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#### Library of the Year

Each year the New Hampshire Library Trustees Association (NHLTA) recognizes libraries that have contributed to the excellence of New Hampshire library service in an extraordinary manner. This year the NHLTA has chosen the Tucker Free Library as Library of the Year!! Representatives from NHLTA and the greater NH library community will make the presentation on November 1, 2018 at 7PM. The public is welcome to join the trustees and staff in celebrating this award. After a brief ceremony there will be light refreshments.

#### **Mick Costello retirement**

Henniker Deputy Chief Mick Costello, a 17 year veteran of the department, has

retired. He was the fire inspector, training officer and daytime supervisor. Mick was offered an



incredible opportunity to join the City of Concord as a Training Captain for the Concord Fire Department. Mick will remain serving the Town of Henniker as a call fire fighter.

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Weare's Cub Scout Pack 24 held its annual Cub Car Race sponsored by All Star Towing. First Place goes to Dwight Lentsch (center), 2nd place to Jack Ouellette (left), and 3rd place to Lenny Provencher (right).

## Ali's Goffstown Allies

#### Entire school supporting classmate's recovery

Ali Haque, 14, of Goffstown has been fighting leukemia for years. Last Friday, Goffstown High School gave him a joyful sendoff as he went in for his final round of chemotherapy. Classmates lined the halls to cheer on Ali as he left for his last chemotherapy treatment.

Ali was 11 when he was diagnosed with leukemia, starting a string of doctor visits and

medical procedures.

His mother said the family has held on to each other and to the community that has helped them through this. Ali has had three firefighter sports buddies through the Children's Hospital at Dartmouth, and Friday, he got a limo ride and a police escort to the hospital.

#### Hillsboro teen arrested with firearm and drugs

On September 26th, Officer Fosher of the Hooksett Police Department stopped a vehicle on West River Rd. for multiple line violations. Fosher identified the driver of the vehicle as Alan Clark, 18, of Hillsboro. While Fosher was speaking with Clark and his female passenger, he noticed both parties appeared nervous and were giving inconsistent stories. When he be-

gan speaking with Clark outside of his vehicle, Fosher discovered a loaded 9MM pistol in his waistband. Fosher then conducted a pat down of Clark and discovered 3 baggies containing approximately 9 grams of methamphetamine. Clark was placed under arrest and charged with a felony level possession of a controlled drug. Clark was released on Personal Recognizance.



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#### Hillsborough and Jaffrey men sustain injuries in Hancock accident

On September 26th, the Hancock Police responded to a two-car collision on Concord Road south of the Forest Road intersection. Initial investigation shows that a construction work zone had been established in the area. A red 2003 Ford F-150, operated by Dennis Campbell, 63, of Jaffrey was southbound on Route 202 in the work zone.

He passed through the Forest Road intersection when he encountered a marked flagger attempting to stop traffic. Witness reports indicate that Campbell applied his brakes heavily attempting to stop at the last minute but went by the flagger. A 2004 Dodge Ram, operated by Thomas Houghton, 21, of Hillsborough traveling behind Campbell in the same direction, was unable to stop, striking the rear of Campbell's vehicle before coming to a stop. Campbell's vehicle continued southbound for several hundred feet before leaving the right side of the road striking a tree head on. Campbell's vehicle sustained extensive damage to the front and rear. Houghton's vehicle sustained substantial damage to the front end.

An emergency life flight helicopter was requested as officers arrived on scene. A landing zone was set up at the Hancock Elementary School but was later diverted to Monadnock Community Hospital in Peterborough. Campbell was transported to MCH by the Peterborough Ambulance with serious, life threatening injuries where he was subsequently flown by helicopter to UMASS in Worcester. Campbell is listed in critical condition.

Houghton sustained minor injuries, was checked out and signed off with EMS personnel. The flagger sustained minor injuries from flying debris and was transported to Monadnock Hospital to be treated.

The Hancock Police were assisted at the scene by Hancock Fire/Rescue, Peterborough Ambulance, and the Greenfield Police. Route 202 was closed for an hour and a half. The NH Department of Trans-

portation and PIKE Construction provided traffic control. The crash remains under investigation. Anyone with information, or anyone who may have witnessed the crash, is encouraged to contact the Hancock Police at 525-4102.



As we go to press, Campbell remains in intensive care.

#### Testerman defeats incumbent Zink by a single vote

In the only contested race on the Franklin ballot Tuesday night, Karen Testerman won the Ward 2 city council seat over incumbent Olivia Zink by just a single vote. The contest came on the heels of the city's attempts to close another \$1 million gap in the school district's budget. Ultimately, Testerman, a radio host and retired educator, had the open support of Mayor Tony Giunta, a staunch supporter of the city's tax cap. In an election which drew only 14% of registered voters in Ward 2, Testerman said she believed her 99-98 victory's a result of her support for the tax cap.

Zink, advocated for Franklin to join in a lawsuit against the state over the way it funds schools, especially property poor cities and towns like Franklin. Testerman, on the other hand, believes a lawsuit would just spend more money that the city doesn't have and that they should focus on more immediate options. Testerman has advocated consolidating the city and school's finance departments which the school board has resisted. A recount is set for October 10th.

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reduce the risk of heart disease in people with type 2 diabetes. People with type 2 diabetes are at high risk of cardiovascular-related events, such as heart attacks, stroke, and even death, often because their levels of triglycerides are so high, and their high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol levels are low.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved Ocrevus (ocrelizumab) to treat adult patients with relapsing forms of multiple sclerosis (MS) and primary progressive multiple sclerosis (PPMS). This is the first drug approved by the FDA for PPMS. MS is a chronic, inflammatory, autoimmune disease of the central nervous system that disrupts communication between the brain and other parts of the body. It is among the most common causes of neurological disability in young adults and occurs more frequently in women than men. For most people with MS, episodes of worsening function (relapses) are initially followed by recovery periods (remissions). Over time, recovery may be incomplete, leading to progressive decline in function and increased disability. Most people experience their first symptoms of MS between the ages of 20 and 40. PPMS is characterized by steadily worsening function from the onset of symptoms, often without early relapses or remissions. The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimates that approximately 15 percent of patients with MS have PPMS.

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#### October 6, 2017

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#### September 30, 2016

New plan & timetable for Bradford Town Hall Donation of Hillsborough Center church offered to town Contoocook's Indigo Blues faces Purple Purse Challenge Northfield man homeless after Sunday morning fire

#### October 2, 2015

Who plows the New Boston School?
Five Bow business burglaries in one night
Franklin City Council amends Ethics Policy
Weare Selectmen seek comments on noise ordinance

#### October 3, 2014

Monier wants better first impression for Goffstown Franklin fire ravages convenience store Deering couple arrested for kidnapping & assault Grand Jury indicts three Antrim men

#### October 4, 2013

Violette's Supermarket closing in Newport Man jumps out of moving vehicle to avoid arrest Former Bennington man killed in Afghanistan Warner man's body found on Mt. Sunapee

#### October 5, 2012

H-D's Heidi Welch named "NH Teacher of the Year"
Peterborough woman facing felony DWI
Bradford highway controversy simmers
New London employee grows pot on town property

#### October 7, 2011

Antrim Girls' Shelter to close
Newport seeks competition for Shaws Supermarket
Paul Brown named Newport Manager
New London considers Facilities Coordinator

#### October 8, 2010

Weare woman assaults arresting officers
Hillsborough's Stone Arch Bridge project continues
AG exonerates Weare Officer
Grand jury indicts Bennington teenager

#### October 2, 2009

Route 202's "Death Alley" claims another life Bomb threat at ConVal High School Peterborough Police looking for child abductor New Kearsarge Middle School running smoothly

#### October 3, 2008

Deering Police discover marijuana plants Sunapee officer retires after 50 years' work Voluntary fingerprinting controversy in Bennington Hopkinton rejects privatizing ambulance

#### Hillsborough begins plans for \$650,000 West Main Street sidewalks

In 2017 the Town voted in favor of accepting a \$520,000 grant which covers 80% of the \$650,000 cost to build a sidewalk along West Main Street to connect the existing sidewalks from the westerly limits of the downtown area to approximately 600 feet east of Bible Hill Road. It will be constructed at the end of the downtown central business district to the area of Shaws Market.

