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Police Officer of the Year

Goffstown's Police Department recognized School Resource Officer Emily Crosby earlier this week as their 2021 Officer of the Year, honoring her commitment and dedication.



Meleny Nagy



Riche Colcombe

This Week In History

August 6, 1926

Gertrude Ederle swims the English Channel

August 7, 2005

Trapped Russian submarine is rescued

August 8, 1974

President Richard Nixon resigns

August 9, 1936

Jesse Owens wins 4th Gold Medal

August 10, 1793

Louvre collections go on view

August 11, 1934

Federal prisoners land on Alcatraz

August 12, 1990

Skeleton of Tyrannosaurus Rex is discovered

Another Select Board Vacancy

Meleny Nagy abruptly resigns after public confrontation

Newly elected Hillsborough Select-woman Meleny Nagy abruptly resigned and walked out of last Wednesday's Select Board meeting after being confronted by resident Riche Colcombe, who accused Nagy of using her position to threaten her.

The incident actually began during a prior Select Board meeting when it was announced that Nagy's Rose Garden Hands LLC had been awarded the bid to paint the Heritage Museum. Someone asked if that was a reputable company to which Colcombe interjected, "NO."

Following the meeting Nagy sent an email to Colcombe, defending her company by saying, in part, that "if I do lose clients - I will file a defamation case against you."

There followed an exchange of emails between the two in which Colcombe claimed her comment was a joke, but

concluded saying, "I'm wondering if you as a Select woman are retaliating against me." She then followed by bringing this accusation to Wednesday's open meeting.

Colcombe's resentment dates back even further. Coincidentally, Nagy was appointed to fill a vacancy occurring when two former Select Board members resigned after repeated personal attacks. At the time both women applied for the job and the Board chose Iris Campbell and Nagy over Colcombe.

When The Messenger praised the appointment as "a breath of fresh air" Colcombe sent a blistering email chastising us for "endorsing a Democrat, an Activist and a CRT believer as part of our governing body in Hillsborough. Please take some time to look into Meleny's background and current motives," she wrote.



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Maureen Colby named as Instructional Coach for SAU #24 teachers

Superintendent of SAU 24 Schools Jacqueline Coe, Ed.D, announced the appointment of Maureen Colby as an Instructional Coach working with teachers to enhance the quality of

their lessons and improve student outcomes. Coaches also serve as partners, walking alongside teachers as they enhance their professional practice. The coaching team works within and supports the work of SAU 24's Professional Learning Communities, and they are active members of the SAU Leadership Team.

Maureen Colby is an experienced educator who taught English at John Stark Regional High School for the past twenty years. She is a graduate of St. Michael's College and holds a Master of Science in Education from the University of New England and an M.Ed. Leadership in Curriculum Administration from Southern NH University.

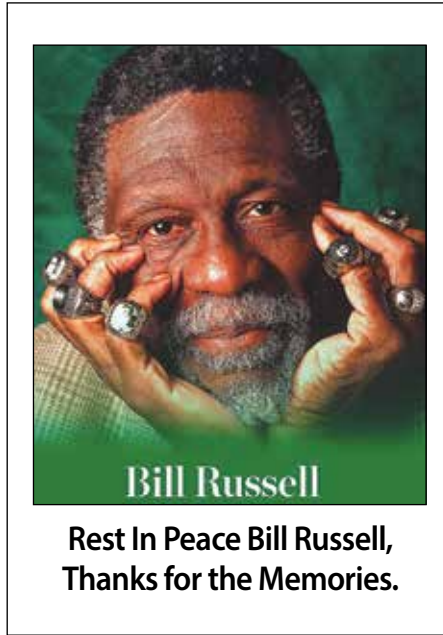
"I am most excited to partner with teachers to create student-centered learning experiences that are engaging, rigorous, and relevant," commented Colby on her new position within SAU 24. "I love collaborating with educators to build a community where all



Maureen Colby

learners feel capable, challenged, and cared for. I am also eager to continue serving the SAU 24 community, a place I have called home for the last two decades."

Maureen Colby lives in Dunbarton with her husband, Matthew, and son, Stephen.



Bill Russell

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Proposed Weare Rental Housing Ordinance draws opposition

The Weare Select Board recently held the first of two public hearings planned for public comment and testimony on the proposed draft rental housing ordinance.

Neal Kurk provided the Board with a handout and outlined these concerns as A) Technical Considerations and B) Policy Considerations, citing several problems in each. Kurk ended by stating that in essence this is big government for a small town and we don't need it. Warren Davis doesn't believe this ordinance is necessary. It is going to create greater costs for the tenants as well as the real estate owners.

Tom Flaherty echoed some of the comments that were made previously and was curious as to why all of a sudden we are passing an ordinance, which seems like overkill.

