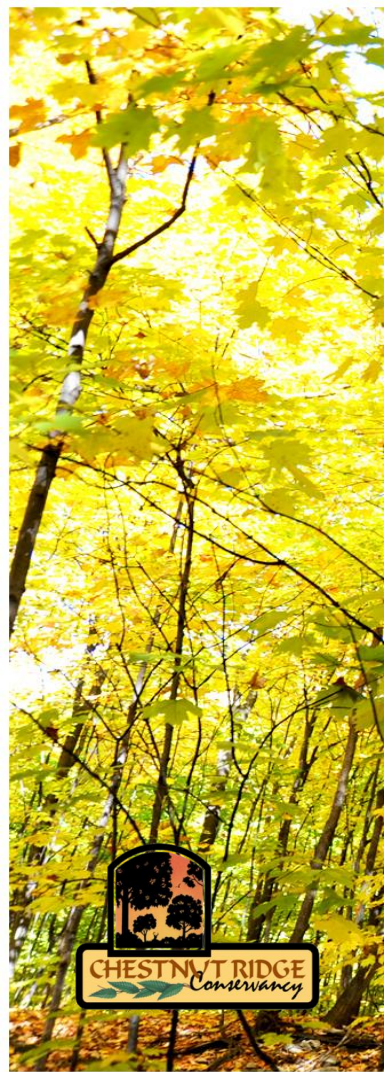
- ❑ *Held multiple trail clean up days with CRC volunteers. Cut and cleared logs blocking trails. Removed trash and improved irrigation on trails. Assessed other improvements that could be made to the trails. Focused on Orienteering trail primarily the upper portion of trail near Seufert Road.*
- ❑ *Clean Up of junk on Boy Scout trail (trail marker 80). Organized volunteers from multiple groups to assist in removing junk from the trail site (old junk yard). Orchard Park Highway Department also assisted in the clean up with the use of two dump trucks and a bobcat for loading the junk. Removed 11 truck loads of junk from the trail site in a single day. The junk removal event restored the site to its natural state and removed an eyesore from a popular park trail.*
  - ❑ *Special thanks to Ed Kasperek who helped organize the event and granted use of his property as an access point to the site.*
- ❑ *Boy Scout Troop 285 Trail Bridge Project on Boy Scout Trail*
- ❑ *Thanks to JJ Thomas and the maintenance staff at Chestnut Ridge Park for removing many downed trees blocking key trails and restoring the creek bridge.*



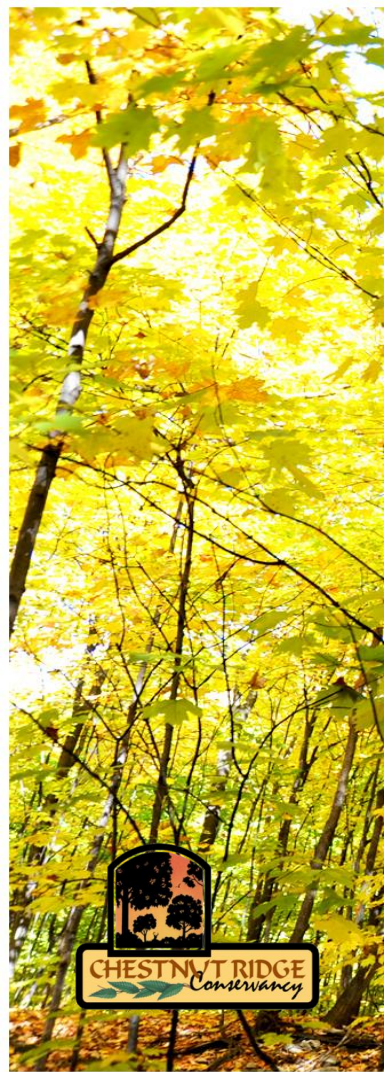














# Trail Maintenance 2025 Plans

*Continue work on Orienteering trail :*

- ☐ *Small bridges needed over areas with poor irrigation*
- ☐ *Continue removing downed trees blocking trail*
- ☐ *Use wood chips in certain areas to mitigate poor irrigation*
- ☐ *Improve drainage at certain points on the trail*
- ☐ *Realign certain trail paths around consistently wet areas where wood chips will not be sufficient to solve the problem.*

