

# AMBERATIONS

Summer 2007

## Amberations is for everyone

**Animals-** After just a few short months our farm family has settled in. During June we moved Katie and Smiley in from Lollipop Farms, Rochester. Smiley is a three legged Jacob sheep. Katie (her baby) just turned one year. Ducks, chickens and our loving little kitty named Happy (aka Bud) spend their days hoping for visitors.



**Wooded Trails-** Few people are aware that Amberations has an impressive gorge meandering through our site. Our volunteers are here to introduce you to this hidden treasure.

**Campfires-** Every Friday night at 7:00 (or by request) we've been hosting get-togethers at our barn. Consistently, we find that the pressures of the week disappear and relaxation mode sets in.

**Activities-** In addition to all this, we have fooseball at the barn, horseshoes in the field, endless opportunities at our stream, plans for a few "extreme" golf holes, T-shirt design workshops as well as crafting opportunities.

**Gardens-** Our new horticultural enthusiast, Jodi Szczech, is spending a lot of time at the gardens in our upper field. Daily battles are waged between the weeds and the herbs. Call Jodi, at 677-8100, to come out and help weed, plant, etc. Groups or individuals are welcome.

## What is Amberations

Amberations, located in Amber, NY, is the brain child of two families—the Brittenhams and the Wileys. Our goal is to support mental health by providing opportunities to interact with nature.

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[www.amberations.org](http://www.amberations.org)

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# Fall Festival

Our fall festival this year will be held on Sunday, October 7th. The unique musical sounds of the Kambuyu Marimba Ensemble will be one of the highlights of the day. Harvey Nusbaum (front page photo) will once again organize and join a group of local professional musicians. This year we are

adding a new group to our line-up, Diamond Someday. Tractor rides, Pumpkin People, great food, crafts and raffles make this an event you won't want to miss. Visit our website, [www.amberations.org](http://www.amberations.org), for links to these groups.

## Free Info Sessions

For those who would like to learn more or share Amberations with a friend, we will be hosting free info sessions. Join us at the barn and learn all about our operation. Groups or individuals welcome (315)636-7166.

**The Rummage Barn**  
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I would like to purchase a business card size advertisement in upcoming newsletters \$50 (business card enclosed)

For your convenience, you may donate online at [amberations.org](http://amberations.org)

I am interested in volunteering. Please contact me.

Let us know other ways you could help. Your suggestions are an important part of the success of Amberations.

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# Bike Race



Congratulations to the winner of the 2007 Amberations Bike Race, George Rvsyniak.

Thank you to all who supported our bike race and the official grand opening of our barn site on June 10th. The day was a huge success.

## Welcome

to our new treasurer  
Carol Lynn Flood.



Go to our web site,  
[www.amberations.org](http://www.amberations.org)  
if you'd like to print a copy of  
our brochure.

# Bottle Drive

Up to 8 ¢ Bottle Return is hosting Amberations' ongoing bottle drive. This center makes redemption fun. Customers are given three tosses at a dart board allowing them as much as eight cents per bottle/can. Amberations would like to add to the fun with a little healthy competition. We will award a basket of goodies as well as one of our own unique Pumpkin People to the

group or individual who contributes the most. We will keep track of the totals.

## Up to 8 ¢ Bottle Return:

### Locations-

- Corner of Erie Blvd. and Teall Ave.
- Corner of Cedarvale and W. Seneca Tnpg.

## Our Wish List

Ideas	Duck Feed
Help	Sheep Feed
Wheel barrows	Cat Food
Rakes	Perennials
Shovels	Hand operated well pump
Straw	Large tent
Hay	Garden Carts
Bedding	Raffle Prizes
Chicken Feed	

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# Picture Gallery

Our Animals



Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting



Campfires and Pumpkin People at the barn