Peter Bailey stated that he is a little disappointed when he sees an ordinance start out with the words "collect fees and impose fines." He doesn't think that's what the Town of Weare is all about. Craig Francisco, Chairman of the Planning Board stated that the Board seems to be taking all the heat so he's going to try to help out a little bit. People have come to the Planning Board over the past 3-4 years complaining about rentals. The Planning Board said they tried to get a zoning ordinance to cover this situation, but Town Counsel thought it would be better to go through the Board of Selectmen versus an amendment.

John Nikias, East Shore Drive, said in August it will be 40 years since he

moved in as a full-time resident. He has come to the town before and nothing seems to happen.

Peter Bailey feels the Board is barking up the wrong tree.

Fox concluded, saying, "This is not Weare. This is not America. We are going down a slippery slope. You start knocking on people's doors telling them what they can and can't do in

their home, that's a slippery slope."

Chairman Hippler thanked everyone for coming out and said the Board would review this and make changes as we see fit and work with the Planning Board as well. There will be another public hearing scheduled and we will try and have Town Counsel present to answer any legal questions that might come up.



State Senator Ruth Ward, (r) joined Governor Chris Sununu, who signed the Suicide Prevention Act she sponsored.

Senator Ruth Ward sponsors Suicide Prevention Act

Senator Ruth Ward joined Governor Chris Sununu who signed a bill she sponsored, the Jason Dickey Suicide Prevention Act into law.

This legislation will place the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline onto the back of Student Identification cards. Any student dealing with a mental health crisis will have access to this potentially life changing resource.

At the signing, Ward said, "I want to thank Governor Sununu for signing this legislation into law and to all of my colleagues in the House and Senate who unanimously approved this legislation. I want to send my condolences to anyone who has lost a loved one to suicide, and I want to remind everyone in this entire State that they can always call 1-800-273-8255 or 988 to speak with someone."

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August 6, 2021
 Antrim Administrator Donna Hanson resigns
 Newbury Fire Department's new station opens
 Driver injured in Newbury single-vehicle accident
 Warner considering day care in Community Building

August 7, 2020
 H-D holds a nearly traditional graduation
 Newbury honors "Mike" Croteau's 75 years service
 Monadnock Hospital lays off 21 employees
 New London implements beach pass system

August 2, 2019
 Arvanetakis honored as Community Builders
 Separate Newbury Fire & Police proposed
 Woman's body found in her storage unit
 Teghan Coyle wins New Boston scholarship

August 3, 2018
 Peterborough Brewery in GAR Hall
 Weare gazebo demolition delayed
 Uncanoonuc Dam project on schedule
 Franklin Police Officer arrested for stalking

August 4, 2017
 Sununu kills the goose
 Board seeks additional \$859,000 from Antrim Wind
 Belmont man dies of self-inflicted gun shot wound
 Franklin man arrested for second degree murder

July 29, 2016
 New London Fire Department valuable training
 Accident claims life of Northfield employee
 OSRAM acquires Tennessee company
 Car collides with two motorcycles in Newport

July 3, 2015
 OSRAM Sylvania donates truck to Fire Department
 Franklin School Board wants NH's first Art Car
 Friends of Goffstown Rail Trail donate \$11,850
 Hopkinton & Fair Association settle differences

August 1, 2014
 Franklin man convicted of arson
 Goffstown committee considering Rail Trail Grant
 29 teens busted at New Boston booze party
 Dunbarton to renovate Town Hall

August 2, 2013
 Weapons seized in separate Henniker drug busts
 Newport man thrown from motorcycle
 Hancock man indicted on felony assault charges
 Warner Selectmen outline goals and objectives

August 3, 2012
 Pats Peak celebrates its 50th Anniversary
 Warner dedicated to Jim Mitchel Community Park
 50th Anniversary of Hopkinton-Everett Dam
 Two young children survive Weare crash

Two projects to help less fortunate children return to school

COATS FOR KIDS

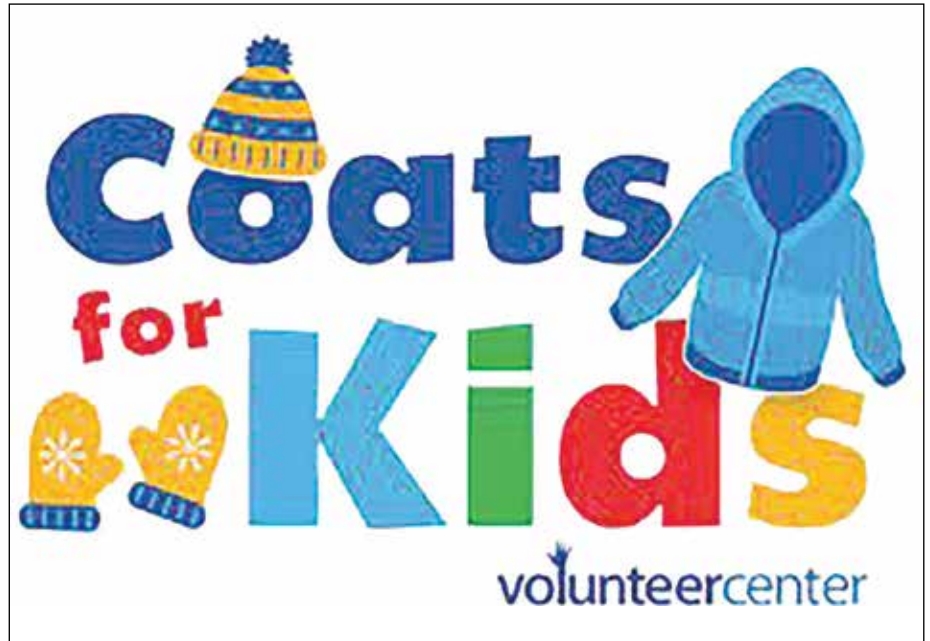
The Knights of Columbus of St. Mary and St. Theresa Churches are again sponsoring their "Coats for Kids" program.

