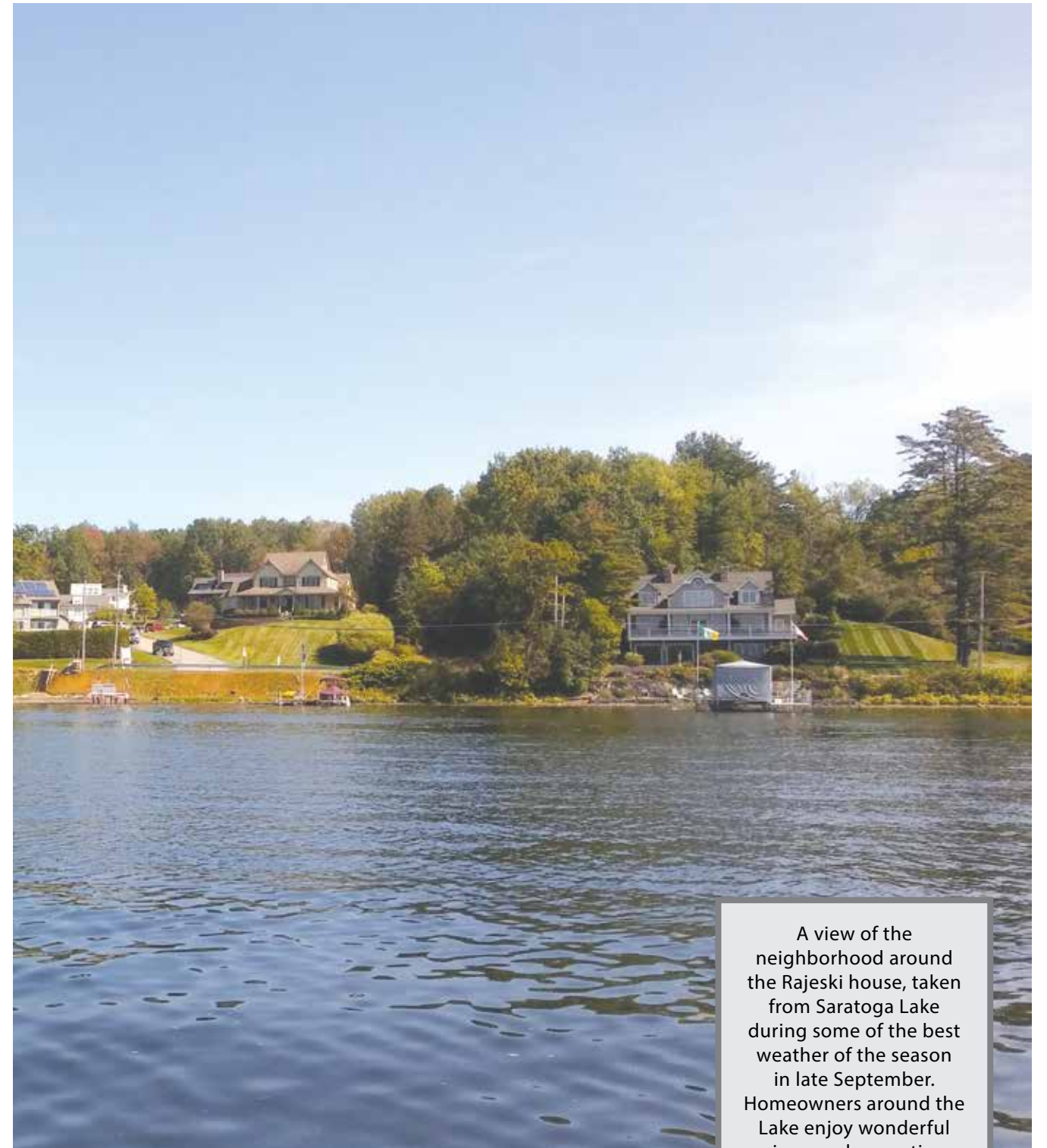


Lakefront Living at its Finest



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Scott Rajeski is a living, breathing answer to the trivia question “name someone who has worked for the Big 3 of Capital Region manufacturing companies, GE, Momentive and GLOBALFOUNDRIES.” He also is the CFO for Latham Pool Products and former Chairman of the Chamber of Southern Saratoga County. He can now add Saratoga Lake homeowner to the list, because as visitors to the recent Saratoga Showcase



A view of the neighborhood around the Rajeski house, taken from Saratoga Lake during some of the best weather of the season in late September. Homeowners around the Lake enjoy wonderful views and recreation all season long, and the Saratoga Lake Association maintains good stewardship practices in advocating for its waters.

of Homes found out, Scott has had an amazing house built overlooking one of the most beautiful of upstate New York lakes. Born and raised in nearby Mechanicville in a home constructed by his great-grandfather, he has been an active force in industry for several decades, and is now enjoying the fruits of that labor in his new home along with wife Cindy, and all the friends that can be accommodated at their new basement bar!



The Rajeski house was one of the showstoppers during the Saratoga Showcase of Homes, and swept all the major awards in the process!

Built by Dave DePaulo of Bella Home Builders in Saratoga Springs, Scott's new house has a commanding view of Saratoga Lake, a broad array of modern amenities and 4,160 square feet of living space. The home has soaring 20 foot ceilings, solid beams and three floor-to-ceiling fireplaces. Not all homes on Saratoga Lake may be this lovely, but they all have one thing in common – a view of beautiful waters

Scott Rajeski (left) joins the author and Dave DePaulo of Bella Home Builders (right) behind "the best bar on Saratoga Lake" for a celebratory toast during the Showcase of Homes.



and the distant Adirondack Mountains. And whether it be lakefront living you are seeking or other great possibilities, there is plenty of space in Saratoga County for you to build your dream home! Visit www.saratogashowcaseofhomes.com or www.southernSaratoga.org for more information, or stop by the Southern Saratoga Information Center on the I-87 Northway between Exits 9 and 10 in Clifton Park.

Beautiful stone fireplaces serve as focal points in the home's living spaces, an elegant touch. Note the high degree of craftsmanship evident in the stonework and woodwork throughout the room.

A view that never gets old: Looking out on the covered porch and the Lake in the distance, from one of the bedrooms.

