

New Baltimore Democratic Club  
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Dear New Baltimore Neighbor:

We hope you are enjoying your summer, however wet and sticky it may be! We are writing today for two reasons. The first is to introduce ourselves, and to see if you might want to join us. The second is to invite you to a local **Wine and Cheese event on August 22<sup>nd</sup>** so you can meet some of us, as well as a number of candidates we are supporting for office this November.

As you might guess from our name, most of us in the NBDC are enrolled Democrats. But we also are registered Republicans, as well as NOP voters who have no specific party enrollment. Last fall, for example, the NBDC endorsed one Republican, one NOP, and one registered Democrat for town offices here in New Baltimore. ***In the end, we work hard to put people over politics.*** No matter what it says on our voter registration cards, we are all neighbors here in this unique town. We make our homes here, send our kids to local schools, see one another at the grocery store and the post office, and enjoy the many community events and other positive attributes that our beautiful town of New Baltimore has to offer – including its rolling hills, proud agricultural history, and incredible proximity to the banks of the majestic Hudson River.

***If you are interested in getting us to know us better, we hope you will join us at a Wine and Cheese Event on August 22<sup>nd</sup> from 6:30-8 p.m. at the home of Lynda and Bob Knighton.*** The address is 406 Main Street, and we ask you to RSVP to [JanetKKash@aol.com](mailto:JanetKKash@aol.com) with "Wine and Cheese" in the subject line. We expect to have our local candidate for Greene County Legislature, Jim Eckl, in attendance, as well as some other Greene County and state level candidates. Come, meet, mingle and learn about both the NBDC and some of the fine candidates who are running this November to represent you!

Speaking of our County Legislature candidate, retired attorney Jim Eckl has lived in New Baltimore for almost 40 years, is an Army Veteran of the Vietnam War, has served for more than two decades as a local firefighter, and was co-chair of the New Baltimore Zoning Board of Appeals. He was also an assistant Greene County District Attorney, and spent many years as an attorney with the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation working to clean up old toxic waste dumps throughout New York and protecting people from hazardous chemicals in their neighborhoods.

To learn more about the NBDC, visit our website at [www.newbaltimoreDemocrats.org](http://www.newbaltimoreDemocrats.org), and keep checking back for more information about candidates and events as the November 2018 elections draw closer. We hope to see you on August 22<sup>nd</sup>! But if you can't make it, please stay in touch!

***P.S. If you are interested in helping us support our local candidate Jim Eckl this fall, we would welcome a donation! Checks can be made out to the New Baltimore Democratic Club at PO Box 293, New Baltimore, NY 12124, or you can visit the "Donate" section of our website to contribute through PayPal. Keep checking back for news!***