The sidewalk is currently in the engi-

#### **SUV** hits utility pole in Antrim

An SUV driven by Laura Schwertz, 43, of Rindge swerved off Main Street/Route 202 and crashed into a pole last Friday afternoon which kept Antrim's Main Street closed until Saturday morning. An officer responded when a 911 caller reported an erratic driver. Schwertz had crashed into a utility pole in front of Trends of Fashion hair salon. Schwertz was conscious and alert and was taken to Monadnock Community Hospital with minor injuries. Authorities say whether she was driving erratically and what caused the crash are under investigation.

neering phase of the project and as part of that phase, Scott Bourcier, an engineer with DuBois & King hosted a "Local Concerns Meeting" to solicit public input on the feasibility of extending the sidewalks along this area.

Bourcier stressed that nothing has yet been decided, whether it will be on the

north or south side of the road, or if it will be raised and curbed or street level. He said the project would start on October 1st, to be completed by Februray of 2019. It would be sent out for bid in February 2020 with construction to begin in May 2020.

He expects to hold another public meeting in January to present the findings.



Scott Bourcier of DuBois & King explains the process.



#### TOWN OF HENNIKER BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

#### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

October 17, 2018

The Town of Henniker Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on 10/17/2018 at 7 pm at Town Hall, 18 Depot Hill Rd, Henniker NH.

Case: ZBA:2018:04 Request for Special Exception under Article XVI, Section 133-72 Non-conforming Uses, to allow for an expansion of a non-conforming use (campground) to permit the use of five camp sites to be used during the winter months for winter camping and allow for the addition of five cabins that could be used for short term stays no longer than 30 days, Owner/ Applicant Leonard-5, Inc (Keyser Pond Campground), 1739 Old Concord Road, Map 1 Lot 619, Zoned CH Heavy Commercial.

Copies of all materials are available for review at Henniker Town Hall during normal business hours. Members of the public are welcome to attend the public hearings.

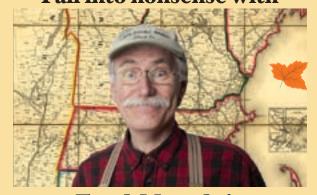
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## Hometown Heroes

#### Warner Fire Department

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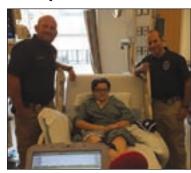
Warner Fire Department, announces the passing of firefighter Rich Stanley. Firefighter Stanley was a member of our department for fifteen years where he served as Captain on our rescue. He continued to serve the people upon his relocation to Bradford. Rich was a friend to many, the man behind the candy dish at Halloween, and the Santa



beard at Christmas. He will be profoundly missed by the friends and family he leaves behind.

#### **Bradford Police Department**

A few weeks after sending him the latest NHL video game, Badges Baseball players, Bradford Police Officers Kevin and Ed visited CHaD Buddy Eli in Boston Monday. Eli has been in the hospital for a few weeks now but he had a good time yesterday beating the guys up in hockey AND football.



#### New Boston Fire Department

At the annual New Hampshire Fire and Emergency Medical Services Committee of Merit Award meeting held recently, four New Boston Fire Department members were among the many fire and EMS personnel honored at the meeting. Rescue Captain Gina Catalano received the 2018 Pamela Mitchell/Richard Conolly EMS Achievement Award for her dedication and commitment to excellence in the EMS service. This was a statewide competition. Receiving awards for 40+ years of service as a firefighter was Dick Moody, and receiving awards for 30+ years as an EMT was Deputy Chief Rod Towne and Lt. Rick Todd. One note, Deputy Chief Rod Towne also had 40+ years as a firefighter, which will be acknowledged at next year's event.

#### **Meeting on Replacing Bridge in Warner**

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) will participate in a combined Public Officials/Selectmen's Meeting to discuss the proposed replacement of the bridge carrying NH Route 127 over Warner River in Warner. This project will be discussed at the regularly scheduled Selectmen's meeting on Wednesday, October 24, 2018, at 6:00 pm at the Warner Town Hall Meeting Room.

#### **McDonald's franchisees present Community Policing Awards**

On Wednesday, McDonald's franchisees across New Hampshire led a fundraising effort to donate \$50,000 to the New Hampshire Association of Chiefs of Police, from 4 to 7 p.m.

All 54 McDonald's restaurants will contribute a percentage of sales to the Association. McDonald's will also recognize several officers throughout the state who go above and beyond in the line of duty as well as those officers who are highly invested in the community.

Those recognized include: Brian Lord, Antrim; Tyler Coady and Matt Pratte,

#### All is good news in Henniker

The Town of Henniker will soon receive a \$9,000 NH Historical Resources Moose Plate Grant to provide air conditioning at the Community Center. The Azalea Park Committee was authorized to proceed with work on the new entrance. The Board approved acceptance of nearly \$5,000 in donations from various citizens and companies for park improvements. Finance Director informed the Board that he is projecting a year end unretained fund balance of \$1.4 million.

Bow; Edward Shaughnessy, Bradford; James Pushee, Deering; Dennis Rector, Franklin; Jon Babcock, Goffstown; Christopher McGillicuddy, Danielle Normand, Christopher Parsons and Mark Philibert, Hillsboro; Shawn Seymour, Newport; and Elizabeth Murry, Tilton. The officers' accomplishments will be featured in future Hometown Heroes sections of The Messenger.



Surrounded by fellow officers, local officers honored by McDonald's on Wednesday included: Sgt Brian Lord-Antrim (third from left), Sgt Christopher Parsons-Hillsboro, Chief James Pushee-Deering, Dective Christopher McGillicudy-Hillsboro and Dective Sgt. Mark Philibert-Hillsboro. Absent was Patrol Officer Danielle Normand-Hillsboro.





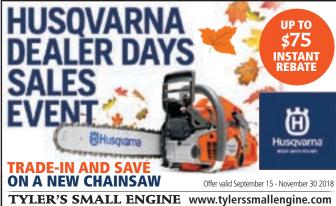
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#### World Quaker Day- 7 October, 2017

Are you curious about Quakers? As a follow-up to the 250th anniversary of the town of Henniker, Weare Henniker Quaker Meeting is sponsoring a "visit to the Quaker District," both the Quaker Meetinghouse and the Quaker schoolhouse nearby on Quaker Street in Henniker from 11:30 am to 3:30 pm. At the meetinghouse you can learn about life of Quakers in Henniker and the world. Several local friends will be ready to answer questions you might have about Quakers plus offer games for kids- historic and present day Quaker styleas well as refreshments. At the schoolhouse, you will find a former student sharing about the school and a mural of life of people in the district in 4 seasons done by the late Willa Brigham, an artist from Henniker. For further information call 478-5650 or 995-4311.

#### **Dunbarton Beards For Bucks Campaign**

Once again, members of the Dunbarton Police Department will be participating in the Granite State Children's Alliances' "Beards for Bucks" campaign on behalf of the Merrimack County Child Advocacy Center (CAC). Officers will be growing out their facial hair during the month of October to raise money and awareness for the Merrimack County CAC. To learn more about the fundraiser or to make a donation on behalf of the Dunbarton Police Department, please visit secure.beardsforbucks.org/registrant/EventHome.aspx

#### Full-Day kindergarten program in Weare?

Want to know more about what full day kindergarten might look like at Center Woods Elementary? There will be two information sessions, the first on October 9 at Center Woods Elementary in the library from 5-6 PM and a second session on October 16 in the library at the Weare Middle School. The ad hoc committee created by the Weare School Board last year to study full day kindergarten for the Weare District will lead the sessions. The committee includes two Weare school board members, a teacher, parent, community member, principal, and assistant superintendent. Discussion will include an explanation of a play-based curriculum, long-term benefits, and what the State of NH contributes to a full day kindergarten program.

