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Granite Group Realty steps up to support Bristol PD's K9 Fund

BY DONNA RHODES

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BRISTOL — Saying simply that it was "the right thing to do," owner/broker Alan DeStefano of Granite Group Realty and Lake Area Property and Sales was pleased to present the Bristol Police Department with a check for \$500 last Thursday afternoon to start their new K9 Fund.

"This part of being involved in the community. Step up when it's time to step up," DeStefano said.

While Bristol's K9 program, approved by the Board of Selectmen just two weeks ago, is initially being funded through drug forfeiture monies, there are incidental expenses the department's dog will require over the years to maintain his training, health and wellbeing.

Lt. Kristopher Bean said the community has been very supportive of the program already, with Bristol Veterinary Hospital offering routine care for the dog while Bristol's new Hannaford Grocery Store and Blue Seal Feeds in Bow volunteered to assist with food. The newest member of their department

will also come equipped with things like a "Bite Suit" for training purposes, muzzles, a cage for the police cruiser, and a "Hot and Pop" monitor that will keep him safe on hot summer days when he's inside the vehicle.

Donations like the one from Granite Group Realty will help provide the rest though.

"If he should get sick or injured we're going to need money to pay for that or anything else unexpected that may come our way," said Bean.

Officer Nick Kelley of the Bristol Police Department has been named their K9 officer and he recently came back from a trip to Castle's K9, a law enforcement dog training facility in Harrisburg, Penn., where an 11-month-old Belgian Malinois was selected.

"They showed me (several) different dogs that suited our needs but this was the one who stayed right by my side the whole time," Kelley

The dog's name is rrow and when he arrives in New Hampshire he and Kelley will have three weeks of "bonding time" before heading off to an extensive training



Alan DeStefano of Granite Group Realty and Lake Area Property and Sales was pleased to present the Bristol Police Department with a \$500 donation for their new K9 Fund. From left to right are Bristol Town Administrator Nick Coates, Lt. Kristopher Bean, Police Chief Michael Lewis, Officer Nick Kelley, the newly designated K9 officer, and DeStefano.

program. There they will learn to work together in a number of situations and he will then receive his official K9 certification. After swearing him in as an official member

of the department, Kelley hopes to have Arrow in service by the end of the summer.

"He'll be used for drug detection and tracking. which is the reason we chose the dog we did. We felt it was better for the town to get a dog that will do both. It's two for the price of one and will save tax dollars," said

Tracking will include discarded drugs and other evidence as well as criminal suspects, and even lost children or adults. Those skills will SEE K9 FUND, PAGE A11

What's old becomes new again at Alexandria's Picked and Polished

BY DONNA RHODES

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Started out of what they jokingly call "necessity," two local women have found a way to make the old new again, and their talents have resulted in Picked and Polished, a joint business venture that helps people furnish and decorate their homes with affordable quality items.

Reta Frekot was a fourth grade teacher at Bristol Elementary School until the birth of her second child when she decided to stay home to raise her children. She and her husband had bought a home in Alexandria, which she wanted to decorate with a warm, comfortable yet unique character.

Her budget was small though so she began

"picking" items at yard sales and thrift shops then transforming them to get the look she wanted. She once even pulled an old table out of the dirt, cleaned it and gave it a whole new life.

In the meantime, she had reconnected with **BES** Guidance Councilor Kellie Jenkins from New Hampton who shared Frekot's passion and talent for restoring furni-

"We discovered we both love refinishing and repurposing things. Besides her job and both of our families, we began working out of our homes in our spare time then selling what we created on the internet," said Frekot.

All the refurbished furniture they sell is made from quality solid SEE **POLISHED**, PAGE A12



Reta Frecot and Kellie Jenkins run Picked and Polished, an online store where they offer furniture and home décor items such as this door hanging, all created from old items they find

Town prepares for Safe Routes To School project

BY THOMAS P. CALDWELL

Contributing Writer

BRISTOL — The long process of obtaining a Safe Routes to School grant and awarding a construction contract has been completed, so now town officials are focusing on communications, to let those who will be affected by the project know what it entails and when traffic will be disrupted.

There will be a meeting on Tuesday, June 14, at 6 p.m. in the Tapply-Thompson Community Center to give the construction team an op-

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portunity to explain the project and answer any questions that people may have.

The goal of the Safe Routes to School program is to make sure it is safe to walk or bicycle to school, and to make the route more accessible to those with disabilities. A secondary goal is to increase the number of children who choose to walk or bicycle, which can enhance children's health and wellbeing, ease traffic congestion, and improve air quality.

The Newfound Area School District and the town of Bristol have been working collaboratively to get the program in place, and Town Administrator Nik Coates told the selectmen on June 3 that school district officials were very accommodating in offering locations for construction materials and being flexible in the use of facilities.

Chair Shaun Lagueux noted that the school district operates a summer program but was willing to work around the construction schedule. The contractor plans to SEE **SAFE ROUTES**, PAGE A12

Camp Berea tackles the town

BY MARCIA MORRIS Contributing Writer

HEBRON—It was an impressive experiment about how to be a good neighbor, and it succeeded beyond anyone's ex-

pectations. Last weekend, New-Lake's Camp found Berea took on the tough jobs as over 100 youth campers from three separate churches in Nashua, attired in neon-yellow Iserve@Berea T-shirts, fanned out throughout the Town of



A "swarm of B's" hit the shoreline, the trails, the roadsides and the conservation areas in the Town of Hebron as part of Camp Berea's Service Work Weekend. Youth Campers from three Nashua churches raked, cleared brush, cleaned 14 miles of roadside and broke trails in the Hebron Town Forest during a hot summer experiential weekend program on Newfound Lake.

place clean. At the Hebron Beach

Saturday morning, doz-

Hebron and swept the ens of hearty community volunteers assembled for the annual Town Beach Cleanup Day. When they

arrived they could only stare in dismayed disbelief as they encountered SEE CAMP BEREA, PAGE A11

Board members from the Nature Preschool at Heart Centered Multi-Age attend conference

BRISTOL — Antioch University in Keene regularly provides programming to

support educators in the acquisition of new skills, the opportunity to collaborate with each other, and find affirmation for the work they do, but a recent event was particularly special.

The fifth annual "In Bloom in Keene" conference dedicated to the educational and health benefits of children being in the natural world could not have been scheduled on a more beautiful spring day.

Board members Jennifer MacDonald. Deanna Pellegrino, and Jenne Walker from The Nature Preschool at Heart Centered Multi-Age in Bristol attended. Speakers included David Sobel, Professor at Antioch University and author of Nature Preschool and Forest Kindergartens: Handbook for Outdoor Learning, and Angela Hanscom, pediatric therapist and founder of TimberNook, an internationally recognized program in the United States and

New Zealand. Hanscom is also the author of "Balanced and Barefoot: How Unrestricted Outdoor Play Makes for Strong,

bers also attend workshops on the benefits of nature based programs for children with spatial awareness and sensory difficulties.

Hanscom discussed her body of work, noting that through research and observation at local schools, she has found today's children are noticeably weaker and their balance systems significantly underdeveloped as compared to children of previous generations. Hanscom has also found that teachers report today's children becoming more aggressive on the playground and having trouble staying in their seats. Today many children need occupational therapy and only a few of them play outdoors on a regular basis. Hanscom believes that through regular outside time and opportunities for free creative play, many of these symptoms can be alleviated.

developmentally wired for the demands placed upon them in many traditional school settings. The high stakes testing of the last decade have young children without time to develop in age appropriate settings. The benefits

Young children are

Children." Board mem- have been marginalized as more time was required for inside school work. Many children across the country only see a total of 20 - 30 minutes of uninterrupted recess time per

Jennifer MacDonald, founder and director at Heart Centered Multi-Age, says, "It is affirming to spend time with colleagues who believe in the causes that are dear to vour heart. It has been my mission since opening Heart Centered Multi-Age in 2011 to provide children of the Newfound area a place to learn and grow that would meet their developmental needs. Children at Heart Centered Multi-Age spend a minimum of an hour a day outside with a typical day in the spring and fall featuring two hours of outside time. I have always

found the children make just as many gains outside as inside.

"Confidence found learning to do the monkey bars or skiing from the top of Ragged Mountain always translates into the classroom, where I see motivated and determined learners. Children at Heart Centered Multi-Age always leave our program on or above



Nature Preschool board members Krystal Alpers, Jennifer MacDonald, Jenne Walker, Deanna Pellegrino and Dorcas Gordon.

cally with their passion of learning intact. I believe our success is directly connected to the amount of time our children spend outside, whether in recess play or hiking, skiing or exploring at Little Round Top."

Board members from The Nature Preschool at Heart Centered Multi-Age attended the "In Bloom in Keene" conference as part of the preparation for a new and exciting program collaboration between Heart Centered Multi-Age and the Slim Baker Foundation for Outdoor Education. The Slim Baker Lodge and its surrounding area will be the primary location for a nature based classroom for three year olds that will be opening in the fall of 2016. This

partnership tween Heart Centered Multi-Age and the Slim Baker Foundation will help further the mission of providing outdoor education to the community through the Slim Baker Foundation.

If you would like more information on any of the programs offered

by Heart Centered Multi-Age or the Slim Baker Foundation, please

look them up at http://www.heartcenteredmultiage.com/nature-preschool/.

Bristol police announce sobriety checkpoint

BRISTOL — The ing Under the Influ-New Hampshire State Police, along with the Bristol Police Department, continues to see a high number of alcohol-related motor venities, and as a result the two departments will conduct a Sobriety Checkpoint in Bristol during the week of June 26 through July 5 in an effort to maintain safe roads in the area.

The number of Driv-

24 Meadows Drive

the Lakes Region continues to be high. A review of records has shown that the use of alcohol by individuals hicle incidents within who operate motor vethe Town of Bristol and hicles has resulted in deaths and personal injury accidents.

Through collaborative efforts between The New Hampshire State Police and the Bristol Police partment, Bristol has been identified as an

area where a Sobrience arrests made in ety Checkpoint would prove to be effective.

Troop F Commander, Lt. Gary Prince, as well as Bristol Police Chief Michael F. Lewis. have taken an aggressive stance toward presurrounding commu- a consistent number of venting persons from driving while intoxicated and checkpoints such as this are one of the tools that are being

utilized in that effort. A Sobriety Checkpoint enables officers the opportunity to detect and apprehend the impaired driver before injury or death can occur and over the years has shown to be effective. The program is approved by both the New Hampshire Highway Safety Agency and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and provides federal highway safety funds to support it.

Further information may be obtained at a press conference to be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, June 29, at the Bristol Police Department, which is located at 230 Lake St. in Bristol.





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New Hampton residents honored by Garden Club

MANCHESTER New Hampton residents, Ginny Haas and Gene Otis, were honored by the New Hampton Garden Club at the New Hampshire Federation of Garden Clubs Inc. annual meeting, held at the Manchester Country Club on May 25.

Haas was presented a Silver Seal Certificate which reads: "Ginny is a long time member of our club and has filled several positions including Recording Secretary and President. She also served as NHFGC Recording Secretary under President Jean Thomp-Her willingness to participate in and support our activities is truly appreciated. She provides an historical perspective on club activities and has always been a guiding force. Her quiet, soft-spoken manner and her positive input make her a valuable asset to our club."

Otis was presented the NHFGC District I Community Star Award for 2016. Mr. Otis, a long time resident of New Hampton and our former Post Master, has donated countless hours, expertise and materials in support of our club and our community. He constructs signs for any and all of our endeavors; he made a game board for a children's bean bag toss for our booth at Old Home Day, his "sandwich board" signs help

promote our efforts and he always donates hand crafted items for us to sell or to donate at our annual sales. Whenever we need a picture frame, a birdhouse or a sign he is there and will whip it up in no time at no expense. For years he has mowed the grass around our Friendship Garden and he recently made a sign for our new Garden of the Month project. Mr. Otis does not do these things to promote a business or for tax credits, he simply uses his skills and his generosity to support our club and our community. We feel strongly that his efforts and his continued support merit the Community Star Award.



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Plymouth Area Democrats welcome drug recovery crusader Chris Blevens to their June Meeting

PLYMOUTH — On Wednesday, June 15, drug recovery advocate Chris Blevens will be guest speaker at the Plymouth Area Democrats' monthly meeting at the Plymouth Regional Senior Center.

Blevens is not a political operative, but rather a make-up artist who has assisted politicians for more than 20 years, prepping their faces for stages and cameras. She has worked intimately with the candidates of both parties over the last six presidential election cycles, including Clinton, Obama, Trump, and Romney.

Blevens thought she would use her extraordinary access to candidates cal. That changed in April 2014, when her step-daughter Amber died from a drug overdose. Amber had gone through a long struggle with heroin addiction, which is now an



Chris Blevens with President Barack Obama

epidemic across New death, Blevens realized that speaking out about addiction was a powerful way for her to heal, and her high-profile clients soon pushed her advocacy onto the

national stage. All are welcome to attend the meeting, which will start at 5:30 p.m. with a social hour and potluck dinner, followed by a brief

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Fun in the Sun

Fun in the Sun photo series.



