



Paul Lawrence

Paul A. Lawrence is general manager of the Holiday Inn in Oneonta.

He and his family moved to Oneonta two years ago from Gainesville, Fla., due to a transfer with his company, Charter One Hotels Inc.

He is graduate of Concord University in Athens, W.Va., with a degree in travel industry management.

Lawrence is a first-year member on the board of directors and serve on the Tourism Committee.

Lawrence is his wife, Cherie, have four boys, Taharen, 13, Anthony, 8, Zyeir, 5, and Kar'ri, 4, which keeps them very active in school functions and sporting events.

He has been the manager of Country Club Minor League Baseball Team for two seasons, and supports Oneonta High School athletics as a member of the Booster Club.

The Lawrences purchased a house in Oneonta and live in a neighborhood that has made them feel welcome, he said.

Rachel Lutz Jessup

Rachel Lutz Jessup is banking officer and branch manager for NBT Bank of Oneonta.

Jessup was born and raised in Oneonta, daughter of Sayers and Joan Lutz, who have both been active members of the Otsego County Chamber.

Jessup has been in the banking profession since 1986, the last six years with NBT Bank. She graduated from Oneonta High School and has her Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from Alfred University.

Jessup is a board member for the Future

of Oneonta Foundation, treasurer and active member of Main Street

Oneonta, a member (and first female member) of the Oneonta Rotary Club and a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Oneonta.

This is Jessup's first year on the Chamber Board of Directors and first year on its Executive Committee. She has also been and continues to be an active member of the Special Projects Committee.

Jessup lives in Oneonta with her twin daughters, Kacey and Jamie, and her son, Andrew.



Marc Kingsley

Marc Kingsley is a native upstate New Yorker and the owner/innkeeper of the Inn at Cooperstown, a 17-room restored historic hotel located in downtown Cooperstown. He is responsible for all daily aspects of running

and managing the hotel.

He served in the U.S. Air Force for 10 years before receiving an honorable discharge and



moving to Atlanta, Ga. He met his wife, Sherrie, in Georgia, and she persuaded him to move back to upstate New York. They now live in Cherry Valley.

He

serves on the Otsego County Chamber Board of Directors and is president of the Cooperstown Chamber of Commerce.

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