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Mon. Aug. 15th - Normal Monday Sale and Monthly Sheep, Lamb, Goat & Pig Sale. Special: Yeaton Dairy Dispersal, Epsom, NH. Selling 65 Head of Freestall Cattle - Registered Herd ave. 71#/day. 4.4/3.4 SCC 150,000. A really nice group of cattle.

Mon. Aug. 22nd – Normal Monday Sale & Monthly Organic Day Sat. Sept. 3rd - sale held at our facility. 11:30 AM. Sweet Peas & Liddleholme Barn Bursting Sale. So many animals the barns are bursting! Selling 100 head of Registered Holsteins - some R&W. All ages from calves, open heifers, springing heifers and young milk cows. A chance to tie into two of the most successful breeding programs in the Northeast. WE WILL NOT BE TAKING ANY CONSIGNMENTS FOR THIS SALE.

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Ogden Library - Adult Pro-gram: Flow Painting:: Have you ever wanted to know how those cool drip art paintings are created? Lara Fassler will show adult learners some cool techniques and ways to create some funky artwork! All supplies will be provided. The only thing you need to provide is your laughter, creativity, a willingness to have FUN! Sign-up is required and space is limited to 15 participants. Meet outside in the tent.

SUNY Delhi Summer Swimming Pool Schedule: Monday – Friday: 11 am to 1 pm - Swimming and Diving Lessons. Questions: Please contact Coach K at 607-746-4263 or pool@ delhi.edu.

Friday, July 29

Delhi Fair-on-the Square: 49th Annual-2022 Delhi Fair-on-the Square Week #5: 5:45 to 6:00pm - Presentation of Colors - American Legion 6:00 to 7:00pm - Delaware County Community Band 6:00 to 8:00pm - Brewery Tastings 6:00 to 7:00pm -Soap Box Car Race 7:00 to 9:00pm - Bandstand Band - The Stoutmen - Irish ballad Band 9:15 to 10:30pm

After Dark Movie on the Square Each evening there will be games, art and craft vendors along with a variety of food vendors and lots of other fun things to do!!! Entrance fee for all races will be a canned food item. Bring a canned food item to the Knights of Columbus table and receive a free Popcorn or Cotton Candy.

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Food Pantry: Food Pantry at The United Ministry on the Square in Delhi. Mondays 1-3pm. Thursdays 3:30-5:30pm. Closed on holidays.

Helios Care Adult Grief Sup**port Group - Cobleskill:** Cobleskill United Methodist Church, 107 Chapel Street, Cobleskill. Meets the fourth Wednesday of every month from 5:30-7:00pm. Groups are free Flamenco Vivo Carlota San-

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Friday Evening Hobart Farmers Market: Unique evening market in the heart of the Hobart Book Village. Nestled between the Delaware River and the Catskill Scenic Rail Trail, local farmers offer fresh vegetables, fruits, cheese, eggs, pastries, breads, and specialty



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~ Card of Thanks ~

I am grateful and humbled by the prayers and support from residents & friends following my accident in Plattsburg. Much thanks to West Delhi Presbyterian's Strawberry Shortcake Festival and the Kirk at The Delhi Presbyterian Church. Your continued prayers are still needed for the long journey ahead. I am extremely proud to call Delhi my hometown.

God bless- Matt Burgin and Family.

CALENDAR

continued from page 2 products along with pasture-raised beef, pork, poultry and goat. Food Stamps accepted for beef purchases from Stephens Farm.

- Ogden Library Storytime: Stories, sogns, dance and crafts for your child. A different theme each week. Fridays, 10:30am. 607-865-5929.
- Ogden Library Teen Program: Ocean Luminaries: Illuminate your world! Meet us on the lower level of the library to create beautiful ocean luminaries from glass jars and decorate them with precut paper sea creatures, merfolk, and more. Feeling creative? Cut out your own designs! Grades 6+ 2:30 p.m.
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Saturday, Bovina Bicentennial Celebration: The Town of Bovina will belatedly celebrate its 200th Birthday on July 30 with a parade, vendor show, demonstrations, children's games, vintage baseball game and a program of local musical talent. Parade steps of at 10 am. Festival

12 to 4 pm. Vintage Baseball Game 2 pm. 4:30 to 6:30 pm Local Musicians perform. 8 pm Livestock Concert. Dinosaur Invasion: July

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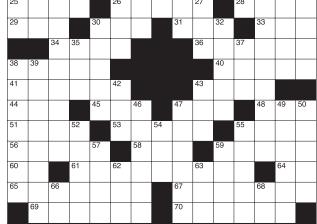


