



Owlbert Einstein balloon

Balloon Fest starts Thursday

By Cathy DeDe

Chronicle Managing Editor

The 45th annual Adirondack Balloon Festival kicks off in Glens Falls on Thursday, Sept. 21 — with the opening launch in Crandall Park followed by the annual balloon festival block party downtown.

In the park, after a brief opening ceremony at 5 p.m., 20 balloons are scheduled to launch at

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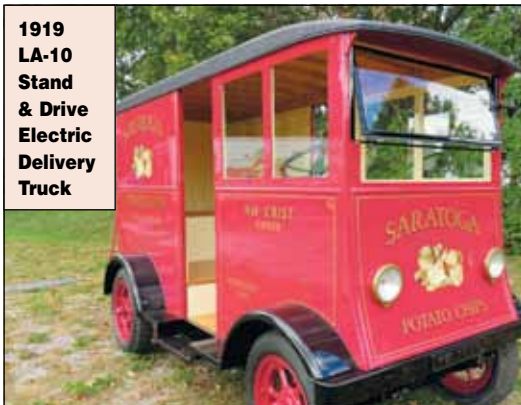


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Camille Thurman, Sunday at 1

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SGF parade saved

By Gordon Woodworth

Chronicle News Editor

"The South Glens Falls Holiday Parade is a 38-year tradition, and I can't let it die," said Meg Quinn.

The 28-year-old nurse, mother of two and 2007 South High grad stepped in and will organize it

working with the South Glens Falls Fire Company, Mrs. Quinn told *The Chronicle* exclusively Tuesday.

The parade, a South Glens Falls mainstay since the Joy Store launched it in 1980, will be renamed the "South Glens Falls Fire

Company Holiday Parade sponsored by Carriage Traders."

It's set for 1 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 19 — the traditional Sunday before Thanksgiving. **The theme and grand marshal** will be announced next week, she said.

"Carriage Traders is the main sponsor, the Regional Radio

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Meg Quinn, 28, to the rescue. **Parade will be Nov. 19.**
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