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# Master in the Middle Award

Tara Evans, a Grade 7 science teacher at Kearsarge Regional Middle School has been honored by the New England League of Middle Schools (NELMS) for excellence in education with the Master in the Middle Award at NELMS's 42nd annual conference.

# This week in history

**April 22, 1970** 

World celebrates first Earth Day

**April 23, 1981** 

First artificial skin graft occurs in Boston

**April 24, 1792** 

Captain of engineers composed "La Marseillaise"

**April 25, 1831** 

"The Lion of the West" celebrates
Davy Crocket

**April 26, 1954** 

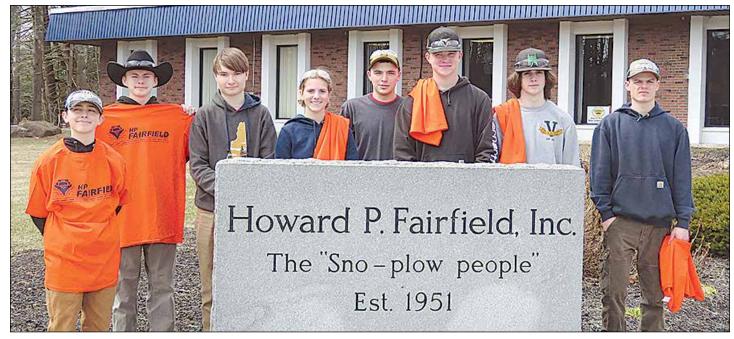
Polio vaccine trial begins

**April 27, 1994** 

South Africa holds first multiracial elections

**April 28, 1970** 

President Nixon approves Cambodian incursion



Students in Joab Owen's welding classes at John Stark Regional High School visited HP Fairfield, "The Snow-Plow People," in Contoocook, to get an up-close look at the many phases and trades involved in building a highway snowplow. The students were able to see several vehicles in various phases of their build and also learned about the career opportunities available at HP Fairfied after high school in welding, electrical, and hydraulic systems as well as Fairfield's robust "learn as you work" program.

# Death threats at Hillsboro-Deering

# Henniker man arrested after threatening students



A Henniker man is behind bars after police said he threatened to kill students at Hillsboro-Deering High School while at the campus on

Monday afternoon. Shawn Mitchell, 27, is facing several misdemeanor charges in the case.

According to court documents, students told a police officer on campus that Mitchell, who was at the school to pick up a relative, went up to car windows Monday as students were leaving, cursed and pointed at them and said he would come back and "kill them all."

"The safety of all members of our school community is of paramount importance, and a responsibility that we take very seriously. If you or your child see something threatening or suspicious, whether on social media or otherwise, please report it to local law enforcement and school administration immediately. We keep each other safe by working together," Jennifer Crawford, Superintendent of Schools, said in a notice to parents.

Investigators tracked Mitchell down at his home in Henniker, where police there said they already had existing felony warrants out for three counts of criminal threatening with a deadly weapon, among other charges, for an incident that happened in January.

Mitchell was taken into custody after police said he resisted arrest and shoved an officer.

He faces four counts of criminal threatening and single counts of disorderly conduct, simple assault and resisting arrest. The charges were imposed by police in Hillsborough and Henniker.





The Hillsboro Lions Club celebrated the 70th Anniversary of its founding Saturday evening at the American Legion Hall. During the ceremony Past International Director Ed Lecius presented the International President's certificate to two veteran members Meg Ager (I) and Barbara Hays (r), as club VP Kathy Audette looks on (left photo); and two of the club's newer members, Ron and Kathy Audette (right photo).







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# Hopkinton, Weare, Henniker FIRST Robotics Team off to World Championships

The FIRST Robotics team out of Hopkinton, Weare, and Henniker New Hampshire — Team OzRam 1922!

They had an amazing season with an awesome team of dedicated students who built an amazing robot, and learned about mechanical and electrical engineering. Students learned how to program and code our robot to execute game-play functions, and used their cre-

ativity and also learned how to recover from failure. And, most importantly they learned what it means to be on a team and support each other. They were all in during our robot build season and early competitions... and now, have been invited to the FIRST World Championship in Houston!

The team needs help to ensure that all members who want to go to the World Cham-

# Great Brook School robotics team is off to the World Championships

The Awesome Potatoes robotics team, from Great Brook Middle School, is returning to the VEX Robotics World Championship in Dallas next week. The Antrim contingent is one of only two NH schools from more than 800 teams from about 40 countries sending middle school teams.

Their robot, Sir Quasimodo Crypton Reshawn Potato Bot, or Problem Bot for short, must be driven to various terminals, where it will collect plastic disks, drives to a barrier and slides the disks to the other side of the playing field.

Coach Rick Mellin started the Great Brook robotics program in 2020 right before the COVID lockdown. He said the all-girls team is confident, and are eager to take on and beat the boys.

pionship in Houston are able to go! Please consider a donation. Funds will help pay for registration and travel expenses. Registration for the FIRST Championship is \$5000. We need to secure rooming, airfare, meals, and transportation. We want to bring as many students as possible to the event (not all team members are pictured below), which means that to help cover these expenses, we need support. Please consider sup-

porting them, any amount can help make a huge difference in their lives and leave a positive impact on our communities.

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Good luck at the First World Championships.