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Ogden Library - Adult Program: Purrmaids, Heart of the Catskills Humane Society: Watch kittens on the "cat cam." Learn about cat care and pet adoption with local shel-

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Sunday, July 31

Dinosaur Invasion: July 9-31, 11am & 1pm. ONEONTA WORLD OF LEARNING AND DANDE-LION STAGE PRESENT A FAMILY SUMMER INTER-ACTIVE THEATRE AD-VENTURE! Families must help save the world from time-traveling dinosaurs in Dandelion Stage's interactive outdoor theatre performance, Dinosaur Invasion. In this mash-up between a "create your own adventure"and giant game of pretend, audiences take on the role of Time & Space agents who must save the world from Vortex's dastardly plot to destroy the whole of time and space. Performances are presented at OWL's children's museum, 167 Youngs Road in Fortin Park, Oneonta. Tickets are \$10 per person. Children must be accompanied by an adult for this "free-range" theatre ad-Performance venture. capacity is 10 children maximum with no accompanying adult attendance cap. Call 607-353-9503 for information. This imagination powered event, geared toward ages 5-12, includes a dino-themed workshop at OWL and pre-adventure craft workshop for audiences build their very own Time-Trap used in performance. In case of inclement weath-

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Gospel Music Night: Come out and enjoy an evening of gospel music, followed by a time of fellowship and refreshments. If you would like to share your talents, please contact Karen Eckhardt at 607-865-4395 to be added to the schedule. Northfield Community Church, 5118 Co Hwy 23, Walton.

Maywood Snowmobile Club: Meets on the second Sunday at 5:00 p.m. in Sidney Center at the firehall meeting center (yellow building across from firehall). For snowmobile enthusiasts who live in the Sidney Center, Trout Creek, Sid-



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lights go up on a fully staged production of The Winter's Tale by the teenage Shakespeare, Music for Shakespeare, and Costume Design participants of the West Kortright Centre's Young People's Theater Arts Workshops. The Winter's Tale is directed



ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20

Financial inspiration could arrive this week, Aries. Instead of repeating old cycles in your life. think of minor tweaks you can make that will have an impact on your bottom line.

TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

Taurus, if you are in a rebellious mood, find an outlet that will not get you into too much trouble. Engage in challenging pursuits, like puzzles or sports games.

GEMINI – MAY 22/JUN 21

Gemini, your relationship status is about to reach another level. Welcome these changes as they come and enjoy the ride. Don't hesitate to share good news with others.

CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22

You may have outgrown a career or a community in recent weeks. Cancer. Take your time exploring new opportunities so your next move can be effective.

LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23

Leo, a change in your responsibilities could lead to a pay raise or even a promotion in the days to come. Focus on where you want to be in your career.

VIRGO – AUG 24/SEPT 22

A unique experience shared with someone else can make a big difference in your relationships, Virgo. Learn from every lesson that comes your way.

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS • JULY 17 Luke Bryan, Singer (46) JULY 18 Kristen Bell, Actress (42) JULY 19 Benedict Cumber-batch, Actor (46) JULY 20 Julianne Hough, Dancer (34) JULY 21 Sara Sampaio, Model (31) JULY 22 Selena Gomez, Singer (30) ULY 22 Decid Daddiffe Actor (33) (30) JULY 23 Daniel Radcliffe, Actor (33)

LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

Libra, if you have been practicing or trying to perfect something, now is the time when you will see some long-awaited progress. Keep the learning process moving along.

SCORPIO – OCT 24/NOV 22

Someone may want to surprise you this week, Scorpio. You may prefer to know what is coming, but this is a goodnatured gesture, so go with the flow this time.

SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

One minor change in your daily life can make things easier for your family, Sagittarius. Even if this change requires a sacrifice on your part, it could be worth it.

CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

Capricorn, there are many enjoyable things you can become involved in if you are willing to put in the effort. Once you do the work, the rewards will come.

AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18

Aquarius, your family life is going to change in a big way in the not-so-distant future. How it plays out remains to be seen, but the effects will be profound and positive.

PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

Some surprising information comes to light this week, Pisces. It may change your self-image and how others perceive you.

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Monday, August 1

Food Pantry: Food Pantry at The United Ministry on the Square in Delhi. Mondays 1-3pm. Thursdays 3:30-5:30pm. Closed on holidays.