### Goffstown Scout wants to construct a bench along the Rail Trail

Eagle Scout Candidate Mark LaJeunesse, of Goffstown, a member of Troop 123 in New Boston, gave the Goffstown Selectmen a presentation of his proposed project. He would like to build a park bench along the rail trail near the rail trail parking lot by the villa ball fields. He and other friends have met there to go for a ride and he found it would be nice to have a bench at this location. He has proposed a pres-

#### Two Bennington men indicted

Two Bennington men were recently indicted in the Hillsborough Superior Court. Brett Flagg, 29, of Bennington, was indicted on charges of first degree assault, second degree assault, and conduct after an accident. He was arrested for hitting a man with a vehicle he was driving in Bennington on June 13th, breaking the man's leg. Flagg then failed to provide information to the injured person or to the police. Max Gershfeld, 27, of Bennington, was indicted on two counts of burglary and a count of robbery after allegedly robbing a Bennington home on June 27. Police say Gershfeld used physical force by taking the homeowner's purse according to court records.

sure treated base with composite seat and back rest. Extra support will be added on seat and back rest. He will install a granite base for the bench to rest on and anchor the bench to the granite base. He explained his plan for fundraising and gave a rough time line for the project.

The Parks & Recreation committee has voted to accept the proposal and recommend the project to go to the Selectmen for approval after a few questions, the Board unanimously voted to approve the Eagle Scout Project, with acceptance of the bench upon completion at a future meeting.



Scout Mark LaJeunesse explains his Eagle Scout Project for the Goffstown Selectmen.





## **Around the towns**



Paul Koleske offered his Fall Concert & Reflections, "Ignite The Light Of Christ Within You" to Saint Theresa's Church in Henniker last Sunday.



Newport Rotary Secretary Bruce Jasper, (r) welcomes the Club's newest member, Det. Lt. Charles Rataj of the Newport Police Department.



The Hopkinton Lions Club completed the Kimball Cabins handicap accessible fishing dock project in time for the Kimball Lake BBQ.



It was a special day at KRES-Bradford on Friday, as each student had the chance to invite a special someone in their lives to lunch in the cafeteria... and lots of special guests came!



Mountain View Middle School students and staff participated in a school wide Summer Reading Book Chat. This year's activity was to create an ABC Book about the book that they read, which are on display in the Information Center.



Hillsboro Lions Club President Leigh Bosse thanks Mayor Tony Giunta for his informative presentation on the importance of electrical infrastructure on the economy.



Henniker Chilifest Chair Marc McMurphy introduced members of the HCS who volunteered at Chilifest and presented them with a cash donation to the school.



Lake Sunapee Protective Association hosted 12 students from the Kantonschule, near Zurich, Switzerland. It was a full day for the students, during which they learned about the Lake Sunapee watershed and invasive species.



Three generations attended the Murdough Family Reunion in Hilsborough last week. (L-R) Alyssa, Jordan, Tyler, Elizabeth, their children, Kailey, Wesley, Taylor, Flynn, Austin, Lisa, Mackenzie, Scott, Tim Simard, Pat Simard, Jackson Simard, Ruthann, Brett, Jaidlyn, and Stacia Murdough.



Cathy Merrill of Sunapee, is off to Turkey to defend her arm wrestling world championship in Turkey.











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## Publisher's Perspective by Leigh Bosse

#### One person can make a difference

Mahatma Gandhi freed the Indian people from British rule. Martin Luther King led the 60's Civil Rights movement that awakened America's conscience. Susan B. Anthony championed women's equality. The dedication and perseverance of these individuals transformed America.

You don't have to go to these lengths to make a difference: Glenn Winters, Don Decowski and Mike Stellato took it upon themselves to form the Peanuts Instructional Soccer League and boys and girls 5,6 and 7 years old now have an organized activity. Ken Matthews did more than

complain about the conditions in Central Square. He took it upon himself to paint the vacant old post office building, greatly improving its appearance.

Jessica Audette single handedly started a program to provide free backpacks and school supplies to needy children. This year over 120 backpacks were donated.

Their efforts may not be the equal of those of Gandhi, King and Anthony, but their contributions have made Hillsborough a better place to live, work and raise a family.

What have you done?



### **Letters to the Editor**

#### To the publisher:

Your "Publisher's Perspective" of 21 September 2018 begs to be commented on for all the errors in it. Items 1 through 5 are very misleading. Yes, it was Republicans who eliminated slavery, allowed blacks to vote, gave citizenship to the former slaves. And yes, a Republican President sent troops to ensure schools were desegregated. But those Republicans were liberals.

Conservatives hold to traditional attitudes and values and are cautious about change or innovation, typically in relation to politics or religion. Does it sound like conservatives wanted the radical change of ending slavery, allowing those former slaves citizenship and the right to vote? Was it a conservative idea to end segregation?

What had changed by 1989 that allowed for the then conservative Republicans to choose Colin Powell for those three different positions in item 6? Think about it.

Item 7 only shows that as long as the candidate spouts strong support for "President" Trump and his policies they will receive the nod from the current conservative Republican Party, even if they are not NH born and raised. Preventing people of a particular religion from entering this country is racism despite saying the action is "for national security." Calling people from south of our border murderers and rapists is prejudicial or racist.

Illegal immigrants are denied food stamps and right to vote. Saying they are

not is flat wrong.

Finally, the weak response to Charlottesville by "President" Trump says a lot about his attitude and that of his far-right racists supporters.

Michael C. Lane North Conway

#### Letter to the Editor

I'm writing this letter to explain why I support Kathy Rago for NH House of Representatives Merrimack 3, Northfield and Franklin Ward 3 and why I feel she has earned our vote. I have known Kathy for around 10 years now and in that time I can honestly say that she has never failed to impress me with her commitment to our community and the welfare of the constituents. For years I have watched Kathy fight to get every NH child the best education possible whether they have special needs or are from a low income home.

In this area I have really seen her shine. I know that all NH children should have Kathy Rago fighting for them to get the best education possible so they have the best future possible.

While we were at a social event where I was introducing Kathy to people who I knew well and she did not, we saw someone approaching who I knew Kathy had different views than, so I briefly told her this persons take on some of the current issues and was so happy to hear Kathy respectfully answering that persons questions, and yet did not change her response just to get a vote. That is just who she is,



## Letters to the Editor

honest and consistent. That was impressive to me.

As a conservative candidate I really applaud the idea that it all boils down to living within our means, that the money comes from tax payers and she takes very seriously that the money should be spent as wisely as it is hard earned. She works hard with our money and I can hear Donna Summers singing in the background. Sorry just had to say that.

Please join me on November 6th in voting for Kathy Rago and the no-nonsense approach that she is known for.

Debbie Auger, Franklin

#### To Voters in District 3:

I urge all Hillsborough District 3 voters to vote for Tim Lord in the upcoming New Hampshire House of Representatives general election on November 6.

I worked with Tim as a board member when he was president of the Hancock Historical Society. I found Tim to be professional, diligent and very capable in how he guided our society through a large and complicated revitalization project.

Tim is not only a long-time resident of Hancock, he has deep family roots in Greenfield and Bennington. He is steeped in the history and traditions of our area. Tim will represent all persons, not just a small group looking to overturn our traditions and values as his opponent seeks to do. The most important characteristic I found in Tim is that he is easy to approach, talk openly with, and he will listen to your views without prejudice. He is exactly the kind of person who will represent all citizens of our district with honor and care.

Vote for Tim Lord on November 6!

Rich LeFebvre, Hancock

#### To the Editor:

An election is coming November 6, 2018 including executive council. This is a very important position as it was executive councilor David Wheeler that got the broken sidewalk on the Bridge Street bridge fixed. After getting sent to NHDOT in Hillsborough, Swanzey, and Concord and nothing got done I talked with executive councilor David Wheeler's secretary about how serious the problem was and that I had been getting the run around for over a month. We had a big event that week increasing the risk of someone getting hurt. I had found out one of the jobs of the executive council was to get things fixed and David Wheeler was known for getting things done. That was Monday, Tuesday there was a crew working on the bridge sidewalk problem. Wednesday it was fixed. The festival started Thursday. Thank you David Wheeler and you need to get out and vote for him on Nov 6, 2018 if you want to keep a good man that fixes things instead of talking a lot and doing nothing like most of the politicians.