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# **April 22, 2022**

Hillsborough brothers save man's life Peterborough man crashes motorcycle after long pursuit Center Woods Elementary students study engineering Henniker Select Board reopens Transfer Station for brush

# **April 23, 2021**

Goffstown woman murders her mother Weare Select Board will not appoint Lori Davis Select Board opposed purchase of Stahlman Bldg H-D Schools to begin project AWARE

# **April 24, 2020**

New London Select Board discusses cost reductions Kearsarge Regional High School hires new Principal McCandlish & Goldberg critical of Bradford Board Hopkinton Rotary Club benefits the Food Pantry

# May 3, 2019

Parzick Asst. Principal at Henniker Community School Charette hopes to revitalize downtown Hillsborough New London couple donates in-quad kennel Peterborough's Riverwalk parking lot opens this week

# May 4, 2018

Weare woman charged with robbery and assault Nine White Birch staff members awarded credentials Bomb scare evacuated Hillsboro-Deering High School H-D DECA shines in International competition

### May 5, 2017

Four Belmont teachers caught drinking Antrim man indicted for sexual assault & kidnapping Hillsboro man and his Epsom son in critical condition Downtown Franklin to receive major facelift soon

### April 29, 2016

Bow man indicted after fatal crash New playground at Franklin's Paul Smith Elementary Weare Police Department has only one operable cruiser Friends of Goffstown Rail Trail contribute to project

### **April 24, 2015**

Keep Goffstown Beautiful week April 19-25 Winfried Feneberg named Kearsarge Superintendent Bow Police make Park & Ride heroin arrest Washington man injured in Newport accident

### **April 25, 2014**

Attorney General clears Weare officers in shooting Bradford officer honored for saving child Sutton man clocked at 100 mph on Route 11 Newport brush fire burns about one acre

### **April 26, 2013**

Civil suit against Seastrand put on hold Newport gun range survives first appeal Newbury benefit for Chris Palmer's family Chamber sponsors Henniker's Clean-Up Day

# Fantastic community response to Greenfield family in need

A heartwarming update on the Thursday March 30 house fire that completely destroyed the home of our host family, including their six children and two of our adult clients with disabilities. The family remains safe and cared for in a temporary shelter.

The public's response to this emergency is heartwarming - many have donated to help provide basic needs, including food, clothing, and shelter costs. This has been a celebration of community action - kindness overcoming adversity.

And, you may recall that one of our adults with a disability, his name is Mike, suffered the trauma of losing all personal items and clothes in the fire, most especially his 'voice' - his adaptive iPad that functions as his communication device to 'speak' with family, friends. and caregivers. Your donations helped purchase Mike's new communication device. He is thrilled! Mike, and all members of his host family, are grateful for your kindness.

Mike, and his host family, still

need your support for urgent, basic needs.

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Mike and his new iPad



Adam Caragher has been named as the new principal at Great Brook School, and will begin July 1. "We're very excited to welcome Adam to ConVal," Superintendent Kimberly Rizzo Saunders stated. "He has diverse educational experience both inside and outside of the classroom."



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# School Daze



Weare Elementary School 1st & 3rd graders briefed the School Board on their special projects.



2nd graders at Hillsboro-Deering Elementary School helped bring the 2nd grade baskets to the recent Penny Sale.



First-grade students at Center Woods Elementary School in Weare spent the last two weeks researching an animal of their choice and then used their research to create a diorama, poster, or trading card.

# John Stark students participate in UMass Lowell's Model UN Conference

The John Stark Model UN Club attended the UMass Lowell Model UN Conference on April 4 and 5. This conference offers students the opportunity to debate critical issues facing the global community, as well as develop public speaking, research, and writing skills, in a traditional Model UN setting.

The UMass Lowell Model UN is one of the premier high school conferences in New England, drawing nearly 100 delegates each spring. John Stark Model UN Club students who partici-

pated, with their committees and countries, were:

Emily Barriere, Security Council, Albania

Shayne Sargent, NATO, Albania (homeschool student)

Evan Browne, Economic and Social Council, Nepal

Daphne Walsh, UN Office on Drugs and Crime, Nepal

Tess Mosher, World Health Organization, Nepal

Some of the topics discussed were: Reforming the UN Security Council Provisional Rules of Procedure to promote greater equity of global concerns, Combatting Russia's aggression in Eastern Europe, Global Energy Supply Chain Disruptions, Combating the Resurgence and Evolution of Vector-borne Diseases, Protecting Natural, and Cultural Heritage and Addressing the Modern Drug Trade.

Before attending the Model UN Conference, students prepared by researching their committee, country, and topic. Each student also submitted a position paper prior to attending the conference. The John Stark Model UN Club Advisor is social studies teacher Jessica Regal.



John Stark Model UN Club members at the UMass Lowell Conference, (L-R) Daphne Walsh, Emily Barriere, Shayne Sargent, Evan Browne, and Tess Mosher.

# NEC moving NH Institute of Art classes to Henniker Campus this fall

New England College has announced that it is moving its art and design program from Manchester to its main campus in Henniker this fall. The school, previously New Hampshire Institute of Art, merged with NEC several years ago. In a statement to the community, the president said there has been a "downward trend" in participation in the arts since the pandemic. Students expressed their frustrations and new challenges that will come with the move.





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The Hopkinton Fire Department newly promoted three officers. From left to right: Lieutenant Trevor Anderson, Captain Ryan Hughes and Lieutenant Don Delude.



Lieutenant Cody Boutwell accepts Pet Oxygen Masks donated by David McGrath, DVM via the MVMA Charities at the Peterborough Animal Care Clinic on behalf of the Peterborough Fire & Rescue and Peterborough Fire & Rescue Association for use on our ambulances and apparatus.

# A record 1770 donors joined Colby-Sawyer College's Day of Giving

Colby-Sawyer College concluded its fifth annual Day of Giving on Thursday, April 13 with a record 1,770 donors making financial contributions to the college.

Members of the Colby-Sawyer community rallied to easily surpass the college's goal of 1,500 donors, with 1,770 students, alumni, faculty, staff members, trustees and friends making gifts during the 24-hour event. In total, more than \$300,000 was raised to support different areas of the college, from scholarships to athletics to a student-led campaign to improve the game room. By

contrast, the college's first-ever Day of Giving in 2019 saw 837 donors raise a total of \$163,532.

Milestones met throughout the day unlocked an additional \$95,000 in gifts that helped bring the day's final fundraising total to \$304,114. These gifts —\$50,000 from William and Sonja Carlson Davidow'56, \$35,000 from trustee Sally Shaw Veitch'66 and \$10,000 from trustee Andrew Lydecker'00 and his wife, Halley Westdale Lydecker'00 — helped maximize the impact of every donation.

The college also benefited greatly from supporters of its

athletics programs, with 662 individual donations raising a total of \$39,322 to support the department and individual teams. Leading the charge were supporters of the baseball team

— including current and former student athletes, coaches and friends, among others — who raised more than \$11,500.