Bristol residents Emma and Gracie made some new friends from Clairmont when they spent

the day on Newfound Lake last weekend. Water temperatures are still a bit chilly so the boys and girls dug their own "pond" on the beach where they could comfortably play in the

sand and water. When your children are enjoying the great outdoors, we invite you to snap

a photo and send it to drhodes@salmonpress.com. Include their first name, age, location

and a brief description of the activity and you could see their smiling faces in this summer's

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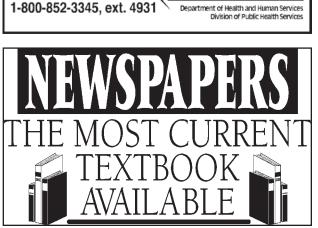
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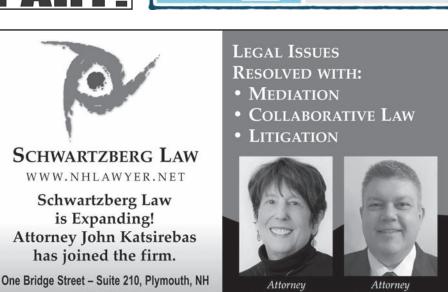
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Study finds one in six children hospitalized for lung inflammation test positive for marijuana exposure in Colorado

BY DEB NARO

Contributor

A new study found that one in six infants and toddlers admitted to a Colorado hospital with coughing, wheezing and other symptoms of bronchiolitis tested positive for marijuana exposure.

The study, "Marijuana Exposure in Children Hospitalized for Bronchiolitis," recruited parents of previously healthy children between one month and two years old who were admitted to Children's Hospital Colorado between January 2013 and April 2014 with bronchiolitis, an inflammation of the smallest air passages in the lung. The parents completed a questionnaire about their child's health, demographics, exposure to tobacco smoke, and as of October 2014, whether anyone in the home used marijuana. Marijuana became legal in Colorado on Jan. 1, 2014.

Of the children who were identified as having been exposed to marijuana smokers, urine samples showed traces of a metabolite of tetrahydrocannabinol (THC), the psychoactive component of marijuana, in 16 percent of them. The results also showed that more of the children ter legalization (21 percent, compared with 10 percent before), and non-white children were more likely to be exposed than white children.

The findings suggest that secondhand marijuana smoke, which contains carcinogenic and psychoactive chemicals, may be a rising child health concern as marijuana increasingly becomes legal for medical and

recreational use in the United States, said lead researcher Karen M. Wilson, MD, MPH, FAAP, an associate professor of pediatrics at the University of Colorado School of Medicine and section head at CHC. Most states with legal marijuana do not restrict its combustion around children, she said in a news release.

"Our study demonstrates that, as with secondhand co smoke, children can be exposed to the chemicals in marijuana when it is smoked by someone nearby," Dr. Wilson said. "Especially as marijuana becomes more available and acceptable, we need to learn more about how this may affect children's health and development."

In the meantime, she said, "marijuana should never be smoked in the presence of children."

With a regional medical marijuana dispensary, Sanctuary ATC, now open in Plymouth, CADY's top priority remains the health and safety of our children, youth, and community. To protect children from the harms of marijuana use (whether it is second hand exposure of medical marijuana or illicit marijuana were THC positive af- use), parents and local communities need to step up efforts to raise awareness on the risks and harms of this substance. We are working to provide parents and our community with the information, tools, and knowledge to better understand and address marijuana. For facts and science-based information about marijuana, please visit our Web site at www.cadyinc.

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of the Week Nala

Calling all 'Meezer' lovers, a technical title for all humans who love and understand the special needs and idiosyncrasies of the Siamese cat.

Meet Nala, just about three years young, a lynx pointe feline with the most amazing azure eyes, they are particularly lagoon blue and just as alluring.

Nala was given to us by her owner who could no longer care for her, it was a wrenching decision but made from a place of love for this majes-

tic girl. She's rather vocal, as all Siamese are, she would like to be the top cat in your home, and not terribly fond of dogs, but children who are kind and gentle, well, from her perspective, that's another lap to cuddle in.

June IS Adopt a Shelter cat month. Let's start the summer of with a permanent loving forever home for Miss Nala.

New Hampshire Humane Society is open on weekends too, 10.00a.m - 4p.m -Nala looks forward to meeting you.



North Country Notebook



By John Harrigan

COLUMNIST

The very first robins that I really took notice of appeared after an early morning snowstorm on Monday, May 16. I remember it well because I had just returned from a train trip that ended in Seattle, where it was shirtsleeve weather, and wondered what I was doing back in snow.

Mom robin was putting the finishing touches on a nest on my porch, and Dad was out there on the snow-covered lawn, listening (and, I think, feeling through his little toes) for worms.

Well, things move fast in the spring. As I wrote this on the second day of June, a whole bunch of little beaks had appeared in the nest, with Mom out there hopping around with Dad working to bring home the bacon, or at least the annelid version of it.

And not long from now, I'll get to see these little fluffs try their

Didn't this just happen, like, yesterday?

springtime for

What would your teenager do? A moose and a bobcat in view

sure now, even though there's still ice under the lee of the dam at Boundary Pond, and readers are sending in some neat photos. Not much has been written in the popular

press about two relatively recent developments that have totally changed wildlife photography: trail cameras and cell

Cameras strapped to trees and the like that are tripped by movement are really not all that new, their development stretching back over decades, but in recent years have become digital, cheaper, and much easier to set up and use. As for phones and other hand-held devices, the digital photography, range and definition just keep getting better and better.

So it's no wonder that people are coming up with extraordinary wildlife photos and film, and with increasing frequency, sending them to the media.

Ben Haubrich remembered me writing about woebegone yearling moose in a recent column, and sent me a photo of a young moose looking...well, woebe-



Longtime reader Ben Haubrich saw this gangly teenager of a moose and remembered something I wrote, which evoked, basically, "Eeyore."



A friend of "Pat 'n Dan" sent them this shot of a hopeful bobcat hanging out at a bird-feeder just shy of downtown Wolfeborough (sic).

gone. "I thought about you when I saw this one yesterday," he wrote.

Their Moms kick them out of the house this time of year, making room for new little mooselets. The kicked-out yearlings look like your teenagers and mine would---totally

lost without refrigerator, laundry basket and TV.

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"Pat and Dan" from the east side of Winnipesaukee sent a really nice bobcat photo with this SEE **NOTEBOOK**, PAGE A12

Letters to the Editor

NHEC members should question proposed agreement with Antrim Wind

To the Editor:

The New Hampshire Electric Cooperative's 77th Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 14 at 6 p.m. at Prospect Hall on the campus of Plymouth State University.

I urge Co-Op members, whether attending or not, to question why the Co-Op is entering into a 20-year Power Purchase Agreement with Antrim

Wind for power at a price of \$81/megawatt hour. As ratepayers, we need to challenge this contract, as the current market rate for electricity is less than \$50/megawatt hour. New Hampshire has already met their Renewable Energy Credit requirement for 2015 and likely 2016, so there is no reason to lock in this above market rate. Long term Power Purchase Agreements such as this set prices independent of our competitive market prices, which harm our existing reliable energy generation resources.

Keep our electric rates affordable.

Nancy Watson

Groton

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Towns

Alexandria

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Pasquaney Garden Club

A sincere "Thank -you" to all those who came to buy at our Plant and Bake Sale on June 4. Once again, we raised enough money to cover our donation budget. Many people visited our Butterfly Garden, which is in full bloom now. Remember it is a great place to enjoy the river flowing by.

From the town

Select board meetings in June will be on the 7th and 21st.

Tax bills have been mailed. They are due by July 5.

Danbury

Donna Sprague huntoonfarm@myfairpoint.net

South Danbury Church

The church will hold their regular service at 11 a.m. on Sunday, June 12.

On Friday, June 17 at 7 p.m., The Keith Band perform Friends will a country music benconcert for the preservation project. There will also be time to share memories and stories, and reconnect with friends. There will be no ticket or admission fee. The church is giving the concert free of charge so that everyone can enjoy it--and encouraging those who are able to give generously to support the preservation project. Refreshments will be served, and there will be baked goods and fundraising items for sale. The event is in celebration of the founders of the church- a group of families that gathered together 150 years ago to create a church in their community. The church is at 1411 US Route 4 in South Danbury.

Grange Chicken BBQ

The annual chicken bbq will be held at the grange hall, rain or shine, on Saturday, June 11 from 5 to 6:30 p.m. The menu is a quarter baked chicken, two kinds of baked beans, assorted salads and strawberry short-Everything is homemade. Todd, our extraordinaire will return once again for the annual event. Take outs are available. Tickets are \$9/adults; \$4 for children under 12 and under three is free.

Churches

Family Worship Center Ply. Assembly of God

Thursday, June 9, 6:30-7:30 p.m., you are invited to join us for our Family Night at the Church. We offer Godly ministry for children, youth, and adults with programs for people of all ages: Royal Rangers Club for boys elementary through high school; Mpact Club for girls, preschool through high school; and two Adult Seminars and Bible Studies. Pastor Glen is conducting a Study Group and Scott Gusha is also teaching a course on one of the Apostle Paul's letters. Do come for this great time of fellowship and learning.

The Royal Rangers are raising funds to go to Camporama in Springfield, MO, summer, much help is needed. They will have some fund-raising projects, dates to be announced. Please help provide funds to send these boys for a life-changing experience. You may contact the church or Cmdr. Willie Gusha for information and to

Sunday, June 12, you are invited to join us at 8:30 a.m. for bagels, coffee and juice; 9 a.m.: Bible Education for all age groups preschool through Adult Bible Studies. 10 a.m.: Sunday morning service with Contemporary Music and Biblical Teaching. Nursery for ages newborn to three. The monthly fellowship luncheon will follow the morning service. Please bring food to share. 5 p.m.: Prayer meeting. You may put prayer requests in the green box marked "Prayer Requests" on the hall table. Please join us for this important time of intercession for our church, community, country, missionaries, and each other.

Monday, June20, noon–2 p.m. – the Church's Helping Hands Food Pantry will be held and free clothing will be available.

le. Saturday, June 25,



10 a.m., the monthly men's brunch will be held. All men are invited to attend. Please contact Pastor Glen or Willy Gusha for information and reservations.

Sunday, June 26, special guest speaker (to be announced later) in the morning service.

Part of the Church roof has been repaired, and we are grateful to the company who did the job so well, and for the donations towards project. The church is now holding a "Raise The Roof" project in an effort to pay this off quickly, so all donations can be made out to Family Worship Center and marked "Roof Project" and are greatly appreciated.

Anyone desiring Church membership: please contact Pastor Yunghans at 536-1966 or 726-0254.

Our Mission Statement is "Transforming lives through God's Word."

Our church is collecting funds for prison ministry, also aluminum cans to support the cost of ministry supplies such as Bibles and printed literature. A collection barrel is at each church entry. Please continue to support this ministry. Money donations may be made to the church marked "prison ministry."

Prayer requests for the bulletin may be given to Candy Gusha at craftmom03264@yahoo.com.

Please give announcements for the Sunday bulletin to the Church office by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesdays by e-mailing fwcag@ hotmail.com or Pastor Yunghans at gyunghans@hotmail.com, or phone the church at 536-1966 or Pastor Glen at 726-0254. Everyone is welcome at all of our services. The Church

is handicapped accessible, east entrance.

Note the Church's new Web site: www.assemblyofgodplymouthnh.org.

Hebron Union Congregational Church

All are welcome to join in our worship services on Sundays at 10 a.m., followed by coffee hour.

We gather once a month to make soup for people in our local communities. Our next soup route is June 13. While we are making soup for others, we also share a meal of soup, salad, bread and dessert. If you would like more information about Soup Route, would like to volunteer to help us, or would like to receive soup from us, please contact our church secretary using the contact information listed below.

Our Bible study meets on Thursday mornings at 9 a.m. and all are welcome.

Join us at the "Seashore" as we celebrate all things Nautical on June 11 at 6 p.m. for our Ninth Annual Theme Dinner. The menu includes Assorted Appetizers, Shrimp Scampi, Beef Tenderloin, Rice Pilaf, Vegetable, Salad & Rolls, and Assorted Desserts. The cost is \$30 per person and proceeds will benefit the church's Kitchen Renovation Fund. Seating is limited to 56 guests and we need a minimum of 40. Tables of eight may be reserved through the church office by calling 744-5883 during the secretary hours listed below, or by emailing staff@ hebronchurchnh.org. Please provide the office with guests' names at a reserved table. Prepayment is appreciated. There will be

that are \$5 each and can be purchased at

the dinner.

We are now accepting SOME donations for the 64th Annual Hebron Church Fair. Rummage donations and books maybe dropped at the church during the secretary's office hours listed below. There will be a Fair meeting following the service on June 12.