Families struggling to make ends meet use their scarce resources to meet the most basic needs and cannot always afford the vital essential of a new winter coat.

The goal of the Coats for Kids program is to ensure that no child in the ten communities served by St. Mary and St. Theresa goes without a coat during the winter season. Contributions can be dropped off after all Masses at either Church on August 13th and 14th.

SCHOOL BACKPACKS

Jessica Audette of Hillsborough is again collecting School Backpacks. She is looking to get needy kids some new or gently used school supplies, including: Spiral Notebooks, Composition Notebooks, Rulers, #2 Pencils, Crayons, Post-it-Notes, Colored Markers,



Colored Pencils, USB Drives, Pencil Boxes/Cases, Erasers, Blue/Black Pens, Glue, Kids Scissors and BACKPACKS!!

She is collecting to donate to Hill-sboro-Deering/Washington/Windsor

and Henniker area schools.

Donation boxes are located at Hill-sboro Police Station, Henniker Police Station, Bar Harbor Bank - Hillsboro, and Smith Church.

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High speed chase ends in Hillsboro accident

On August 2nd, a Hillsboro Police Officer attempted to stop a vehicle in which they had observed a male driving, that was known by police to have a suspended driver's license, as a habitual offender in NH. Initially, the vehicle started to yield to the blue lights and sirens, however it then took off at a high rate of speed on W. Main Street. The vehicle continued onto Route 9 Eastbound before the driver attempted to reverse direction and go down the on ramp from Antrim Road the wrong way. In the course of reversing directions the vehicle



Edward Esty

drove directly at an unmarked Hillsboro Police cruiser, striking the cruiser and causing significant damage to both vehicles. The operator of the vehicle then attempted to flee the area on foot, however he was apprehended a short distance later by the officers involved in the pursuit. The operator was arrested and transported to Concord Hospital for evaluation and then to the Hillsboro County House of Corrections on a variety of felony charges. A passenger in the suspect's vehicle was also transported to Concord Hospital for injuries as well as a Hillsboro Officer who suffered minor injuries in the crash. The investigation is ongoing with the assistance of the NH State Police. The arrested operator is identified as 25 year old Edward Esty of Hillsboro, NH.



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Hillsboro-Deering School Board discusses staff vacancies and goals

The Hillsboro-Deering School Board held a brief meeting Monday evening. Alex Luhtjarv thanked the Board and voters of Hillsboro and Deering for supporting the revised teacher's contract.

Superintendent Dr. Jennifer Crawford informed the Board that many of the staff vacancies have been filled but a few remain at each of the three schools.

Resident Riche Colcombe came prepared to discuss several topics with the Board. Her first item was a challenge to the Business Administrator's financial report at the last meeting. Having met personally with the Department of Education, Colcombe began pointing out the discrepancies when she was abruptly cut off by Chair Chris Bober, at the end of her allotted 5 minutes of Public Comment.

Coincidentally, the next item on the agenda was to finalize the Board's Goal for 2022-2023 which is to "Re-

main consistent in our comment, policies and procedures, in order to better

communicate with the public and have more effective board meetings."



Fuller Library Trustee Bob Woolner shows the Hillsborough Select Board plans for the renovation of the building's third floor. When renovating the second floor for handicapped accessibility the Trustees displaced the Sons of the Union Veterans of the Civil War and promised to relocate them after those renovations were completed. The goal is to relocate the group with space appropriate for both displays and meetings. It was proposed that funds for the project will come from the Capital Reserve Funds.

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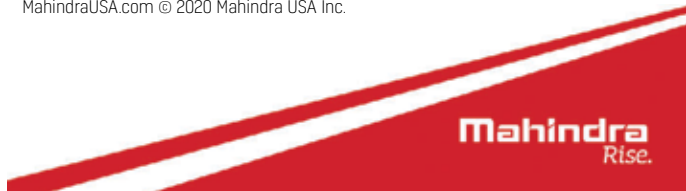
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Western New England University President's List

Rylee Ames of Goffstown is working toward a BA in Law & Society. **Alison Laroche** of New Boston is working toward a BA in Psychology. **Jamie Cookingham** of Warner is working toward a BSBA in General Business. **Avery Gorhan** of Hillsboro is working toward a BSE Biomedical Engineering. **Jonathan Blanchard** of Goffstown is working toward a BSE in Mechanical Engineering/ Mechatronics Concentration.

