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**Rest In Peace Officer Bo** The Hillsborough community was

shocked and saddened to learn of the sudden death of H-D School Resource Officer Rory Bohanan. See story on page 9.

## **This Week In History**

May 14, 1804 Lewis & Clark depart on expedition May 15, 1937 Madeleine Albright is born May 16, 1920 Joan of Arc is canonized as a saint May 17, 1954 Brown vs Board of Education is decided May 18, 1980 Mount St. Helens erupts May 19, 1780 New England's Dark Day causes panic May 20, 1862 Abraham Lincoln signs Homestead Act



Visit us online at granitequill.com Hillsboro-Deering's 2022 DECA Team.

## **H-D excels at Internationals**

## Hillsboro-Deering shines among 18,000 competitors

Mercedes-Benz Stadium, home to the Atlanta Falcons, and the Georgia World Congress Center were the backdrop for DECA's International Career Development Conference recently held from April 23 – April 26, 2022. Thirteen Hillsboro-Deering High School DECA members joined approximately 18,000 other DECA members from all 50 states, several provinces of Canada, and other nations, including Spain, Italy, Japan, the Dominican Republic, and Brazil. The smiles that were visible on members' faces were big and evident as the live competition returned in-person for the first time since 2019.

H-D's DECA team returned from the competition with several top-10 finalists. Earning a spot in the top-10 represents an extreme level of eliteness as less than 10% of all DECA members in attendance at the conference earn a medal on stage.

This year H-D had one Virtual Business Retail Management team qualify for the finals. The team was a solo competitor – Jack Harrington, who finished in 10th place internationally. H-D sent two Virtual Business Restaurant Management teams to the finals. The team of Emily Wilkens, Emma Davison, and Manny Velazquez finished in 9th place internationally in the event. Another solo competitor – Madison Paquette finished just outside of the top ten in 11th place. H-D had one Virtual Business Sports Management team qualify for the finals. The team of Mason Ferwerda and Ben Perrin finished in 4th place internationally in the event.

During the School Based Enterprise Academy, sophomore Isabel Swirko accepted the award for the Gold Certified School Based Enterprise Award on behalf of the Hillcat Corner, the chapter's school based enterprise. This is the fifteenth consecutive year that the chapter has received this award. Rounding out the team of the thirteen qualified students from Hillsboro-Deering was senior Serenedy Kelley, and juniors Alexis Ledvina and Madison Ledvina (Business Operations Research), sophomore Kyle Nickalus (Financial Consulting), and freshman David Prentiss (Principles of Hospitality).

## New London Select Board to discuss governance initiative

The New London Board of Selectmen will use part of their May 12th meeting to discuss governance initiatives that Selectman Helm submitted at the April 14th meeting of the board.

Items to be discussed include: Selectmen not being appointed to any other committees other than the statutorily required Budget Committee and Planning Board, Budget Committee members not appointed to other town committees, Establishing time limited, small "advisory panels" (like the 2021 Fiscal Policy Panel) to advise on topics like the Whipple Town Hall upgrade project, trash and solid waste issues and the future uses of Buker, Dissolving the Building & Facilities and Solid Waste Management committees as currently constituted, and Revisit with the Planning Board the formation of a separate Capital Improvement Program (CIP) committee.

The Selectmen have the ability to appoint themselves, as well as members of the community, to the various



Cara Leone (left photo) joined the Selectmen's Office staff as the Land Use & Assessing Coordinator in April. In her new position she will assist the Assessing Department and the Planning & Zoning Department as well as citizens who need assistance. Eben Lamson (right photo) began his law enforcement career with the New London Police Department in 2013 as a Patrol Officer. He has received two lifesaving awards in recognition of his courageous and life saving actions on the job. He was promoted to the rank of Corporal on January 28, 2019, and to Sergeant on April 5, 2022.

boards, commissions, and committees and they may also establish new committees to assist them in their work on behalf of the town.

Board and committee members, as well as members of the public, are encouraged to attend to discuss the pros and cons of these initiatives, along with others that may come up during the discussions.

Other issues at the May 12th meeting, 6:00pm: Public Hearing to discuss the town's parking ordinance for parking in the area of the Barn Playhouse: Everette Park, Williams Street, Pressy Court & Sawyer Lane.