"We knew that it would take every corner of the ColbySawyer community to come together to reach this year's donor goal and we were not disappointed," Vice President for College Advancement Daniel Parish said.



Antrim residents gathered Friday evening and Saturday morning for a Visioning Session. They signed up to discuss such topics as Affordable Housing, Town Beautification, Encouraging Small Business and Children's Activities.



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# Don't be upset by an amazing 2 letter English word

A reminder that one word in the English language that can be a noun, verb, adjective, adverb and preposition. - UP

This two-letter word in English has more meanings than any other two-letter word, and that word is 'UP.' It is listed in the dictionary as an [adv], [prep.], [adj.], [n] or [v].

It's easy to understand UP, meaning toward the sky or at the top of the list, but when we awaken in the morning, why do we wake UP?

At a meeting, why does a topic come UP? Why do we speak UP, and why are the officers UP for election and why is it UP to the secretary to write UP a report?

We call UP our friends, brighten UP a room, polish UP the silver, warm UP the leftovers and clean UP the kitchen. We lock UP the house and fix UP the old car.

At other times, this little word has real special meaning. People stir UP trouble, line UP for tickets, work UP an appetite, and think UP excuses.

To be dressed is one thing but to be dressed UP is special.

And this UP is confusing: A drain must be opened UP because it is stopped UP.

We open UP a store in the morning but we close it UP at night. We seem to be pretty mixed UP about UP!

To be knowledgeable about the proper uses of UP, look UP the word UP in the dictionary. In a desk-sized dictionary, it takes UP almost 1/4 of the page and can add UP to about thirty definitions.

If you are UP to it, you might try building UP a list of the many ways UP is used. It will take UP a lot of your time, but if you don't give UP, you may wind UP with a hundred or more.

When it threatens to rain, we say it is clouding UP. When the sun comes out, we say it is clearing UP. When it rains, the earth soaks it UP. When it does not rain for awhile, things dry UP.

One could go on and on, but I'll wrap it UP, for now . . my time is UP!

Oh . . . one more thing: What is the first thing you do in the morning and the last thing you do at night?

Did that one crack you UP? Don't screw UP. Send this on to everyone you look UP in your address book . . . or not . . . it's UP to you.

Now I'll shut UP!



# **Letter to the Editor**

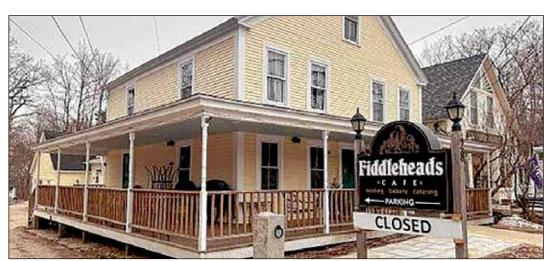
### **Dear Editor:**

This past week, our local newspapers reported on protests by students in several NH high schools against the ever-increasing gun violence in the country.

On behalf of the Weare-Henniker Quaker Meeting we applaud the students' stand and

agree with the students that we adults need to care more about our children than the right to own assault weapons. Just sending condolences and prayers is not enough. The time for us to protect our communities from gun violence is past due.

Dick Ludders, Clerk, Henniker



Eleanor Briggs of Hancock has repurchased Fiddleheads Cafe and is preparing to reopen the restaurant on Memorial Day weekend. Briggs first bought and started the downtown Hancock cafe in the 1990's.

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# Crime Watch

# Hillsboro Police arrest seven in major drug bust

On the 12th of April, the Hillsboro Police Department, in collaboration with the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Street Crime Task Force, conducted a highly organized operation that was part of the Substance Abuse Reduction Grant. The operation was aimed at serving multiple arrest warrants in Hillsboro, which was successfully executed. As a result of the operation, a total of 7 individuals were apprehended and taken into custody. The individuals face various charges, including but not limited to: Sale of methamphetamine, Sale of crack cocaine, Felon in possession of a dangerous weapon, Endangerment of the welfare of a child, Violation of a protection order. Furthermore, during the operation, K9 Dice was deployed to assist officers. The highly trained K9 indicated the presence of narcotics during a traffic stop. The vehicle was seized and impounded pending the application of a search warrant. The effective operation is a testament to the commitment of the Hillsboro Police Department and the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Street Crime Task Force to keep the community safe.

# Weare woman arrested on Domestic Violence 3 charge

On March 21st, Weare Police responded to Barnard Hill Road for a past-tense DV Assault. Officers spoke with the male victim of the assault. The female suspect, Brittney Gilbert, 35, Weare, was longer at the residence. A BOLO was broadcast for the arrest of Gilbert. On March 22nd, Gilbert turned herself in at the Weare Police Department. Gilbert was booked and released on personal recognizance bail.

# Weare man arrrested for Domestic Violence and possession

Weare Police responded to Dudley Brook Road for a reported Domestic Vlolence Assault. The female victim was at the residence. Other officers conducted a motor vehicle stop on Reservoir Drive with the male suspect who had left the residence, Nicholas Silva, 34, of Weare. After an investigation Silva was arrested for DV Assault. During a search of his person, incident to arrest, Silva was found to be in possession of a marijuana product. Silva was transported to the Weare Police Department for booking. During the

booking process Silva discharged bodily fluids onto the processing room floor. Silva was criminally charged with Disorderly Conduct for these actions.

# Peterborough 90 mph leads to motorcycle crash

On April 10th, 2023, Peterborough Police attempted to stop a motorcycle for reckless operation in Peterborough. The motorcycle accelerated up to 90MPH and passed another motorist on a corner and yellow line. Shortly after, the motorcycle crashed on Greenfield Road in the area of Gulf Road. The operator of the motorcycle was identified as Batiste Crosby, 37, of Mason. Crosby was transported to Monadnock Community Hospital with Serious but Non-Life-Threatening Injuries.

# Franklin man arrested for possession of marijuana

Lloyd Brown, 67, of Franklin on a felony possession with intent to distribute marijuana charge. He was accused of possessing more than 5 pounds of marijuana in Franklin.