Our church is located in the center of historic Hebron village at the intersections of North Shore Road and West Shore Road. Our church secretary's office hours are Tuesdays from 9:30-11:30 a.m. and Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 1-3 p.m. and our phone number is 744-5883. Our address is 16 Church Lane, PO Box 67, Hebron, NH 03241. The secretary's email address is staff@ hebronchurchnh.org. To find out more about church, please visit the church Web site at www.hebronchurchnh.org.

Church of the Holy Spirit Episcopal

Welcome to Deacon Maryan Davis!

On Sunday, June 12, Maryan Davis will be ordained a deacon at 3 p.m. at St. Paul's Church, Concord, and Bishop Hirschfeld has assigned her to begin her ministry with the Church of the Holy Spirit, Plymouth, and St. Mark's, Ashland. The ministries of deacons vary with the individual and with the communities and churches in which they serve. However, the stated ministry of deacons is to serve as a bridge between the Church and the World, bringing Church to the World in service, and (2) bringing the needs of the World to the Church in preaching, teaching and leadership." Maryan will begin her ministry with us on June 19th. Spending 8-10 hours of week in our congregations, she will begin by looking and listening to explore the ministries that currently exist (i.e. "Got Lunch," monthly Outreach Breakfasts, etc.) as well as working with our wardens and Randy to assess the needs that exist in our communities.

St. Mark's & Holy Spirit to Share Worship Spaces

Beginning on Sunday, June 19, while the 8 a.m. Eucharist will continue at the Church of the Holy Spirit, the combined 9:30 a.m. Eucharist will be held at St. Mark's Church in Ashland. Church School will resume on Sunday mornings, and Altar Guild and Coffee Hour activities will be shared by the members of both congregations. The 11 a.m. Thursday midweek Eucharist will move to Plymouth beginning on June 23.

Holy Trinity (Roman Catholic)

Bristol Knights of Columbus Scholarship

The Bristol Knights of Columbus are offering a scholarship to high school students who wish to further their education. Please see one of the Knights to obtain and applica-

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is welcome at all of our ciated. There will be services. The Church a raffle and tickets for

The Hebron Select Board will be holding a Public Hearing on Thursday, June 16, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the Select Board Office located at 7 School Street. The purpose of the hearing is to expend funds from the following Capital Reserve Funds:

PUBLIC NOTICE

"Government Building Repair" for the replacement of exterior lighting at the Public Safety Building

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Award Winning White Mountain Boogie 'N Blues Festival celebrates 20 years!

THORNTON ways the third weekend in August, the 20th annual White Mountains Boogie 'n Blues Festival happens Aug. 19-21 at the Sugar Shack Campground in Thornton.

The Boogie takes place in the heart of the White Mountains. The stage is set in a natural amphitheater on a 72 acre pasture in the Pemigewasset River Valley, making it an ideal place for soaking up the sounds.

This year promises to impress and delight with a line up of award winning artists featuring Kenny Wayne Shepherd; Southern Hospitality with Victor Wainwright, JP Soars and Damon Fowler; Lil Ed & The Blues Imperials; Tab Benoit; Selwyn Birchwood; Ronnie Earl & The Broadcasters; Gracie Curran & the High Falutin Band; Albert Cummings; The Boston Blues AllStars: Anthony Geraci with Sugar Ray & The Blue Tones and special guests Michelle "Evil Gal" Willson and Darrell Nulisch; "Kingfish" Ingram; Davina & the Vagabonds; Alexis P. Suter & The Ministers of Sound; Albert Castiglia; Teeny Tucker: and Watermelon Slim.

The largest outdoor blues festival in New Hampshire! Along with award-winning blues artists, there are food and craft vendors, a climbing wall, bouncy house, many fun activities for kids and adults including Saturday night fireworks.

Twenty years ago, Brad and Mike Benton founded the White Mountain Boogie 'N Blues and have been making it happen every year since. Starting out as a small gathering of about 250 people, the one day event was comprised of talented friends and regional bands. Twenty years later, the festival has transformed into a weekend of award winning blues musicians from all over the world, winning the KBA Award in 2012 for Best U.S. Festival and the Blues Audience Award in 2015. Also



Acclaimed guitarist Kenny Wayne Shepherd will healdine this year's White Mountains Boogie 'n Blues Festival.

voted one of the top ten Summer of 2016 events to do in New England.

You can find out more about this years festival, including the line up and

ticket sales at http:// www.nhblues.com

See you at the Boogie!

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tion. There are certain requirements for this scholarship. Please see a knight for details. All documentation must be handed in by June 17.

Summer Mass Schedule

The Summer Mass schedule has begun with the Saturday 5:45 Mass at Our Lady of Grace Chap-The complete summer schedule will begin the weekend of July 2nd and 3rd. At that time we add the 8 a.m. Sunday Mass at our Lady of Grace and the 9:30 a.m. Mass at St. Agnes.

Baby Bottle Blessing Drive

Bottles are due back on Father's Day, Sunday, June 19. Please return the bottles full, half full, or even if they are empty as Haven gets charged for the bottles that are missing. Thank you!

Homebound **Ministry**

you or someone you know is homebound and would like to receive a communion visit, please call the Plymouth office at 536-4700 and talk with Deacon Mike. He will coordinate the schedule from there. Thank you!

Mass Intentions

An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or, as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. If you would like to have a Mass said for a particular intention, you can call the Plymouth office at 536-4700 or the Bristol office at 744-2700.

Weekly Meetings Thursday, May 19

Day Away Program, Simard Hall, 9 a.m.-3

AA meeting Monday-Saturday, St. Matthew Hall 11 a.m.

Congratulations to the young adults of our parish who are graduating from high school and college this year. We are proud of your accomplishments and it is our prayer that God will be with you and lead you to success and

happiness.

Welcome to Our **Summer Visitors**

We will begin our full summer schedule soon and welcome our many summer parishioners. The pews in our three churches will be full and parking will a bit more difficult. It is at this time that we happily set another place at our Eucharistic table in the hopes that our visitors will find true Christian hospitality here. St. Paul reminds us that Christians will be known by our love for one another, and it is during this time of year that we act to welcome everyone to the table. If there are more people in your pew this summer, say a little prayer of thanks.

Catholic Charities Appeal

Catholics, sus calls us to help neighbors who are in need. Your gift strengthens families, inspires and educates young parents and relieves the burden of grief and hardship. Our parish goal this year is \$67,000 dollars. Your gift bridges the gap for many of our neighbors and moves lives forward. Thank you for considering giving to

Catholic Charities.

Day Away The Day Away program could use your help! This program allows caregivers a day off while we take care of their loved ones with dementia. You can volunteer for either the morning or afternoon session. Training is provided and it is a very rewarding experience. Volunteers assist with crafts, outdoor activities, exercise and lunch. This program is run under the supervision of a registered nurse. For more information, please call Fran Olson at 744-6828, or stop by on a Thursday to see what we are up to!

Got Lunch!

This summer, there are two Got Lunch! programs that could use your help. Got Lunch in Plymouth and Got Lunch in Ashland/Holderness will both start their programs Monday, June 20, offering

children healthy lunches throughout the summer in their respective communities. Please consider volunteering these programs. Both programs are in need of people to pack the lunches and deliver them. Both programs meet on the Monday morning of each week to make the lunches. Packing is one from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. and delivery starts soon after. Donations of fresh fruit and vegetables, as well as monetary donations of any amount are also appreciated. You can also sponsor a child for the summer. For more information, call: Elena Worrall (Ashland/Holderness), at 744-0105 or Mary Kietzman (Plymouth), at 536-1076.

Annual Craft Fair

The St. Timothy Women's Club is hosting their annual craft fair on July 23 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Marian Center. Crafters, please register early! The fee is \$20 per eight foot space, \$25 after July 1. For further information or questions, please call Sue L'esperance at 217-0075

World Youth Day -Stateside

Join us in New Hampshire for a Stateside Celebration of World Youth Day on Saturday, July 30 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Camp Fatima.

Please join the Diocese of Manchester and Camps Bernadette and Fatima in a World Youth Day USA Stateside Celebration including a live World Youth Day stream from Poland, lunch and Mass. Check in begins at 11 a.m. Camp Fatima is located in Gilmanton Iron Works. You can preregister for \$5 per person. Register Online: wydnh.eventbrite.com.

Blood Drive Our Lady of Grace Chapel, Simard Hall, June 15, 1-6 p.m.

Star King Unitarian **Universalist Fellowship**

Starr Starr King Unitarian Universalist Fellowship is a multigenerational, coming congregation

where different beliefs come together in common covenant. work together in our fellowship, our community, and our world to nurture justice, respect, and love.

Sunday, June 12, 9:30 a.m. Music Sunday and Religious **Education Recognition** Sarah Dan Jones,

Music Director, Meredith Flynn, Director of Religious Education,

Dr. Judith Rev. Smith-Valley, Worship Leaders

Nancy Chaddock, Worship Associate

Sunday will celebrate both the SKUUF 2016 Music and Religious Education Programs.

Whole Congregation

Visitors are invited as well as all programs at the church. Nursery care is provided for infants and toddlers. The children's program is held downstairs concurrently with the service. Join us for coffee and conversation following the service.

Children and Youth Religious Education, Meredith Flynn, DRE

There are no classes this morning for the Instead, there will be a whole congregation service celebrating music and our Religious Education teachers. Several children will be playing music during the service. This years' teachers will be honored and thanked for their volunteer service throughout the year with our children and youth. This is a family friendly service and all

ages are welcome. Youth Group- The eighth through 12th graders meet the second and fourth Sundays of the month from 6-7:30pm in the upstairs conference room. They are wrapping things up for the school year and will begin meeting again next fall in mid-September.

Social Justice Community Outreach: The Unitarian Universalist Children's Choir Scholarship Fund

They meet every three years to rehearse and perform as a part of the annual Unitarian Universalist Musicians Network conference. They sing repertoire of consequence that helps instill Unitarian values as they begin their lifelong journey with spiritual exploration. Children sing daily, enhance worship services with their music, perform a concert for the community, participate in youth-focused Chapel services, and complete service projects during the summer camp.

SKUUF is proud that two of our young singers, Laurel and Molly Lu McKellar, will be part of this special "choir camp!" They will be traveling to Madison in July, along with their parents, Joe Webb McKellar and Michelle Chamberlain, for this one of a kind dren and their chaperones (of which Joe and Michelle will take part) will be housed at the University of Wisconsin and join the adult UUMN members at our conference on Saturday for worship, workshops and com-munity. On Saturday evening, the children's choir will present a concert at the church, and join the adult choir (of around 250 singers) for two Sunday worship services.

Because of UUMN scholarship, our young SKUUF singers were awarded money to help in their travel expenses. Our collection is an opportunity to give back to the scholarship fund so that future generations will be able to attend the UU Children's Choir.

Please bring canned or dry packaged food items for our local Community Closet collection basket in the foyer. There is also another collection basket in the foyer for this summer's "GOT LUNCH! PLYMOUTH" program. Small jars of peanut butter and jelly, and canned tuna or chicken may be placed

Ongoing activities Choir meets for rehearsal most Thursday evenings, 7-8:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

1st Friday morning

Breakfast Group will meet this month at a place to be determined. Contact Deedie at cdkriebel@gmail.com for information.

Starr King Men's Group meets every first and third Sunday from 6-8 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Second Sunday Hike - We leave from the SKUUF lower parking lot at noon. All are welcome. Contact mitch@ newfoundfarm.org to register and receive updates.

Uncommittee Gatherings will meet every third Sunday at 11 a.m. downstairs. Bring your own crafting supplies. Contact Gigi Estes, or Virginia Miller at seabeans@roadrunner. com for information and any changes.

Wise Women Training is a women's to attend the service adventure. The chil-group to discuss issues related to women. Each meeting will have a theme that will be facilitated by a volunteer member of the group. Contact Betty Ann Trought at batrought@ gmail.com or come and meet with this welcoming group. Wise Women regularly meets every second and fourth Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to noon in the upstairs conference room.

> Gentle Yoga meets in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesdays from 5-6 p.m., and Saturdays from 8:30-9:30 a.m. For information, contact Darlene Nadeau at 493-1478.

Bridge players meet on Thursdays in the Conference Room from 12:30-3:30 p.m.

Line Dancing – last Sunday of the month, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. through June. For information, contact George Maloof at maloof@mail.plymouth.edu.

Starr King UU Fellowship is located at 101 Fairgrounds Rd., Plymouth. The phone number is 536-8908. The Web site is www. starrkingfellowship. org where you can access "Newsletters" to read, or print out, any of several past issues; "Podcast" to enjoy listening to sermons you have missed, or just want to hear again; "Events Calendar" to find out what is going on in our Fellowship.

Artistic Roots welcomes new visiting artists

PLYMOUTH — Artistic Roots welcomes a new group of Visiting Artists beginning on June 4. The artists include: Pamela Miller, jeweler; Javier Kiman, water color and pottery; Doug Houle, oil painting; Lynn Decker, block prints; John Spurling, cloisonné; and Joan Glidden, pottery. The gallery will welcome this amazing group of artists in a reception on June 23rd from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited.