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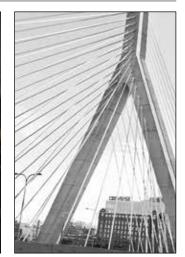


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Yesteryear Local history as reported in The Messenger

#### May 14, 2021

Warner's Family Closet Thrift Shop opens May 22nd Hopkinton Select Board mandates masks thru July 1 Hillsborough Select Board kills noise ordinance Wildlife Federation presents grant to Wings of Dawn

#### May 15, 2020

Weare Middle School excels at Invention Convention Six towns assist Newbury in battling house fire Board agrees to rebate Warner Power taxes Henniker Teachers organize a Popsicle Parade

#### May 17, 2019

Hattie Edmunds family matriarch, community icon Contoocook & Newbury hikers rescued Peterborough bans outdoor gun ranges No injuries reported in Newbury accident

#### May 18, 2018

Newport's PJ Lovely is a Champion for Children Hillsborough Pride brings back the Welcome Wagon Eleven towns respond to Weare house fire Franklin man pleads guilty to drug charges May 19, 2017

Tilton sex offender convicted, another arrested H-D School Board taps emergency funds for repairs Fortner renews personal attack on Kris Blomback Stopped for inspection sticker-750 grams of heroin

#### May 13, 2016

Franklin woman gets 7-10 years for arson Reaction to nighttime use of Goffstown Rail Trail Bow conducts master visioning session Narrow defeat for Peterborough's ConVal withdrawal

#### May 15, 2015

Franklin schools to offer Open Enrollment Bow Police arrest three on drug charges Man dies in Goffstown motorcycle crash New London returns Town meetings to March

#### May 16, 2014

Franklin neighbor alerts police to possible burglary Goffstown Police Chief comes up through the ranks Man shot in Dunbarton hunting accident Deering woman killed in one car crash

#### May 17, 2013

Weare Police Chief resigns amid department turmoil New London voters approve option on 1941 school Antrim Selectmen ask SEC to reconsider denial Work on Francestown temporary bridge begins

#### May 18, 2012

**Richard Edmunds & Bob Flanders honored** No charges against Hillsborough Police Captain Henniker Highway Superintendent's fate uncertain Hopkinton Community Center Committee appointed

## Town of Nelson hosts awards ceremony for heroic Heck brothers

Vincent, 19, and Jake Heck, 16, the Hillsborough brothers who rescued Jeffrey Voss, 50, of Alstead, from his burning vehicle were recently honored at Nelson Town Hall.

Nelson Fire Chief Joseph Sarcione led off the ceremonies saying, "It takes a certain individual, individuals, who act without hesitation to save another and not give any thought to their own safety, and these two young men did just that."

Lt. Aaron Cooper of the Keene Fire Department marveled that the brothers were able to save a life without any specialized equipment or the training professionals have. "The world needs more Vincents and Jakes," he said.

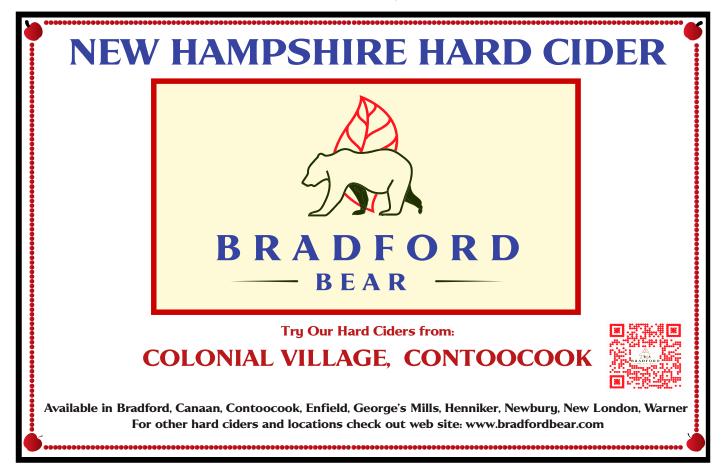
Nelson Select Board member Al Guida remarked that the Hecks' story of heroism needs to be repeated over and over again.

During the course of the festivities, the boys were honored with certificates from the town of Nelson,



Vincent (I) and Jake (r) Heck of Hillsborough.

plaques from the Nelson Fire Department and pins from the Nelson Rescue Squad. One interested bystander was Jared Beard, a full-time Concord firefighter and an on-call Hillsboro firefighter who was Jake's CPR instructor just two weeks before the incident.



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Much thanks to Eagle Scout Ben Hallee (I), shown with Scout Leader Marc Payeur, (r) for the fundraising and construction of the library's new Bee Hotel! It attracts solitary bees (that don't reproduce like honey bees do in a typical hive). Solitary bees lay their eggs in a small hole and then cover the hole with a mason-type mud. Looking forward to seeing some new residents in the coming months!