# Hillsborough teen arrested for assaulting a police officer

Officers responded to a residence on Megan Lane for a report of a disturbance and possible assault. Officers located the defendant down the road from the residence. The defendant then struck the officer in the face causing minor injuries. Ely Miller, 18, was also found to be in possession of a knife which was a violation of a restraining order currently in effect. The defendant was transported to the hospital and was ultimately held at the Hillsborough County House of Corrections pending arraignment for Simple Assault on a Police Officer, Breach of Bail, Resisting Arrest, Violation of Protection Order.

# Hillsborough man arrested for driving as an Habitual Offender

Jacob Doyle, 26, of Bridge Street in Hillsboro has been arrested on a felony motor vehicles; penalties charge. He was accused of driving on Route 202/9 in Henniker on Dec. 24, 2022, after being deemed a habitual offender by the NH DMV in November 2022.

# Weare crash results in an Open Container charge

Weare Police responded to a single motor vehicle crash on Thorndike Road. A crash ▶









investigation was conducted and the male operator, Timothy Mitchell, 26, Weare, NH, was subsequently arrested. An open container of an alcoholic beverage was also located in the motor vehicle. Mitchell was transported to the Weare Police Department and booked.

# Dunbarton man charged with felony receiving stolen property

Kevin Driscoll, 51, of Stark Lane in Dunbarton on a felony receiving stolen property charge. He was accused of retaining a St. Mary's Bank credit card that he knew to possibly have been stolen, on Nov. 26, 2022, in Concord. Twice before, according to the indictment, he has been convicted on theft charges.

# Sunapee Police arrest woman for Failure to Appear in Hillsboro

On April 7th, 2023 two individuals came in to the Sunapee Police Department for an Ex Parte Order that needed to be served. Sunapee Police were then notified by DCYF that one of the individuals had an active electronic bench warrant, which was out of Hillsbor-

ough District Court for failure to appear on the charge of Allowing Improper Person to Operate Vehicle. Anna Marie, Georges Mills, NH was taken into custody. Sunapee Police escorted her to the Booking Room for booking and processing per department policy. She was then bailed and released with a court date of May 9th, 2023 at the 6th Circuit Court in Hillsboro.

# Weare woman arrested on a Bedford arrest warrant

Arrest on Warrant – While on routine patrol, an officer conducted a motor vehicle stop for a vehicle exceeding the posted speed limit. During the motor vehicle stop it was discovered the registered owner of the vehicle had an active arrest warrant from Bedford Police. The registered owner of the vehicle was not in the vehicle but the female operator stated she was bringing the vehicle back to the owner at the owner's residence. A speeding citation was issued to the operator. The officer followed the operator to the owner's residence. Once at the residence the officers made contact with Karin Strandnes, 54, Weare, NH. Strandnes was arrested and transported to the Bedford Police where custody

was transferred.

# Weare man charged with Domestic Assault

Weare Police responded to Boyce Road for a reported domestic assault. The male suspect, Roger Cote, 52, Weare, NH, had left the residence. Weare Police located Cote operating his vehicle and conducted a motor vehicle stop. After officers investigated the incident, Cote was arrested and transported to the Weare Police Department for booking.

# Crossing yellow line results in Weare woman's DWI arrest

While on routine patrol on Deering Center Road, a Weare Officer conducted a motor vehicle stop for a vehicle crossing the center yellow line multiple times. After a roadside investigation, the female operator, Robyn Warren, 42, Weare, NH, was arrested for DUI and transported to the Weare Police Department for booking.

# Weare man arrested and charged with aggravated DWI

While on routine patrol on South Stark Highway, a Weare Officer conducted a motor vehicle stop for a vehicle traveling 90MPH in a posted 50MPH zone. After a roadside investigation the male operator, Matthew Blouin, 29, Weare, NH, was arrested for Driving Under the Influence (DUI) & DUI Aggravated 30+MPH & Speeding 26+MPH over the limit. Blouin was transported to the Weare Police Department for booking. The vehicle was towed from the scene. Blouin was released.

# Weare Police arrest Manchester man on felony charges

Weare Police responded to North Stark Highway for a reported single motor vehicle crash. When police arrived they spoke with both male passenger and male operator. The crash was investigated and the male operator, Joshua Scott, 34, Manchester, NH, was arrested. Scott was booked at the Weare Police Department. Scott refused bail and was transported to the Hillsborough County Department of Corrections (HCDC) and then to Hillsborough County Superior Court – North, for arraignment. The Hillsborough County Attorney's Office –North, will be prosecuting the case due to the felony offenses. The vehicle was towed from the scene.







# **Sports**



Hillsboro-Deering Scholar-Athletes (L-R) Athehletic Director Jay Wood; Manny Velazquez - Football, Skiing, Lacrosse; Haley Hathorn - Volleyball, Basketball, Softball; Madison Ledvina - Soccer, Basketball; Emily Howell - Soccer, Basketball, Softball; Hailey Cloutier - Volleyball, Basketball, Softball; Zack Coombs - Golf, Basketball; Liam Greene - Golf, Baseball.

### **BASEBALL**

**Bishop Brady 10, Kearsarge 0:** A two-out double by Mike Thresher and an RBI single by Bryce Miller plated a run in the bottom of the first and Thresher added a two-run single in the bottom of the third to push Brady's lead to 4-0.

**Winnisquam 7, Kearsarge 1:** Winnisquam's defense was perfect and error-free, and Gosselin's long two-run double in the sixth pushed the lead to 7-1.

John Stark 7, Merrimack Valley 1: Parker LaClair's RBI single in the second

sparked a four-run inning for the Generals, which also included a double from Anthony Paolicelli.

**John Stark 3, Lebanon 1:** The Generals rode strong pitching again to move to 3-0 on the season with Anthony Paolicelli going five strong innings for his second win. **Monadnock 10, Hopkinton 0:** Defending champions Monadnock blasted three hits over the wall for home runs and the Huskies tallied three runs in the bottom of the fourth to apply the mercy rule.

**Goffstown 13, Alvirne 0:** Braeden Lambert went 3-for-3 on a homer, double and single, and starter Trevor Poisson pitched one-hit ball over four innings.