*These activities will make the trail safer and more enjoyable for hikers while also preserving the ecology of the park by reducing the need for hikers to take unnecessary detours from the trails.*

*Remove junk from other areas in the Park. Similar to junk site that was cleaned up in 2024 there are other small areas in the park where there is metal trash and junk that needs to be addressed.*

*Develop plans for trail signage in certain areas along the trail.  
Trail Head signage and Wayfinding signage.*

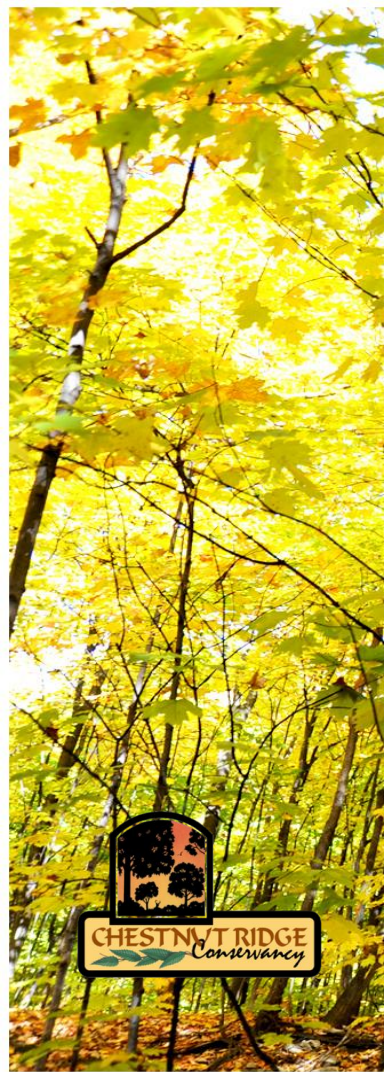


# *New Tennis Court Benches*

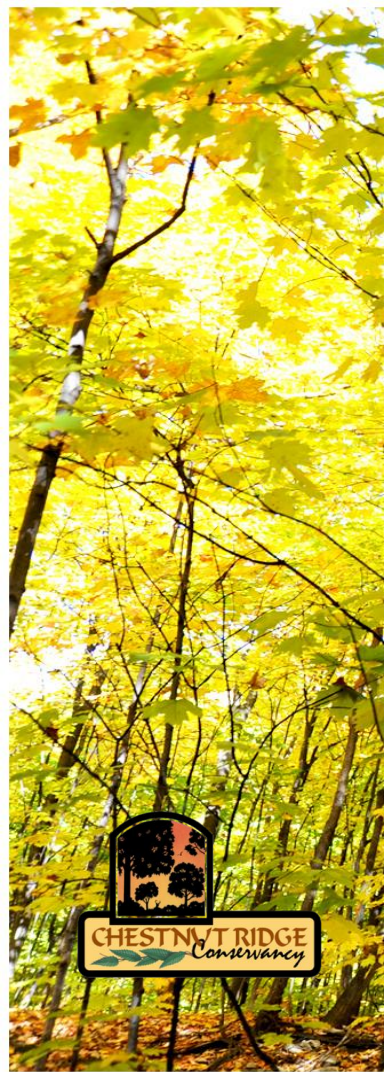
- ☐ *In the Spring of 2024 we engaged with Troop 285 Eagle Scout Christopher Rushton to build eight new tennis court benches to replace the old ones as an Eagle Scout Project.*
- ☐ *Christopher assembled a team, built a prototype, purchased the materials and within a month built the remaining seven court benches for the Ridge Courts.*
- ☐ *The project was successfully completed by the end of May with the benches delivered and put in place.*
- ☐ *Congratulations Chris and his team for an excellent job.*