About the artists:

Joan Glidden has been working in clay on and off since 1974, when she took a hand building pottery class in high school. Years later, she took a class in wheel thrown pottery, learning more techniques and the process of pottery. After taking the beginners class in thrown pottery Joan worked with a local potter in Meredith for several years, learning and practicing more advanced techniques. Since that time, the art and process of making pottery, both thrown and hand built, has become her passion. She was a founding member of the Village Artist Gallery in Ashland, a role that was central in moving her skills forward. At present, Glidden has a small studio in her home in Ashland, where she loves to take inspiration from her gardens and move into the studio to form beautiful

Pam Miller lives in New Boston with her husband and two children. She works fulltime in public education. She has studied metalsmithing with Sussy-Rose Shields, Hampshire

pottery pieces.

League of Craftsman instill a quiet and often artisan. She has continues to develop her fabrication through self-study and Shields' mentorship. Jewelry making provides an opportunity for her to spend pastime doing something that is energizing and provides a creative expression. Inspiration for her designs come from the organic flowing lines on nature, as well as the structural lines of architectural forms. She incorporates natural gemstones, pearls, and art glass into her pieces. While Miller has done custom pieces on the request of family and friends, this is her first opportunity to offer her designs to the public.

Douglas Houle lives in Augusta, Maine and have been traveling Northern New England for the last 24 years. He is a graduate Plymouth State College with a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Painting in 1998 under the direction of Christopher Kressey, Annette Mitchell and Tom Driscoll. His focus has always been painting New England's buildings, creating dramatic images of these ordinary buildings using light and color. After attending college, he spent two years in Vermont participating in local art shows and exploring the Champlain Valley. In 2000, he relocated for a short time incetown White Line to Manchester before ultimately moving to Augusta Maine, where he resides with my wife and three children.

Mr. Houle said, "Painting is my time to recreate the past and preserve its authenticity. I take intimate parts of towns and portray a surreal life. These portrayals serene mood."

Javier Kiman is a resident of Bridgewater. He has been working on watercolors with Artistic Roots artist, Suzan Gannett and working on pottery at the Clay Center. His inspiration for his paintings is nature including animals, landscapes, and flowers. His pottery uses the slab technique and his creations include sculpture, and vessels. This is Kiman's first showing of his work.

Lynn Decker received a BFA from University of Illinois at Champaign Urbana. She continued at Plymouth State College to be certified to teach art. She taught elementary art for 10 years, moved on to Special Education, and earned her CAGS in Educational Leadership at Plymouth State. After retiring she studied with Cheryl Johnson in watercolor, Annette Mitchell in printmaking, and Kathi Smith in plein air painting. Lynn continues to quilt, and considers fabric and watercolor her favorite media. Combining printmaking, and watercolor in different ways intrigues her. Last January, during a class with Annette, researching Japanese wood block prints, reacquainted herself with Prov-Prints. She wondered if the process of printing on wood blocks with watercolor was adaptable to foam plates. Trying the watercolor on an old foam plate, she found that the watercolor beaded up too much. She applied gesso to a foam block, then drew the image. When watercolor was applied



This beautiful piece of Cloisonné is the work of New Hampshire artist, John Spurling. He is one of the new Visiting Artists showing at Artistic Roots, 73 Main St., Plymouth, from June 5 through Sept. 30. He is joined by Lynn Decker, Joan Glidden, Douglas Houle, Javier Kiman, and Pam Miller. Artistic Roots is open from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. daily. Come see the work of this fantastic group of artists.

to the gessoed plate, the results were favorable. This is the artwork that will be displayed

at Artistic Roots. John Spurling began his fascination with metal smithing when introduced to blacksmithing at the age of 13. He is a master Tool/Die/Mold Maker. In 1980, Spurling met Dr. Karl Drerup, an enamelist and the first art faculty member at Plymouth State work and took him on as his apprentice. This friendship lasted for more than 21 years. Of the many techniques

related to enameling, John enjoys Cloisonné most. It has be called "the art of patience". Cloisonné uses either pure silver or 18k gold to delineate the design, followed by intricate inlayed layers of crushed glass, each layer being fired to 1450 degrees F. Mr. Spurling has taught enameling at the Sharon Art Center in Peterborough. His work has hung at the Currier Gallery of Art University. Karl was in Manchester and impressed with John's has created an angel ornament which decorated the White House Christmas tree. His mission is to continue to work with enamels

and offer workshops/ classes locally. He is excited about sharing this ancient art form with others in hopes of passing on the skills that he has acquired. He always has ideas for new pieces swirling around in his head.

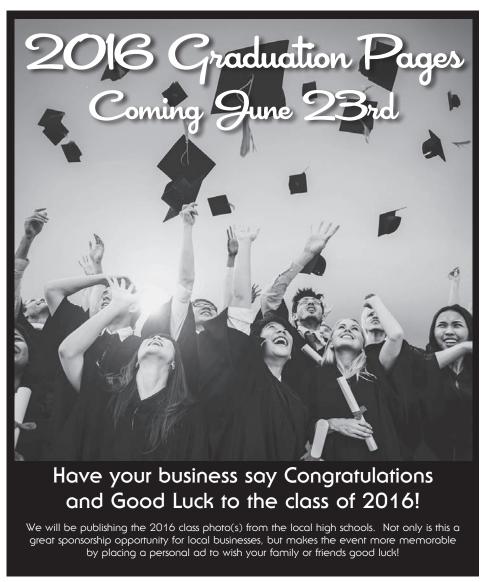
Artistic Roots is proud to show the work of all of these unique and talented artists. Their work will be available for viewing and sale from June 4 through Sept. 30. Stop by Artistic Roots, which is open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily. It is located at 73 Main St. in downtown Plymouth.



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Professional Children's Theatre at PSU Silver Center Thursdays through Aug. 11

PLYMOUTH—IM-PACT, the children's theatre company of Jean's Playhouse in Lincoln, will present their repertoire of children's stories adapted for the stage at 2 p.m. Thursdays at the Silver Center for the Arts on the Plymouth State University campus throughout the summer. The audience will have a chance to meet their favorite The audience will have a chance to meet their favorite ducklings, giants, rabbits, magicians and other characters from the shows in the lobby after each perfor-

The production for June 30 is "Hansel and Gretel." The story tells of two young children whose parents are desperately poor and send the children away into the forest. After days of wandering, they discover a large cottage built of gingerbread and cakes with clear sugar windows. Hungry and tired, they begin to eat the rooftop of the house when a hideous old woman comes out and lures them into the house. The children soon learn that she plans to eat them, and they realize that they must use their brains and courage to save each other.

Performances maining this summer

July 7 "Jack and the Beanstalk" July 14 "Rapunzel" July 21 "The Velveteen Rabbit" July 28 "The Snow Queen" Aug. 4 "Aladdin" Aug. 11

"The Little Mermaid"

Children's Theatre has been delighting regional audiences for more than 20 years, with original adaptations of fairytales and

folktales produced and created for children of all ages. Shows are approximately 40 minutes long and appeal to adults, and children three years and older. Children will have a chance to meet their favorite characters after

Tickets: All seats are \$7 (including babes in arms) at the Silver Center Box Office, 535-2787 or (800) 779-3869.

Summer Box Office hours are: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, or tickets can be pur-

chased online at silver. plymouth.edu. Convenience fees apply to online orders.

General information about events at Plymouth State University is online at http:// thisweek.blogs.plymouth.edu/



Seniors at greater risk for chronic dehydration

BY MARTHA SWATS Owner/Administrator

Comfort Keepers

Staying hydratmay seem like straightforward proposition: you get thirsty, you drink. However, particularly for seniors, it is not always this simple. Seniors are at a higher risk for dehydration than younger adults. In fact, one study showed that up to 48 percent of seniors were dehydrated upon admission to the emergency department for other issues. Very often it is not even obvious that the senior is chronically dehydrated because he or she may not show any clinical symptoms, such as increased thirst, dry mouth, dizziness, weakness, headache, constipation, or fa-

tigue. Why are seniors at a higher risk? Many factors come into play. For starters, as people age, the water content of their bodies diminishes. Older adults also do not feel thirst like younger adults: their thirst signals are not as active. Other reasons include the following:

Seniors may be taking diuretic medications for certain conditions that may rid the body of salt and water.

They may intentionally limit fluid intake because of incontinence or embarrassment over having to use the bathroom too often.

They may have mobility issues that prevent them from getting up and getting something to drink, and they may be too embarrassed to ask for help.

They may have chronic conditions, such as diabetes, that put them at a higher risk for dehydration.

Seniors with dementia may not remember to drink.

The impacts of dehydration can be se-Dehydration can affect the way the body metabolizes medications, making them less effective.

This can be a critical problem for those who depend on those medications for their health and wellbeing. Dehydration can also exacerbate other medical conditions, cause kidney stones and urinary tract infections, compromise the immune system, cause delirium, impair cognition and memory, cause weight loss, and increase the risk of

Friends, family, and caregivers can help seniors stay hydrated through constant monitoring. Typically, an adult should get about 2000 milliliters of fluids a day, which is about eight 8-ounce cups of water. Fluid intake, though, can come from food sources, such as soups or fruits and vegetables with a high water content, such as cucumbers, raw celery, raw tomatoes, and melons. Other ways to ensure seniors are getting an adequate amount of fluids include

regularly offering beverages that the senior likes,

ensuring that water is within reach all day so the senior does not need to ask for it,

providing cups with handles or straws to help seniors who have physical limitations,

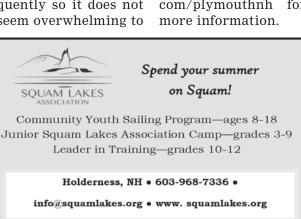
offering smaller beverages more frequently so it does not seem overwhelming to finish a serving, and

minimizing caffeinated or sugary beverages since too much of either caffeine or sugar can actually increase dehydration.

Hiring a professional caregiver who is familiar with the needs of seniors can also help. Professioncaregivers help monitor what the senior is eating and drinking and can make fluids readily accessible to help keep the senior hydrated. To learn more about how professional caregivers can help, contact your local Comfort Keepers® office

About **Comfort Keepers**

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Sean Ware to speak at **Monthly Art Association meeting**

Ware, a New Hampshire painter and instructor at the Lakes Region Community College will be the featured speaker at the June 20 meeting of the Lakes Region Art Association (LRAA). The meeting starts at 7 p.m. at the The Lakes Region Art Association Art Gallery, located in the Tanger Outlets, 120 Laconia Rd., Suite 132 in Tilton.

Sean Ware

Along with an introduction to work, he will discuss oil painting and the properties that make it unique, including the best use of materials,

health precautions and various techniques. He will also demonstrate the process for hand making oil paints.

The session is free and open to the public.

For additional information about the event. contact Gisela Langsten, 1st Vice President, Lakes Region Art Association at 293-2702.

The Lakes Region Art Association, founded in 1940, is a non-profit group providing education and support to local artists, both amateur and professional, in the Lakes Region.

To see more works by Lakes Region artists, please visit The Lakes Region Art Association Art Gallery, located in the Tanger Outlets, 120 Laconia Road, Suite 132 in Tilton. The Gallery represents more than 25 artists and photographers from the Lakes Region. On display and for sale are original works in oils, watercolors, pastels, acrylics, photography and more. Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. For more information, call 998-0029 or visit www.lraanh.org.



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Golden View proud to announce sole sponsorship for TBI "We Care" concerts

MEREDITH—Golden View Health Care Center of Meredith is proud to announce their role as exclusive sponsor of the 2016 TBI "We Care" entertainment events.

Each year, net ticket proceeds from the "We Care" concerts, organized by Temple B'nai Israel of Laconia, are donated to a local and deserving non-profit.

The first 2016 "We Care" concert, Yellow Brick Road - A Tribute to Elton John, occurs Saturday, June 18 at 7 p.m. at the New Hampton School's McEvoy Theater, which located less than 5 minutes from Exit 23 off of Interstate 93 at 70 Main St., New Hampton. The concert benefits Lakes Region Community Services (LRCS), which offers comprehensive support and services to individuals with developmental disabilities

and/or acquired brain disorders and their families. LRCS is a state designated Area Agency serving residents of Belknap and Southern Grafton counties, with offices in Laconia and Plymouth. More information about LRCS is available at www.lrcs. org.

Ticket price for the June 18 event includes complimentary delicious snacks and desserts. Tickets are \$27.50 per person, and may be purchased at www. tbinh.org.

The second "We Care" concert, starring North Shore Acappella, occurs Saturday, Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. at New Hampton School's McEvoy Theater. This second concert's net ticket proceeds benefit both New Beginnings - Without Violence and Abuse, based in Laconia, and Voices Against Violence, based in



Courtes

Pictured from left to right outside Golden View's post-hospital rehabilitation center The Retreat are: Temple B'nai Israel's Entertainment Chairperson Ken Goodman, Golden View's CEO Jeanne Sanders, Lakes Region Community Services' Director of Development Joanne Piper Lang, and Golden View's Administrator Rosemary Simino.

