

# 2006 READERS' CHOICE AWARDS



THE RIVER REPORTER OFFICIAL BALLOT

## RULES

**HOW TO VOTE** 1) Write your choices for categories listed. 2) Include complete name & town of establishment or business, person and place you are voting for. 3) PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY 4) Best Choice Vote must be people, places and things in Sullivan & Orange Counties of N.Y., Wayne & Pike Counties of PA.

**HOW TO ENTER** No purchase necessary - additional ballots with entry forms available at The River Reporter office, 93 Erie Ave., Narrowsburg, NY. **LIMIT - ONE BALLOT PER PERSON!** Ballot with entry form must be completed with the full name, address & phone number of voter. All ballots MUST be received by October 31, 2006. Employees of The River Reporter, Stuart Communications, Inc., and their families may vote but are not eligible to win prizes.

**HOW TO WIN PRIZES** All ballots with entry forms will be included in a random drawing for prizes listed on entry form. Drawing will be held January, 2007. No duplicate winners. Chances to win are determined by number of entries. Best Winners will be notified by January, 2007.

## BEST BUSINESSES & SERVICES

- Ambulance Squad \_\_\_\_\_
- Animal Shelter \_\_\_\_\_
- Antique Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Appliance Store \_\_\_\_\_
- ATV's \_\_\_\_\_
- Auto Parts Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Auto Service Station \_\_\_\_\_
- Baby/Kids Clothing Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Bait & Tackle Shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Bakery \_\_\_\_\_
- Bank \_\_\_\_\_
- Beverage Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Boat Dealer \_\_\_\_\_
- Bookstore \_\_\_\_\_
- Car Rental \_\_\_\_\_
- Carpet & Flooring Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Cellular Service \_\_\_\_\_
- Chamber of Commerce \_\_\_\_\_
- Civic Club or Organization \_\_\_\_\_
- Collectibles Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Convenience Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Dance School \_\_\_\_\_
- Dog Grooming \_\_\_\_\_
- Elder Care Facility \_\_\_\_\_
- Eye Care Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Farm Equipment Retailer \_\_\_\_\_
- Farm Market \_\_\_\_\_
- Fire Department \_\_\_\_\_
- Fitness Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Florist \_\_\_\_\_
- Funeral Parlor \_\_\_\_\_
- Furniture Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Gas Station \_\_\_\_\_
- Garden Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Gift Shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Grocery Store/Supermarket \_\_\_\_\_
- Hardware Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Health Food Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Heating Oil Company \_\_\_\_\_
- Home Improvement Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Hospital/Medical Facility \_\_\_\_\_
- Hot Tub Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Insurance Agency \_\_\_\_\_
- Internet Provider \_\_\_\_\_
- Jewelry Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Kennel \_\_\_\_\_
- Kid's Camp \_\_\_\_\_
- Kitchen Supply Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Knit Shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Laundromat \_\_\_\_\_
- Limo Service \_\_\_\_\_
- Liquor Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Lumberyard \_\_\_\_\_
- Mattress Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Medical Supply Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Men's Clothing \_\_\_\_\_
- Mobile Homes \_\_\_\_\_
- Mortgage Company \_\_\_\_\_
- Motorcycles \_\_\_\_\_
- Music Store \_\_\_\_\_
- New Car Dealership \_\_\_\_\_
- Outdoor Recreation Equipment Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Pet Shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Pharmacy \_\_\_\_\_
- Photography Studio \_\_\_\_\_
- Pool & Swimming Supplies \_\_\_\_\_
- Pottery Studio \_\_\_\_\_
- Rental Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Real Estate Office \_\_\_\_\_
- Spa or Personal Pampering \_\_\_\_\_
- Specialty Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Sporting Goods Shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Storage Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Tattoo Parlor \_\_\_\_\_
- Tire Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Towing Service \_\_\_\_\_
- Trash Collection Service \_\_\_\_\_
- Tuxedo Rentals \_\_\_\_\_
- Used Car Dealership \_\_\_\_\_
- Veterinarian Clinic \_\_\_\_\_
- Video Store \_\_\_\_\_
- Well Driller \_\_\_\_\_
- Women's Clothing \_\_\_\_\_
- Yoga Center \_\_\_\_\_
- Youth Program \_\_\_\_\_

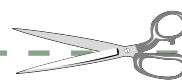
## BEST PEOPLE (list name plus employer & phone number)

- Accountant \_\_\_\_\_
- Architect \_\_\_\_\_
- Auto Mechanic \_\_\_\_\_
- Bank Teller \_\_\_\_\_
- Bartender \_\_\_\_\_
- Builder \_\_\_\_\_
- Butcher \_\_\_\_\_
- Carpenter \_\_\_\_\_
- Car Salesman \_\_\_\_\_
- Chef \_\_\_\_\_
- Chiropractor \_\_\_\_\_
- Clergy \_\_\_\_\_
- Coach \_\_\_\_\_
- Customer Service \_\_\_\_\_
- Dentist \_\_\_\_\_
- Doctor \_\_\_\_\_
- Electrician \_\_\_\_\_
- Hairdresser \_\_\_\_\_
- Hearing Care Specialist \_\_\_\_\_
- Holistic Practitioner \_\_\_\_\_
- Interior Decorator \_\_\_\_\_
- Landscape Designer \_\_\_\_\_
- Lawyer \_\_\_\_\_
- Local Artist \_\_\_\_\_
- Local Author \_\_\_\_\_
- Local Musician/Band \_\_\_\_\_
- Local News Columnist \_\_\_\_\_
- Local Photographer \_\_\_\_\_
- Massage Therapist \_\_\_\_\_
- Nurse \_\_\_\_\_
- Ob/Gyn \_\_\_\_\_
- Pediatrician \_\_\_\_\_
- Physical Therapist \_\_\_\_\_
- Plumber \_\_\_\_\_
- Politician \_\_\_\_\_
- Postmaster \_\_\_\_\_
- Principal \_\_\_\_\_
- Printer \_\_\_\_\_
- Real Estate Agent \_\_\_\_\_
- Radio Personality \_\_\_\_\_
- Salesperson \_\_\_\_\_
- Taxidermist \_\_\_\_\_
- Teacher \_\_\_\_\_
- Waitress/Waiter \_\_\_\_\_
- Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_

