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Community Music and Arts Block Party

Hoosick Falls, NY—The **Community Music and Arts Block Party** portion of HAYC3's fourth-annual daylong Hoosick Hullabaloo celebration on Saturday, September 29, gets into full swing from 3-6PM, in the HAYC3 Armory. This community gathering follows the morning Hoosick Hues: Color Run (9AM), community art unveiling (10AM), and Basket Bingo (Noon), and will have all sorts of activities, including a kids' zone with games, face painting, goat-petting zoo, and more; fresh festival food; artisan and vendor market; live music by The Nellies; the annual Chowderfest competition; free bike helmets courtesy of Martin, Harding & Mazzotti (while supplies last); bicycle safety demonstration by the Hoosick Falls Police Department; and much more.

A new addition to the Block Party and done in partnership with Healers from Here, will be **"Glow of Gratitude" lanterns**. For \$10 each, you can purchase and decorate a battery-operated lantern to express gratitude for the moments and people, who enrich your lives, remember the spirit of those you miss, and give hope and good wishes for those in need. Lantern-makers are invited to be a part of the Illuminated Parade later in the evening (line up is 7:30PM). To learn more, visit HAYC3.org/hoosick-is-illuminated.

For complete information and various registration forms for Artisan and Vendor Market vendors (deadline September 21) and to enter the Chowderfest competition, please visit HAYC3.org/hoosick-hullabaloo. If you have questions or would like to volunteer your time, please visit us on Facebook (facebook.com/HAYC3NY) or call 518-686-9050. All proceeds from the Block Party benefit HAYC3 programming.

About HAYC3: *HAYC3 (Hoosick Armory, Youth Center, and Community Coalition) is a non-profit organization whose mission is to foster the well-being of our community. This is accomplished through a variety of initiatives including: Rural revival, arts, wellness, youth & community programs; small business incubation; community events and outreach; and community partnerships.*