Plymouth. The two groups help people in the Lakes Region who have suffered from domestic and/or sexual violence.

"As an independently owned, community-based non-profit, Golden View is very excited to partner with these wonderful organizations," said Golden View CEO Jeanne Sanders. "We are honored to be a key participant in the TBI We Care initiative for 2016."

Golden View Health Care Center has been



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Golden View honored during National Nursing Home Week

Sen. Jeanie Forrester (middle) presents Golden View's CEO, Jeanne Sanders (left) and Golden View's Administrator, Rosemary Simino (right), with a resolution congratulating Golden View in recognition of National Nursing Home Week. Each May during National Nursing Home Week, Golden View celebrates the relationship between residents, staff, and families with special activities, luncheons, and celebrations.



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K9 Fund

FROM PAGE A1 make him beneficial in many types of emergen-

For DeStefano, this was all great news to hear as he presented the check from his company. Granite Group and Lake Area Properties, he said, are big supporters of dogs, especially service dogs. Since Laurie Coffin joined their Plymouth office four years ago, he said they have collected items for military K9s and troops overseas and to date have shipped out 5,000 pounds of items that many people here in the United States take for granted.

The company is in the midst of another collection drive. Anyone willing to donate snacks, hygiene items, dog toys and food, or even games

for the service men and women to enjoy in their time off can bring them to any of Granite Group's three locations where they'll handle the rest.

As for Bristol's new K9 program, DeStefano said he is very pleased to have made the first donation in support of Arrow's new career in public safety and hopes others will do the same.

"It's important to have good community spirit, and our police department keeps us all strong and safe," said DeStefano.

Contributions of any size for Arrow's care may be mailed to Bristol Police Department, 230 Lake Street, Bristol. N.H. 03222 with the notation "K9 Fund," or dropped off at their office during regular business hours.

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a shoreline littered with an historically unprece-

dented amount of mucky leaf debris along the entire shoreline, extending deep out into the swim No one present had

ever seen the beach in such a sorry state after the wounds of winter had taken their toll. There were many theories proffered on how such a voluminous accumulation of leaf litter had managed to end up smack dab in the middle of what is ordinarily a lovely sandy beach, suitable for kids and grandkids.

And then, undeterred, the determined crew of Hebron resident volunteers dug in with rakes, pitch forks and shovels to try to tackle the epic cleanup job. Ultimate-

ly, it took the precision equipment expertise of Hebron Beach Committee member Stan Newton, with a hefty front loader and a Town Dump Truck to make a dent.

Meanwhile, volunteers of all ages worked diligently side by side, and succeeded in raking the picnic area, putting out the swim lines, and getting the popular summer site ready for the upcoming season.

But their spirits began to flag when it came to the tackling that tough, heavy, murky, mess of leaf litter that just seemed limitless and insurmountable. Beach lovers speculated that even more heavy equipment would be required to complete the seemingly hopeless job, or maybe professionexpensive al help. For a moment

there the adults were stumped...

That was when Camp Berea Director, Nate Parks, Hebron Beach Committee Chairperson, Cindy Newton and Hebron Selectboard member Patrick Moriarty put their heads together and came up with a plan.

It was decided to try and see what "kid power" might accomplish. Soon, well over fifty of Camp Berea's weekend Service Work Campers came to the rescue, descending upon the beach with indefatigable energy and enthusiasm. Knee deep in muck, they waded out into the water, raking and reaching in with double-fisted fervor to clear the swim area of the murky mess.

Fortunately for all concerned the water temp was considerably warmer than usual for this time of year and the young volunteer campers said they truly enjoyed working in the water in the unseasonably hot, sunny weather.

According to Berea's Director Nate Parks, the Youth Pastors from the three Nashua congregations said that the service weekend was a tremendous success. "The kids loved it. The campers worked really hard and came away from the experience hot, sweaty and exhausted, but also feeling really good about themselves because they had truly accomplished something in an effort bigger than themselves," said Parks.

Parks explained that from Berea's perspective, the service work weekend gives youth SEE **CAMP BEREA**, PAGE A12

Photo by Kittie Wilson

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Loon Preservation Committee 2016 Summer Events

LOON CRUISES ON SQUAM LAKE

Join Loon Preservation Committee Squam Lake Project Biologist, Tiffany Grade, and a Squam Lakes Natural Science Center Captain for a 90-minute guided tour of Squam Lake, Mondays and Fridays, June 6 to August 29 at 3 pm. Learn about loon natural history and the work LPC is doing on Squam and across the state to protect loons in New Hampshire. The Loon Cruise leaves from the Science Center Lake Cruise dock between the Route 3 bridge and Walter's Basin Restaurant in Holderness. Please call the Science Center at 603-968-7194 for



SUMMER NATURE TALK SERIES

Come enjoy talks at The Loon Center in

Moultonborough every Thursday from July 7

to August 25 at 7:30 pm. The line-up this year

YAKKING FOR LOONS Join us for our annual "Yakking for Loons" event on July 8 from 8 am to noon. Participants launch their kayaks from the Lee's Mill Landing in Moultonborough (just down the road from The Loon Center). All proceeds help support NH's loons! Loon Census Each year, LPC hosts an annual Loon Census to monitor New Hampshire's loons and their progress on lakes throughout the state. The invaluable data gathered from census observations gives us a midseason check on productivity, helps us track the movement of loons between territories and

possibly discover new territories, and also helps generate more interest in loons among the lake community. Results from this statewide event are then rolled into our season-long monitoring. The 2016 Loon Census will be held on Saturday, July 16 from 8-9 am.

LOON FESTIVAL

LPC's 39th Annual Loon Festival will be held at The Loon Center in Moultonborough on Saturday, July 16 from 10 am to 2 pm.

There's something for everyone at the Loon Festival – crafts and balloons for the kids, slide presentations by loon biologists for the adults, and food, beverages and wildlife exhibits for everyone. Admission is free for this family fun event! Summer Luncheon & Benefit Auction Come help us celebrate over 40 years of preserving the "Call of the Wild" on New Hampshire's lakes and ponds! LPC's Annual Summer Luncheon and Benefit Auction will be held at Church Landing in Meredith on July 24 from 11 am - 2 pm with Special Guest Speaker Mary Holland, well-known naturalist and author of "Naturally Curious with Mary Holland."

SQUAM SWIM

Celebrating its 10th anniversary this year, "The Swim" will take place on August 11, 2016.

Wendy van de Poll and her team of swimmers will swim the 7-mile length of Squam

Lake to raise money for the Squam Lake Loon Initiative. Members of the

public are invited to greet the swimmers at the

Sandwich Town Beach as the end of their journey across the lake. Carl Johnson Memorial Golf Tournament Come play a round of golf at the Ridgewood Country Club in Moultonborough and help protect loons and their habitats in NH.

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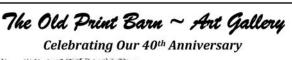
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do the work in sections, buttoning up one section before moving on to the next, he said.

The project will mainly involve sidewalks and curbing along Mayhew, School, and North Main Streets. Once that work is completed, the Bristol Highway Department will repave the streets and add crosswalks.

Coates said they anticipate starting the project on June 24 and having it completed by Labor Day.

In other business, the selectmen discussed the use of Bristol's two town beaches and the pricing of parking stickers. Currently, the town offers seasonal stickers to residents at \$5 each, day passes for \$5, and guest stickers for those visiting the area, which also cost \$5 but cover longer periods, depending upon how long they anticipate being here.

Town Clerk/Tax Collector Raymah Simpson said it can be a problem when residents have visits from children and grandchildren, all of whom want beach stickers for their vehicles. While there is plenty of beach space, parking is limited and other residents may find no place to park.

Selectmen left the price of resident passes at \$5, but decided to limit it to two stickers per residence. They also left the price of day passes for non-residents at \$5. However, they eliminated the guest passes and, instead, created a week's pass, which would cost \$25.

Over the next year, they will consider raising the price of resident passes, but they decided to leave the price alone

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for 2016, since it is so late in the year. Many people buy beach stickers when they register their vehicles, so it would not be fair to those who register later if the price

goes up now. Coates asked the selectmen for guidance in his presentation to the space needs committee, wanting to reflect their priorities. The board was unanimous in reiterating its support for a solution to space needs in the town offices and police department.

"This building needs to be the number one priority," said Rick Alpers. "We need to deal with the lack of storage space and the safety aspect at the police department."

Manganiello Paul noted that the selectmen's focus in placing an article on the town warrant was to address those needs, but voters at Town Meeting amended the article to enlarge the focus of the study. He said he supports the narrower focus.

J.P. Morrison, Jr. "We agreed, saying, should stick with what we have, and then talk about expanding."

Lagueux rounded out the discussion, saying, "It's great to look at other needs, but I would like the committee to be more focused on our top priority."

Coates also urged the selectmen to take action on the generator project, which would qualify for 50 percent funding from the Office of Homeland Security if completed soon. Funding would not be available later in the year.

He had received a \$26,000 quote to install a propane generator at the Municipal Office Building, noting that it could be moved if necessary to allow renovations to the building. While the tanks would be placed in the area of a proposed sally port for the police department, Coates said Chief Michael Lewis approved the location.

Morrison questioned the need for a generator of that size, and the selectmen asked Coates to check with Generator Connection, the company offering the unit, to see if a smaller generator would suffice; but they approved the purchase with that caveat, so the unit could be ordered in time to take advantage of the grant.

The other major topic of discussion was a draft town building usage policy and the fees associated with rental of town facilities. The draft application called for a \$150 per day fee, with a \$200 deposit. Selectmen felt that was appropriate, but they took exception with a prohibition on food, saying that could stifle rentals for birthday parties or similar events. They discussed adding a fee for lost keys and queried whether smoke alarms had been installed at the Old Town Hall.

Coates is to bring a revised policy to the next meeting.

While the selectmen on a split vote had approved a K9 unit for the police department at their May 19 meeting, Morrison continued to express concerns about accountability, and he asked for Chief Lewis to provide a spreadsheet showing how much the program costs to set up initially, how much it costs in the future, and how much money comes in through donations. The other selectmen agreed that is a reasonable request.

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Polished

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At first Jenkins admitted it was hard to part with some of the items they made. Once their own homes were decorated though it become a lot easier to sell them on the "Picked and Polished" Facebook page and their new Etsy internet store, "PickedPolishedPine."

As a result, business has been booming, the pair said, and often items are sold shortly after they are posted online. As one of a kind items, they can't be duplicated but the women said they will do their best to find something similar if another customer requests it.

To allow everyone an opportunity to purchase the unique items they bring back to life, they also hold online auctions from time to time so everyone has a chance to bid on a piece, rather than simply selling it to the first buyer.

"We build relationships with our customers, too, and seek out things they're looking for for their home," said Frekot. "Some even send us pictures of something they saw on Pinterest that they don't have time or the skills to do themselves, so we'll do it for them." Custom orders are becoming another large part of their business and they will spend the time seeking out an appropriate piece then refinishing it to someone's specifications.

"Every piece we make for someone we want them to really love it though. If not, we'll take it back and change whatever we need to until it's just right," Frekot said

Besides the internet sales, they also hold "outdoor boutiques" from time to time at Frekot's home in Alexandria Village where people can browse the items are tastefully set out in groupings on her lawn.

"They're all things we refinish separately but when you put them all together, you can't tell which of us did any of them," Jenkins said.

Picked and Polished.

Wrapping paper, specially applied and treated, gives this old

wooden dresser a whole new look. It is just one example of

the unique furniture pieces created and sold by local residents

Kellie Jenkins and Reta Frekot through their online business,

Vintage chalk painted mason jars are one of the many decorative pieces created by Reta Frecot and Kellie Jenkins for home décor and even special occasions, such as weddings and other large events.

They do have a few of their own preferences though. Decoupage and fabric additions to wooden furniture are something Jenkins has had great success with and her finished pieces bring color, texture and originality to once ordinary furniture.

"I like to breath a whole new look into an item. Sometimes I just set a piece aside and look at it for awhile before I decide what I want to do with it," she said.

"Distressed" pieces are becoming Frekot's individual specialty and besides furniture, she also makes rustic looking signs and wooden caddies, sold on the internet and also at Twin Designs Gift Shop in downtown Bristol.

The women have begun to branch out into a new field as well, creating decorations for weddings that can be both sold or rented for the occasion. From custom chalkboard painted mason jar decorations and centerpieces to elaborate cake or cupcake stands, they help brides seeking a rustic look for their big day do so on a really affordable budget.

"A lot of times brides will buy all sorts of centerpieces and decorations that they don't have use for later. We hope this can be a good way to help them get the look they want for their wedding, then we can take all or some of it back afterward," Frekot said.

This summer they will be setting up booths at both the Hebron and Alexandria Church Fairs as they now begin work on "a dreamy vision" for a home décor boutique in the future.

"It's an idea we're slowly picking away at that, and hope to have done in the next couple of years," Jenkins said.