Western New England University Dean's List

Kaitlyn McGill is working toward a BA in Psychology. **Emily Campbell** of Goffstown is working toward a BS in Biology. **Jack Mappus** of New Boston is working toward a BSBA in Business Analytics & Information Management.

Champlain College Graduates

Connor Merchant of Contoocook completed their Bachelor of Science in Comp. Netwrk. & Cybersecurity. **Patrick von Kannewurff** of Newbury completed their Master of Science in Health Care Administration. **Skye Civitella** of Hancock completed their Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design & Digital Media. **Keslyn Kime** of Goffstown completed their Bachelor of Science in Psychology. **Quinn Romein** of Goffstown completed their Bachelor of Science in Psychology.

Clark University Dean's List

Ella M. McCullough, of Peterborough, NH, was named to second honors. **Michael David Schubert**, of Newbury, NH, was named to first honors.

Bates College Dean's List

Maxwell Elsasser of Dunbarton, and **Caitie McGlashan** of Hopkinton.

Other Colleges & Universities

Hope Rector of Dunbarton has been named to Purchase College's Dean's List.



Erin Longan, Children's Librarian joined Harmony Lodge Master Leigh Bosse in presenting this year's Tucker Library "Bikes For Books" winners; Zane Travers, (l) and Haddie Timmons with their bikes and helmet gift cards.



During last week's Governor and Council meeting at New England College, Governor Chris Sununu and Councilor Cinde Farmington presented Proclamations to NEC President Dr. Michele Perkins (L) honoring her leadership through difficult times and to Joseph Clement (R) honoring his decades of selfless service to the town and the college.

Deering Select Board considering increase police presence at the lakes

Deering Police Chief Mark Philibert informed the Select Board that during the last few weekends there have been an increased amount of personnel at the lake front along with an increased number of calls for service.

The Chief noted the increased trash volumes, alcohol containers and drug paraphernalia. Town Administrator

Julius Peel presented the drafted letter to the state as requested during the last meeting.

The board reviewed the letter and made changes to the letter to reflect higher costs of police and the need for assistance from the state. Peel will have this amended letter read for the next meeting.

The board and a few members of the public discussed utilizing the Deering Lake ETF for the payment of a part-time officer. The board agreed that they would review this with the Trustees to ensure that this is in conformity with the warrant article and would address this at the next meeting of the board.

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An Editorial

Selectmen are people too

This is a repeat but appropriate in light of recent events...

Last week two of Hillsborough's three Selectmen resigned. Both were in the forefront of enhancing the town's noise ordinance, which triggered immediate opposition.

Much of the criticism was well within the bounds of political dissent. Some people however severely crossed the line, engaging in vile personal attacks and character assassination.

Those malcontents deserve our outrage and scorn. We apparently have lost the ability to disagree without being disagreeable.

I have known and worked with both J.P. Stohrer and David Rogers, and although I disagree with them on

this issue, I respect them as men of the highest character and integrity. In addition to their civic work as Selectmen both have spent countless hours in volunteer work with the Lions Club, The Open Door, Kemp Park Committee and 250th Committee, all to make Hillsborough a better place to live, work and raise a family.

Neither man cited the abuse as a reason for their resignations, but it must have made their decisions easier.

On behalf of the entire town, I want to apologize for the behavior of the intolerant jerks and offer our sincere thanks for their efforts on our behalf.

We offer the same to Meleny Nagy.



Join Newbury Fire & Rescue at 9/11 Memorial Service

First responders from several Kearsarge area towns have been invited to participate in a 9/11 Memorial Service at the Newbury Fire and Rescue grounds, Route 103. The event will be held at 11 am on Sunday, September 11, 2022 and everyone is invited to join the commemoration.

The program will begin with a bagpiper led procession of first responders from the Veterans Hall to Newbury Fire and Rescue grounds. This will be followed by the Presentation of Colors and singing of the National Anthem. Chair Bob Wilkonski will welcome everyone, Art Rosen will offer the invocation. Bill McKinley,

who was at the Pentagon when it was attacked on 9/11, will offer words of remembrance. There will also be speakers from the Newbury Select Board along with Police Chief Brad Wheeler and Fire Chief Hank Thomas, Jr. On that morning, the Center Meeting House bell will toll four times, 8:46 for the North Tower, 9:03 for the South Tower, 9:37 for the Pentagon, and 10:00 for Shanksville, PA.