David Fullerton, Hillsborough

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Hopkinton Select Board Chair Ken Traub presents the Town's Boston Post Cane and a proclamation to Jim Turner who recently turned 100 years old!!

## Messenger

#### **MESSENGER AT:**

Blackwater Diner, Pizza Chef, Bank Antrim: Antrim Marketplace, Rick & Dianne's, Edmunds, T-Bird Belmont: Irving, Brookside Pizza, Yolk, Town Office, Village Store Bennington: Albertos,

Andover: Jake's, Circle K,

Harris Convenience. **General Store** Boscawen: Alan's of Boscawen, Franklin Savings, Sunoco, Cumberlain Farms,

Kapelli's Pizza Bow: Town Office, Mobil, Chen Yang Li, Library, Blue Seal Feeds

Bradford: Bradford Marketplace, Bank, Post Office, Appleseed, Pizza Chef

Chichester: Z1 Express, Speedway, Country Store, Town Office

Claremont: Hannaford, Market Basket, Huberts Concord: Shaws (2), Hannaford

Contoocook: Dimitri's. Colonial Market, The Everyday Cafe, Covered Bridge Restaurant, Merrimack County Savings, Mr. Mike's

**Dunbarton:** Pages Corner, Town Office **Epsom:** Circle Market, Town Office, Pizza Shop, Smoke Haven

Francestown: General Store Town Office Franklin: Hannaford, City Hall, Franklin Savings Bank, Franklin Studio, Pizza Chef, JJ's **Georges Mills:** Georges

Mills Market Goffstown: Sully's, Sawvers, Hannaford, Goffstown Ace Hardware, Dollar Tree, Village Trestle, Shell, Cumberland Farms, China Gourmet, Putnam's **Greenfield:** Harvester

Market, Town Office Guild: Dorr Mill Store Hancock: General Store, Fiddleheads, Hancock Inn, Town Office

Henniker: Harvester Mkt., Henniker Pharmacy, All In One Market, Henniker Farm Store, Edmunds Hillsborough: Shaws, Post Office, Diner, JD Foods, Lake Sunapee Bank, Santander, Bank of NH, McDonalds, Subway, Dunkin' Donuts, William's Store

**Hooksett:** Shaws Hopkinton: Town Hall, Cracker Barrell Loudon: Village Store, Eggshell, Subway, Penguin Keene: Price Chopper, Hanaford, Toadstool, News

Stand, Monadnock Co-op **Manchester:** Hannafords (2) Newbury: Marzelli's,

Bubba's, Town Office, Post Office **Newport:** Shaws, Coronis

Market, T-Bird, Circle K, Quick Stop, Senior Center **New Boston:** Dodges General Store, New Boston Hardware, Library, Town Office, Molly Stark New London: Han-

naford, Hospital, Pizza Chef, Library, Liquor Store, Pharmacy, Jake's Market Northfield: Community

Center, Wash & Fold, Ciao Pasta, Park & Go Pub Penacook: Dunkin Donuts, Constantly Pizza, Szechuan Garden, Laundrymat, Newell Post Restaurant, CC Tomatoes, Subway, Tedeski's, Thirty Pines, Cheney's Furniture, Sam's, Chief's Place

Toadstool Bookstore, Mr Mike's, Hospital, Dunkin' Donuts, Brady's, Roy's, Nonnies Sunapee: Mini Mart, Town Hall, Library, both Banks

Peterborough: Shaws,

Tilton: Post Office. Market Basket, The Onion, Cumberland Farms. Cyr Lumber, Shell

Warner: Market Basket, Foothills Restaurant, Circle K

Washington: General Store

Weare: Town Office, Dimitri's, Country 3, Lanctots, Subway, Blackbird Market & Deli Wilmot: Park & Go





Lauren Zervos of JSRHS during "Clay Olympics" while studying at Snow Farm. On this last day of studios during the two-week intensive summer program, students at Snow Farm tried many art activities you wouldn't normally do, like throwing pottery with your feet.

#### Stark student studies at Snow Farm

SRHS junior Lauren Zervos attended Snow Farm: The New England Craft Program in Williamsburg, MA, for two weeks in July to study ceramics and metalsmithing. Snow Farm is one of only nine craft schools in the United States with comprehensive offerings and intensive, immersive instruction for high school students. During her two weeks at Snow Farm, Ms. Zervos studied along with other high schoolers and professional artists to create artworks in various mediums including salt-fired ceramics, glass blowing, and metal smithing. "It changed the way I look at the world," said Ms. Zervos of the experience. "The friends I made and the people I met at Snow Farm left such an amazing impact on my life in a short amount of time." Some of the artwork Lauren created while at Snow Farm will appear in the exhibit "Artist Teachers and the Next Generation of Creative Makers" at Colby Sawyer College from October 12-November 16. The public is invited to attend the opening reception for the exhibit from 4-6 PM on Friday, October 12 at the Mugar Art Gallery in the Sawyer Center in New London, NH.

#### Second settlement with former Weare cop

The town of Weare has settled a second lawsuit filed by Joseph Kelley, the former police sergeant who has already received a \$260,000 settlement over his 2013 termination. The settlement was reached on Thursday, a day after Superior Court Judge Gillian Abramson said Kelley couldn't ask a jury for enhanced compensatory damages. Abramson issued a final ruling, and then ordered that it be sealed.



Steve Geddes of Boscawen now holds the record for growing the heaviest pumpkin in North American history. The record-breaking gourd checked in at 2,528 pounds Thursday night at the Deerfield Fair. It is the second heaviest pumpkin ever grown in the world, at only 96 pounds less than the record holder produced in Belgium in 2012.

#### New London Board asks public feedback

Will Gatchell of Harriman associates returned to the New London Select Board for the third time with additional options on the renovation/reconstruction of the Buker addition to Whipple Hall that went from renovating the existing facilities, to putting additions on the existing facilities to demolishing the existing facilities and building a new PD and Dispatching behind Whipple. The Selectmen didn't select an option that they will support, instead, they will hold a meeting on Monday the 8th to get feedback from the public. The presentation is on the town website, www.nl-nh.com.

#### Guilty plea in Hillsboro woman's death

George Junkala, 85, of Keene, was sentenced to jail Monday for killing a Hillsboro woman in a car crash, but if he doesn't violate certain conditions, he might not ever have to go to jail. Junkala pleaded guilty to a charge of negligent homicide in connection with the death of Diane Chouinard in 2017 in a car crash in Hillsboro. The crash happened as Junkala was driving off Route 9 and making a left turn onto Henniker Street. First responders required the Jaws of Life to extract Mrs. Chouinard from the motor vehicle, and she subsequently died from blunt force trauma from the injuries. Chouinard's family was present for the sentencing, and victim advocate Merrill Beauchamp read their statement. Junkala is not allowed to have a driver's license and was ordered to not drive a car or operate a boat. If he violates the conditions of his sentence, he would have to serve one year in jail.

#### **Dunbarton man facing 19 sexual assaults**

Merton Mann, 74, a former Dunbarton select board member has now been charged for sexually assaulting a third victim. He was already facing several sex assault charges, and was recently indicted on three new counts of felonious sexual assault alleging repeated sexual abuse of a teenage boy for a three-month period in 2016. Mann also faces three additional misdemeanor sexual assault charges. Mann is now facing 19 felony sex assault charges in all.





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## Community Halloween Pumpkin Trunk or Treat!

Join us at the Hillsboro-Deering Middle School for a night of Spooky Fun!

When & Where: Halloween Night October 31, 2018 from 5-8pm during trick or treating hours at HDMS!

200 lighted pumpkins will be displayed along Hillcat Drive leading you up to this spooky event! Take a tour of our "Trunk or Treat" in the parking lot before heading inside to trick or treat with local businesses, purchase some snacks and check out our decorations!

This event sponsored by the Office of Youth Services, Project Genesis Community Youth Center & Kid Adventures!

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recorded hat tricks for the Raiders.

#### SOCCER

Hillsboro-Deering 6, Monadnock 1: Izabella Warren tied Hillsboro-Deering's scoring record with her three goals, giving her 83 goals for her career.