**Hanover 8, John Stark 3:** Each team scored one run in the first inning and the game stayed that way into the bottom of the fourth when Hanover scored four unearned runs.

**Gilford 16, Hopkinton 9:** Hopkinton jumped out to an early 4-0 lead after the top of the first and would hold the lead through the second with a score of 5-3. Gilford would tally two more runs to make it 10-8 after four. A big sixth inning gave the Eagles a 16-8 lead.

### **SOFTBALL**

**Hillsboro-Deering 15, Bishop Brady 6:** Emily Howell went 3-for-4, Skyla Auger 3-for-3, while Morgan Dean and Haley Cloutier each went 3-for-5.

**Hillsboro-Deering 10, Stevens 8:** The Hillcats battled back after a slow start, down 8-2 in the fourth inning. Defense continues

**Hopkinton 18, Newfound 7:** The Hawks trailed 6-0 entering the bottom of the third, but outscored the Bears 18-1 from that point on.

**Hopkinton 13, Monadnock 7:** With the Huskies ahead 2-1 in the fifth, the Hawks' offense came to life. Maddie Carmichael, Steph Elrick and Beth Taylor each had key





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hits, and the Hawks plated five.

**John Stark 3, Merrimack Valley 1:** John Stark went up 2-1 in the fifth on an unearned run by Lexi Boudreau by an Ava Rivers double and Eva Grolljahn added another in the seventh to secure the win.

**John Stark 14, Lebanon 2, 6 inn:** The Generals extended their lead to 10-1 before Lebanon scored again. Kira Linstad led off the bottom of the sixth with a solo home, and her teammates tacked on two more runs to end the game via the 10-run rule.

**Hopkinton 10, Gilford 5:** Maddie Carmichael was again the catalyst for the Hawks, driving in the first Hawk run with a single, tripling and scoring to lead off the fifth, and driving home another run in the sixth to help Hopkinton take a 7-4 lead.

# **GIRLS' LACROSSE**

**John Stark/HD 12, ConVal 7:** Kaycie Rhodes and Elizabeth Hatfield tallied 3 goals each as the General Cats won their first game as a cooperative program, defeating the Cougars on the road.

**Bow 19, Hopkinton 8:** The Falcons (1-0) opened up a 12-2 lead in the first 17 minutes of action on their way to a 19-8 victory over Hopkinton, the defending D-III champions.

**Kearsarge 8, Bishop Brady 7, OT:** Kearsarge tied the game, 7-7, in the last two minutes of regulation and Adison Whitty scored with 1:30 left in overtime.

**Gilford 21, Hopkinton 14:** Hallee Schoch had her best game of the season with 13 saves in a losing effort. Marcella Guadagno scored twice, including her first varsity goal.

### **BOYS' LACROSSE**

**Hopkinton 14, Kearsarge 4:** The Hawks proved to be the better team from start to finish in their 14-4 victory.

**Hopkinton 16, Inter-Lakes-Moultonborough 0:** It took a few minutes for the

Hawks to size up their opponents, but once Hopkinton broke the ice, the goals flooded in. The Lakers did a good job in one-on-one defense, but the Hawks picked apart the ILM defense with passing and long possessions.

**Trinity 13, Kearsarge 3:** Nik Crift had 4 goals, while Drew Overy, and Tyler Manning scored 3 goals each.

**Hopkinton 11, Gilford 3:** The Hawks maintained long possessions to create scoring for themselves and limited the Golden Eagles' opportunities.



SONH athlete Charlie Helfrich and SONH Board Chair Eric Tinker have completed the Boston Marathon in 4:47:45. (Charlie surged ahead at the end and came in at 4:47:44) It was Eric's first time running the Boston Marathon and Charlie's first marathon ever! They ran the Marathon as a fundraiser for the SONH.

# TAKE YOUR MEDICINE



Researchers have identified a link suggesting that lithium could decrease the risk of developing dementia. Lithium is a mood stabilizer usually prescribed for conditions such as bipolar affective disorder and depression. The researchers conducted a retrospective analysis of the health records of nearly 30,000 patients. The analysis suggested that patients who received lithium were less likely to develop dementia than those

who did not, although the overall number of patients who received lithium was small. Their findings, reported in the journal *PLOS Medicine*, support the possibility that lithium could be a preventive treatment for dementia, and could be progressed to large randomized controlled trials. Dementia is the leading cause of death in elderly Western populations, but no preventive treatments are currently available: more than 55 million people worldwide have dementia, with Alzheimer's disease the most common form. Previous studies have proposed lithium as a potential treatment for those who have already been diagnosed with dementia or early cognitive impairment, but it is unclear whether it can delay or even prevent the development of dementia altogether, as these studies have been limited in size.

The antiviral drug molnupiravir is conditionally recommended for patients with non-severe Covid-19 who are at highest risk of hospitalization, says a WHO Guideline Development Group of international experts in *The BMJ*. Patients who are at highest risk of hospitalization typically include those who are unvaccinated, older people, and those with weak immune systems or chronic diseases. However, the panel says that young and healthy patients, including children, and pregnant and breastfeeding women should not be given the drug due to potential harms. Molnupiravir is an antiviral medicine that works by stopping coronavirus from growing and spreading. Used as early as possible after infection, it can help prevent more severe symptoms developing.

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While insurers are there to pay claims, they're also in it to make money. Insuring a home that has had multiple claims in the past three to seven years, even if a previous owner filed the claim, can bump your home insurance premium into a higher pricing tier. You may not even be eligible for home insurance based on the number of recent past claims filed.

The neighborhood, crime rate, and building material availability will all play a part in determining rates, too. And of course, coverage options such as deductibles or added riders for art, wine, jewelry, etc. — and the coverage amount desired — also factor into the size of an annual premium.

Pricing and eligibility for home insurance can also vary depending on an insurer's appetite for certain building construction, roof type, condition or age of the home, heating type (if an oil tank is on-premise or underground), the proximity to the coast, swimming pool, trampoline, security systems, and more.

A home that's not well-maintained increases the odds the insurer will pay on a claim for damage. Even the presence of a pup residing at your home can raise your home insurance rates. Some dogs can do a lot of damage, depending on the breed.