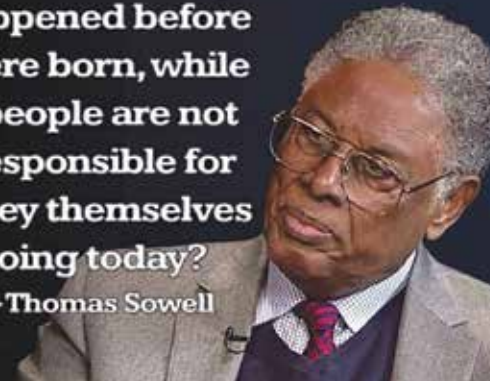
Everyone is invited to join together to honor our first responders and commemorate those who perished on that day. "Let me know when my days are through, America, America, I did my best for you."



Words of Wisdom

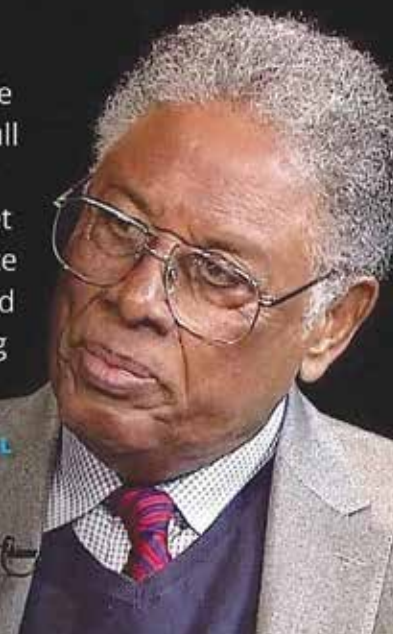

Have we reached the ultimate stage of absurdity where some people are held responsible for things that happened before they were born, while other people are not held responsible for what they themselves are doing today?

— Thomas Sowell



“The history of the 20th century is full of examples of countries that set out to redistribute wealth and ended up redistributing poverty.”

— THOMAS SOWELL
Economist

NITROUS OXIDE



Dr. Esin Narli

Q: What is nitrous oxide?

A: In a dental setting, nitrous oxide is one of the tools the dentist has to use as a sedative or anti-anxiety agent. It is a gas — a compound of nitrogen and oxygen. Nitrous oxide is in the category of a “conscious sedation,” meaning that the patient is awake and conscious during the procedure and can respond to directions and questions from the dentist.

Nitrous oxide is known popularly as “laughing gas” since it puts the patient in a mood that is giddy, even euphoric, while the procedure is underway. Any pain that is associated with the procedure will be more bearable and it’s not uncommon to sense that time is passing more quickly.

The gas is administered through a nose mask and is safe for patients of any age. It is one of the more common sedatives that dentists use. Among its other benefits is that it has few unpleasant side effects, and it wears off quickly. The gas, by the way, was first used in a dental procedure — a tooth extraction — in 1844 by a Connecticut dentist named Horace Wells. Talk with your dentist about whether you are a candidate for nitrous oxide.

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BY SARAH CHAPIN

Lonely, older adults are nearly twice as likely to use opioids to ease pain and two-and-a-half times more likely to use sedatives and anti-anxiety medications, putting themselves at risk for drug dependency, impaired attention, falls and other accidents, and further cognitive impairment, according to a recent study. The study found that just over half of 6,000 respondents in a nationally representative survey of seniors living independently were not lonely, while 40 percent were moderately lonely, and 7 percent were highly lonely. The proportion of seniors in each group who had prescriptions for opioids and anti-anxiety medications and sedatives, which included drugs like Valium, Xanax, BuSpar and Ambien, correlated with their degree of loneliness, according to the study, which was published in *JAMA Internal Medicine*.

Hospitalized patients with COVID-19 who received the rheumatoid arthritis drug baricitinib, in combination with the standard of care including corticosteroids, died less often than those receiving only the standard of care, according to a study released recently in *The Lancet Respiratory Medicine*.

Surgeons can ease their patients’ pain from common operations without prescribing opioids, and avoid the possibility of starting someone on a path to long-term use, a new study published in the *Annals of Surgery* suggests. Treating post-surgery pain with non-opioid pain medications such as ibuprofen or acetaminophen didn’t lead to higher pain levels or more serious issues during recovery, and didn’t dampen patients’ satisfaction with their care, according to new results from a study of more than 22,000 patients who had one of seven common operations at 70 hospitals.

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The position is expected to typically require about 5 volunteer hours per week.

