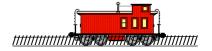
Lehigh Valley Ray Shaver Depot

The first official freight train of the Southern Central RR pulled into Newark Valley on March 8, 1870. Passenger service started within one month. Thus began over 100 years of service to the communities on the east branch of the Owego Creek. The original depot burned in 1879, and it was immediately rebuilt. Abandoned by the Lehigh Valley Railroad in 1969, it deteriorated until Ray Shaver began its restoration in 1982.

Today the depot has been restored to the 1910 period, and contains a variety of railroad artifacts and memorabilia. The Depot is home to an HO scale railroad depicting the northern Tioga County segment of the Lehigh Valley RR, and a real restored caboose. The waiting room displays are changed from time to time.

Depot Friday Nights have provided entertainment since 2004.



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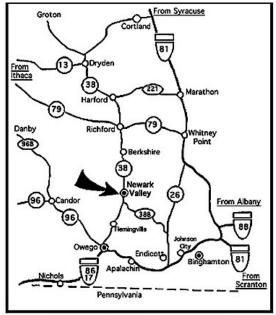
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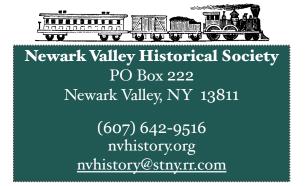
Directions to the Depot:

Take Route 38 to Newark Valley.
Turn west at traffic light onto Water St.
Cross the old trestle bridge.
Bear right onto Whig Street.
Go one block; turn left onto Depot St.



<u>Bement-Billings Farmstead Museum</u>

Route 38, 1 mile north of the traffic light in Newark Valley





Newark Valley Historical Society's Depot Friday Nights 2024



- Free Admission
- Refreshments available
- June + July: Depot opens 6 PM
- June + July: Shows at 7 PM
- August: Depot opens 5;30 PMAugust: Shows at 6:30 PM



JUNE

June 7 The Tarps

Classic rock & roll of the '50's thru '80's: Bill Haley, Billy Joel, Little Richard, Elvis, Beatles, Jethro Tull...



June 14 Donna & the Country Mystics

Classic country songs from Dolly Parton, Hank Williams, Patsy Cline, Merle Haggard, et. al.



June 21 Little Big Band

Seven-piece band plays swing, doo wop, rock & roll, and pop music.



June 28 The Stoutmen

Powerful rebel songs, jovial drinking songs, toe tapping reels, and beautiful Irish ballads.



JULY

July 5 Ryan Wilson

Sings hits from *Elvis*, *Dean Martin*, *Johnny Cash*, *Zac Brown Band*, *CCR*, *Garth Brooks*, and more.



July 12 Ain't Misbehavin'

Dance band plays a wide range of music: big band, jazz, pop, rock, polka, and more



July 19 Dean Goble Band

Bluegrass, Southern rock, swing, and all-time great country music.



July 26 Pat Kane & West o'Clare

"The Balladeer of the S.Tier" plays traditional, toe-tapping Irish music.



AUGUST

NEW TIMES for August: Depot opens 5:30 PM Shows 6:30-8:30 PM

August 2 Rick Pedro

Astonishing ragtime piano! Modern classics and patriotic standards.



August 9 The Horseshoe Lounge Playboys

Acoustic backwoods Americana rocking roots music.



August 16 Tom & Marie

Cover tunes from the '60s and '70s on acoustic guitar and bass.



August 23 Rick Marsi

"Panama: A Tent Camp Adventure" Photography by local naturalist and author.



August 30 Greg Neff

Singer & songwriter plays music of the '60's and '70's.