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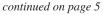
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Tuesday, August 2

Bookmobile: First Tuesday of every month, unless there is a holiday. Books available at the following stops: NBT Bank Hobart from 11-11:55am; Davenport Firehouse from 1-1:15pm; East Mer-







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continued from page 4 edith Firehouse from 1:30-1:45pm; Meridale Firehouse from 2-2:30 pm; Treadwell Croton House from 2:50-3:15pm. If you have a question about TODAY's schedule, please call 607-723-8236 and dial zero for the operator. Books may be returned to ANY Four County Library System Library. Libraries in Delaware County: Andes, Bovina Center, Delhi, Fleischmanns, Franklin, Hancock, Margaretville, Roxbury, Sidney, Stamford, Walton. FOR RE-NEWALS AND REQUESTS CALL: (607) 723-8236, ext. 322 There are never overdue fines on Outreach books!.

Helios Care Adult Grief Support Group - Cooperstown: First Presbyterian Church of Cooperstown (Chapel), 25 Church Street, Cooperstown. Meets the second Tuesday of every month from 5:30-7:00pm. Groups are free and open to all adults. Visit HeliosCare. org for more information.

Helios Care Adult Grief Support Group - Oneonta: St. James Church, 305 Main St, Oneonta. Meets the third Tuesday of every month from 10:00-11:30am Groups are free



and open to all adults. Visit HeliosCare.org for more information.

In-Person MineCraft Club: In-Person MineCraft Club at the Sidney Memorial Public Library meets every Tuesday 3:30-5:00 for ages 8-17. Participants must be registered! Call 697-563-1200 to sign-up! We will complete a learning objective and then have "free" build at the end. Make sure to call the library today to sign-up, as there is limited spaces @607.563.1200.

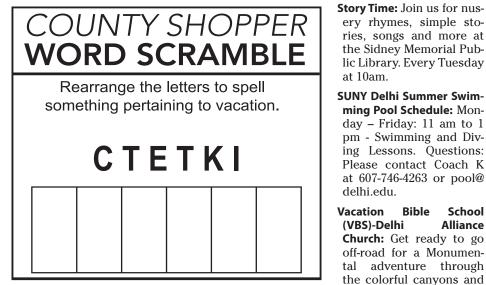
Music for Munchkins: This program is for children up to age 5. We'll have fun with musical instruments, songs, movement activites and more. Meets every other Tuesday 11-11:30am at the Sidney Memorial Public Libaray.

Ogden Library - Crafts for Kids: Milk Carton Boats and Clothes Pin Puppets: O'hoy mates! Meet us in the tent for some swashbuckling fun. This week we will be making milk carton pirate ships and clothes pin pirate puppets. Be sure to visit our "tattoo parrrlor" and sing a sea shanty or two while you're here. Grades k-5; 10:30 a.m.

PreK Library Learners: Every other Tuesday from 11-11:30am at the Sidney Memorial Public Library.

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Wednesday, August 3

History of Our Neighbor: The Township of Kortright: Peg Kenyon will give a talk about The Township of Kortright on August 3, 2022 at the Hobart Historical Society, 57 Cornell Ave in Hobart at 6 PM. All are welcome. Free.

Story Time: Join us for nusery rhymes, simple stories, songs and more at the Sidney Memorial Public Library. Every Tuesday at 10am.

Summer Community Orchestra: The Catskills Music Consort meets on Wednesdays at 5:30 in Bovina. We welcome seasoned amateurs and local



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Otsego Co. Fair Set To Begin Aug. 3

The Otsego County Fair which takes place in Morris will be Tuesday, Aug. 3 through Sunday, Aug. 8. The exhibitor's book is online for residents interested in entering under the Vendors and Exhibitors tab at otsegocountyfair.org.

The entry clerk's office will be open for entry registration beginning Monday, July 5.

The fair clerk's regular hours will be 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; noon to 6 p.m. Wednesdays; Saturday, July 10 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturdays, July 17 and 24 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturday, July 31, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 1 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Monday, Aug. 2 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Closing date for livestock entries is July 10; camper registration are due July 17, and entries close for all departments July 19.

A coloring contest for ages 12 and under is open; entries are due Aug. 1.

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College News

Two students from Delaware County were among the 887 named to the 2022 spring dean's list at Alfred State College. They are Klara Mednansky, Deposit, and James Olson, Stamford. Students must have completed at least 12 credit hours for the semester and earned a 3.5 grade point average (GPA) out of a possible 4.0, to qualify for the dean's list.

SUNY Oswego recently recognized four Delaware County residents as high academic achievers on its president's list and deans' list for the spring 2022 semester.

President's List students are those attaining semester grade-point averages of

3.8 or higher while carrying

required academic credits.