Goffstown's Troop 99 held a Court of Honor to recognize all the recent achievements of our scouts, who were awarded rank advancements and merit badges along with Totin' Chips and Firem'n Chits to our newer scouts.



Goffstown's Troop 99G (above) and 99B (below) were out helping to clean up the grounds for the Goffstown Congregational Church and Stark Hall. They raked the lawn and weeded and mulched the flower beds.



## **Renovated Hillsborough diner seeking new owners**

Hanna's Diner in Hillsborough is for sale. When Hanne Hansen and Jay Schechter bought the diner in 2020 they saw it as a turn-around project. Saving the vintage 1953 Kullman diner would be their contribution to the community. They see the diner as part of the social fabric of the town: a great place for food, friends and meeting your neighbors, as their coffee mugs say.

They went to work, invested in the physical plant: new granite flower beds, new windows, new heating, new floor and new food service equipment. They hired new staff, upgraded the food, installed a POS system and created a clean and cozy environment.

As the diner's 5th owners, Hanne and Jay have enjoyed the people they have met over the years from the "locals" to the "from-aways", bikers, Bostonians, campers, contractors, doctors, fishermen, hunters, morticians, police, politicians and snowmobilers. Customers have become friends.

It is now time to turn their beloved

business over to its next steward. They are looking forward to handing the reins to the 6th generation and being able to sit on the other side of the counter ordering one of the diner's famous Bloody Mary's and relaxing over brunch with family and friends. Until the right buyer comes along, they are dedicated to ensuring the business stays as bustling as ever during this summer season, complete with new weekly menu specials!



The Henniker Chamber of Commerce hosted another successful Clean-Up Day on Saturday. The Crew from the Henniker Congregational Church had the greatest participation.



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Interstate 89 southbound in Hopkinton was temporarily closed Sunday morning because of a crash. The car rolled over southbound on I-89 at mile marker 8.6. It was reported just after 10 a.m. on Sunday. The driver of a Toyota Rav 4 hit a guard rail then rolled over and it caught on fire. The driver was able to get out and treated for minor injuries. The cause of the crash was because of driver fatigue.



Both lanes of I-89 were closed due to an overturned SUV towing a trailer.

## **Beloved H-D School Resource Officer Rory Bohanan dies suddenly**

While on duty as the School



**Resource Officer** for the Hillsboro-**Deering School** District on May 10th, 2022, Officer **Rory Bohanan** suffered a medical emergency and died.

Officer Bohanan began his lifetime of service in the Navy in 1981, serving on the USS Emory S. Land. In 1987 he joined the NH Department of Corrections and then moved into law enforcement in 1998 parttime. Officer Bohanan attended the 123rd NH Police Academy finishing 1st academically in his class.

Officer Bohanan worked for both the Henniker and Hopkinton Police Departments before becoming the School Resource Officer at Hillsboro-Deering Schools. It was in this role that Officer Bohanan exhibited his excellence and merit. Guiding

students, he not only ensured their safety, but he was also a respected mentor to so many. Officer Bohanan frequently worked with the Special Olympics participating in the Torch Run year after year. Officer Bohanan was set to retire from law

enforcement on June 30th. The men and women of the Hillsboro Police Department extend heartfelt condolences to his wife, children, family, and friends during what is a difficult and painful time. We will all miss "Officer Bo" very dearly.



Three generations turned out for an impromptu Celebration of Life for Hillsboro-Deering's beloved school resource officer.

## GUM DISEASE LINKED TO ONSET HEART DISEAS



Gum disease is associated with an increased risk of cardiovascular disease: the more severe the periodontitis, the higher the risk. The findings were presented at ESC Congress 2021. The association was particularly evident among patients who had experienced a heart attack in the past.

Dr. Esin Narli

Study author Dr. Giulia Ferrannini of the Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, Sweden said: "Our study suggests that regular dental check-ups and education on proper dental hygiene may help to prevent first and subsequent heart events.

The study previously showed that periodontitis (gum disease) was significantly more common in first-time heart attack patients compared to their healthy peers of the same age and sex and living in the same area. Participants with periodontitis at baseline had 49% higher odds of the primary endpoint compared to those with healthy gums. The probability of the primary endpoint rose with increasing severity of gum disease.

When heart attack patients and healthy controls were assessed separately, the graded relationship between gum disease severity and the primary endpoint was significant only for patients.