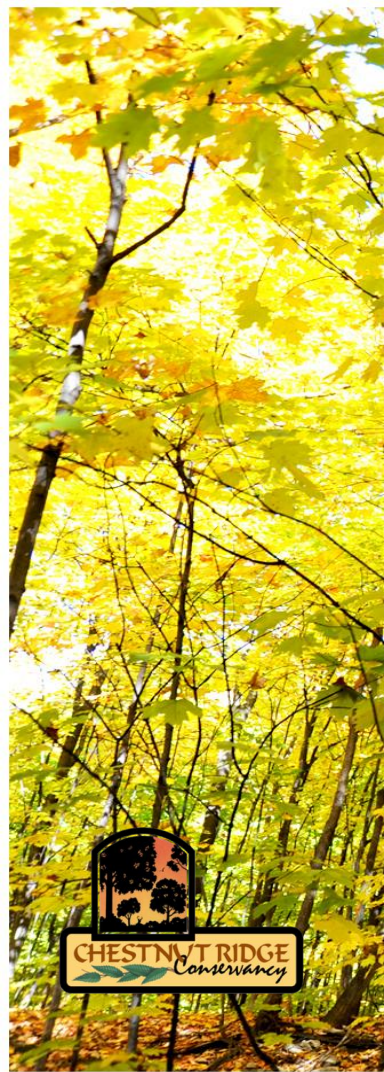


# Boy Scout Trail Bridge Project

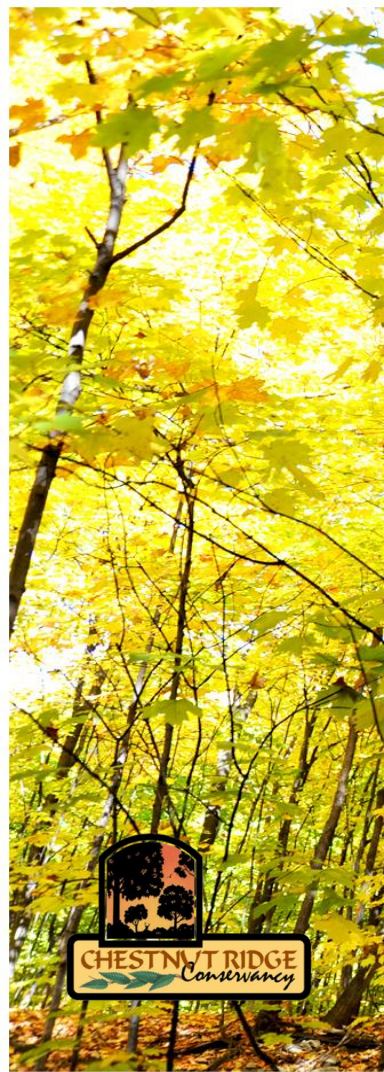
- ❑ *Zachary Restorff, Eagle Scout from Troop 285 proposed replacing a bridge along Boy Scout Trail at Trail Marker 26. Bridge traverses a culvert for drainage.*
- ❑ *Existing bridge was made up of branches, leaves, etc and was deteriorating.*
- ❑ *Zachary used a bridge design previously approved by the Erie County Parks Department and purchased all necessary materials and supplies for the project with the financial assistance of the CRC. Total CRC Cost of Project was \$1,186.*
- ❑ *Project was completed over a 3 - day span in early November with assistance from the boy scouts of troop 285 and Zachary's parents and grandfather .*
- ❑ *New Bridge is solid wood construction that will last many years and provide for greater safety when hiking over the culvert.*
- ❑ *Bridge project is another example of the positive outcomes from CRC and Boy Scout Troop collaboration.*
- ❑ *Thank you to Zachary and your team!*