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If you have a respiratory infection, sore throat or stuffed head with mucus and post-nasal drip, your breath is not going to be the most pleasant. You'll feel better, as will the people around you, if you keep your mouth as fresh as possible. If you go even a few days without brushing and flossing, plaque can harden to the point at which it's impossible to remove at home.

In addition, some medicines can affect your mouth adversely. They can cause dry mouth, for instance. And some have sugar in them. Unless otherwise instructed by your doctor, take those medicines with a meal to reduce the impact of the sugar on your teeth. For more information, talk with your dentist.

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# Around Our Towns



Hopkinton Rotary had two teams participate in the annual Hoops on Wheels basketball tournament to benefit Granite State Independent Living. Pictured are our two teams; the Pol's and the Chairmen of the Boards. P.S. for bragging rights- the Chairmen of the Boards won both games.



Karen Henderson of Goffstown Ace Hardware was the newest recipient of the Goffstown Rotary Club's Richard C. Hopf Citizen of the Year Award! Karen spoke about her support for the Boston Children's Hospital and the impact it has had in her personal and professional life.



The Joe English Grange presented the 2023 Community Citizen award to Keith Gentilli, founder of the New Boston Beacon for his dedication to the community.



Thank you to these intrepid girls from the Dunbarton Girl Scout Troop who packed the Easter Dinner boxes distributed by the Dunbarton Congregational Church.

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# Obituaries: Friends & Neighbors Remembered

# Tracy Lei-Ann Hurd

WARNER - It is with great sorrow that we announce the passing of Tra-

cy Lei-Ann Hurd, a lifelong resident of Warner and Webster. NH. Tracy passed away on April 4, 2023 after a long illness. Tracy was born in Concord, NH on



February 23, 1965. She was predeceased by her parents, Nancy (Allen) Hurd and Richard D. Hurd, both of Warner, NH. She is survived by a sister, Tamara Saxby of Laconia, NH and a brother, Richard Hurd (Dionne Hurd and Mya Penrice) of Webster, NH, a niece, Tara Nicole Avery-Beckingham of Windsor Locks, CT and a nephew, Matthew Saxby of Bradford, NH, as well as many aunts, uncles and cousins. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Cloverdale Feed and Farm Supply, Tracy Hurd Animal Care Fund, 299 Battle Street Route 127, Webster, NH 03303. A celebration

of life in her honor will be held on May 13, 2023 from 1:00-4:00 p.m. at 4 Battle Street, Webster, NH 03303.

# Dorothy "Dotty" Keefe

NEWPORT - Dorothy J. Keefe, 87, passed away peacefully with her family

by her side on April 12. 2023 at Woodlawn Care Center. She was born on August 12, 1935 in Greenfield, MA to the late Harry and Edna (Brooks) Jubb. Dotty was pre-



deceased by her parents, husband, Dick Keefe, and daughter, Sandra Keefe. She is survived by her son, Dr. Robert Keefe of Pittsford, NY, and her niece Julie Cartier (Gregg) and nephew Timothy Marley. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the South Congregational Church or a charity of one's choice.

# **Jeramey Whiteley**

BENNINGTON - On April 9, 2023, the world lost Jeramey Whiteley. Born in 1978 in Hartford, CT, his family moved

up to NH. Jeramey is survived by his two children, Syd and Amos; his parents, Terrie and Guy Whiteley; his brother, Aben Whiteley; sister Melissa Whiteley and her



fiancee, Mike Bourgeois. He is survived by both his grandmothers, Pat Hornacek and Norene Whiteley, who both reside in CT, and many aunts, uncles and cousins, all of whom he loved with his whole heart. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to Monadnock Kitty Rescue & Adoption.

# **Kevin Charles Boehm**

**CONTOOCOOK - Kevin Charles** Boehm passed away Tuesday April 4, 2023. He was born May 1, 1959 in Hackensack NJ, the son of Charles Boehm and Lynda Adams. He was predeceased by his father, Charles G. Boehm; his mother, Lynda L. Adams; his grandparents, Otto C. Boehm and Grace A. McClellan, Edward C. Adams and Lynda M. Blood: his uncles. Lorenz G. Boehm (Evelyn Airel), Otto J. Boehm (Felicia Jodz), Robert R. Boehm (Margaret Lake), Donald Adams (June Marolda); and his aunt,



Grace A Boehm Lohyn (Joe Lohyn). He leaves his wife, Judith E. Platt Boehm and their three children, Alyssa L. Boehm Sweet (Russell Sweet) of Rochester NH, Matthew A, Boehm (Rebecca Bernier) of Exeter NH, and Andrew S. Boehm (Kristin Kezar) of Allenstown NH; as well as his sister, Cynthia M. Boehm-Patenaude (Guy Patenaude) of West Lebanon NH: and many nieces. nephews, cousins and friends. Memorial services and burial will be later at the convenience of the family. Instead of flowers, we offer the suggestion of a donation to the Hopkinton Town Band. Checks may be sent to The Hopkinton Town Band, PO Box 326, Contoocook, NH 03229. Please add Kevin's name to the check memo line.













# **Obituaries:** Friends & Neighbors Remembered

# Samuel C. Somers, MD

Hopkinton, NH - Sam Somers passed

away suddenly of a heart attack at his home Sunday evening, February 26, 2023. Sam was born in Kansas City, MO, on June 23, 1969. Sam is survived by his wife,



Diane Hotten-Somers; his daughters, Reese, Abigail, and Emma; father, John Somers; sister, Sage (Gustafson); nephew, Spenser (15); and nieces, Margaret (13), and Hope (9). Sam is preceded in death by his mother, Karen and brother, Spenser. Sam will, inevitably, be remembered most for his sunny smile that was him sharing his love generously with everyone he met, and he will be missed forever. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations in Sam's name be made to the New Hampshire Soccer Association https://soccernh.com/, DB Teens, an association that supports mental health services for young people

in New Hampshire - Venmo to: https:// account.venmo.com/u/dbtforyou or mail checks to DBT For You- 6 Main Street #397 - Newfields, NH 03856, or the Spenser Somers Foundation (spensersomers.org). A Celebration of Life will be held on Thursday, June 22, 2023, 5-8 p.m. at Gould Hill Farm, 656 Gould Hill Rd., Hopkinton, NH.