The researchers postulate that the damage of periodontal tissues in people with gum disease may facilitate the transfer of germs into the bloodstream. This could accelerate harmful changes to the blood vessels and/or enhance systemic inflammation that is harmful to the vessels.

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#### TAKE



Major depressive disorder is highly prevalent, with one in five people experiencing an episode at some point in their life, and is almost twice as common in women as in men. Antidepressants are usually given as a first-line treatment, including during pregnancy, either to prevent the recurrence of depression, or as acute treatment in newly depressed patients. Antidepressant use during pregnancy is widespread and since

antidepressants cross the placenta and the blood-brain barrier, concern exists about potential long-term effects of intrauterine antidepressant exposure in the unborn child. In a study published in *Neu*ropsychopharmacology, scientists found that children whose mothers continued antidepressants during pregnancy had a higher risk of affec-tive disorders than children whose mothers stopped taking antidepressants before pregnancy. However, to understand whether the underlying disorder for which the antidepressant was given or the medication itself was linked to the child's risk of developing an affective disorder, they also studied the effect of paternal antidepressant use during pregnancy and similarly, found that children of fathers who took antidepressants throughout pregnancy had a higher risk for affective disorders. Thus, the research team speculates that rather than being an intrauterine effect, the observed link is most likely due to the parental mental illness underlying the antidepressant use.

A recent study published in Nutrition Reviews shows that bleeding of the gums on gentle probing, or gingival bleeding tendency, and also bleeding in the eye, or retinal hemorrhaging, were associated with low vitamin C levels in the bloodstream. And, the researchers found that increasing daily intake of vitamin C in those people with low vitamin C plasma levels helped to reverse these bleeding issues.

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## 🔏 Publisher's Perspective

## The Politics of Hate Goes Local

Messenger readers know that I have often used this column to criticize town or school board's policies and procedures. We have also published many of your letters in the same vein.

This is one of the great rights and privileges we enjoy in a democracy.

However, every once in a while, some self appointed champion of all that is right and good crosses the line and attacks the character and integrity of our public officials.

People who have the decency and yes, the courage to run for Select Board or School Board or serve on appointed boards and committees are our neighbors and friends. They stood up and are sacrificing their time and reputation to make life better for us all. Disagreeing with a particular vote or position does not give us the right to berate them with personal attacks.

A few years ago, Antrim went through this. Last year two Hillsborough Selectmen resigned after being barraged with claims of bias, lack of integrity and conflict of interest, only because they supported a proposed noise ordinance.

This year, it appears to be Henniker's turn. Not a week goes by without the Select Board and particularly Chair Kris Blomback being accused of impropriety, illegality or depravity. These attacks are both insulting and inappropriate, and must stop immediately.

In the 33 years that Joyce and I have owned The Messenger I can't tell you how many Select Board, School Board, Planning, Zoning or other Boards or committee meetings I have covered from the 20+ towns we cover. In all that time the Henniker Select Board has been a shining example of openness and transparency. Its agendas and minutes are the most complete and accurately reflect what will be or has been discussed.

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Attention you disgruntled purveyors of hate, if you are so upset with how things are being run, get off Facebook, put your name on the ballot, and your reputation on the line.

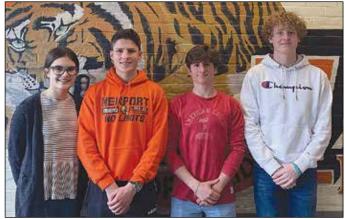


Colby-Sawyer College celebrated its 184th Commencement on Saturday, May 7th, on the college quad.

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Congratulations to the newest Newport High School National Honor Society members who were inducted Tuesday, May 3 at a ceremony at the Old Courthouse Restaurant!



Congratulations to Newport's Tim Fratzel, Darren Janicke, Bella Osgood and Eric Wilkinson, who have been selected to attend St. Paul's Advanced Studies Program this summer.



Kearsarge Regional High School students recently organized and hosted the second CARE (Community Action Resulting in Experiences) Conference, devoted to empowering students to make positive change within their communities.



Hopkinton Police Chief Thomas Hennessey (I) welcomes Csaba Molinar as the Department's newest Patrol Officer.





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## The Grapevine Center launches "Stronger Together" support group

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Some examples include:

• Divorce or changes in a relationship, including friendships

• Changes in your health or the health of a loved one

• Losing a job or changes in financial security

• Life changes that you weren't prepared for (including pandemic-related upheavals)

At the Grapevine, we recognize and validate all types of grief and loss and are pleased to provide a safe, supportive space for our community members to gather. Please note, this is not a bereavement or therapeutic group. It will be peer-led and facilitated by Grapevine staff.