Hopkinton 4, Prospect Mountain 0: Hopkinton took a 3-0 lead into halftime.

Bow 3, Lebanon 2 (OT): Anna Lafreniere scored twice, including the game-winning goal, for the Falcons. Lauren Goyette assisted on Lafreniere's game-winner and scored the game-tying goal with five minutes remaining in regulation.

**Pembroke 2, Merrimack Valley 1:** Kayla Paquin provided the game-winning goal with 19 minutes remaining to lift the Pembroke Academy girls to a 2-1 soccer win over Merrimack Valley. **Belmont 8, Laconia 0:** Juliana Estramera and Katie Gagnon both

**Belmont 1, St. Thomas Aguinas 0:** Kailey Gerbig scored the game's lone goal following a corner kick from Katie Gagnon with five minutes left.

Fall Mountain 9, Newport 1: The Wildcats' Avery Stewart ripped off 4 goals to lead her team to a win over the Tigers 9-1.

**John Stark 2, Ovster River 1:** Lexi Knapton's goal in the 64th minute lifted the Generals. Chelsea Woodsum also scored for John Stark.

**John Stark 6, Kingswood 0:** Key players: John Stark – Arden Ulmer (2 A), Aria Ulmer (G), Chelsea Woodsum (G), Liz Downing (2 G), Presley Gaberseck (G), Hannah Marquis (G). Highlights: Chelsea Woodsum's goal came from the far left corner. Hannah Marquis scored on a free kick to the top left corner.

**Londonderry 4, Goffstown 0:** Emma Strong made 20 saves for Goffstown.

**Concord 2, Goffstown 0:** Concord scored two goals in the final 25 minutes to pull out the road win.

Mascoma 4, Franklin 0: Jasmyn Long recorded 23 saves to keep the game respectable.

**Sunapee 5, Pittsfield 0:** Sunapee led from start to grab a 5-0 victory on a very sloppy field in Pittsfield.

**Kearsarge 7, Sanborn 1:** The Cougars dominated play from the start.

#### FIELD HOCKEY

**Kennett 3, Hillsboro-Deering 0:** Mackenzie Murdough had 5 assists, and 3 aces, Kaitlyn Schoeneman 4 kills, and a block, and Maddee OBrien recorded 3 kills, 2 digs, and an assist.

**Bishop Brady 4, ConVal 1:** Becca Murphy and Halle Laramie each scored a goal in the first half and the Giants netted a pair in the second half to remain undefeated.

Goffstown 1, Merrimack Valley 0: Jess Vo scored the lone goal and MacKenzie Potvin had one save for the Grizzlies.

Hopkinton 3, Bishop Brady 2: The Giants scored first and pushed hard to erase a two-goal, second-half deficit, but in the end the Hawks pulled out a 3-2 win on their home field.

**Lebanon 4, Hopkinton 2:** Amelia Thomas and Chloe Wood scored for the Hawks.



**Portsmouth 1, Bow 0, OT:** Bow had an offensive corner as regulation expired and scored the would-be game-winning goal, but the goal was called back and the Clippers scored in overtime.

**Kearsarge 0, Stevens 0:** Marissa Pickman made 23 saves, while Pollard and Norris stopped multiple shots with Pickman drawn out of the net to force overtime, but neither team could find the back of the cage.

**Kearsarge 4, Franklin 0:** With 24 seconds left in the game Audrey Kenyon got her stick on a feed from Wulff to finalize the score.

**John Stark 2, Pembroke 1 OT:** Meg Girardet saved the day for the John Stark of Weare. Girardet scored both goals for the Generals inclduing the game-winning score with 54 seconds left in overtime.

**Lebanon 5, Newport 2**: Lebanon jumped out to a 3-0 lead late in the first half over the hometown Tigers, although Newport fought back with two goals to bring the game to within a goal.

**Merrimack Valley 4, Milford 0:** The Pride took control in a heartbeat, scoring just 35 seconds in when Prewitt assisted for Swislosky in front of the goal.

**Newport 3, Mascenic 2:** The Vikings were in command for most of Monday's game against Newport, but the Tigers put in a late goal to beat Mascenic 3-2.

#### VOLLEYBALL

**Hillsboro-Deering 3, Stevens 1:** After losing the first set 25-23, the Hillcats stormed back for a 3-1 win.

**Franklin 3, Hillsboro-Deering 1:** HD's Kenzie Murdough tallied 14 assists, 6 aces, and a kill.

**Winnisquam 3, Campbell1:** The Bears jumped out to an early two-set lead over Campbell, faltered a bit in the third and came back strong in the fourth and final set to defeat the Cougars, 3-1, to maintain their perfect record on the year.

**Gilford 3, John Stark 1:** John Stark made a late surge in the first set but ended up a bit short. John Stark took an early lead and never relinquished it to take the second set, 25-21.

**Hanover 3, ConVal 0:** Leading the offense for the Cougars was Hannah Lecomte with 2 kills, 1ace, and 2 assists.



WMS Girls Soccer Team 1st row: Sophia Lamothe, Madelyn Cyr, Makayla Pellerin, Haley Stafford, Ayris Beliveau, Maddy Morette, Ava Rivers. 2nd row: Lexi Boudreau, Elizabeth Hatfield, Maxine Dion, Melody Couturier, Megan Rousseau, Meghan Mefford, Abby Duclos. 3rd row: Reagan Lamothe, Ava Houde, Rebecca Mussey, Madison Porth, Maddy Parker, Lahja Heino, Molly Coyle.

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Kearsarge High School Bass Fishing team.

#### **BASS FISHING**

**Kearsarge 1st, Sunapee 3rd:** The Kearsarge bass fishing team caught eight fish to win its first ever NHIAA state championship. Kearsarge finished runner-up to Keene in 2016. The Cougars caught eight small fish that weighed a total of 24.81 pounds. Sunapee finished 3rd (eight fish, 18.74 pounds).

#### **FOOTBALL**

**Goffstown 48, Manchester Memorial 15:** Charlie Keith ran in a touchdown and threw another to Colby Putnam for the Grizzlies. Ben Dodge caught two TDs and Jack Stinnett ran in two scores for Goffstown. Norwood Dennis and Zach Picard also scored for the Grizzlies.

**Bow 39, Pembroke 0:** Jon Routhier returned an interception 70 yards for a touchdown and caught a 40 yard touchdown from Corey Gott for the Falcons.

**Monadnock 24, Newport 0:** It was a scoreless deadlock at halftime before Chandler Matson scored two rushing touchdowns and Tim Hart ran in a score of his own.

**Franklin 42, Bishop Brady 7:** The Golden Tornadoes held Bishop Brady of Concord scoreless after it capped its opening drive with a rushing touchdown.

**John Stark 30, Kennett 13:** Jake Cole led the Generals with 316 rush yards, and 4 TD's.

**Hanover 45, Merrimack Valley 13:** The Pride had 251 total yards on offense, but couldn't knock off the Marauders on Friday night.

**Winnisquam 39, Raymond 0:** The Bears had 404 yards of total offense, including 303 on the ground, and jumped out to a 26-0 halftime lead and held a 39-0 advantage at the end of the third quarter.

**H-D-Hopkinton, 14 Lebanon 7:** The Redhawks played well in all three phases of the game, executing an onside kick, and forcing and recovering a fumble on a Lebanon kickoff return.

**Stevens 26, Kearsarge 14:** Kearsarge scored on a Gavyn Magistro 10-yard run and a 40-yard pass from Jak Jallah to Andrew



Normandin.

#### SOCCER

**Hopkinton 0, Gilford 0:** Sam Crawford made two saves for the Hawks (5-3-2) and Troy Gallagher stopped seven shots for the Golden Eagles.

**Hopkinton 5, Conant 0:** Derek West scored the first two goals of the match in the 22nd and 24th minutes, lifting the Hawks to a 3-0 halftime lead.

**Pembroke 3, Merrimack Valley 1:** Clay Mercier scored to tie the game, 1-1, thanks to Cameron Woodman winning the ball in midfield, but the Spartans scored a pair of goals in transition to secure the win.