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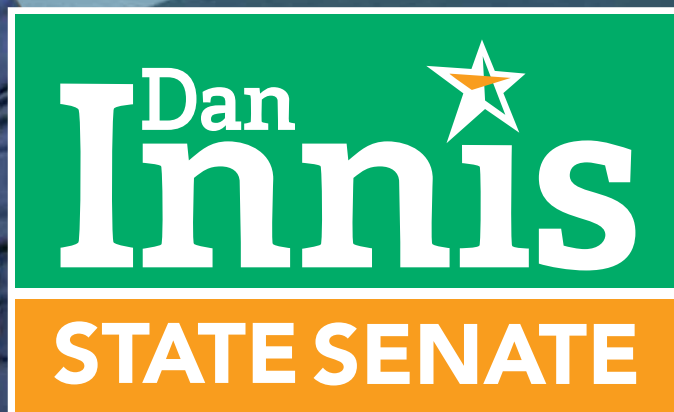
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Sports

Hillsboro-Deering High School Fall Sports Tryouts & Practices

Monday - 8/8/22

Bass Fishing tryouts - TBD

Friday - 8/12/22

Football practice - 7:30am HDHS practice field

Monday - 8/15/22

Boys Soccer tryouts - 7:00am HD Boys Soccer Field

Cross Country practice - 8:00am Grimes Field

Golf practice - 3:00pm Angus Lea Golf Course

Tuesday - 8/16/22

Girls Soccer practice - 8:00am HD Girls Soccer Field

Thursday - 8/18/22

Girls Volleyball tryouts - 4:30pm HDHS Gymnasium

All athletes trying out must have a current physical on file with the school nurse, or one ready to turn in to their coach. All athletes trying out must also have current Impact test results readily available if needed. Those athletes needing an Impact test should see Coach Wood during the week of 8/15 - 8/19. All athletes are responsible for their own hydration for the entirety of the season. Good Luck!!

Hopkinton Middle High School Tryouts & Practices

Football: Aug. 12, 7:30am at Hillsboro-Deering HS;

Boys' Soccer: Aug. 15, high school field, grades 10-12 at 7:30am and grade 9 at 4:30pm;

Girls' Soccer: Aug. 15, 8am at Houston Field 3;

Field Hockey: Aug. 15, 8am at the high school;

Cross Country: Aug. 15, 8am at the pavilion at the high school;

Golf: Aug. 15, 8am at Country Club of N.H.

All middle school sports start on Aug. 29 after school. Boys' soccer and girls' soccer will meet on Houston Field, field hockey will meet at Clark Field and cross country will meet at the pavilion. All athletes need a physical from within the last two years to participate.

Coaches Needed

Hopkinton Middle High School

The following coaching positions are open: middle school boys' soccer, interim JV girls' soccer coach (for one year) and middle school girls' soccer. Please contact Dan Meserve at dmeserve@sau66.org if you are interested.

Hillsboro-Deering High School

HD High School is looking for a JV girls' volleyball coach, varsity girls' basketball head coach, JV girls' basketball coach, varsity girls' lacrosse head coach and two outdoor track assistant coaches. Interested applicants who can commit to the season should submit an application at hdsd.org/employment. Contact athletic director Jay Wood at jwood@hdsd.org with questions.



History Alive events at Hillsborough Center

To celebrate the 250th celebration of our town, several new things have been added to the reenactments and colonial village life. At Jones Road, three new events are added. In the large tent, we'll have a silent auction that runs all of Saturday (as Hillsboro used to have several famous antique auctioneers). The results of the silent auction will be announced at 5PM that evening. Marek Bennett will lead a workshop on Comics and Cartoon form of illustrating history of the civil war. He has written three comic books based on the diary of Colby Freeman of Henniker who served in the Civil War. Come enjoy making comics yourself. We will end the first day with a square dance called by Susan Hunt accompanied by two NH musicians. She is known for helping all ages enjoy dancing. There also will be new vendors/exhibits of Civil War quilts, and cooking demos of sutlers who accompanied the soldiers.

The theme this year is Travelling through 250 years.

New Hampshire musicians will be performing throughout the two days, everything from classical music, to folk music of different centuries by Jeff Warner, Steve Schuch, and Fortunes Favor, to the Vermont Jazz sextet.

Steve Taylor will share about the "Roads of NH," and Michell Sherburne will give a talk on the Underground Railroad in NH. You can ride in the horse and carriage around the green (similar to the one that was the finale of the 250th town parade last month). There will be exhibits of old colonial tools, as well as a talk on the tools created by Abenaki over the last 13,000 years. Thanks to Mildred Nelson, a former resident of Hillsborough Center, who left a Trust Fund with the town for children's recreation, a number of events for children are being planned by Deanna Neal. Local residents will present a drama of "Fire in the Belfry" that offers a possible answer to the mystery of what caused the fire that burnt down the town hall years ago.

History Alive's final event this year will be a parade around the Center led by our famous local bicyclist on his bone shaker bicycle while our three oldest residents will ride in the horse and carriage. Check out the website at: www.historyalivenh.org for details.