Stronger Together will be facilitated by Nancy Macalester and Erica Snyder and will meet at The Grapevine in Antrim from 3pm to 5pm on Sundays May 15 and June 12.

For more information or to register call The Grapevine 603.588.2620 or email info@grapevinenh.org. Drop ins are welcome and childcare can be made available.



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🚄 Sports



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## BASEBALL

**Kearsarge 5, Hillsboro-Deering 1:** Ben Biagiatti pitched a nohitter and Camden Dezotell had the game-winning RBI in the sixth inning.

**Berlin 7, Kearsarge 6:** After being down 5-1 after the first two innings, Kearsarge made a game of it, taking a 6-5 lead in the fifth. **Bow 18, ConVal 4:** ConVal tied the game, 3-3, but Bow broke the game open with five runs in the third inning, and a seven-run seventh.

Hopkinton 12, Mascoma 0: Colby Boissy got the Hawks rolling at the plate with a two-run double in the top of the second inning. Hopkinton 10, Conant 0: Joe Yanzo laced a two-run single in the bottom of the first to get the Hawks rolling. A few more hits had the Hawks up 9-0.

**Goffstown 15, Bedford 9:** Ryan Strand hit a grand slam, and 2 singles; while Ryan Cote had a 3-run homer.

John Stark 10, Milford 5: Chase Philibotte threw a very effective and efficient game for the Generals, and he was backed by excellent defense from Dykstra, Keim and Crean.

**Souhegan 8, John Stark 2:** The Generals outscored the Sabers in the restart, but couldn't dig themselves out of the large hole they dug eight days earlier.

John Stark 17, Plymouth 4: The Generals and Bobcats went back and forth over the first three innings before the Generals took the lead for good in the fourth.

**Hopkinton 5, Campbell 2:** The Hawks jumped out to a 4-0 lead in the top of the first behind a two-run single by Laylagian and a two-run single by Hunter Boissy with two outs.

## SOFTBALL

**Bishop Brady 9, Hillsboro-Deering 6:** The Giants hit well and put the ball in play often, while Bryson shut down the Hillcats from the circle.

Hopkinton 20, Mascoma 1: Shaylee Murdough earned her first varsity win in the circle.

Campbell 3, Hopkinton 2: The Hawks led 2-1 into the bottom of



the sixth, but Campbell scored two to take a 3-2 victory.

**Conant 9, Hopkinton 6:** The Hawks battled back from a 5-0 deficit to take a 6-5 lead after three, but Conant scored two in the fourth to retake the lead.

**Coe-Brown 8, ConVal 3:** Coe-Brown was too much to handle this day.

John Stark 1, ConVal 0: AJ DeTone only needed 75 pitches to earn the complete-game shutout for his first varsity win.

John Stark 13, Milford 2: The Generals had a balanced offensive attack, with the top five batters in the lineup scoring seven runs and the bottom six in the lineup scoring six.

John Stark 23, Plymouth 7: Kira Linstad got her 1st varsity win with plenty of run support.

## **BOYS LACROSSE**

Lebanon 13, Hillsboro-Deering 5: H-D's Jacob Davies scored 3 goals, Paulo Vasquez had 2, and Jared O'Connor registered13 saves. Hopkinton 15, Hillsboro-Deering 2: The Hillcats dominated at the faceoff and did a good job clearing the ball, keeping the game close early on.

**Hopkinton 3, Trinity 2, OT:** Quinn Whitehead scored with 1:02 left in regulation to force overtime and Aiden Burns scored 11 minutes into OT to avenge the Hawks' loss to Trinity in last year's Division III tournament semifinal.

**Campbell 15, Hopkinton 12:** Campbell came out to a 7-0 lead midway through the second quarter. The Hawks went on a 10-4 run to make it 11-10 by the beginning of the fourth quarter, but the Hawks couldn't seal the victory.

**Kearsarge 12, Milford 9:** The Cougars prevailed in a shootout. **ConVal 9, Bow 4:** The Falcons played strong defense, despite the score.

## **GIRLS LACROSSE**

**Kearsarge 18, Belmont 5:** Eight different players scored for Kearsarge, utilizing good teamwork and solid defense.

**Kearsarge 17, Milford 6:** Kearsarge led 8-4 at halftime before pulling away in the second half.

**Hopkinton 19, Bishop Brady 9:** Shelby Olkonen and Jessie Carney recorded their first career varsity goals, and the Hawks built a 10-goal lead by halftime.