Until then, people are invited to "like" Picked and Polished on Facebook where they can see what's new from their workshops and join in on the occasional auctions, or visit Picked Polished Pine online at Etsy. Deliveries to homes or businesses in the Newfound Region are free upon reauest.

Don't Keep Family in the Dark About Your Plans

You might work diligently at building a financial roadmap for your retirement years and a comprehensive estate plan. But you can't just create these strategies - you also have to communicate them. Specifically, you need to inform your spouse and your grown children what you have in mind for the future – because the more they know, the fewer the surprises that await them

down the road.

Let's start with your spouse. Ideally, of course, you and your spouse should have already communicated about your respective ideas for retirement and have come to an agreement on the big issues, such as when you both plan to retire, where you'll live during retirement, and what you want to do as retirees (volunteer, travel, work part time and so on).

But what you both might have let slip through the cracks are the important specifics related to financing your retirement. You'll need to answer several questions, including these:

- •When will you each start taking Social Security?
- Are there strategies for maximizing both of your Social Security payments?

•When will you need to start tapping into your respective retirement accounts, such as your IRA and 401(k)? And, once you do start withdrawing from these accounts, how much should you take out each

You may want to work with a financial professional to address these issues, but however you proceed, you and your spouse need to be "on the same page" regarding the key financial components of your retirement.

Now, consider your grown children. You need to clearly communicate your estate plans to them, not only for the sake of openness and honesty, but also because they may well play active roles within those plans. So when talking to your children, make sure you cover these areas:

- Durable power of attorney - You may well decide to give one of your grown children the durable power of attorney to pay bills and make financial choices on your behalf if you are unable to do so.
- •Estate executor An executor is the person or wishes. An executor has a lines of communication.

so you'll want to choose someone who is honest and capable of dealing with legal and financial matters. Again, you could ask a grown child to serve as your executor, but, to avoid potential conflict of interests among your children, you might want to go outside the family. Talk with an attorney about how best to name your executor. Status of will and living trust - Assuming you have already drawn up a will, share it with your grown children. The same is true with a living trust, a popular estate-planning tool that may allow your survivors to avoid going through the time-consuming, public and expensive process of probate. A will and a living trust will obviously contain a great deal of information your children should know about - so take the time to explain

variety of responsibilities,

You want to enjoy a comfortable retirement, and you want to leave a meaningful legacy through your estate plans. To help accomplish both these goals, you need to include entity you name in your your loved ones in your will to carry out your arrangements-soopen those

your thinking when you

created these documents.

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a way to begin to experience the kind of "servant leadership" that is so important in spiritual development, especially in a self-centered, broken world that needs hope and healing.

"This is a life expression of our belief," said Nate. "We are learning how to work on a 90 degree day, come back exhausted, but gain this perspective - that the world is not all about me. There is something much bigger than me that I can be part of. We are trying to help kids understand this, to try to create a different picture of what can happen if more people lived like that on a regular basis. We would have a different world."

Notebook **FROM PAGE A4**

"Friend of ours lives about a mile south of downtown Wolfeboro on a short side-road. He got these nice shots of their neighborhood bobcat the other day. Thought they'd be of interest. We certainly enjoy your column in the 'Grunter' every week."

Mail from readers is always welcome. I do my level best to answer every missive. My

take is that if people care enough to read my stuff and care enough to write, I owe them at least a note back. Otherwise, my mother would tell me, I'd be a cad.

But please read the tag below, Dear Readers, the tag that appears in one form or another at the end of everything I write, changing only according to whatever publication I'm writing for.

I've added the requirement that your town and contact numbers must be included with whatever you send. If not, I simply cannot reply, or even read it. My volume

of mail has become too heavy to waste time trying to track down people to ask a question or verify

But as I always sign my return notes, thanks for being readers.

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MARK ON THE MARKETS

Real stock market returns



BY MARK PATTERSON

If you have ever put money into a mutual fund and discovered that the proclamation of return did not line up with your real return of dollars, then there could be several reasons. The net return could be affected by the fees and commission charged by the fund that can vary between funds, fund companies and share class. But another issue is the manner in which the return is cal-

This concept not only relates to mutual funds but to overall performance of the markets as they relate to your dollars. Without even calculating any fees or commission you pay, let's just say you invest \$100,000 in a low cost S+P 500 index fund. The first year in the index losses 40%, much like 2008. You now have \$60,000 in vour account. But then the market snaps back the following year and advances 40%. Well if I lose 40 percent, then gain 40 percent, I should be even, right! Well, why do I only have \$84,000 in my account? Because a 40 percent gain on \$60,000 is only \$24,000. So the next year, the index is

culated or advertised. up 10 percent, sending the three year average to a positive number but my account only has \$92,400 in it. Following a 40 percent loss, you would need a 67 percent return to just get you back to even; ouch!! The math works the same way in reverse, meaning that if you started with a 40 percent gain followed by a 40 percent loss, you still have \$84,000.

This is why the lost decade was really 13 years. From the year 2000 until 2013, if you left money in the broad markets, including most stock mutual or growth. funds, you would have had a brief period of time to get out about break- even in 2007, but then we went into another market collapse that bottomed in March of 2009.

Since March of 2009, the equity markets as a whole have not seen a significant correction, while over-due statistically, the Federal Reserve has managed to keep the markets from correcting by offering extremely low interest rates fueling equities (stocks) as the only place for yield

If you have 20 plus years until retirement then I would not be overly concerned, not to say it should not be managed. But if you are getting close to retirement, within 10 years, then I would mitigate the risk in my portfolio and investigate some index crediting methods that capture partial gain but allow for 0 loss with a portion of your money that you will need for retirement income. A laddered bond portfolio with varying maturities and cred-

it quality are other means of mitigating market risk and creating sustainable income.

Talk with your advisor or call my office if you want information about these crediting methods that could change the way you manage your retirement income and potentially your tax burden.

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Research shows

eat as a family (5-7 times per week) are 33 percent less

teens who regularly

likely to use alcohol.

NHEC names two new vice presidents

PLYMOUTH — Two new vice presidents have joined the senior management team of Hampshire Electric Cooperative (NHEC).

NHEC President/ CEO Steve Camerino is pleased to announce the promotion of Brenda Inman and Craig Snow to vice president. Inman, formerly the Manager of Financial Services, has been named Vice President of Financial Services/Chief Financial Officer (CFO). Inman will be overseeing finance and delivery rates and will be responsible for the company's Consumer Accounting functions.

Snow, formerly the Manager of Energy Solutions, has been named Vice President of Energy Solutions. He will be responsible for the operation of NHEC's energy efficiency programs, along with the development of products, services and the company's Demand Response efforts.

The organizational changes, effective May 31, are designed to better position NHEC to respond to changes in electric industry

and meet the needs of its members.

As part of that effort, Camerino said NHEC Vice President of Corporate Services Dena Lee DeLucca will head up a significant new effort to improve processes across the organization and align the company's internal resources with its goal of providing exceptional service to its members. Formerly the company's CFO, DeLucca will pass that duty to Inman in order to devote more time to planning further staffing and process improvements.

"These changes are an important part of our ongoing effort to build a stronger, more innovative NHEC that will enable us to continue to serve our members well and help us face the challenges of a rapidly changing industry," said Camerino. "I believe they will create exciting new opportunities to meet those challenges."

NHEC is a member-owned electric distribution cooperative serving 84,000 homes and businesses in 115 New Hampshire communities.



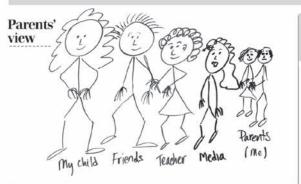
Central to this media campaign to eliminate underage drinking is the encouraging news that studies show parent disapproval is the **No. 1** reason children choose not to drink alcohol. Parents empowered can trump peer pressure.

The most effective parenting techniques are among the most simple, including:

- Set clear rules about no underage drinking
- Know where your children are and whom they are with
- Know your children's friends
- Ensure your children's social environments are alcohol-free
- Have daily, positive communication and interaction with your children
- Eat dinner together

Most parents don't realize they are the No. 1 influence in their children's lives.

When parents were asked to draw the greatest influences on their teens, they placed themselves last.



When teens were asked to draw the major influences in their lives, they placed their parents first, before peers and activities.





Official kick-off to Summer a huge success for Lakes Region businesses

Tourists flocked to the Lakes Region of New Hampshire over the Memorial Day holiday weekend, which is the official kick-off to summer. Lakes Region businesses welcomed more visitors, and they spent more money than in previous years, and both road and boat traffic was well above the average for the holiday weekend according to area business

"The town (of Wolfe-

boro) was crazy with traffic," said Lucy Van Cleve, Director of Sales for the Wolfeboro Inn.

"We were up from 2015 in both rooms and F&B. All in all, May was up over last year and even over budget! Puts a smile on everyone's face!" Van Cleve said.

Despite significant weather changes from Saturday to Sunday, all of the Lakes Region's businesses benefited. "Memorial Day weekend was busy for the most part due to the good weather; Saturday being the better day for sales. We did beat sales from last year though," said Hamilton-Mill-Lyall er, General Manager of Lakehouse Grille in Meredith.

Outdoor attractions and recreation were enjoyed during the heat on Saturday while tax-free shopping, dining and indoor attractions were enjoyed throughout the

three day holiday.

"It was nice to have a weekend where businesses experienced such a positive economic boost," said Amy Landers, Executive Director of the Lakes Region Tourism Association (LRTA).

The NH Division of Travel and Tourism (NHDTTD) predicted visitor counts to be up 5 percent and spending up 6 percent for the summer season. NHDTTD expected more than 600,000 people to visit the state over the weekend with projected spending of approximately \$95 million; an increase of five percent over 2015. Travelers to the state are forecasted to reach 16.5 million, a six percent increase from 2015. Businesses in the Lakes Region experienced this increase over the holiday weekend.

Mary Ellen Dutton of Kellerhaus in Weirs Beach said, "Saturday

was a little quieter than Sunday, Sunday (always the busier day) made up for Saturday putting us 10 percent ahead of last year."

Other businesses echo her comment.

"We had a very strong weekend at Gunstock. Zip Tours were up nearly 30 percent compared to last year, and we were up about 10 percent overall. Camping was strong, and summer reservations are up," said Greg Goddard, General Manager of Gunstock Mountain Resort.

Mary Ellen Dutton of Kellerhaus commented on the summer outlook. stating, "Looks like we will all have a rocking summer in the Lakes Region this year!"

The Lakes Region Tourism Association offers free information about the area via annual publications: Official Map & Guide and Where To Magazine, and can be

reached at 286-8008. The LRTA is also online at www.lakesregion.org, where visitors can view and download free travel itineraries.

About the LRTA

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12th Annual LRTA **Golf Tournament**

TILTON — The 12th ers, email blasts, press Annual Lakes Region Tourism Association Hospitality Golf Tournament, presented by Vantiv, is scheduled for Thursday, July 28 at the Lochmere Golf & Country Club, 360 Laconia Road, Tilton. The tournament benefits the LRTA's three annual scholarships and the promotion of the Region to visitors.

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DES Commissioner speaks to Leadership Group

HOLDERNESS — The Department of Environmental Services Commission, Thomas Burack, recently spoke to the Leadership Lakes Region class at its annual Lakes and Environmental Issues Day.

Commissioner Burack spoke at the Squam Lakes Association facility in Holderness. Squam Lake provided the perfect backdrop for the Commissioner to meet with two of the classmates in attendance, Kris Dickson (left) from Bank of New Hampshire and Jenifer Williams (right) of Meredith Village Savings Bank. The Commissioner recapped water quality and environmental challenges we face in New Hampshire. He was followed by one of his staff experts, Dean Robinson, who briefed the



DES Commissioner Thomas Burack shown on the deck of the Squam Lakes Association facility in Holderness with Leadership Lakes classmates Kris Dickson (left), a Bank of New Hampshire branch manager in Gilford and Jeni Williams (right) a manager with Meredith Village Savings Bank's Moultonborough office.

ardous waste and how we can keep dangerous contaminants out of our water supply systems.

The class of Leadership Lakes Region also enjoyed a narrated boat tour of Squam and a personal story of water rescue procedures from classmate Franklin Fire Chief Kevin LaChappelle. The class

group on household haz- expresses its thanks to the Squam Lakes Association for hosting the presentations and to the two banks; Meredith Village Savings Bank which sponsored Lakes Day for the group and the Bank of New Hampshire which sponsored the for Leadership Lakes Region graduation ceremony which took place that evening.



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Thursday

Peterson jumps on to New Englands

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING

HAMPTON — On a day much more suited for a track meet than the previous week's Division State Meets, the best of the best from around the state congregated at Winnacunnet High School in Hampton for the Meet of Champions on Saturday, June 4.

All five of the local high schools were represented and three schools saw athletes qualify to move on to the New England Championships this coming Saturday.

Kennett brought the most athletes of the local schools to the Meet of Champions and the majority of them earned the right to move on to New Englands. The Eagles had five individuals and one relay team finish in the top six, while Kingswood and Newfound each had top six performances as well.