# **Richard Paul Card**

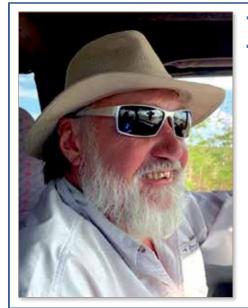
NEW BOSTON - Richard Paul Card, age 68, passed away peacefully sur-

rounded by his family on April 15, 2023 from a short illness. Rick was born at Fort Campbell, KY, on December 16, 1954, to his parents Richard H. and Dorothy



E. Card. He is survived by his mother Dorothy E. Card of Rochester, NH, his wife of 44 years, Susan, his three sons, Ryan and his wife Jamie from Rollinsford, NH: Evan and his wife Amy from Dover, NH; Griffin and his wife Lauren from Rochester, NH, six grandchildren, Mason, Quinn, Harlan, Leighton, Romie, and Nora Card, his brother Timothy Card and his wife Susan of New Durham, NH, and many aunts, uncles, brothers and sisters in-law, cousins, nieces, and nephews. Family

flowers only. Donations may be made to Wentworth-Douglas Charitable Foundation, 789 Central Ave., Dover, NH 03820. Visiting hours will be at Tasker Funeral Home, 621 Central Ave., Dover, NH 03820 on Monday, April 24, 2023 from 4:00pm-7:00pm.



# **Paul Dugre**

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There will be a service in honor of Paul at St. Mary's in Hillsboro at 11:00am on 4/29/2023 followed by a Celebration of Life at the Young and Richardson American Legion Post 59 in Hillsboro at 1:00pm. Come celebrate the life of this amazing man!















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# **Events:** Community Bulletin Board

### **SATURDAY APRIL 22**

**POETRY GATHERING:** The 11th annual Poetry Gathering at the Hancock Town Library, 25 Main St., is scheduled for Saturday, April 22, from 2:00-4:00pm. Everyone is welcome.

ROADSIDE CLEANUP: Sign Up 9:00am for Francestown's Earth Day Celebration.

**EARTH DAY WEEKEND: Green**field Oak Park. Sat-Roadside Roundup Day. Sunday 12:00-2:00pm. Plant Swap, Kid's seed planting.

**FAMILY SKATE NIGHT: HDMS** 5:00pm-8:00pm. Rollerskate the evening away to lively music, great raffle prizes. Admission \$10, skate rentals \$5, families \$20 (plus skate rental). Benefits the Community Center project.

**SEEDY SATURDAY:** in our series, When to Plant Outside, 10:00-11:00am at Fuller Public Library. Robin will guide you through the timeline for planting and answer any questions you might have. Visit our Seed Library too, 5 packets of free seeds per family.

### **SUNDAY APRIL 23**

**CLEANUP DAY: Second Annu**al Earth Day Clean-up and Free BBQ from 10:00am-2:00pm. The event will take place at Oak Park in Greenfield. This family-friendly event is free and open to the public to participate in. Oak Park is a carry in and carry out facility.

**KITE DAY:** Henniker Lions Club Kite Day (Earth Day Weekend) at the Town Soccer Fields 11am-2pm (three hours when the wind is up!) Come enjoy this family event which is free to all and will include kites for families to decorate. A children's kite raffle will be held with a winning entry receiving an "Earth Day Kite" (no need to be present at the drawing, as we'll arrange delivery). All rules for the Soccer Fields are in place (including dogs). No water or snacks will be available so families should carry in and out their own. Come on down and fly for awhile.

**SELF DEFENSE:** The R.A.D. Systems of Self-Defense offers programs for women. The class provides a holistic approach to the education of self-defense. Each of these programs includes educational components such as discussion and physical resistive strategies. All of these are taught by certified R.A.D. The registration will open at a later date.

### **TUESDAY APRIL 25**

### **POLLINATORS PROGRAM:**

6:30pm at Fuller Public Library. What roles do pollinators play in our ecosystem, and which native plants can we plant to help nourish them? Join John Root to find out how we can invite pollinators to our yards.

### **FRIDAY APRIL 28**

**COMEDY FUNDRAISER:** American Legion Post #81, Contoocook, \$25. **Proceed supports Hopkinton Police** Association. Doors open 6:00pm. Show starts 7:00pm. Call 746-5151 ext. 0 for tickets.

### **SATURDAY APRIL 29**

**NEW LONDON DAY:** Town-wide cleanup 8:00am-2:00pm

MAY DAY TEA: at 2:00pm in the Smith Church vestry. The fundraiser will feature a three-course tea of spring-themed delectables, plenty of surprises, and May baskets and tea party accessories for purchase. Seating is limited so reservations are strongly advised. Please call

Judy at 603-715-1414 or at judy@ hatco.com to reserve a place for yourself or group. Admission is scheduled at \$20 for an adult, \$25 for an adult at the door and \$10 for children aged ten and under. Sit back, relax, & pinkies up.

# **SUNDAY APRIL 30**

BENEFIT DINNER: 4:00-7:00pm. Spaghetti & Meatballs to benefit the Cook family in their time of need. Contoocook Legion Post #81, \$10 adults, \$5 kids 5-12. To-Go meals available. RSVP not required but helpful. Call 603-746-4495.

### **MONDAY, MAY 1**

**BLOOD DRIVE:** Francestown Elementary School, 3:30-7:30pm. Sponsor: Auxiliary - Francestown Volunteer Fire Department. Light refreshments available

**MEETINGHOUSE:** All Greenfield residents are invited to learn more about the design plans for the Meetinghouse renovation project, next 11:00am-1:00pm at the Meetinghouse. A light lunch will be provided by the FGCM. Please rsvp to Greenfieldmeetinghouse@ gmail.com, if you plan to attend so we can get an accurate count for sandwiches.