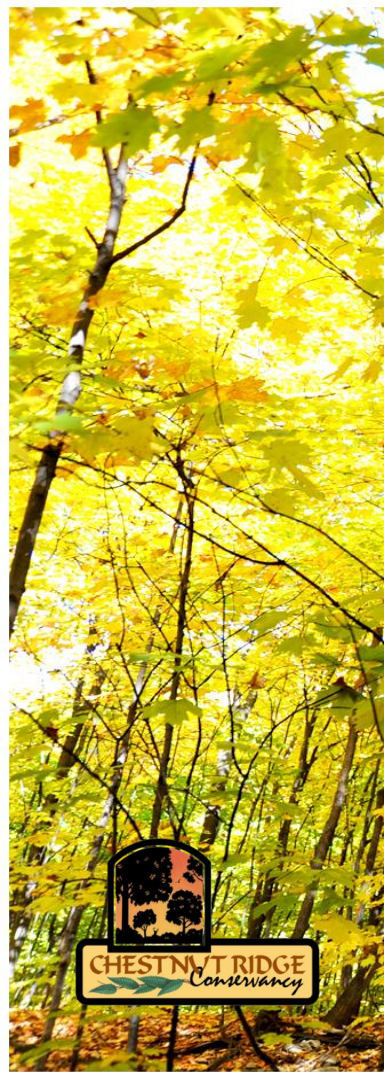
# 2024 Annual Tree Planting

- ❖ *Completed November 2024*
- ❖ *Trees planted included 3 Red Maples, 3 Sugar Maples, 3 Gary Birch, 3 Serviceberry, 3 White Pines, 3 BurrOaks, and 12 Northern Bush Honeysuckles*
- ❖ *PLANT WNY member firms*
  - ❖ *Restorff's Landscape Service - McMillian Landscaping of WNY*
  - ❖ *NYS CNLPs Certified Nursery and Landscape Professionals:*
    - ❖ *Roger Restorff, lifetime CNLP of Restorff's Landscape Service*
    - ❖ *Andrew Palinski , CNLP of Restorff's Landscape Service*
    - ❖ *Josh Konovitz - Erie County Forester*
    - ❖ *SUNY Niagara Horticulture program student*
    - ❖ *Peter Handy*
    - ❖ *Orchard Park Class of 2025 students earning community service hours*
    - ❖ *Drew Slotman - Ryan Coyle*
    - ❖ *Callum DeBorka - Noah DeAngelis*
    - ❖ *Boy Scouts of Troop 285*
    - ❖ *Drew Slotman - Zach Restorf*

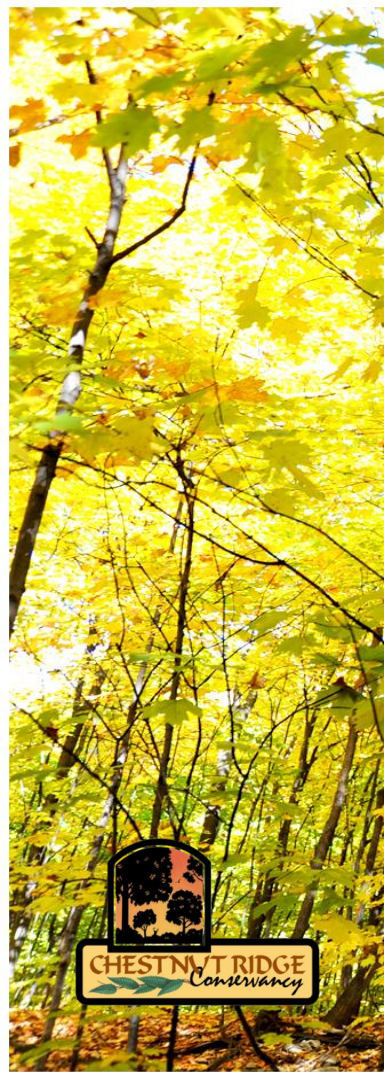
*Thank you to all involved in the 2024 Tree Planting!*



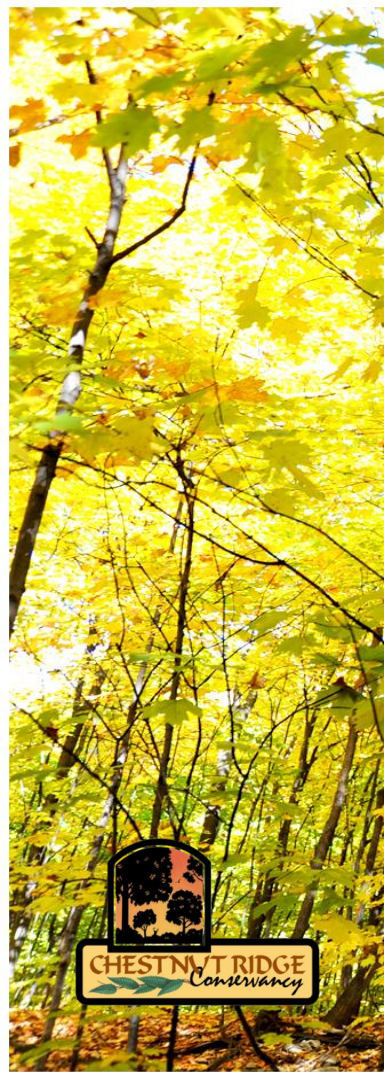














## *Tennis Court Light Pole Painting*

- ❑ *Working with the Erie County Parks Ridge Staff, we were finally able to have the tennis court poles painted to match the new lighting fixtures the CRC funded three years ago. Thank you to the Parks Dept for doing the labor on this project. Looks so much better.*