"Sometimes there's a letdown after Division IIs," said Kennett coach Bernie Livingston. "It gets harder and we're all



Jasmine Patten wrapped up her Newfound career by competing in the discus at the Meet of Champions on Saturday.



Marcus Peterson earned the right to move on to New Englands with a fourth place finish in the triple jump on Saturday.

Bears best Hawks in first round of playoffs

Newfound softball team falls to Timber Wolves in second round game

Sports Editor BRISTOL — For the first time in six years, the Newfound softball team found itself play-

And the Bears used a solid team effort to assure that they would continue to play beyond just the first round of

the tournament.

ing beyond the regular

Newfound traveled to Hopkinton on Tuesday, May 31, and came away with a 17-12 win over the 14th-seeded Hawks in the opening round of the Division III tournament.

"This was a team win and the team is starting to come together and play as a team, rather than as a group of individuals," coach Corey Johnston stated.

The Bears never trailed the Hawks, jumping out to a 9-0 lead after an inning and a half, only to see Hopkinton plate five in the second inning to cut the lead to 9-5. The Bears scored three in the third to increase the lead to 12-5 but the hosts came back with five more in the bottom of the third to cut the lead to 12-10. The Bears chased the Hopkinton starting pitcher from the game after one inning of work and outhit the Hawks by a 15-3 tally.

Amanda Johnston started in the circle for the Bears and gave



KATHY SUTHERLAND

Hayleigh LeTourneau races toward the plate in action against Prospect Mountain last week.

up five earned runs on two hits, while Mackenzie Ryan came on and pitched four and twothirds innings of relief, giving up two earned

The Bears got an unassisted double play from freshman Kasey Basford at shortstop, while Paige Dostie had a strong day at third base and Hallie Clark was strong at first. Juliann Marchand made a pair of great catches in right field and Ashlee Dukette was solid behind the plate.

Dukette was the hero on the offensive side of things, as she had three hits, including a homer and drove in four runs. She also had a double and scored three times. Kylee MacDonald had three hits, including a double, drove in a run

and scored three of her own. Johnston had a pair of hits, including a double, scored three runs and drove in three runs. Basford had a pair of hits, drove in a run and scored a run, while Victoria Roman had a hit and two walks and drove in a run. Dostie had a hit and scored a run, while Marchand and Ryan each had a hit.

Hayleigh LeTourneau had two walks, drove in a run and scored a run. Katie Drapeau had a pinch hit in the seventh, driving in two runs and also scored a run, while Hannah Pilling also scored a run.

The Bears advanced on to play Prospect Mountain on Thursday, June 2. The third-seed-SEE **SOFTBALL** PAGE B3

tired, especially the se-this year, also finished in

"But everybody did well today," the veteran coach continued. "Evervbody had a great effort."

most success among the local schools came on the boys' side of things, with the top local performances coming from a pair of Eagles.

In the 400 meters, Kennett senior Cam Labrie raced to third place overall in a time of 50.91 to earn his spot at New Englands.

Teammate Jack Ricker, a senior who is doing track for the first time

third place, clearing six feet, four inches in the

high jump. Senior Nick Brown ran to a fourth place finish overall in the 1,600 meters with a time of 4:23.86, also earning him a spot in next week's meet.

Garrett Fortin sprinted to the top of the field in his heat of the 200 meters and beat out the sixth place finisher in the top heat to earn a sixth place finish in 23.04 seconds.

In perhaps the performance of the day, the Kennett 4X400-meter SEE **MOC** PAGE B6



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MORGAN MCCANN slides in to third as Emma Cooper goes for the tag in playoff action on June 2. McCann was called safe on the play.



Allison Carey goes airborne to haul in a throw during her team's game with Kingswood on

Big sixth propels Bobcats by Knights

Plymouth softball team overcomes early Kingswood lead in playoff opener

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING

Sports Editor

PLYMOUTH — The fourth-seeded Plymouth softball team had numerous reasons to cash it in during the first round of the Division II playoffs.

And the 13th-seeded Kingswood Knights were more than happy to provide at least one of those reasons.

But as the first-round battle between the two unfolded Thursday, June 2, it became obvious that neither team was going to any sort of cashing it in early.

In a game that featured an early attack from the Knights, a late attack from the Bobcats, a lineup transcription error resulting in a run being wiped off the board and a pair of teams that had put on two great battles during the regular season, the Bobcats came out on top by an 8-3 score to advance on to the Division II quarterfinals.

"They had plenty of excuses today not to play well," said Plymouth coach Brian Blanchard. "Losing a classmate, a rough first inning, a coaching error.

"They could've been frustrated with all that, but they stuck with it," the Bobcat coach continued. "They stuck with each other."

sixth inning, we'd be all right," said Kingswood coach Steve Woodcock. "We had a lot of chances early on that we didn't

Knight coach added.

Woodcock Blanchard were referring to the reason the game was postponed a day from its original June 1 date, as Plymouth senior Shannon Nadeau, who was to have graduated on Saturday, was killed in a car crash in Rumney the morning of June 1. While Nadeau was not a part of the softball team, Blanchard noted that many of the girls knew her and it was a tough time for the

to second.

Morgan McCann followed with a base hit

"If we didn't have that take advantage of.

"It was a tough day for those kids (Plymouth) with the tragedy," the

Kingswood came out of the gate with bats firing in the top of the first inning. Abby Coulter opened the game by reaching on a Plymouth error and then Shelby Lindsay turned on a pitch from Plymouth's Jevan Sandhu and drove it deep to left field. Plymouth's Aubrey Joslin did a great job chasing the ball down in foul territory for the first out, but Coulter tagged and went



IOSHUA SPAULDING

Jackie Gaumer puts the tag on Kingswood's Mallory McCullough in action on June 2.

to drive in Coulter and then stole second herself. Madison Rabideau came up with a base hit to plate McCann with the second run and Kasey Birth took over on the bases for the Knight pitcher. After a Kayla McEvoy base hit, Birth was gunned down trying to steal, with Plymouth catcher Sam Gaumer firing to Emma Cooper at third for the out. Emily Saunders worked a walk and Courtney Drew reached on an error to load the bases for the Knights.

However, Sandhu got a grounder to third to end the inning.

Rabideau was on her game, setting the side down in order in the bottom of the inning, recording a pair of strikeouts, while Sandhu induced

a pair of ground balls and a pop fly to put the Knights down in order in the top of the second. Rabideau set the side in order again in the bottom of the inning, recording

two more strikeouts. Kingswood ened in the top of the third. McCann had a leadoff base hit and moved up on a groundout by Rabideau. Another groundout by McEvoy, this one featuring a nice play by Tristan Keller at first base, moved Mc-Cann to third, but Sandhu got a strikeout to end the threat.

Rabideau retired the side in order again in the bottom of the third and Kingswood added a run in the top of the fourth

inning. Drewled off with a walk and stole second. One out later, Mallory McCullough tripled her home. Coulter put down a bunt but a nice play by Sandhu faked out McCullough at third and shortstop Jackie Gaumer was able to tag her for out number two and the Knights settled for one run.

Plymouth appeared to get on the board in the bottom of the fourth inning. Sam Gaumer had the first hit for the Bobcats with two outs in the inning and Keller followed with a triple to plate the run. However, the Knight coaches noticed that the numbers on the scorecard didn't match the numbers on the uniforms and it was determined that they had accidentally been reversed on the lineup card submitted to the umpire. Keller was called out for batting out of order and the run was wiped off the

Sandhu came out and order in the top of the fifth and Keller (batting where her number was listed on the lineup card), reached on an error to open the bottom of the inning. Joslin bunted her to third but Rabideau got out of the jam with a strikeout and groundout.

Saunders reached on an error to open the top of the sixth inning and one out later, Kyleigh Moore also reached on an error. However, Sandhu got a strikeout and a line drive to Allison Carev at second to end the

inning. Plymouth was finally able to get the bats moving in the bottom of the sixth inning. As they headed to bat, assistant coach Chuck Lenahan implored "six in the sixth," pushing to get the team on the board. The team made sure that the longtime coach and AD wasn't right on this one.

With one out, leadoff hitter Jordan Meier had a base hit and took second on a pickoff error. After a Jackie Gaumer base hit and stolen base, Sam Gaumer's base hit plated both runners to cut the lead to one. Sandhu delivered a base hit and Emma Tryder took over as courtesy runner and stole second. Keller worked a walk to load the bases.

Rabideau got a pop fly to Coulter in left for the second out of the inning but the bottom of the lineup came through for the Bobcats, as number seven hitter Taylor

Eaton delivered a base hit to chase home two runs and a double from Emily Boyd drove in two more for a 6-3 lead for the Bobcats. Grace Comeau reached on a Kingswood error to drive in another run and after Meier reached on an error to extend the inning, Jackie Gaumer reached on a fielder's choice and an error to plate another run and give the Bobcats the 8-3 lead.

McCann had a oneout base hit in the top of the seventh inning, but a line drive to Jackie Gaumer at shortstop resulted in a 6-3 double play to close out the 8-3 win for the Bobcats.

"The best part of that game was they did not quit," said Blanchard. "Down three runs, fighting to come back, they did a great job of sticking with it."

The Bobcat coach praised the Knight team, et the Knights down in who he noted was not a typical 13-seed.

"That pitcher is very good, they're a good team," Blanchard said. "I tip my hat to them, they are not a number 13 team."

Woodcock noted that walking Keller in the sixth to try and get a force play probably backfired a bit.

"If we'd gotten a force out, we'd still have a game," the Knight coach "But everything downhill from went there.

"Maddie did a great job for us and the kids improved every game," Woodcock said. "Are there things we could do better? Sure."

He also offered his praise to the Bobcats for fighting through everything that had happened.

"We'll remember this one for the offseason," he said. "But it's said, unless you're good and lucky, your last game is always a loss."

Plymouth went on to beat Souhegan 6-3 in the quarterfinals on Saturday to advance to the semifinals, which took place after deadline Wednesday at Southern New Hampshire University. The finals are Saturday at SNHU at 4:30 p.m.

The Knights finished the regular season at 7-9, while the Bobcats finished at 13-3 in the regular season.

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Newfound competes at Small School Championships

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING

Sports Editor

BELMONT — The Newfound and Holderness middle school students competed in the Small School Championships on May 23 at Belmont and there were some solid results for the local kids.

The Holderness girls finished second overall and the Newfound girls finished fourth, while in the boys' competition, Holderness was fifth and Newfound was 16th.

In the 100 meters for the girls, Amy Combs of Newfound was seventh in 14 seconds, with Lily Derosier and Maisy Mure of Holderness tying for 15th in 14.3 seconds. Tiffany Doan of Newfound was 17th in 14.4, Shyann Seymour of Newfound and Olivia Eastman of Holderness tied for 19th in 14.5, Amanda Vansant of Holderness was 24th in 14.7 and Abby Springer of Newfound finished 29th in 15 seconds.

Katherine Luehrs of Holderness won the 200 meters in 28.6 seconds, with Combs in seventh in 39.9, and Doan in ninth in 30 seconds. Springer was 15th in 31.1 and Seymour placed 18th in 31.4.

Derosier finished in third place in the 400 meters in 1:09.3, with Elli Caron of Newfound in 10th in 1:14, Kathryn Donnelly of Newfound in 12th in 1:15.4, Ashley Deruvo of Holderness in 13th in 1:15.8 and Jenna Flaherty of Holderness in 15th in 1:16.9. Catriona Stewart of Holderness was 17th in 1:17.1, Bridget Conkling of Newfound was 22nd in 1:19.4 and Gretchen McGowan of Newfound was 23rd in 1:25.1.

In the 800, Charlotte Whitcomb of Holderness took second in 2:51, with Danielle Caron of Newfound in fifth in 2:55, Rory Sutherland of Holderness in eighth in 2:58 and McGowan in 16th in 3:05.

Jasmine Peterson of Newfound won the 1,600 meters in 5:54,

with Whitcomb in second in 5:55 and Donnelly in fifth in 6:12. Molly Glew of Holderness was eighth in 6:20, Caron was ninth in 6:29 and McGowan was 17th in 7:09.

In the 100-meter hurdles, Peterson finished eighth in 19.2 seconds, with Luehrs in 11th in 19.5, Vansant in 15th in 20.2, Caron in 16th in 20.3, Conkling in 18th in 20.8 and Flaherty in 27th in 22 seconds.

Holderness placed third in the 4X100 relay in 56.8 seconds and Newfound was fifth in 57.6 seconds. Newfound placed second in the 4X400 relay in 4:57 and Holderness was fourth in 5:05.

Peterson won the high jump with a height of four feet, eight inches, with Luehrs in second at four feet, six inches, Mure in sixth at four feet, two inches, Springer in ninth at the same height and Deruvo in 11th at four feet.

