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# New Paltz Climate Smart

### Welcome!

Welcome to the New Paltz Climate Smart Newsletter! We are gathering more and more people that want to be informed about the progress of New Paltz Climate Smart and we want to provide a format to share opportunities that there are for action. We hope that this newsletter will succinctly keep you up to date and inspire your involvement.

### Join us for Community Potluck on May 10<sup>th</sup>!

# **COMMUNITY POTLUCK**



### **New Paltz Climate Smart Launch!**

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### Meetup

## New Paltz Climate Change Solutions Meetup

Looking to gather with other like-minded climate activists from the greater New Paltz area who are committed to lifestyle changes that help mitigate and adapt to climate change? We can cover a wide variety of topics and learn from each other. Topics might include shifting to a plant based diet, selecting an EV, energy saving ideas, selecting and buying travel offsets, etc. Our first Meetup is Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup>.

Electrify My Drive : Electric Vehicle Basics Tuesday, May 7, 2019 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM Rosendale Cafe, 434 Main St, Rosendale, NY 12472



Have you thought about getting an EV (Electric Vehicle)? Are you hesitant to make the leap from fossil fuel to electric cars? This meetup will be an opportunity to hang out with EV owners and other folks who are in the same boat as you. Samrat Pathania, a local teacher and EV enthusiast, will talk about selecting, driving, and charging an electric car as well as the ecological and financial reasons to switch to EVs. We would love to see your EV if you already have one. Come to share your EV experiences! Bring your questions too!

We are meeting at a table reserved for us at the Rosendale Cafe. Feel free to order dinner, dessert and/or a beverage while we talk! If you drive an EV there is an EV charging station for you in the parking lot behind the Rosendale Theatre.

For more information about these events or anything related to New Paltz Climate Smart, please contact Janelle Peotter, Climate Smart Coordinator at <u>janellepeotter@gmail.com</u> or call her cell phone at 920-883-1788