### **TUESDAY MAY 2**

HOW TO'S DAY: at Fuller Public Library: Houseplant Swap. Bring your extra house plant babies and swap them out for something different. Robin will also answer any propagation questions you might have. Join us at 1:00pm or 6:30pm.

### **SATURDAY MAY 6**

**DEERING CLEANUP: 8:00am-**

12:00pm. Deering residents will join with neighbors in the annual rite of cleaning up their own neigh-

borhoods. The Deering Conservation Commission, Deering Lake Improvement Association, and The Wilds will remove trash from the length of Rt 149/Deering Center Road. Pick up trash (cans, bottles, cups - small stuff) and put it into provided bags. Bring the bags to Town Hall, where a truck will be waiting. Get supplies (bags, water and a limited number of grabbers) at Town Hall from 8:00am.

**FISHING DERBY:** For Warner Boys & Girs under 16. 7:00am-11:00am. Childrens Brook on Pumpkin Hill Road. Children may start at 6:30. Complimentary hot dog, hamburger and cold drink

**HDHS FOOTBALL:** the HDHS Cafeteria, 8:00am sharp. If your son or daughter plan on playing football or are interested in what we are all about, please make certain that they attend with at least 1 parent/ guardian. There will be a sign-in sheet and all parents will have their questions answered and they will leave with our Redhawks Packet which contains all schedules, calendars, team info, and forms for your player. Please save the date and time and we will see you there.

# **SATURDAY MAY 6 & SUNDAY MAY 7**

### **MONADNOCK CHORUS:** is

performing at the Town House at 4:00pm. Tickets are \$25 (students may attend for free). Purchase on our website (monadnockchorus. org), or at the door.

### **SUNDAY MAY 7**

**HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY:** will be held from 8:30am-12:30pm at the Transfer Station. No other services will be available on this day. Sponsored by the following participating towns: Antrim, Bennington, Hillsborough, Deering, and Windsor. For more information, call (603) 464-7987.

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 17**

**REPUBLICANS MEET:** The Merrimack County Republican Committee invites you to become an active participant in helping to elect Republicans at the local, county, state, and national levels at 6:00pm at the Loudon Country Club, meetings are open to all registered Republicans and to guests approved by the Chair in advance.

# **SUNDAY MAY 21**

FARMERS & CRAFT FAIR: at Greenfield's Oak Park, 10am-1:00pm. Continues Sundays thru September 3.

# **SATURDAY MAY 29**

**NEW LONDON DAY:** Town-wide cleanup. 8:00am-2:00pm. Municipal Lot across from Tracy Library. MAY DAY TEA: Ready for a breath of Spring? Smith Church will hold a spring fundraiser, at 2:00pm in the church vestry. Seating is limited; reservations are strongly recommended to avoid disappointment. Admission is \$20 for an adult, \$25 for an adult walk-in, and \$10 for children age 10 and under. Please call Judy at 603-715-1414 or at iudv@hatco.com to make vour reservation. In addition to a three course Spring themed tea, lots of surprises await and May baskets as well as tea party accessories will be available for sale.

# **SATURDAY JUNE 3**

YARD SALE: Weare Historical Society's 29th Annual Town Wide Yard Sale 8:00am-2:00pm.

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# —TOWN OF HENNIKER — NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Henniker Town Hall Meeting Room • 18 Depot Hill Road May 8, 2023 4:00 p.m.

The Town of Henniker Historic District Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 8, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. at the Henniker Town Hall, 18 Depot Hill Road, Henniker, NH regarding an Application for a Certificate of Approval received by the Historic District Commission, proposing placement of two veterans' banners in Woodman Park.

# HILLSBORO-DEERING SCHOOL DISTRICT INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL

The Hillsboro-Deering School District is accepting registration for anticipated preschool openings for the 2023-2024 school year.

The program is available to children who will reach the age of 3 or 4 by September 30, 2023 and are a resident of Hillsboro, Deering, or Windsor. Preschool registration will be available online at www.hdsd.org starting April 10, 2023. Preschool screenings are scheduled for mid-June. Preschool placement will be announced by the end of June and any additional openings will be filled using a waitlist process.

Hillsboro-Deering Preschool Parent Information Night

Revised date: Wednesday, May 17th at 5:00 pm at HDES

For additional information please contact

Robin Whitney, Principal

(603) 464-1283 or rwhitney@hdsd.org

# Town of Weare

# **BID NOTICE**

The Town of Weare, NH is soliciting bid proposals for the following items:

- 1. New 10-Wheel Truck Cab and Chassis for the purpose of building a Plow Truck.
- 2. To fully equip a new 10-Wheel Truck with New Side Tipping Dump Body and Plow Equipment.

Spec details are available at the Public Works Department, 224 Merrill Road, Weare, NH 03281, or call (603) 529-2469, or email srobinson@weare.nh.gov. All bids will be due Friday, April 28, 2023 by 9:00am.

Bids will be opened Friday April 28, 2023 at 9:00am and Bid decisions will be made Monday, May 1, 2023 at the Board of Selectmen meeting.

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

# BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT TOWN OF DEERING, NH

### Case No.: 2023-01

Notice is hereby given that on April 27, 2023, at 7:00 p.m., at the Deering Town Hall, 762 Deering Center Road, Deering, NH 03244, the Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing:

Regarding a request by Benjamin Bauer, for a variance from Section 4.1.2 of the Deering Zoning Ordinance to permit a reduction in lot size of 0.033 acres (1,419 square feet) to an existing 1.7 acre lot, whereas a minim of 2 acres is required, in order to permit a lot line adjustment, on the property located at 606 Cellar Hole Road, Tax Map 235, Lot 024; and

Regarding a request by Kimberly E. Melton and Kathryn A Melton, for a variance from Sections 4.1.4 (a) and 4.1.4 (b) of the Deering Zoning Ordinance: 1) to authorized a front yard setback of 33.1 feet, whereas 50 feet is required, and a side yard setback of 9.3 feet, whereas 30 feet is required, to permit construction of a garage, and 2) to authorized a side yard setback of 5.8 feet, whereas 30 feet is required, to permit a shed, on the property located at 604 Cellar Hole Road, Tax Map 235, Lot 023

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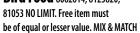


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