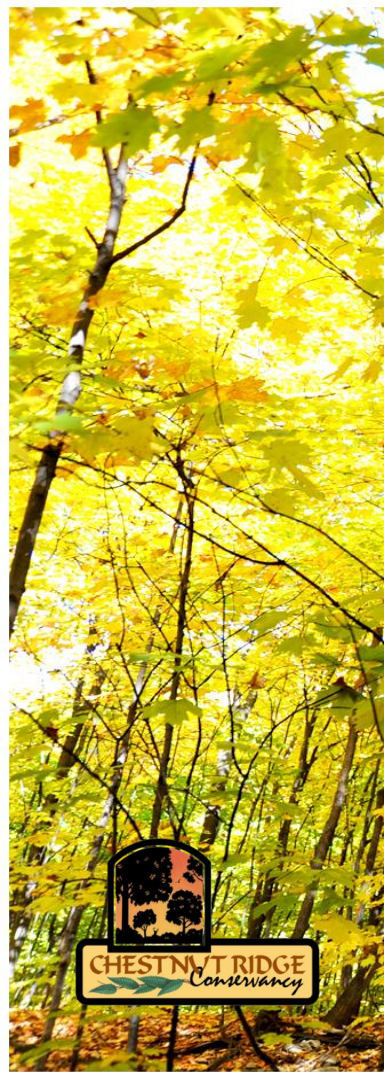


# *M & T Bank Volunteering for Special Projects*

- *Each year for over the past ten years the CRC has been receiving volunteer help from M & T Bank coordinated through M & T Bank VP Mike Krugel.*
  - ❖ *The CRC calls/emails Mike on a project the CRC is engaging in and asks if Mike can send a team of volunteers to help.*
  - ❖ *Whether it be the Playground install, staining the Commissioner's cabin, tennis court wind screens, or various painting, gardening, and cleanup projects, Mike Krugel and M & T Bank volunteers have come through for us each and every time!*
  - ❖ *Special recognition must be given to M & T Bank for all their years of supporting the Conservancy in its projects throughout Chestnut Ridge Park.*
  - ❖ *The Conservancy could not have done all that it has done without the continuous volunteer help from M & T Bank.*
  - ❖ *Thank you to all at M & T Bank who have helped us all these years!!!*