**Derryfield 3, Hillsboro-Deering 1:** The Hillcats scored off a corner kick to tie the game, 1-1, but H-D had three more attempts hit the crossbar and couldn't come away with the victory.

**Londonderry 2, Goffstown 1:** Tyler Van Avery's second goal, in the game's final minute, lifted the Lancers.

**Fall Mountain 2, Newport 0:** For Newport side, Ben Gallagher and Hayden Palmer played well.

**Bow 4, Oyster River 3:** The Falcons built a 1-0 and 2-1 lead before taking a 3-2 lead at halftime.

**ConVal 2, Kearsarge 1, OT:** Kearsarge took the lead two minutes into the second half but first-place ConVal forced overtime with a goal off a 45-yard set piece 10 minutes later and scored with one minute remaining in extra time to secure the win.

**ConVal 4, Merrimack Valley 1:** The Cougars improved to 10-1 with another impressive victory.

**Newmarket 3, Pittsfield 0:** The undefeated and first-place Mules recorded all three goals in the first half in the 18th, 33rd and 39th minutes.

**Belmont 1, Gilford 0:** Griffin Embree scored the game's lone goal off an assist from Angelo Papadopooulos.

**Belmont 1, Derryfield 0:** The revenge the Belmont boys' soccer program was seeking was served Monday when the Raiders – facing the same team that knocked them out of last year's tournament – dealt Derryfield a 1-0 loss at home to remain unbeaten on the season in Division III.

**Franklin 6, Mount Royal 0:** Jacob Weaver opened up the game with a goal less than a minute in and the Golden Tornadoes built up a 4-0 lead by halftime.

**John Stark 4, Kennett 0:** Jared Peterson, Tony Leary, Lucas Marquardt and John Rizzitano scored for Stark.



WMS Field Hockey Team 2018 1st row: Natalie Smith, Hailey Brisson, Kadyn Gauthier, Riley Davis, Sophia Lundeen, Adie Bolduc. 2nd row: Edie Fischer, Emma Pelletier, Courtney Cranshaw, Jackie O'Donnell, Kassidy Downing, Aubrey Fischer, Olivia Hargreaves, Reagan Fischer, Lilly Winward.



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**HILLSBOROUGH:** First time on the market in nearly 70 years. Well-maintained nineteenth century Victorian on nearly an acre in town. Five bedrooms, 3 bathes, very large kitchen with separate dining room. The den has a field stone fireplace, cathedral ceiling and bar. Laundry room and separate bathroom on the first floor. Outside has many varieties of flowering trees and bushes and an in-ground pool. There's a possibility that it could be a B&B. There's an additional building lot adjacent to this property being sold either separately or together. **\$299,900** 



#### Goffstown Selectmen approve tax incentive for Viksters building

The Goffstown Selectmen conducted a Public Hearing to accept public input regarding a RSA 79-E Community Revitalization Tax Relief application submitted for \$155,500 in exterior and interior renovations to the 7300 s.f. building, built in 1900 which is home to Viksters restaurant and 8 apartment units.

The project meets the minimum criteria for 79-E tax incentive, as the improvements would constitute greater than 15% of the current property value.

The building is not on the National Register of Historic Places, but the village area falls in the Goffstown Historic

#### **New Constitutional Amendment**

The Bow/Dunbarton Republican Committee is hosting an informational meeting on Wednesday, October 10, 2018 at 7:00 pm at the Old Town Hall for NH 1 Constitutional Amendment that is on the General Election Ballot for November 6, 2018.

Come to our meeting, hear and learn about this nonpartisan issue that passed the NH Senate 22-2 and NH House of Representatives 309-9. Looking forward to seeing you there.

District. The Historic District Commission voted to support the application at their last meeting. This project is eligible for 5 years of tax incentive because it does not increase the number of housing units or involve affordable housing. The applicant has not indicated an interest in renovations meeting the historic standards of the

U.S. Secretary of Interior.

Awarding a 79-E incentive would hold the current assessment at \$406,200. At a tax rate (non-SAU impacted) of \$27.42, the resulting tax incentive would be \$4,264 for up to 5 years. At the close of the hearing, the Board approved the application.



Tax incentives will contribute to a renovation of this building.



### Incoming NEC freshmen required to be vaccinated for meningitis

New England College has joined the ranks of just 13 other colleges and universities in the country that have made it mandatory that all incoming students be vaccinated for meningitis B. While early symptoms like fever and body aches can mirror the flu, meningococcal disease progresses quickly and can result in serious complications or death if left untreated.

According to the Centers for Disease Control, approximately 2,600 people in the United States contract meningococcal disease each year and 10 to 15 percent will die of it.

The vaccine for strains A, C, W, and Y has been available for some time, but the meningitis B vaccine was only introduced in 2014. NEC made the decision to require the vaccination this past summer at the request of Laura Anderson, the college's medical director and nurse practitioner.

"I wanted to make sure our students were protected, so this year I made the decision to have it as a required vaccine for the freshmen," said Anderson. Anderson said that life in college residence halls further increases the risk of spreading the disease.

"It's spread by common things that typical college kids do: kissing, sharing their food, sharing their water bottles and that kind of thing," Anderson said. "A lot of them are in close quarters environments in residence halls, so coughing and sneezing increases the risk of transmission."

While upperclassmen are not required to be vaccinated, Anderson says she mentions the vaccine whenever she has a chance to speak to them. I wanted to make sure our students were protected, so this year I made the decision to have it as a required vaccine for the freshmen," she said.



Wednesday evening, the Antrim-Bennington Lions Club hosted a forum for area candidates for State Representative. (L-R) James Fedolfi (R) Tom Lord (R) Richard McNamara (D), Dan Pickering (D) and Marjorie Porter (D).

## LOCAL SHOPS & SERVICES















#### **SATURDAY OCTOBER 6**

**OPEN DOOR COFFEEHOUSE:** This month our performers are Phil Duke, Lizz Ferdina, Jack Eppington, Craig Webb, and featured act Don Readel. We can be found in the vestry of Smith Congregational Church in Hillsborough. The music begins promptly at 7pm. We have delicious snacks, hot coffee, tea and cider. Please join us, it's always a treat.

**CONTRA DANCE:** The Monadnock Folklore Society presents the Peterborough, NH First Saturday Contra Dance featuring Steve Zakon Anderson calling with The Mystic River Trio. The dancing begins at 8pm. The dance also hosts a free jam session for beginning and intermediate musicians at 6:30pm and a workshop for new dancers at 7:30pm. Admission is \$10 or \$7 for students and seniors. The dance takes place in the historic Town House in Peterborough.

**CHICKEN BBQ:** The 2018 Boscawen Fire Department chicken barbecue is scheduled beginning at 5pm at the Boscawen Fire Station. Tickets can be purchased for \$10 each at the Town Hall or through a Boscawen Firefighter. Dinner includes 1/2 chicken, baked potato, cole slaw, cranberry sauce, roll, apple crisp and ice cream. Take out or eat at the Fire Station.

**PAWS IN THE PARK:** the Franklin Animal Shelter will be hosting its fourth annual Paws in the Park fundraiser sponsored by Gulf Brook Renovations, Mango Security, Black Forest Nursery, Vitex Extrusion, Park Street Pub and Grevior Furniture. The event will be held at Odell Park in Franklin starting at 8:30am with our 'Paws Walk' and continuing until 1pm

with live dog demonstrations, kids activities, vendors, and family fun. Mix 94.1 will be doing a live broadcast followed by live music. The suggested entry fee is \$5.00. Registration for the Walk starts at 8:30am, with the Walk beginning at 9am. To register on line, visit our website at: www.franklinanimalshelter.com

#### **SUNDAY OCTOBER 7**

**HENNIKER FIRE TOWER:** Open to public Sunday, October 7, and Monday, October 8, from 10 to 4 pm, weather permitting. Directions: From Rte. 144 S., take Flanders Road, and go up Craney Hill Road, about 1.2 miles. Walk 15 minutes up the trail.

**LAMPLIGHT HYMN SING:** 7pm, East Washington Baptist Church. Come and join us for an old fashioned hymn sing. Bring a friend and a flashlight. Questions call Ron at 495-3186.