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Obituaries: Friends & Neighbors Remembered

Alexandra “Lexy” M. Heatley

HANCOCK - Alexandra “Lexy” M. Heatley, 55, of Hancock, passed away peacefully and surrounded by the love of her family on July 27, 2022 at her home. She was born in Stamford, CT on March 3, 1967, the daughter of Craig and Adrienne (McLeod) Heatley. In addition to her husband Neal Cass of Hancock, Lexy is survived by step children Joshua Cass of Peterborough and Rachel Cass of Hancock, her siblings Craig Heatley of Westport CT, Selden Heatley of West Palm Beach FL, Caroline Heatley of Hancock, her brother and sister-in-law Michael Cass of Hancock, and Cheryl Jessie of Bennington. She was predeceased by her brother-in-law Barry Cass. Visit-



ing hours will be held on Friday August 5 from 5pm-7pm at Jellison Funeral Home, 25 Concord Street, Peterborough, NH. A memorial service will be held on Saturday August 6 at 11am at the First Congregational Church of Hancock, UCC, 47 Main Street, Hancock, NH. A reception will follow at the family home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Lexy’s name to: Circle Week, Fleur de Lis Camp, 120 Howeville Road, Fitzwilliam, NH 03447, <https://www.fleurdeliscamp.org/donate>

James Everett Berry III

WASHINGTON - James Everett Berry III, 84, of Washington NH died, July 26, 2022, peacefully at home. He was the son of James Berry II and Elinor (Harding) Berry, formerly of Stoneham, Massachusetts, and Prospect, Maine. He



was the companion of Janice Philbrick, of Washington, NH, and the former husband of Karen Berry of Reading, MA. He leaves a sister, Lois Gianni of Prospect, Maine, and three half-brothers, Joseph Berry of Brick, New Jersey, John Berry of Monson, MA and Jeffrey Berry of Melrose, MA. He leaves his two sons Michael Berry and his wife Maryellen and Thomas Berry and his wife Leigh, grandchildren, Daniel, Michael and Devyn Berry, and a great granddaughter Riley Berry. He also leaves stepchildren Marianne, Edward, and Carol Thayer of Washington. He also leaves many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be at the Camp Morgan Lodge, 18 Wolf Way off Mellon Pond Road in Washington, on August 14th. Doors will open at 11am with Service at 12noon, followed by a light lunch and fellowship. In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be made

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Donald Kerivan Lane

HOPKINTON - Donald Kerivan Lane died peacefully at Havenwood-Heritage Heights in Concord, NH with his family by his side on July 25, 2022. Don was born in Boston, MA on February 20, 1937 to Gertrude M. and John A. Lane. He had two brothers, John Lane and Brian Lane and a sister Mary (Sally) Lane Gould. Don is survived by his wife Ramona Kean (Mona), daughter Jennifer Lane Pope and her husband Sandy of South Yarmouth, MA and their four children, Matthew and his wife Sarah (Battista), Christopher and his wife Emily (Worcester), Katherine and Julia; son Donald, Jr. of Newfields,



NH and his two children, Mark and Maria; son Mark and his wife Anne of Hampton Falls, NH and their three children, Abigail and her husband Nick Smith, Eric and Emma; son David and his wife Jeanne of Eliot, ME and their two children, Rachel and David 2nd; his sister Mary (Sally) Gould and many nieces and nephews. A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Tuesday, August 2, 2022 at 11:00am at St. Theresa's Church, Henniker, NH, followed by a luncheon. In lieu of flowers, the family welcomes donations to the Hopkinton Historical Society, 300 Main Street, Hopkinton, NH 03229.

Onni M. Mackey Jr

DEERING - Onni Matthew Mackey Jr, 70, of Deering NH died July 27, 2022 at Concord Hospital in Concord, NH. Onni was born in Keene, NH May 12, 1952 to the late Onni M. Mackey Sr and Rena May (Ellis) Mackey. He was

also predeceased by his 2 brothers Daniel & Walter. Survived by 2 sons, Matthew J. and his wife Lee-Anne Mackey of Hillsboro, NH, David W. Mackey and his fiancé Michelle Wilson of Henniker, NH, 1 brother Andrew Mackey of Greenville, NH, 1 sister Virginia Howard of Sullivan, NH, 2 grandchildren Keegan and Olivia May Mackey. A celebration of life will be held Saturday August 6, 2022 from 2-4pm in the Holt-Woodbury Funeral Home, 32 School Street, Hillsboro, NH.



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SATURDAY AUGUST 6

WASHINGTON EXHIBIT: See works by Nat Burwash on loan from NH State Library and private collectors at the Washington Historical Society. Visit <https://www.wnhhs.org/events> for details.

SUNDAY AUGUST 7

CHICKEN BBQ: Sponsored by Washington Fire & Auxillary. 12-2:00pm at the Center Station 410. Donation.

FRANCESTOWN CONCERT: Sam Robbins. Concerts start at 4pm on the Old Meeting House lawn. Admission is \$15, and children under 16 are admitted free.

MONDAY AUGUST 8

KNITTING: crocheting, needle felting, weaving. Bring whatever project you are working on to the Knitting Purls group at Fuller Public Library, 1pm every Monday.