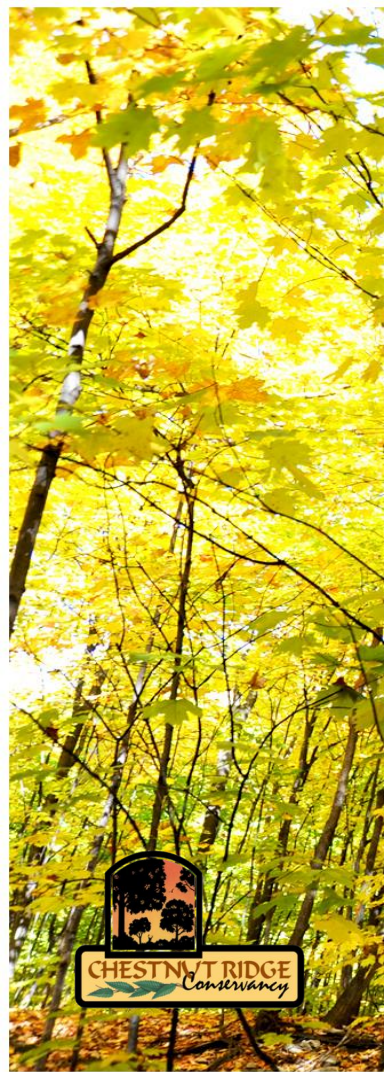


# Many Accomplishments

- ☐ New tennis court benches Troop 285 - 2024 (\$1,200)
- ☐ Eagle Scout Project - Troop 285 Boy Scout Trail Bridge Build - \$1,200
- ☐ Tennis Court Light Pole Painting - (\$800)
- ☐ Annual Tree Plantings – (\$6,500)
- ☐ On-going volunteer trail maintenance - 2024
- ☐ Eternal Flame trail safety enhancement - 2023 (\$135,000)
- ☐ Playground for All - 2021 (\$750,000)
- ☐ Tennis court lighting (\$30,000)
- ☐ Casino interior stone work – 2020 (\$10,000)
- ☐ Casino floor refinishing - 2020 (\$19,000)
- ☐ Eternal Frame trail head rest area - 2020 (\$5,000)
- ☐ Annual tree planting - (\$2,000+)
- ☐ Casino murals restoration (\$40,000)
- ☐ New park entrance signs (\$29,000)
- ☐ Stonework restoration - water fountain, bee-hive monuments,  
Park entrance rest station bathrooms (\$15,000)
- ☐ New wildflower garden (\$10,000)
- ☐ Boy Scout Legacy 11 Project (Pier, Shelter & Bridge) (\$7,500)
- ☐ New park benches & swing (\$5,000)
- ☐ Tennis courts wind screens (\$2,500)
- ☐ Fifteen Oak Tree Planting Eternal Flame Trail Head (\$1,500)
- ☐ Tennis court benches (\$500)
- ☐ Portable bicycle/sled racks (\$3,000)
- ☐ Binocular viewer at casino - Yearly Fee (\$650)
- ☐ Hamilton Ward memorial plaque (\$1,200)
- ☐ Commissioner's cabin re-staining (\$1,000)