Delaware County students

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Michael D. Griswold, Delhi, broadcasting and mass communication; and William Towsley, Downsville, technology education.

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Deans' list students are those attaining semester grade-point averages between 3.3 and 3.79 while carrying required academic credits. Delaware County students on the deans' list include Zachary Gannett, Downsville, broadcasting and mass communication; Mark Nohomovich, Deposit, zoology; and Kora J. Young, Sidney Center, studio art.

Ithaca College student Lauren Whritner of Hobart was named to the dean's list for the spring 2022 semester

Angela Munyon of Walton was among more than 1,700 undergraduate and graduate students recently awarded degrees at Adelphi University, including those who completed degree requirements in December 2021 and May 2022. Munyon earned a master of arts in art education

More than 900 students received bachelor's degrees from the State University of New York at Cortland this spring including Derek Beers of Franklin, Brenna Gioffe of Delhi, Jackson Miller of Hancock, and Kaitlyn O'Boyle of Hancock.

Special and primary elections Aug. 23

DELHI - Voting for the special election for the congressional representative seat for New York's 19th district, previously held by Antonio Delgaldo, will take place Tuesday, Aug. 23 from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. at local polling sites. Candidates on the ballot include Marcus Molinaro, on the Conservative and Republican lines, and Pat Ryan on the Democratic and Working Families lines. The election is to fill the vacancy through January 2023. Democratic candidates Jamie Cheney and Josh Riley will face off in a primary election the same day, as the party nominee for November's general election. The winner will challenge Molinaro. Also competing in a Republican primary on Aug. 23 are 51st Senate candidates incumbent Peter Oberacker and Terry Bernardo. The winner of that primary will challenge Democratic candidate Eric Ball in November's general election. July 29 is the last day to register to vote in the primary. Registrations must be postmarked July 29 and received no later than Aug. 3. Aug. 13 is the last day to register in person at the Delaware County Board of Elections. The last day to postmark, email or fax an application for an absentee ballot is Aug. 8 and the last day to apply in person or by agent for an absentee ballot is Aug. 22. Early voting for the special and primary elections will take place at the Delaware County Board of Elections, 3 Gallant Ave., Delhi, from Aug. 13 - 21. For early voting hours visit www. co.delaware.ny.us/departments/elec/elec.htm.



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Chad Bauer of Delhi Pizza Company with Greater Delhi Chamber of Commerce Director Christina Viafore and Hope Knapp.

Beech tree threat tracked

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) announced Beech Leaf Disease (BLD), which affects all species of beech trees, has been identified in 35 counties in New York to date. DEC began tracking BLD in 2018 after it was confirmed in Chautauqua County. Fourteen of the counties with BLD were confirmed in 2022, and more are likely to be identified. Much is still unknown about BLD, including how it spreads, but it can kill mature beech trees in six to 10 years and saplings in as little as two years. There is no known treatment for infected trees. BLD symptoms are associated with the nematode Litylenchus

crenatae mccannii. It is unknown whether the nematode causes all of the damage, or if it is in association

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DEC is working with the Cornell Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic, the U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service, neighboring states, and New York's Partnerships for Regional Invasive Species Management (PRISMs) to survey for new infections, track disease progression using longterm monitoring plots, and investigate the nematode's role in the disease. More information is needed to develop an effective treatment.

DEC is asking the public

for counties where BLD has not yet been confirmed.

The main symptom on beech foliage is darkened striping between the veins, which is best seen when looking up through the canopy. Leaves with severe symptoms can be heavily banded and crinkled, with a thickened leathery texture.

For more information about beech leaf disease. visit DEC's website here. For more information on iMap-Invasives, visit nyimapinvasives.org. For questions about potential tree pests or pathogens, email photos and a description to foresthealth@dec.ny.gov.



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Sidney Center playground dedicated to Josh Newell

By Sara Andros

SIDNEY CENTER -Bright sunshine and blue skies shone for a Sidney Center park dedication and celebration in Sidney Center on July 3. It was a celbration of the revitalization of the park.

The park, which fell into disuse after repeated flooding which required mitigation, became a special project for the Sidney Center Improvement Group (SCIG). It was especially dear to the heart of group member Josh Newell who grew up playing in the Sidney Center Park. He had a vision of his children and other children being able to enjoy the park the way he had in his youth. His enthusiasm led the group to

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move forward on the project in the fall of 2017.

Newell died, succombing to leukemia, before he could see his dream come to fruition. During the dedication ceremony, SCIG President Michael Sellitti dedicated the playground in the park to Newell; a plaque will be installed there in his honor.

