

Camphill Hudson's community dinners to return in September

HUDSON — Thanks to funding awarded this month by the Ackerman Foundation, Camphill Hudson's community dinners, once a weekly staple at Solaris, 360 Warren St., Hudson, will be returning later this summer, as a monthly event open to the general public.

Camphill Hudson volunteers and community-members worked together to offer the community dinners weekly for many years leading up to the pandemic. The dinners were a social melting pot — our community mingled with other Hudson locals, people in need and people of varying abilities from other service-providers. The grant from the Ackerman Foundation will go toward supplies for the monthly dinners. We are scheduling the dinners to be held on the first Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m., starting Sept. 5. Follow us on Instagram and Facebook and sign up at camphillhudson.org to receive emails for more updates.

Our sponsor, the Ackerman Foundation, was established by David Ackerman, a local businessman and philanthropist, prior to his unexpected passing in January 2022. The Foundation looks to carry on his goal of improving lives and opportunities locally while focusing on activities that build community capability and enjoyment. Camphill Hudson expresses immense gratitude for their support.

In the past, Camphill Hudson also relied heavily on volunteer help to prepare and clean up after these dinners, which were often for 50 or more people. Let us know if you are interested in volunteering.