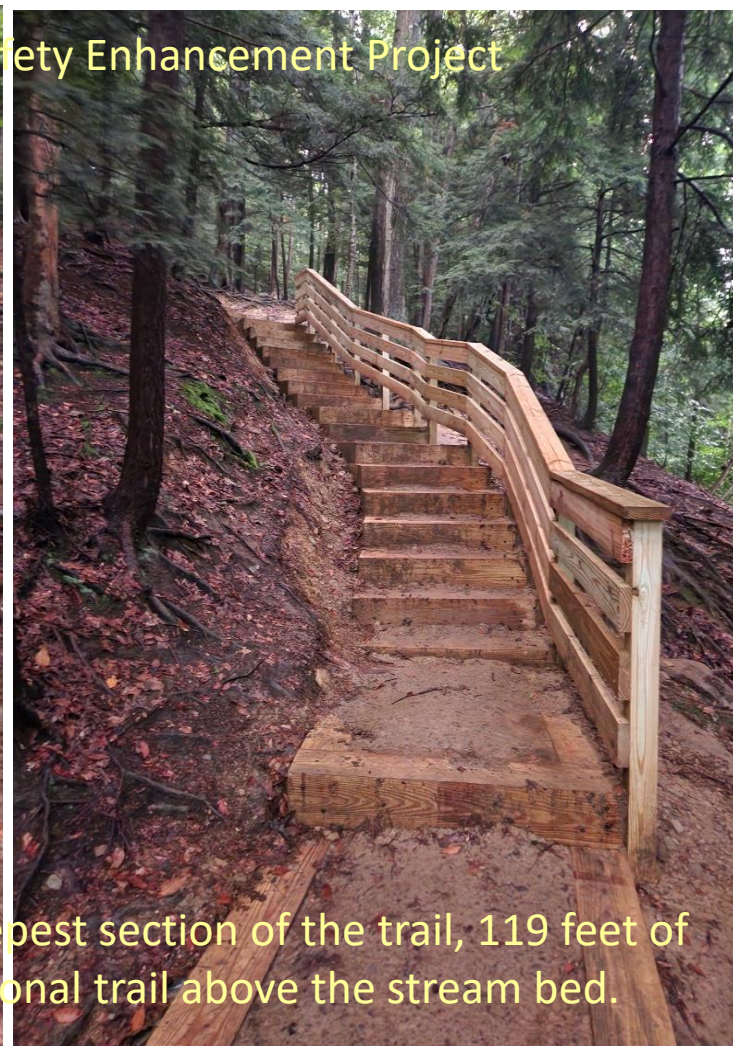




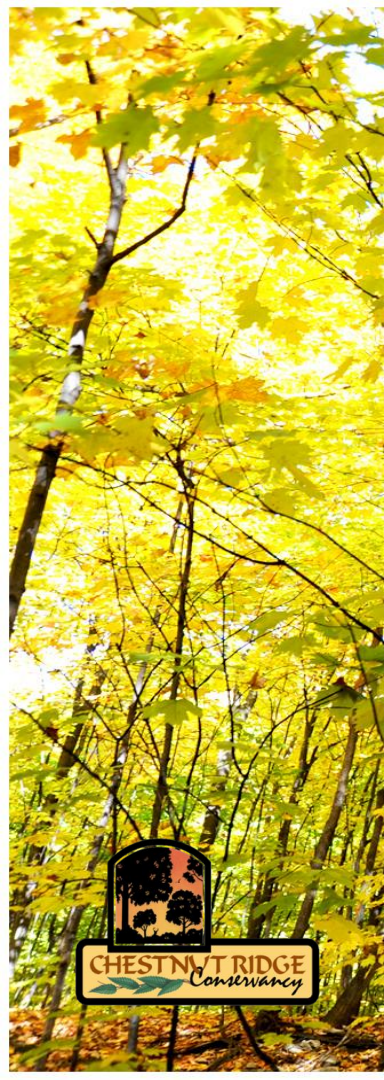
## The Eternal Flame Trail Safety Enhancement Project



139 New Steps through the steepest section of the trail, 119 feet of railing and 200 feet of additional trail above the stream bed.







Chestnut Ridge - Erie County Parks

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# *Capital Projects - Future Initiatives*

- ☐ *Annual Tree Planting – 2025*
- ☐ *Trail Maintenance & Trash removal*
- ☐ *Pickleball-Tennis Court Lighting*
- ☐ *Ward Memorial Stonework & Rededication - 2025*
- ☐ *100 Steps remediation and restoration - longterm*
- ☐ *Other restoration, maintenance or preservation projects as suggested or brought to our attention.*





## Iconic 100 Steps Structure Preservation Initiative

The 100 steps structure is in a significant state of decay & crumbling. It truly is a monument to the WPA program. The Conservancy is currently seeking a plan to remediate the water drainage into and behind the walls of the structure which is causing the erosion damage. This would only be a phase one part of the effort to save the 100 Steps. The cost of "full restoration" is estimated to be very significant and likely in excess of \$1.5 million. It will take many years and multiple phases to save the 100 steps if it can be done.





## *Special Acknowledgement*

The Conservancy, it's board members would like to give a sincere nod of appreciation and thank you to Commissioner Troy Schinzel, and all the Ridge Park staff who have helped and supported the CRC over the past year. The Conservancy accomplishes good things for Chestnut Ridge Park with the blessing and help of Commissioner Schinzel and Erie County Department of Parks, Forestry and Recreation. We are grateful to have a good working relationship Erie County and the Parks Department and look forward to many more years of continued partnership for the benefit of Chestnut Ridge Park.





# *Erie County Parks Update*

Welcome Erie County  
Parks Commissioner Troy P. Schinzel

- Chestnut Ridge Park Update
- Questions to Commissioner Schinzel





# *Additional Questions?*

Please feel free to ask any questions or provide any concerns relating to the Conservancy organization, operations, past and future initiatives.

You may also email them to me at:  
[gpanek@chestnutridgeconservancy.org](mailto:gpanek@chestnutridgeconservancy.org)





## *Conservancy Memberships, Directorships & Volunteers*

We are always looking for new members as well as new directors that can help out with the Conservancy's mission. If you would like to only occasionally volunteer, we have needs for you as well!

For Memberships and Volunteers

Go to our website and click on the "Join us" tab and select from the drop down menu.

If your interested in becoming a Conservancy Director please email me and your resume to

[gpanek@chestnutridgeconservancy.org](mailto:gpanek@chestnutridgeconservancy.org)

Thank you for your interest in the Conservancy.





# *Annual Meeting Conclusion*

This concludes our 2024 annual meeting.  
Motion to adjourn the Annual Meeting?

Thank you very much for attending our  
meeting and your continued interest in the  
Chestnut Ridge Conservancy.

