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Dozens of stores, services and restaurants were nominated by hundreds of people in the community eager to recognize their favorite places. An impressive array of local businesses were contenders for recognition in over 80 categories, a testament to the many excellent professional services and places to eat and shop in our readership area.

Look for the Readers' Choice Award stickers when you're out and about, and check out the businesses in this special section.



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DESSERT:

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Purple Pub

FISH FRY:

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FINE DINING:

DINER:

Jack's Drive-In

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DAILY SPECIALS:

Danny, Purple Pub

BFFR SFIFCTION:

Brown's Brewing Co.

BREAKEAST/BRUNCH[·]

COFFEE/DONUT SHOP:

Patricelli's Deli & Catering

La Posta Brother's Market

Bella Napoli Bakery & Café

FAMILY & KIDS DINING:

Paolo Lombardi's Ristorante

BBO:

ARTISAN SANDWICH:

Dinosaur Bar-B-Oue

ICE CREAM:

Snowman

Karawalli

ITALIAN: **Caffe Italia**

MARGARITAS:

Pancho's MARTINIS

Plumb Ovster Bar

MEXICAN: Pancho's

NFIGHBORHOOD BAR: Forty One Sports Bar & Grille

PATIO SFATING: Park Pub

PI77A: Giuseppe's Pizzeria & Grille

RESTAURANT WORTH THE DRIVE: Lakeview On Crystal Lake

SALAD: Park Pub SEAFOOD:

Reel Seafood Co.

SERVICE: Verdile's Restaurant

SPORTS BAR: Forty One Sports Bar & Grille

STEAKS: Angelo's 677 Prime

SUSHI: Sushi Tei

THAL: Sukhothai

WINGS:

Park Pub

2018 BEST OF THE BEST WINNERS

DENTAL PRACTICE: Dr. Thomas R. Miller. DDS

FYF CARF: **Stasion Evecare**

FITNESS CENTER/GYM: Trov YMCA

HAIR SALON: Christopher Brian Salon

HEARING AID STORE **Hearing Solutions**

HOSPITAL: St. Peter's Hospital

MARTIAL ARTS STUDIO: Master Yang's

MEDICAL PRACTICE: **Community Care Physicians P.C.**

NALL SALON: Nail 7

NATURAL FOOD STORE: Uncle Sam's Good & Natural Products

PHARMACY Marra's Pharmacv

PHYSICAL THERAPIST: **Brunswick Physical Therapy**

PILATES STUDIO: **The Pilates Principal**

SENIOR HOUSING: Eastwyck Village

URGENT CARE: **Community Care Physicians P.C.**

VETERINARIAN: **Brunswick Veterinary Hospital**

YOGA STUDIO: The Hot Yoga Spot

AUTO SERVICE & SALES

AUTO REPAIR: **Di Carlo Auto Body**

NEW CAR DEALER: **Jack Byrne Ford**

OIL CHANGE SHOP: **Stephen Hepp's Auto Service**

TIRE STORE: The Tire Warehouse

USED CAR DEALER: J&J Auto Sales

FOOD & BEVERAGE RETAIL

Bella Napoli Bakery & Café

BANQUET FACILITY: **Franklin Plaza**

BEVERAGE CENTER: **Beverage Mart**

Fred The Butcher

Troy Waterfront Farmer's Market

FARMSTEAD: **Calhoun's Farm Stand**

Exit 9 Wine & Liquor Warehouse

BAKERY:

BUTCHER SHOP:

FARMER'S MARKET:

WINE & LIOUOR STORE:

FRIED CHICKEN: Hattie's Chicken Shack HAPPY HOUR. **Bootlegger's On Broadway**



A/C HEATING SERVICE COMPANY: Long Energy

APPLIANCE STORE: Earl B. Feiden Appliance

B A S E M E N T S : Adirondack Basement Systems

BUILDER: Rosewood Home Builders

CARPET CLEANING: J&R's Drapery & Carpet Cleaning

DRIVEWAY INSTALL & RESURFACE: **Bob Talham Inc.**

ELECTRONICS STORE: Trojan Electronic Supply Co., Inc.

FLOORING/CARPET STORE: Carpet One Floor & Home

HARDWARE STORE: **True Value**

HOME IMPROVEMENT: Huff 'N Puff

LANDSCAPER: Pearl Landscaping & Patio Company

LIGHTING STORE: Wolberg Lighting Design & Electrical Supply

NURSERY & GARDEN: Colonial Acres Nurserv

POOL & SPA: Concord Pools & Spas

REAL ESTATE AGENCY: Heer Realty



ART GALLERY: Morningside Gallery

CHILDREN'S VENUE: Billy Beez

CIGAR SHOP: Habana Premium Cigar Shoppe

ENTERTAINMENT VENUE: Curtain Call Theatre Inc

golf course: **Frear Park**

HOTEL: Best Western Plus Franklin Square Inn Troy/Albany

LIVE MUSIC VENUE: Saratoga Performing Arts Center

MUSEUM: Children's Museum of Science & Technology

SKIING/SNOWBOARDING: Gore Mountain

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SHOPPING & SERVICES

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BOOK STORE: Market Block Books

BOUTIQUE: The Shoppe

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COIN & GOLD EXCHANGE: Ferris Coin Co.

D A Y C A R E : **Kiddie Academy Of Latham**

DRY CLEANING: Sunshine Cleaners

FLORIST: Pawling Flower Shop

FUNERAL HOME: Riverview Funeral Home GIFT STORE: Marra's Pharmacy

INSURANCE AGENCY: Nicoll & Mac Chesney Inc.

JEWELRY STORE: Glennpeter Jewelers

MUSICAL/INSTUMENTAL STORE: Parkway Music

PET GROOMING: Animal House

PET SUPPLY: Henry Loves Betty

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PRIVATE SCHOOL: Sacred Heart School

TAXI: **Uber**

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