



Let's Do Lunch Speaker Series  
12:00 – 2:00 pm

Reservations must be received five (5) days before the performance. Send a check made payable to the “Town of Amherst” and mail to Town of Amherst, ATTN: Comptroller's Office, 5583 Main Street, Williamsville, NY 14221.

On **Thursday, April 17, 2025**, Carol Ann Harlos, Master Gardener who tends extensive gardens, will share her knowledge on “*The Wonderful World of Herbs.*” She will cover the history, some botany, and uses and give some anecdotes on some of the world’s most interesting herbs. **Menu:** Chicken or beef souvlaki wrap, Greek pasta salad, cake, coffee, tea, and water (\$18/person). **Location:** Buffalo Niagara Heritage Village, 3755 Tonawanda Creek Rd, Amherst, NY 14228.

On **Thursday, May 15, 2025**, Fran Davis, a *Gold Star Mother*, will share information about the organization and her son. Annie Gross, a *Blue Star Mother*, will share the history of the organization both nationally and regionally. Both of these organizations support the families of military service members. **Menu:** Lemon garlic grilled chicken breast, penne alfredo with grilled vegetables, Caesar salad, ice cream, coffee, tea, water (\$18/person) **Location:** Buffalo Niagara Heritage Village, 3755 Tonawanda Creek Rd, Amherst, NY 14228.

On **Thursday, June 19, 2025**, Alan Nowicki, Director of Programming of Roycroft Campus, will tell us stories of the rise, fall, and rebirth of this National Historic Landmark. . **Menu:** Roast beef on plain or kummelweck buns, horseradish, potato salad, green bean casserole, coffee, tea, and water (\$18/person). **Location:** Randall Church, 6301 Main St., Williamsville, NY 14221.

On **Thursday, July 17, 2025**, Daniel F. Korn, who has written several books on the American Civil War, will present. He is a captivating storyteller, being able to educate and entertain his audience at the same time. **Rations:** Turkey Sandwich, Coleslaw, Kettle Chips, Pickle, Fruit, Chocolate Chunk Cookie, and Water (\$18/person). **Location:** Buffalo Niagara Heritage Village, 3755 Tonawanda Creek Rd, Amherst, NY 14228.

On **Thursday, August 21, 2025**, Jack Edson, fabric artist who creates portrait quilts, will present how he juggles pieces of fabric until his masterpiece emerges. **Menu:** Ravioli with Meatballs, Cucumber Tomato Salad, Mixed Garden Vegetables, Cauliflower au Gratin, Ice Cream, Coffee, Tea, and Water (\$18/person). **Location:** Randall Church, 6301 Main St., Williamsville, NY 14221.

On **Thursday, September 18, 2025** Anne Conable is currently President of the Board of Directors of the Buffalo Maritime Center, which is a centerpiece of the statewide commemoration this year of the Erie Canal’s 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary. For this program, she will present “*Story and Symbol: Recreating the Erie Canal Boat Seneca Chief.*” **Menu:** Garlic Roasted Pork Loin, Au Gratin Potatoes, Roasted Seasonal Vegetables, Arugula Salad with Pecans and Raisins, Pie, Coffee, Tea, Water (\$18/person). **Location:** Buffalo Niagara Heritage Village, 3755 Tonawanda Creek Rd, Amherst, NY 14228.

On **Tuesday, October 7, 2025**, Sotto Voce will give a special operatic performance. This will be an evening event from 7:00 – 8:30 pm. **Menu:** Dessert bar, featuring treats from various local bakeries. Gluten free options will be available (\$10/person). **Location:** Randall Church, 6301 Main St., Williamsville, NY 14221.