## PRIZES GALORE! ENTER TO WIN!

## BEST PLACES FOR FOOD & DRINK

- Appetizers \_\_\_\_\_
- Bar \_\_\_\_\_
- Barbecue \_\_\_\_\_
- Breakfast \_\_\_\_\_
- Brunch \_\_\_\_\_
- Buffalo Wings \_\_\_\_\_
- Buffet/Smorgasbord \_\_\_\_\_
- Caterer \_\_\_\_\_
- Cheesecake \_\_\_\_\_
- Cheese Steak Sandwich \_\_\_\_\_
- Chicken BBQ \_\_\_\_\_
- Chili \_\_\_\_\_
- Chinese Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Coffee House \_\_\_\_\_
- Deli \_\_\_\_\_
- Desserts \_\_\_\_\_
- Diner \_\_\_\_\_
- Dinner \_\_\_\_\_
- Early Bird Special \_\_\_\_\_
- Ethnic Food \_\_\_\_\_
- Family Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Fresh Bread \_\_\_\_\_
- Fresh Meats \_\_\_\_\_
- Gourmet Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Hamburgers \_\_\_\_\_
- Happy Hour \_\_\_\_\_
- Hoagies/Heroes \_\_\_\_\_
- Home Cookin' Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Ice Cream Parlor \_\_\_\_\_
- Italian Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Lunch \_\_\_\_\_
- Martinis \_\_\_\_\_
- New Restaurant (non-chain) \_\_\_\_\_
- Pancake Breakfast \_\_\_\_\_
- Pasta Dish \_\_\_\_\_
- Pizza \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Have Drinks \_\_\_\_\_
- Prime Rib \_\_\_\_\_
- Produce \_\_\_\_\_
- Outdoor Dining \_\_\_\_\_
- Overall Restaurant in Orange County \_\_\_\_\_
- Overall Restaurant in Pike County \_\_\_\_\_
- Overall Restaurant in Sullivan County \_\_\_\_\_
- Overall Restaurant in Wayne County \_\_\_\_\_
- Restaurant with a View \_\_\_\_\_
- Ribs \_\_\_\_\_
- Salad Bar \_\_\_\_\_
- Seafood \_\_\_\_\_
- Soup \_\_\_\_\_
- Steaks \_\_\_\_\_
- Takeout Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Vegetarian Restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Wedding/Specialty Cakes \_\_\_\_\_
- Wine List \_\_\_\_\_
- Wine Shop \_\_\_\_\_



This will be the 11<sup>th</sup> year that The River Reporter has been publishing "The Best". For eleven years now, the people of our communities have voted for things like Best Ambulance Squad to Best Youth Center.

This year we have added some new categories. Our Best Ballot is extensive, 234 to be exact, but you do not have to fill all of them out. We ask that you simply vote for the things you think are the best.

So, again, we thank you for your participation and look forward to receiving your answers.

We will publish our 2006 Best Winners in a special supplement in January, 2007.

**GOOD LUCK TO ALL!**

## BEST PLACES

- Amusement/Fun Parks \_\_\_\_\_
- Art Gallery \_\_\_\_\_
- Atmosphere \_\_\_\_\_
- Bed & Breakfast \_\_\_\_\_
- Bowling Lanes \_\_\_\_\_
- Canoe Livery \_\_\_\_\_
- Campground \_\_\_\_\_
- College \_\_\_\_\_
- Community Festival or Event \_\_\_\_\_
- Date Spot \_\_\_\_\_
- Day Trip \_\_\_\_\_
- Emergency Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Fair \_\_\_\_\_
- Flea Market \_\_\_\_\_
- Historic Site \_\_\_\_\_
- Horseback Riding \_\_\_\_\_
- Library \_\_\_\_\_
- Local Getaway \_\_\_\_\_
- Maternity Unit \_\_\_\_\_
- Most Attractive Building \_\_\_\_\_
- Museum \_\_\_\_\_
- Movie Theatre \_\_\_\_\_
- Neighborhood \_\_\_\_\_
- Night Out \_\_\_\_\_
- Penny Social \_\_\_\_\_
- Place for a Business Lunch \_\_\_\_\_
- Place for a Party \_\_\_\_\_
- Place for Karaoke \_\_\_\_\_
- Place of Worship \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Buy Art \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Hold a Prom \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Meet Singles \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Play Bingo \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Stay \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Take the Kids \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Have a Romantic Dinner \_\_\_\_\_
- Place to Work \_\_\_\_\_
- Playhouse Theatre \_\_\_\_\_
- Private School \_\_\_\_\_
- Radio Station \_\_\_\_\_
- Resort \_\_\_\_\_
- Roller Skating Rink \_\_\_\_\_
- Shopping Area \_\_\_\_\_
- Special Area Attraction \_\_\_\_\_
- Ski Lodge \_\_\_\_\_
- Wedding Reception Location \_\_\_\_\_
- Scenic Drive \_\_\_\_\_
- Youth Center \_\_\_\_\_

## OFFICIAL "BEST" BALLOT ENTRY FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

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