Bow 14, Hopkinton 13: Bow prevailed in a major shootout.

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## Everett (Eb, Ebbie, or Ebster) G. Chamberlain Jr.

HILLSBOROUGH - Everett (Eb, Ebbie, or Ebster) G. Chamberlain, Jr.,

82, born August 7, 1939, son of Everett G., Sr. and Mae Chamberlain, passed away on May 4, 2022 from a sudden heart attack. Eb is survived by the love of



his life, Charlotte (Cutter) Chamberlain, sons K. Todd Chamberlain of Levant, ME and Russell Chamberlain of Taylorsville, NC, daughter Wanda (Chamberlain) Dube of Hillsboro, NH and all his grandchildren and soon-to-be, great-grandchild, Everett. In lieu of flowers, the family would request donations be made to the Hillsboro Rescue Squad in Eb's memory. We will be having a celebration of life at a later date.

## Stephanie Rose (Niven) Burton

MANCHESTER - Stephanie Rose (Niven) Burton, 52, of Manchester, NH

died Tuesday May 3, 2022 at her home. She was born November 4, 1969 in Concord, NH to Richard R & Cynthia R (Rouillier) Niven. She is survived by her



parents Richard R and Cynthia R Niven, of Washington, NH, her companion, Joseph A. Dakin of Manchester, and his two children Joseph A Dakin, Jr and Nina Marie Dakin, her brother Michael R Niven of Florida, 2 nieces Eileen Rose Pepin of Manchester, NH, Elizabeth Ann Niven of Nevada, a great nephew Ernest Paul Pepin of Manchester, NH, 2 aunts Teresa A. Macukewicz of Florida, Charlene McGovern of Ohio, her uncle Maurice R Rouillier of Florida, along with several cousins. A celebration of Stephanie's life was held Monday May 9, 2022 at the American Legion Post 59 in Hillsboro.

## Linda Mitchell

HENNIKER - Linda Mitchell, 61, passed away peacefully on April 15, 2022

surrounded by her family. Linda was born September 13, 1960, to the late Charles and Audrey Mitchell of Marblehead, MA. Linda leaves behind her daughter Tanya



McManus and her husband Michael, her daughter Kayla Ingham and her partner AJ George and her son Shawn Ingham and his wife Heather. She's lovingly remembered by her grandchildren; Savannah, Victoria, Alexia, Charlotte, Emma, Evelyn, Freyja, Charlie & Ace.

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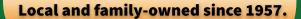
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## **Obituaries:** Friends & Neighbors Remembered

She was welcomed to Heaven by her grandson, Noah. Calling Hours will be held on Thursday, May 19 from 5-7 PM at the Holt-Woodbury Funeral Home, 32 School Street, Hillsboro, A private burial will take place at a later date.

## John H. Ayers

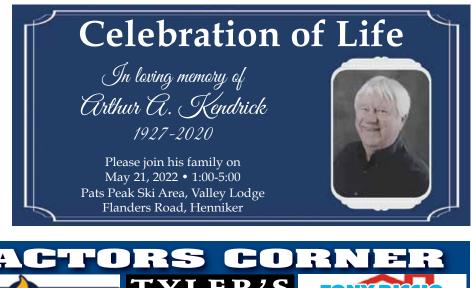
DEERING - John H. Ayers passed April 14, 2022 after a long battle with a multitude of health issues. John was born on March 27, 1950 in Peterborough. John is predeceased by his wife Jessie Ayers, his father Howard F. Ayers, his mother Helena B. Ayers, his brother Robert E. Ayers, and his sister Frances L. Stacy. John leaves his sister Priscilla A. Gladu of Deering NH, along with many friends, and family members.

## Nancy June Fogelson

NEW JERSEY - Nancy June Fogelson, age 88, died April 26, 2022 after a linger-

ing illness. She was born June 8, 1933 in Paterson, New Jersey, the daughter of Betty (Doktor) and Samuel Schwalb. Nancy leaves behind sons, Alex (Kim) of Leesburg, VA, Stephen (Kay) of Deering, NH and daughter-in-law, Debbie (son, Daniel predeceased) of Providence, RI; grandchildren, Dr. Robert Fogelson, Dr. Margaret Fogelson-Miller (Dr. Ashley Miller), Allan, Jazz Musician, Megan, Graphic Designer; great granddaughter, baby Piper. A Memorial Service will be held later.