The celebration also included the unveiling of the 56-foot mural created by local artists. When the mural was unveiled it received a mixture of applause, exclamations and stunned silence. The sheer creativity and beauty of panels brought some to tears.

The mural, "Sidney Center Blooms," was spearheaded by local artist Vicki Davis. The panels depict local plants and animal species and are unique to each artist or group of artists that completed them. Professional artists Caroline Fay, Jody Isaacson and Kieko Howard each contributed panels as did the Arc of Delaware County Studio 190, students in the Franklin School Art Club and Sidney Central School art students.

Davis designed the final panel, but left it for the community to paint. People waited patiently in line to help complete the mural. Children painted with parents, high school students added their special touches and community members stepped up to bring color to the final panel. It was a highlight of the event.

Davis also created fish sculptures that were displayed in the creek bed during the event that invited people to stroll along the water's edge to enjoy the varied mediums and colors of her creations.

The event attracted people from far and near. Sidney Supervisor Eric Wilson and Councilmembers Frank Selleck and William Hunt, Jr. also attended the event. Family members traveled from out of town to support the community they know and love, and members of the SCIG worked tirelessly to make sure the event went off without a hitch.

While the playground equipment, new benches and tables had not yet been installed, the progress already made to re-



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Avocados are beloved by foodies, particularly those who enjoy guacamole. But flavor is not the only reason to love avocados, which the Cleveland Clinic notes are good sources of these nutrients and vitamins.

• Folate: Folate promotes normal cell function and tissue growth. The nutrition database of the U.S. Department of Agriculture indicates that one-half of a raw avocado contains about one-fifth of the daily recommended amount of folate.

• Vitamin K-1: Researchers believe vitamin K-1 helps to maintain bone mineral density, and the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health reports that vitamin K helps to produce four of the 13 proteins needed for blood clotting. Livestrong.com reports that one cup of mashed avocado contains as much as 40 percent of the daily recommended value of vitamin K. • Potassium: Though bananas often are touted for their potassium, the Cleveland Clinic reports that avocados contain more of this heart-healthy essential mineral than bananas. Potassium helps to control blood pressure and promotes a healthy heart. • Vitamin C: The health care experts at Cedars Sinai note that avocados are a great source of vitamin C. What's more, Cedars Sinai reports that avocados help the body absorb nutrients, allowing it to utilize them more effectively. • Fiber: High fiber diets provide a host of benefits, as fiber helps to lower blood sugar and reduce bad cholesterol. Cedars Sinai estimates that one avocado contains around 10 grams of fiber, which is roughly half the recommended daily fiber intake for women and nearly onethird the recommended intake for men. Despite their high nutrient content, avocados should be consumed in moderation. That's because the Cleveland Clinic notes that a single avocado can contain upward of 400 calories.



How to conserve energy while keeping the AC on

Air conditioning is a welcome luxury come the dog days of summer. Few people can imagine getting through a hot summer afternoon without turning their AC on, and that can make July and August some of the more costly months on the calendar in regard to energy consumption.

Though the months of July and August may not seem well-suited to cutting energy consumption, there are ways to conserve that don't require turning off the AC.

• Reconsider the location of your thermostat. The Performance Building Institute, Inc. notes that thermostats are sensitive to heat. Thermostats located near heat-generating appliances like lamps, televisions and computers may be fooled into thinking a home's interior is warmer than it actually is. That will keep a temperature-controlled AC running longer and more frequently than is necessary. If necessary, move the thermostat to a part of the home where there are no electronics and appliances.

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savings of 10 to 30 percent. But such products must be maintained. Annual maintenance appointments with an HVAC technician can ensure the unit is clean and refrigerant levels are correct, helping it run as efficiently as possible.

• Embrace natural ways to keep a home's interior cool. Cranking the AC is not the only way to maintain a comfortable temperature inside a home during the months of July and August. Closing curtains on especially warm days keeps the sun out and makes it easier to maintain comfortable temperatures inside without lowering the temperature on the thermostat. Avoiding the stove on hot nights and preparing cold meals or firing up the grill outside is another way to keep the house cool.

• Address insulation issues. Cracks around windows and doors affect the temperature inside the home, making it colder in winter and warmer in summertime. Seal cracks around doors and windows to keep the cool air in during the summer. Keeping that air in should allow you to raise the temperature on your thermostat without compromising comfort. Come the dog days of summer, conserving energy needn't come at the cost of comfort. Various strategies can help people reduce their energy consumptions and keep their air conditioners on.

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