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## NIH: The tick uptick

From the National Institutes of Health

**Bites from infected ticks are responsible for about a half-million new illnesses each year** in the U.S.

And those numbers are rising. **Lyme disease is by far the most common.** It accounts for more than 80% of tickborne illnesses nationwide. **Other tick-related diseases include babesiosis, tularemia, and anaplasmosis.**

Symptoms of these infections can range from mild rashes and

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Long Lake Facebook

## Long Lake got hit hard

Glens Falls-Lake George dodged much of the predicted deluge from the early week storms, but **parts of the Adirondacks to the north, Vermont to the east and the Hudson Valley to the south were hit hard** with serious flooding and heavy damage. **Photo: Long Lake in Hamilton County** declared a State of Emergency effective Tuesday, July 11, at 1 a.m.

## Fireworks firm's drone show

By Hannah Hughes  
Chronicle Summer Staff

Santore World Famous Fireworks, the company that does fireworks for Lake George Village, has branched into drones, forming a separate company, Amazing Drone Shows.

"A drone show consists of multiple drones that... have their own independent light system on them... We can put them in the air, and we can

make shapes, images, logos, words, anything you could possibly imagine," **Jeff Ward**, general manager of Santore's World Famous Fireworks and manager of Amazing Drone Shows, **told The Chronicle.**

They've recently put on shows at Saratoga National and in At-

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**First LG drone show July 13, to accompany fireworks; can be quiet alternative**

## Smile for the chopper

Peak photos by Carl Heilman II taken from a helicopter are a tradition of the Lake George Land Conservancy Hike-a-Thon.



The Lake George Land Conservancy said **700 people at 18 locations hiked** and participated in other ways **at this year's 11th annual Lake George Hike-a-Thon**, including The Chronicle's **Cathy DeDe** who took this photo

## GF has enough lifeguards; Moreau had to cut beach days

By Cathy DeDe & Hannah Hughes  
Managing Editor & Summer Staff

Glens Falls has enough lifeguards, and its Haviland's Cove beach on the Hudson River is open full-time — 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. every day, interim Recreation Director Amy Collins told *The Chronicle*. "Our new aquatics direc-

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## LG mascot vote: Owls, Islanders, Falcons, Lakers

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