


## Ossining Documentary & Discussion Series


### [Hope on the Hudson](#)

Friday, May 17, 6:30 PM

Ossining Public Library, Budarz Theater, 53 Croton Ave, Ossining



# The Ossining Documentary & Discussion Series




**HOPE ON THE HUDSON** is a series of short films focused on good news from our Hudson Valley. Three films follow up Jon Bowermaster's previous series, **'The Hudson, A River at Risk'** with a distinct pivot to optimism. **'City on the Water'** explores New York City's 520-miles of coastline and the efforts across the city to make the waterways healthier more accessible. **'Restoring the Clearwater'** explores the nearly year-long restoration and the return of the ship to the Hudson River to continue to fulfill Pete Seeger's mission to educate and roam America's First River. **'Seeds of Hope'** documents a unique effort during the 2017 harvest to save several varieties of Native American seeds that have nearly gone extinct shows perspective into a multi-year effort to preserve both a rich agricultural heritage and Native American Culture.


OCEANS 8 FILMS PRESENTS

# HOPE ON THE HUDSON


THREE BRAND NEW FILMS ON THE HUDSON RIVER



CITY ON  
THE WATER




RESTORING THE  
CLEARWATER




SEEDS  
OF HOPE


**Post-Screening Q&A with:**



**Erin Doran**  
Senior Staff Attorney  
*Riverkeeper*



**Brooke  
Pickering-Cole**  
Director  
*Hudson Valley Farm Hub*



**Eli Schloss**  
Tideline Program  
Director  
*Hudson River Sloop  
Clearwater*

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OSSINING PUBLIC LIBRARY'S BUDARZ THEATRE @53 CROTON AVE

**6:30PM –Thursday, May 17, 2018**

[www.ossiningdocumentaries.org](http://www.ossiningdocumentaries.org)



## **Showing Up for Racial Justice (SURJ) Westchester**

**Monday, May 21, 7:00pm,  
Katonah United Methodist, Katonah**

Everyone welcome - child-friendly meetings. We meet the third Monday of the month. Next meeting: South Presbyterian Church, Dobbs Ferry. Learn more at [showingupforracialjustice.org](http://showingupforracialjustice.org) and at [facebook.com/SURJwestchester](https://facebook.com/SURJwestchester). Contact: SURJWestchester@gmail.com, 914-295-2527.



**Poor People's Campaign  
Truthful Tuesday and Organizing Meeting  
Tuesday, May 22, 6:30 PM  
WESPAC, 77 Tarrytown Road, Suite 2W, White Plains**

Please join us to develop a strategy for the Poor People's Campaign in Westchester County and view the livestream of events in Washington, DC. The week's action themes are: Linking Systemic Racism and Poverty: Voting Rights, Ending Mass Incarceration, Sanctuary and Justice for Immigrants, and the Mistreatment of Indigenous Communities. Visit <https://www.facebook.com/events/220175652079930/>. Contact: Rev. Joya Colon-Berezin ([Joya@scc-ucc.org](mailto:Joya@scc-ucc.org)). 914.449.6514. Free parking on site - half a mile from White Plains train station



# HOW ***SECURE*** IS YOUR VOTE?

**Tuesday, May 22, 2018**

**7:30PM - 9:00PM**

**Harmon Community Center**

**44 Main Street**

**Hastings on Hudson, NY**

A panel of experts will discuss the current threat to our democracy posed by our vulnerable election systems—and what can be done about it here in NYS

**Lulu Friesdat**, Emmy award-winning journalist & documentary filmmaker, reporting on election reform

**Allegra Dengler**, founder, Citizens for Voting Integrity New York

**Virginia S. Martin**, Columbia County Board of Elections, Democratic Commissioner

Moderator: **Vanessa Merton, Esq.** professor at Pace University

NY Times video: "I Hacked an Election. So Can the Russians."

***Sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Westchester, the League of Women Voters of the Rivertowns, and Citizens for Voting Integrity New York***

*"Our highly computerized election infrastructure is vulnerable to sabotage and even to cyberattacks that could change votes"—Professor J. Alex Halderman, in testimony to the U.S. Senate Intelligence Committee.*





**Protecting the Earth from a Lakota Cultural and Spiritual Perspective**

**Talking Circle with Lessert Moore, Lakota Sundance Chief**

**Wednesday, May 23, 7:00 PM**

**WESPAC, 77 Tarrytown Road, Suite 2W, White Plains**

Lessert Moore is an enrolled member Oglala Lakota Sioux who grew up on the Rosebud and Pine Ridge reservations in South Dakota. He is a Sundance Chief dedicated to sundance ceremony ways for 45 years. His lifetime of service across the US has been dedicated to the mending of "The Sacred Hoop," helping individuals and communities heal, and to the protection of Mother Earth. *Free will offering.*



**#WearOrange Weekend for gun violence awareness, June 1-3**

**National Gun Violence Awareness Day Ceremony, Friday, June 1, 7:30 pm,**

**City Hall Unity Fountain, 40 S Broadway, Yonkers**

**“Wear Orange” meetup at YWCA Yonkers, 87 S Broadway, 6:45 pm**

Join YWCA Yonkers at the proclamation and lighting ceremony to mark National Gun Violence Awareness Day, sponsored and hosted by [Moms Demand Action](#). Mothers, families, and youth (with chaperones) affected by gun violence, and all community members and residents who want to show support, are invited to wear orange and meet at YWCA Yonkers at 6:45 pm to depart together to Unity Fountain. For more information, contact YWCA Yonkers, 914-963-0640 ext. 100, or Moms Demand Action, c/o mifranck1221@gmail.com.