**APPLE PIE FUNDRAISER:** 10:30 to 1:00 St. Mary's Church, Hillsboro. \$10.00 each or 3 for \$27.00. Mini Pies \$4 each or 3 for \$10.00. Most pies are unbaked and frozen.

#### **MONDAY OCTOBER 8**

**BLOOD DRIVE:** Hillsborough American Legion 1-6pm. Sponsored by the Legion and the Lions Club. Call 1-800-Red-Cross for an appointment.

**TOWN POUND?:** What is a Town Pound? Come find out as Ron Jager takes us through the whys and wherefores of New Hampshire and Washington Town pounds. Presented by the Washington Historical Society. Pot Luck Dinner at 6pm, followed by a meeting and the Program at 7pm. Camp Morgan Lodge on Millen Pond Road. ALL ARE WELCOME.

#### **TUESDAY OCTOBER 9**

**RADIO CLUB:** The Contoocook Valley Radio Club is meeting at 7:30pm at the Henniker Community Center on Crescent Street. This months presentation is on roving with a DIY antenna. Public is welcome, visit K1BKE.org for more information.

#### **WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 10**

**GOFFSTOWN LIBRARY:** 3:30pm - 5:00pm, LEGO® Blocks at The Library. For kids of all ages up through grade 5. We have lots of LEGO® blocks, you just need to bring your imagination and come build with us. No registration required.

#### **THURSDAY OCTOBER 11**

WIT & WISDOM: The Andover Historical Society, with a grant from New Hampshire Humanities, will sponsor a Humanities to Go program presented by storyteller Jo Radner entitled "Wit and Wisdom: Humor in 19th Century New England." Free and open to the public, the program will take place at 7pm at the Highland Lake Grange Hall, 7 Chase Hill Road in East Andover. Refreshments will follow the program.

#### **FRIDAY OCTOBER 12**

**POTLUCK SUPPER:** at 5:30pm and HYMN SING at 7pm at Deering Community Church Come join us to sing your favorite hymn.

#### **SATURDAY OCTOBER 13**

**GOFFSTOWN LIBRARY:** The Friends of the Library will be hosting their fall book sale on the lawn of the Goffstown Public Library. RAIN or SHINE. Two-Day Event: Saturday 10/13 at

#### TOWN of HENNIKER, NH

#### SEASONAL SNOW REMOVAL TRUCK DRIVER/EQUIPMENT OPERATORS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

The Town of Henniker is seeking experienced seasonal part-time snow removal truck driver/equipment operators for the Highway Department. Job duties include on call snow removal. Candidates must be reliable and customer service orientated. Wage will be \$20-\$22.50 per hour. Valid CDL class B with air brake endorsements required. Application and Job Description are at www.henniker.org. Submit completed job application to Town of Henniker, Attention: Leo Aucoin, Highway Superintendent, 18 Depot Hill Road, Henniker, NH 03242, open until filled.

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## **Events:** Community Bulletin Board

9am - 3pm Sunday 10/14 at 10am - 1pm - allday bag sale - \$4 bags will be supplied. Books are: sorted & categorized, all new donations, not picked over, and never scanned. The Friends will also be collecting donations from the public anytime before the book sale. Just drop off books (in bags or boxes, please) at the Library during business hours only. We cannot accept damaged or text books, Reader's Digest condensed books, encyclopedias or magazines, or titles that are dusty or moldy.

YARD SALE: 9 am - 2 pm at Osborne Memorial Hall – The nonprofit South Weare Improvement Society's Yard Sale will offer many useful household items, tools, jewelry, furniture, and all things Christmas – ornaments, candles, wreaths, lights, gift boxes, ribbon, centerpieces, etc. Lunch (hot dogs, drinks, dessert) will be available at the concession stand. Anyone wishing to donate gently used items to the yard sale to help with costs of maintenance and renovations at Osborne Hall, please call 529-7282 (also for rental information).

RAILROAD SHOW: 9am - 3pm Greenfield Historical Society Museum admission by donation.

**HAUNTED BARN:** The Salisbury Woods -Haunted Barn and Trail. October 13, 20, 26 and 27th from 7 - 10 pm. Salisbury four corners (Intersection of Rt 4 and Rt 127) 19 Franklin Road, Salisbury, NH. \$7 per person. Benefit the MVMS and Salisbury Elementary Parent Teacher Groups. NOT recommended for small children.

**CENTER FOR THE ARTS: 2-2 Youth Arts** 

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#### **SUNDAY OCTOBER 14**

**GROUP HARMONICA LESSON:** at 2pm. Mike Rodgers will share his 50 plus years of experience playing/teaching harmonica. Participants will receive a harmonica and some music to take home to practice with. For ADULTS and children, 8 plus years. Limited to 40. Add "REG-ISTER FOR HARMONICA WORKSHOP" in subject line and email tuckerfree@comcast.net. Include your name and number attending.

**OPEN HOUSE:** Peterborough Fire and Rescue Open House and Pancake Breakfast 7:00 am - 12:00 pm EDT. Come down to the fire station for a full pancake breakfast with eggs, sausage and more. Tour the trucks, station, and museum. Meet past and present members and see Sparky. \$5 per person/\$20 max per family Benefits the non-profit Peterborough Fire and Rescue Association.

#### **MONADAY OCTOBER 15**

FULLER LIBRARY: Fuller Public Library's Military Book Group will be meeting to discuss D Day by Stephen Ambrose. Join us at 2pm for light refreshments and discussion.

#### **WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 17**

**GOFFSTOWN LIBRARY:** at 7:30pm Sky Watch 7:30pm. Presentation at Library to overview what we will be viewing this evening. 8:30pm. Everyone is welcome to join us and our special friends from the NH Astronomical Society (www.nhastro.com) to see what is up in the

> summer sky at the Goffstown Water Pre

cinct Field on Rt. 114. No registration required.

#### **FRIDAY OCTOBER 19**

**ANDOVER COFFEEHOUSE:** All the way from northern California, and bringing rave reviews with them, the roots-folk duo Dan Frechette and Laurel Thomsen will headline the "Third Friday" Andover Community Coffeehouse concert starting at 7pm in the Highland Lake Grange Hall at 7 Chase Hill Road in East Andover. The concert is open to the public at no charge, though donations are accepted.

#### **SATURDAY OCTOBER 20**

**CRAFT FAIR:** The 17th Annual LRGH Auxiliary Fall Craft Fair is scheduled from 9:00am to 3:00pm at Laconia High School. Shoppers can enjoy the works of over 65 juried and nonjuried artisans from all over New England, boasting hand-crafted and specialty items. The event offers sizeable raffle and bake sale tables, refreshments from Annie's Café and Catering, and a Tanger gift card door prize valued at \$200. Hosted every October to coincide with Breast Cancer Awareness Month, proceeds benefit the LRGHealthcare Breast Health Program and other auxiliary projects. Admission is free, but donations are gladly accepted.

**BINGO:** (the last game of 2018) at Osborne Hall by the nonprofit So. Weare Improvement Society (SWIS). Doors open at 5:30pm with a homemade supper and refreshments available. Bingo sheets, daubers, carryover coveralls, and pull-tabs may be purchased starting at 6 p.m. Games begin at 7pm sharp. No one under 18 is allowed. To rent the hall for your event, please call 529-7282.

#### Town of Weare

#### **PUBLIC HEARING**

The Weare Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 22, 2018 beginning at 7:30PM for the purpose of hearing public testimony and comment on increasing the disposal fees at the Transfer Station. Details of the proposed fees can be obtained by calling the Public Works Department at 529-2469.

This hearing will be held at the Town Office Building conference room, 15 Flanders Memorial Drive in Weare, NH. Please note, any person with a disability who wishes to attend this meeting and needs to be provided a reasonable accommodation in order to participate, should call the Weare Board of Selectmen's office at 529-7525 at least twenty-four hours in advance so that arrangements can be made.

