

# Community Center & Café

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**The Vision** is to offer the people in the community of Dryden a relaxed and welcoming environment in which to gather for coffee, conversation, and local information.

**How:** This non-profit venture will be created and staffed by volunteer members of our own community. The café will not only help build personal relationships, but can generate funding for and knowledge of our existing local groups and organizations.

**Where:** In the location formerly known as “Charlie’s” restaurant, on the corner of Rt. 38 & West Main Street. This storefront is both centrally located, rich in history, and our commitment to the downtown can be a step to the revitalization we all would like to see!

## What We Could Offer:

- Book Clubs
- Teen Nights
- Local Artwork
- Parent Groups
- Local History
- Game Nights
- Local Music
- Poetry Readings
- Wireless Access
- Holiday Events
- Local groups and organizations can partner with us to showcase their activities!

## Let's Get Started!

Please come to the **Village Hall** for our first community meeting on:

**Thursday August 23<sup>rd</sup> between 7 and 9 pm**

...listen to what we have in mind, ask questions, and offer your ideas. This project can only happen if community interest and support is there. While we understand that there are many people overcommitted to the needs of their families and/or organizations they currently support, this is a project that has the potential to bring everyone together to benefit all in our community.

There will be no expectations as to what people can offer. Even if it is only an hour a month, an idea, or an unused chair sitting in your basement, everyone is needed. We encourage people to bring their neighbor or organization member and let us know what you would like to see!

Like more information?