MEETINGHOUSE VIDEO: The public is invited to a 10th anniversary showing of the video "Meetinghouse: The Heart of Washington, NH" at the refurbished Upper Hall of the Town Hall, 7

Halfmoon Pond Rd. at 7pm. Historian Ron Jager and Carolyn Russell will host & answer questions. Preceded by a business meeting for Washington Historical Society members from 6:30-7pm. Visit <https://www.wnhhs.org/events> for details.

TUESDAY AUGUST 9

NEW BOSTON CONCERT: 6-7:30pm on the town common. North River Music.

GREENFIELD CONCERT: On the Common at 6:30pm. Joel Cage.

HENNIKER CONCERT: 6:30-8pm at The Angela Robinson Bandstand. Queen City Soul.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 10

ANTRIM CONCERT: 6pm at the Bandstand. Senie Hunt.

THURSDAY AUGUST 11

SCRABBLE: and Cribbage are played every Thursday at Fuller Public Library starting at 1pm.

HANCOCK CONCERT: Decatur Creek, acoustic original and classic American music. If it rains, concerts will be held at 6pm in the Hancock

Meetinghouse and the farmers market will be in the town horse sheds behind the Meetinghouse.

NEWBURY CONCERT: Terrapin Tuesday, Grateful Dead Tribute. Live Music at the Harbor 6-8pm.

HILLSBOROUGH CONCERT: At Butler Park. Will Hatch & Co.

FRIDAY AUGUST 12

SUMMER READING: Final prizes can be picked up at Fuller Public Library. If your child hasn't finished reading they have until the end of the month. Thanks to all for participating.

NEW LONDON CONCERT: 6:30pm at the Mary Haddad Bandstand.

WARNER CONCERT: At Jim Mitchell Community Park. Peabody's Coal Train.

SATURDAY AUGUST 13

WARNER PALOOZA: The Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner will host Warner Palooza from 10-4pm in the Powwow field at 18 Highlawn Road. Over 30 Warner businesses, non-profits, artists and crafters will showcase what they have

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to offer. Admission to this event is free, food and beverages will be available, and live music will be provided by Warner musicians. Rain date will be Sunday, August 14. Come and learn about the businesses and people who make Warner such a vibrant community. More information may be found at: indianmuseum.org

WASHINGTON EXHIBIT: See works by Nat Burwash on loan from NH State Library and private collectors at the Washington Historical Society. Visit <https://www.wnhhs.org/events> for details.

SUNDAY AUGUST 14

FUNDRAISER: 2nd Annual Cuts for a Cause Fundraiser. Children & Adults: Get your hair cut and help us raise money to build a regional community center. Local barbers and stylists are donating their time and talent. Suggested donation for a cut is \$15. All are welcome at Hillsboro-Deering MS, 9:00am-2:00pm.

FRANCESTOWN CONCERT: Matt Savage Quartet. Concerts start at 4pm on the Old Meeting House lawn. Admission is \$15, and children under 16 are admitted free.

TUESDAY AUGUST 16

WHALES & SEALS: program with UNH marine docents, 4pm at Fuller Public Library. This is an outdoor program, weather may cancel. Hands-on experiences with models and games, plus a story with Ms. Laura.

HENNIKER CONCERT: 6:30-8pm at The Angela Robinson Bandstand. Groove Alliance.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 17

HIRING FAIR: The Weare School District is holding a Paraprofessional Job Hiring Fair on Wednesday, from 5-7:00pm at the Weare Middle School. Conditional offers will be made on the spot for positions at both Center Woods Elementary School and Weare Middle School. Qualifications include a high school diploma or G.E.D., knowledge of the learning process, and strong interpersonal skills.

ANTRIM CONCERT: 6pm at the Bandstand. Animals With Bad Reputations.

THURSDAY AUGUST 18

NEWBURY CONCERT: The Flames, Local Oldies.

Live music at the Harbor, 6-8:00pm.

HILLSBOROUGH CONCERT: At Butler Park. The King Snakes.

FRIDAY AUGUST 19

IMPULSE PRO WRESTLING: 6pm, H-D Middle School Gym. Tickets start at \$15.

WASHINGTON SPECIAL EVENT: Join us for a special evening at 7pm at the Historical Society museum on 100 Halfmoon Road when friends of Nat & Ida Burwash share memories of the Depression era W.P.A. artist and his wife, and reminisce about what life was like in the "Hobo Ranch" area off Washington's Bailey Road. Visit <https://www.wnhhs.org/events> for details.

NEW LONDON CONCERT: 6:30pm at the Mary Haddad Bandstand. Kearsarge Community Band.

SATURDAY AUGUST 20

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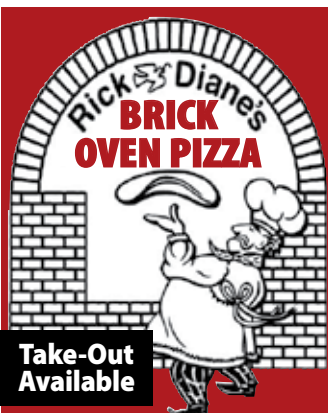


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