Contributions may be made in Nancy's name to Avow Hospice, Naples Jewish Congregation or a Charity of your choice.







## **SUNDAY MAY 15**

**ROUND-UP:** For the entire month of May, Aubuchon Hardware Hillsboro is holding a "ROUND-UP" at the register campaign for the Hillsborough Community Center. After your purchase totaled, you can round it up to the nearest dollar and donate the difference to the Community Center. Many thanks to Aubuchon and all of their customers for the support of our project to build a regional community center.

**SUMMER PROGRAM:** We are John Stark! is a four-week (Tues-Thurs, July 5-28) 9th-grade summer transition program designed to provide an exciting and engaging introduction to high school. Participants will have the opportunity to earn a 1/4 high school credit through a wide variety of collaborative learning experiences and activities. Students will become familiar with our work-study practices and school norms while having fun. The program is open to all incoming 9th-graders, but space is limited. Go to www. jsrhs.net for more information.

**KEARSARGE CHORALE:** first live performance since 2019, "Priest, Poets & Pop" will be pre-

sented Sunday, May 15, at 3pm at Colby-Sawyer College's Sawyer Theater. Alex Ager, Artistic Director, will conduct. Guest pianist for the event is Will Ogmundson.

## **TUESDAY MAY 17**

**TUTTLE LIBRARY:** Harnessing History: On the Trail of NH State Dog, the Chinook. 6:30pm to 8:00pm. This is a New Hampshire Humanities Event.

**COOKBOOK CLUB:** Fuller Public Library's NEW Cookbook Club will meet at 12:30pm and the Mystery Book Group will meet at 6:30pm. Call the library for more information, 603-464-3595.

## WEDNESDAY MAY 18

**WARNER PROGRAM:** Welcome Stephen Taylor to the Warner Town Hall at 7pm, speak about one-room schoolhouses.

## **THURSDAY MAY 19**

**BOOK CLUB:** Antrim Eclectic Book Club members will be analyzing Hillbilly Elegy by J.D. Vance. Please join us between 2:15pm and 3:15pm at the James A. Tuttle Library in Antrim.

## **FRIDAY MAY 20**

**BLOOD DRIVE:** Saint Theresa Church, The Knights of Columbus and the American Red Cross are hosting an upcoming blood drive. St. Theresa Church 12:30pm-6:00pm.

## **SATURDAY MAY 21**

#### CAFE MURDER DINNER THEATRE FUND-

**RAISER:** We're serving up two performances with a delicious Italian dinner with dessert, which you can enjoy while you participate in this hilarious who-dunnit at the Hillsboro-Deering Middle School, doors open at 5:00pm. Adults \$25, children 15 and under \$15. All proceeds will go toward the purchase of land for the future regional community center.

**PLANT SALE:** The Weare Garden Club is having their Plant Sale from 9am-2pm at the American Legion parking lot, Weare Center. Proceeds benefit their scholarship fund.

**BIKE RODEO:** Hillsboro-Deering Bike Rodeo at 9am! We will be offering bike races for toddler age through high school in 6 separate heats. After the races, we'll have a tasty BBQ for





participants and families cooked by our very own Hillsboro Fire / EMS.

**AMERICAN FLAGS:** Get your flag subscription from Rotary of Henniker at Edmunds Hardware between 9am-1pm.

### **TUESDAY MAY 24**

VILLAGE TALK: Fuller Public Library's Village Talk Series wraps up with the Upper and Lower Villages. Join us at 6:30pm to learn about the last 2 villages established in the Town of Hillsborough.

## **SATURDAY MAY 28**

**BOOK SALE:** Annual Book Sale at Fuller Public Library 9-12. Hundreds of books, all you can bag for \$10, BYO Bags. We are NOT accepting any donations at this time, thank you to all of those that have already donated.

**AMERICAN FLAGS:** Flags over Hillsboro and Henniker subscriptions in Butler Park tbd.

### **SATURDAY JUNE 4**

**YARD SALE:** Weare's Town Wide Yard Sale. Forms to be on the map at wearehistoricalsociety.org, the library, town office, post office.

**CHILDREN CONCERT:** At the Angela Robinson Bandstand, Henniker. Odds Bodkin's Golden Rule performed with character voices and music Grade K-2, 11am; Grade 3-5, 12:30pm. Sponsored by Montshire Pediatric Dentistry.