#### WEARE FIRE DEPARTMENT

#### **PUBLIC HEARING**

The Weare Board of Firewards will hold a public hearing for the purpose of hearing public comment on changing the Ambulance Billing Fees. The hearing will be held as follows:

Date: Monday, October 15, 2018

Time: 6:15 PM

This hearing will be held at the Safety Complex, 144 North Stark Highway in Weare. NH. Please note, any person with a disability who wishes to attend this meeting and needs to be provided a reasonable accommodation in order to participate, should call the Weare Fire Department at 529-2352 at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance so that arrangements can be made.



## **Obituaries:** Friends & Neighbors Remembered

#### Mary L. McCarron

HILLSBORO - Mary McCarron of Hillsboro NH formerly of Watertown, MA,

passed away on September 30, 2018 after a long courageous battle with cancer. Mary was the loving mother of Catherine Cook her husband, Casey, Matthew Dillon and Alison Dillon and her fiancé, Douglas Clark. She was



affectionately called "Mammie" by her 6 grandchildren Mya, Hannah, Cody, Ethan, Maxwell and Evan. Mary was the beloved aunt of many nieces and nephews including her favorite nephew. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Phoenix House, 31 Pierce Rd Dublin NH 03444.

#### Donald E. Burke

WEARE - Donald E. Burke, 86 years, of Weare, NH died at Hospice House in

Concord on September 27, 2018, after a long illness, with his family by his side. He was born in Watertown, MA, where he grew up, on December 2, 1931, son of the late Henry E. and Laura L. Burke. Donald



was predeceased by his parents, Henry E. and Laura L. Burke; brother, R. Douglas Burke and sister, Kathleen Sullivan. He is survived by his wife, Marjorie, of almost 59 years; son, Lloyd and his wife, Janis of Carlisle, MA; son, Ward and his wife, Sig, of Watkinsville, GA; six grandchildren, Andrew, Hillary, Kalie, Dylan, Max, and Jake. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Holy Cross Church, P.O. Box 161,

Weare, NH 03281 marked for Episcopal Relief Development.

#### Scott G. Spurlock, Sr.

TERRE HAUTE, IN - Scott G. Spurlock, Sr. passed away Wednesday

morning, September 26, 2018. He was born October 12, 1968 in Concord, NH to Earl G. Spurlock and Marjorie Smith Spurlock. Survivors include his partner in life, Jodi Hauer of Terre Haute; three children, Scott



(Brittany) Spurlock, Jr. of Hope Valley, RI, Elizabeth Anne "Beth" Spurlock (Marcus Robinson) of Pawtucket, RI and Madeline Roxie-Rose Spurlock of Terre Haute; and two grandchildren, Marcus Jr. and Keilan. Also surviving are his father, Earl Spurlock of New Hampshire; sister, Susan "Susie" Neuwirt (George) of New Hampshire; several aunts and uncles including, Robert "Dean" Smith (Roxana), Gordon Smith and Nancy Smith; and several cousins. He was preceded in death by his mother; and uncles, Paul, Richard and Donald Smith. Scott spent most of his childhood in Warner, NH and was a graduate and Valedictorian of his class at Kearsarge Regional High School. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Scott G. Spurlock, Sr. Memorial Fund, c/o First Financial Bank, P.O. Box 2122, Terre Haute, IN 47802 to be used to help defray funeral expenses and to help with education expenses for his daughter, Roxie.

#### **Gina Leigh Carr**

NORTH SUTTON - Gina Leigh Carr, 29, died unexpectedly Monday, September 24, 2018. She was born in Nashua, NH on July 9, 1989. She is survived by her parents, Joseph F. and Leigh Ann (Puls) Stone; her children, Nolan Joseph (3) and Kinzleigh Lane (1 week); her siblings, Sean, Delaney Logan, William, and Erica; her grandpar-



ents, Charlie and Linda Puls and Barbara Stone; many aunts, uncles and cousins.

#### Marie P. Jean

GOFFSTOWN — Marie P. Jean, 83, of Goffstown, NH, died September 29, 2018.

Born in Manchester, NH, on June 11, 1935, she was the daughter of Henry and Antoinette (Buecher) Provencher. She resided in Goffstown for 45 years. She was married 40 years to Norman A. Jean. He died November



17, 1995. She was also predeceased by a brother, Robert Provencher and a sister, Rita Provencher. Family members include two sons, William R. Jean and his wife, Sandy of Bedford, and Thomas E. Jean and his wife, Andrea of Montgomery, AL; three daughters, Cheryl McNeil and her husband, Michael of Candia, Trisha Guillemette and her husband, Michael of New Boston, and Amy B. Jean of Manchester; 10 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 166 S River Road #210, Bedford, NH 03110.

#### Janet 'Gail' Read

EPSOM — Janet "Gail" Read from Northwood Lake, Deerfield, New Hampshire, beloved wife, mother, grandmother,

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## **Obituaries:** Friends & Neighbors Remembered

great-grandmother and cherished friend passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family on September 27th, 2018. Gail was born in Walker Valley, NY on October 30, 1934, to parents Dorothy and Hank



Marl. Gail will be dearly missed by her husband of 67 years and partner in crime, Walter H. Read Sr., and her five children: sons, Walter H. Read Jr. and wife, Diana Read, D. Mark Read and wife, Patricia Tanner, P. Craig Read and wife, Marianne Read, Rory P. "Prince" Read and wife, Mary Savoy-Read, and daughter, Heather Barker and husband, Louis "Louie" Barker. Additionally, she is survived by her 13 grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and countless extended family and lifelong friends. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the New Hampshire Children's Trust at 10 Ferry St. Concord NH 03301 or through the Honorary and Memorial Donation link at nhchildrenstrust.org.

#### Oliver L. Zullo

NEWPORT — Oliver L. Zullo passed away Saturday, September 29, after a brief illness. Born Lorenzo Oliver Zullo in

Claremont on January 4, 1924 to Antonio and Congetta Zullo, Lorenzo was known to everyone as "Larry." Larry is survived by his son, James P Zullo, a daughter Lisa Z Bellman, and Patricia Taylor, who later in life

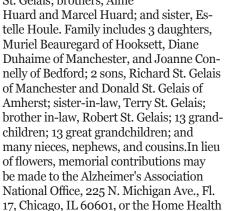


became a second daughter. He was loved and adored by his children, grandchildren, and his great grandchildren. His grandchildren are James Zullo, Jeremy Zullo, Terri Higbee, Hillary LeDuc, Heather Gagnon, Alex Bellman, Roland and Joseph Taylor. He was also blessed with eight great-grandchildren. Larry was loved and adored by his family and friends who will be forever missed! He was predeceased by four brothers, and four sisters. He is survived by his sisters, Rose Bly and Dolly Curtis and his brother, Pete Zullo.

#### Pauline T. St. Gelais

GOFFSTOWN — Pauline T. St. Gelais. 87, of Goffstown, died on September 29, 2018 at Hillsborough County Nursing

Home after a courageous fight with Alzheimer's disease. She was born on July 22, 1931, daughter of Joseph and Bernadette (Martel) Huard. She was predeceased by her beloved husband, Raymond St. Gelais: brothers, Aime



and Hospice Care, 7 Executive Park Dr., Merrimack, NH 03054.

#### **Bradley Wood**

DEERING - Bradley Wood died on Monday, October 1, 2018 at age 64 after a long period of declining health. He was

a life-long resident of Weare and Deering. He attended schools in Weare, loved animals, and spent his later years at the family cottage on Deering Lake. He was predeceased by his parents, Murray Wood



and Hazel (Grant) Wood of Weare. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Stella Ann (Godfrey) Wood of Deering, NH, two children, 2 step children, Christopher Bragdon of Deering, NH, Charles Stevens of Wilton, NH, 1 step daughter Jennifer Stevens of Winchester, NH, five grandchildren, and numerous cousins.

#### Messenger Obituaries

Several readers have inquired as to why we do not include more of a persons history and accomplishments in our obituaries. The answer is simple, SPACE. The Messenger now covers 40 towns and on most weeks the number of obituaries is huge. Thus we publish the deceased Name, Date of Birth, Date of Death, Family Members, Donations Requests and Services if they occur after our date of publication, all free of charge.

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