## **TUESDAY JUNE 14**

**HENNIKER CONCERT:** 6:30-8:00pm at The Angela Robinson Bandstand. Peabody's Coal.

**AMERICAN FLAGS:** Flags for July and beyond subscriptions available at the Henniker's Summer concert at Angela Robinson Bandstand at 5:30 to 7pm.

## **TUESDAY JUNE 21**

HENNIKER CONCERT: 6:30-8:00pm at The Angela Robinson Bandstand. Downtown Horns.

## **SATURDAY JUNE 25**

**CASINO NIGHT:** Sponsored by the Greater Hillsborough Chamber of Commerce.

TUESDAY JUNE 28 HENNIKER CONCERT: 6:30-8:00pm at The Angela Robinson Bandstand. Reggie Harris.

## **THURSDAY JUNE 30**

**NEWBURY CONCERT:** Ava & Cam, acoustic duo, Live Music at the Harbor 6-8pm.

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### **TUESDAY JULY 5**

**HENNIKER CONCERT:** 6:30-8:00pm at The Angela Robinson Bandstand. Freese Brothers Big Band Combo.

## **THURSDAY JULY 7**

**NEWBURY CONCERT:** FROGZ Classic rock, R&B, Live Music at the Harbor 6-8pm.

HILLSBOROUGH CONCERT: At Butler Park. Freeze Bothers Big Band.

## **SATURDAY JULY 9**

**NEWBURY CONCERT:** Studio Two, Beatles Tribute Band, Live Music at the Harbor 6-8pm.



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Town of Weare

PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC NOTICE

The Planning Board will be holding a public hearing on **Thursday**, **May 26, 2022** at the **Town Office Building beginning at 7:00 PM**.

#### Site Plan Review:

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Owner:	All Purpose Storage Weare, LLC
	4007 Dean Martin Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89103

Applicant:Fieldstone Land Consultants, PLLC & Patriot Holdings, LLC206 Elm Street, Milford, NH 03055

Location: 695 Concord Stage Road, Tax Map 403-003-001

Zone: Commercial

This application is to propose an expansion of the current property to include two (2) new single story storage facilities. One being 7,000 SF and the other being 7,400 SF.

#### **Other business**

Adjournment

## HELP WANTED — EMERALD LAKE VILLAGE DISTRICT FILE CLERK

**JOB DESCRIPTION:** The District File Clerk will be responsible for general office activities. Hours are flexible and to be determined.

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## WASHINGTON, NH NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held Tuesday, June 7, 2022 at 6:30 PM in the upper hall at Town Hall.

• To discuss the application by Georgann Casey for a minor subdivision of her lot TM 7-25, on Washington Heights Road.

The public is invited to attend or comment in writing to the Planning Board prior to the hearing.

The Planning Board will hold their regular meeting after the hearing concludes.

## **NOTICE OF A HEARING**

## **Board of Adjustment • Washington, NH**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Adjustment will be holding a Public Hearing on Wednesday, May 25, 2022, at 7:00 PM at Town Hall, 2nd fl. regarding the following:

Frank Anzalone Associates, C/O Nancy Caruso, (Tm. # 20-138) requesting (4) variances, 33' from the road, 20' sideline, 14.9% structure, and 11.4% impervious coverage, to construct a 24 X 24' two car garage with a 10'-1" X 12'-11" mudroom, and 6'X 20'-6" connecting hallway to an existing house.

Frank Demarco, (Tm. # 25-117) requesting a 28' sideline, and 29' road front variance, to construct a 26 X 28' garage.

Town of Weare, NH

## **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

The Town of Weare is seeking sealed bids for the purchase and installation of a ductless mini split heating and cooling system located at the Town of Weare Office Building, 15 Flanders Memorial Road, Weare, New Hampshire.

An overview and detailed specifications are provided on the town website www.weare. nh.gov or by contacting the Town Administrator at nbolton@weare.nh.gov

Proposals must be received **no later than 9:00AM on June 3, 2022** from interested firms, to be eligible for consideration by the Town. Proposals may be submitted in hard copy to the Town Administrator, Town of Weare, 15 Flanders Memorial Road, Weare, NH 03281 and must be clearly marked.

#### "RFP 22-01, Ductless Mini Split Heating and Cooling Systems"

Proposals shall be submitted prior to the time fixed in the Request for Proposal. Proposals received after the time so indicated shall be returned unopened.

Bid proposals will be opened at 9:00 AM on June 3, 2022. Bid decisions will be made on June 6, 2022 at the Weare Board of Selectmen meeting.

The Town of Weare, NH reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

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