Vansant fourth overall in the long jump at 13 feet, three inches, while Samantha Meier of Holderness was 12th at 11 feet, 10.5 inches and Marissa Carter of Holderness was 17th at 11

Doan finished fourth in the triple jump at 27 feet, 11 inches, with Stewart in ninth at 26 feet, five inches and Alexis Raimondi of Newfound in 13th at 26 feet. Caron was 16th at 24 feet, eight inches, Kenady Marshall of Holderness was 22nd at 22 feet, two inches ets and try to decide how and teammate Logan Furlonge was 23rd at 21 feet, 5.5 inches.

Mure placed ninth in the shot put at 22 feet, with Meier in 13th at 20 feet, 11 inches and Olivia Eastman of Holderness in 16th at 20 feet, four inches.

Eastman was fourth in the discus at 66 feet, one inch, while Deruvo was seventh at 63 feet and Evelyn Cutting of Newfound was 14th at 55 feet, eight inches.

Raimondi finished



JEFF LAJOIE - WINNISOUAM ECHO Kathryn Donnelly (left) and Jasmine Peterson (right) of

Newfound run in the 1,600 meters at the state championships.

second in the javelin with Meier in third at at 90 feet, eight inches, 83 feet, one inch and Hailey MacDonald of Holderness in seventh at 66 feet, four inches. Lilly Magnus of Holderness finished 18th at 50 feet, nine inches, Cutting was 21st at 43 feet, three inches and Seymour finished 24th at 37 feet, eight inches.

For the boys in the 100 meters, Cale Swanof Holderness placed 11th in 13.2 seconds. He also placed third in the 200 meters in 26.7 seconds.

In the 1,600 meters, Gus Whitcomb of Holderness finished in 10th place in 5:45.6.

Holderness fourth in the 4X100 relay in 56.4 seconds and Newfound was sixth in 59 seconds.

Colin Casey of Holderness finished fourth at four feet, eight inches and teammate Samson Deruvo was fifth at four feet, six inches.

Casey also took 11th in the long jump with a distance of 13 feet, five

In the triple jump, Jeffrey Stewart of Holderness was fourth at 31 feet, four inches and Casey took fifth at 31 feet, two inches.

Deruvo was second in the shot put at 36 feet, seven inches, Jake Bussolari, also of Holderness, finished in third place at 34 feet, seven inches and Colin Springer of Newfound was 11th at 28 feet, five inches.

In the discus, Jack Newman of Holderness was seventh at 77 feet, seven inches and Jack Gosson of Newfound was ninth at 75 feet, two inches.

Bussolari was sixth in the javelin at 108 feet, five inches and Devon Normandin of Newfound was 12th at 86 feet, five inches.

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The playoffs mean plenty of tough choices

Playoff time always provides me and the people I work with a lot of choices and sometimes. those decisions work out OK. Other times we miss out on great games.

The NHIAA likes to schedule lots of games on the same day and thus, I can usually only be in one place at a time, so I look through the brackto see the most teams and get content for the most papers.

This past week presented a few different options. Tuesday offered a pair of games, with Prospect baseball at Raymond and Newfound softball at Hopkinton, both in first round games. Both coaches always provide great wrap-up e-mails or Game Changer information so this one was pretty much a toss-up for me. I decided to head to Raymond since there was the possibility that Newfound would be playing the Prospect softball team on Thursday if they

Wednesday had three different games on the docket, with Kingswood softball heading to Plymouth and both King-

SPORTING CHANCE By JOSHUA SPAULDING swood lacrosse teams heading to Windham for games. Because it was two different schools, my decision was to head to Plymouth for the soft-

ball game. However, just

as I was leaving, I got a

message that the game

was postponed. Sadly, a

member of Plymouth's

senior class was killed

in a car accident earlier in the day and the game was moved back a day. So, I turned my car in the other direction and headed south to Windham for the two lacrosse games. The Knight boys and girls played side-byside, which was great. I was able to cover both games easily, which doesn't always happen. While the Knight girls lost to the Jaguars, the Kingswood boys came up with a huge upset. The team started the season 0-8 and recovered enough to make the playoffs and

chance to see that game.

The softball postponement, however, threw a wrench into my Thursday plans. I was planning on heading to Alton for Prospect and Newfound softball but I made the choice to go to Plymouth for that game, which proved to be an interesting game that Plymouth eventually won with a sixth-inning rally. Kathy Sutherland covered the Prospect-Newfound game for us with pictures. Friday's lone game

was the Plymouth boys' lacrosse at Kearsarge, but I had to cover Prospect Mountain's graduation that evening so I missed the Bobcats' upset of the Cougars. However, RC Greenwood was able to get there for some photos. I also missed the Kingswood baseball and Plymouth baseball teams in their opening round games. Thanks to John Doyle of Foster's for providing us with a photo from the Kingswood game, which was also a barn-burner at 1-0.

The only two teams playing on Saturday were two teams I saw earlier in the week, with the Kingswood lacrosse boys at Portsmouth and Plymouth softball girls hosting Souhegan. So, I made the choice to go to the track Meet of Champions and see kids from each of the five schools

And this week had a few more games on the docket, with Prospect softball, Plymouth softball and Plymouth boys' lacrosse still alive and kicking in the playoffs.

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ed Timber Wolves had a first-round bye.

"We had our chances to score, but Prospect Mountain pitcher Brianna Burley just kept us from getting a timely hit on each occasion," Johnston said.

The Timber Wolves took the 10-1 win, with the hosts breaking the game open in the fourth with six unearned runs on three Newfound errors.

Johnston got the start in the pitcher's circle, giving up one earned run in three and a third innings, striking out five and walking two. Ryan finished with two and two-thirds innings of work with five strikeouts, two runs and two walks.

The Bears had eight hits on the day but left two runners on base in the first, third, sixth

and seventh innings.

LeTourneau had a ground rule double in the seventh that likely would've plated another run, but it jumped the fence. LeTourneau had three hits on the day and scored the team's lone run. Johnston also had three hits while MacDonald and Dostie each added a hit.

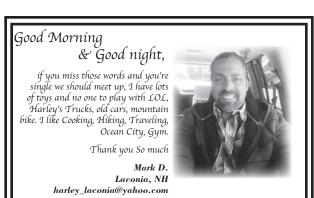
"Although this is the first time in six years Newfound softball has made the playoffs, we are not satisfied with the second round loss and look to build on this season, losing only two seniors," Johnston said.

Pilling and Natalie Haskell are the lone seniors on the team graduating this year.

The Bears finished the regular season at

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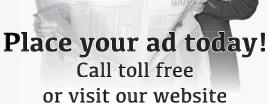


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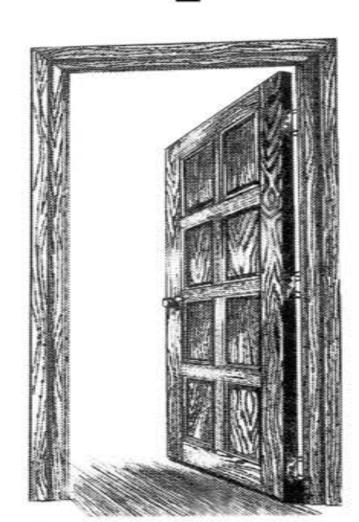
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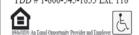
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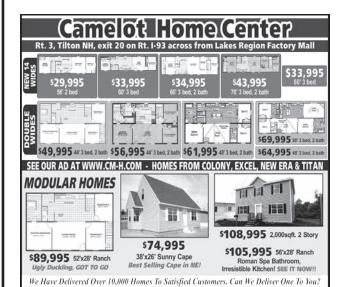
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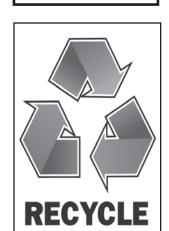




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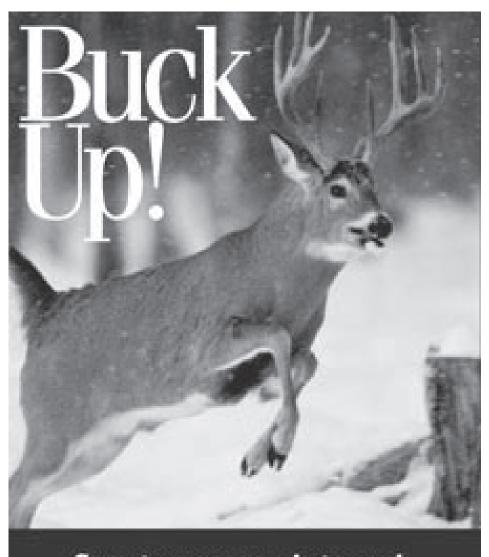
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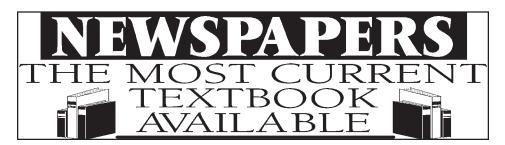
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Muskrats home opener is Friday night

Wally the Green Monster, Tessie will be on hand for game

LACONIA — The Winnipesaukee Muskrats of the New England Collegiate Baseball League (NECBL), a summer wood bat league consisting of 13 member teams across the six New England states, and featuring some of the top college talent in the

country, announced that the Boston Red Sox own Wally the Green Monster, along with his sister, Tessie, will be at the Muskrats home opener on Friday, June 10.

"We are very excited to have Wally and Tessie at our first game of the season," stated Muskrats General Manager Kristian Svindland. "Kids of all ages love to meet Wally and Tessie. I am really looking forward to introducing them to Marko the Mascot and seeing how they get along."

Fans who wish to meet Wally and Tessie are urged to arrive at Robbie Mills Sports Complex, 15 Eastman Road, Laconia, at least 30 minutes prior to the first pitch, which is scheduled for 6:05 p.m.

The Winnipesaukee Muskrats organization is a summer collegiate baseball team that brings the best college baseball players from across the country to play at Robbie Mills Field in Laconia. The Muskrats are a member of the 13-team New England Collegiate Baseball League. The Muskrats joined the NECBL in October 2009 and are a nonprofit 501(c)(3) corporation that

depends on community support and volunteers for its existence and continued operation.

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team of Thomas Welch, Brown, Tristan Anderson and Labrie raced to a new school record in a time of 3:31.03 to win their heat and finish in fifth overall to earn the right to move on.

Livingston noted that the school record the boys broke had stood since 1982.

The lone Kennett boys to not move on was the 4X800-meter relay team, which put in a solid time of 8:31.12, with Welch, Anderson, Jonathan Caputo and Nick Whitley running in the day's opening race

opening race. The Kingswood 4X800-meter team of Cam Stinchfield, Brodie Deshaies, Colin Willett and Hunter Miller also earned the right to run at New Englands, starting the day with a fourth place finish in 8:12.3. However, with Miller and Willett scheduled to graduate Saturday, coach Paul Harvey noted the team would not run in Connecticut.

"They're going to go to graduation," the Knight coach said.

He noted that the team was close to the school record with its performance and it was a step up after last week's Division II Meet.

The other local competitor moving on for the boys is Newfound's Marcus Peterson.

The freshman leaped his way to fourth overall in the triple jump with a distance of 42 feet, three inches.

Coach Charlie Therriault noted it was great to have another athlete moving on. Teammate Noah Fogg had been to New Englands the previous few years and it was nice to see Peterson carrying on the tradition.

A few local athletes just missed out on qualifying for New Englands.

Kingswood's Brendan Donahue was one of those athletes. He qualified for the Meet of Champions in three events and finished in seventh place in two of them, just out of reach of the next round, though he also would've had to choose between graduation and New Englands.

Donahue cleared six feet in the high jump, which tied him with the sixth place jumper, but he needed two tries to clear the bar and the Pelham jumper needed just one, putting Donahue seventh with his best career jump.

Donahue also picked up seventh place in the triple jump, leaping four feet, eight inches on his first jump, also a personal best.

"I am really proud of what he's done and what he's brought to the team," said Harvey. "He had a great season.

Harvey noted that Donahue scored more than 100 points for the team this spring.

Prospect Mountain's Hudson Ingoldsby also just missed out on qualifying in a pair of events.

Like Donahue, he also cleared six feet in the

high jump but it took him three tries to get it, so he finished in ninth place overall despite clearing the same height as the sixth place finisher.

In the 300-meter hurdles, Ingoldsby won his heat in a time of 40.88 and was just shy of slipping into sixth place, finishing seventh overall.

"That was a really great race," said Prospect coach John Tuttle.
"He's really close to the

school record."
Ingoldsby was also part of the 4X400-meter relay team, which closed out the day with a time of 3:36.88 to set a new personal best. He teamed with Jeremy Woodbury, Patrick Hodgman and Troy Meyer to finish in

15th place overall.
"They went from 3:43
to 3:38 to 3:36," said Tuttle. "They dropped seven
seconds in the last two
weeks."

Kingswood's Jacob Overall, the school record holder in the discus and the Division II champion, finished ninth at 123 feet, two inches.

"He did everything he needed to do to get here," Harvey said.

The final local boys on the track were the Plymouth 4X800-meter relay boys, who finished in a time of 8:27.24 for eighth place overall. Griffin Smith, Nick Kulig, Liam Riehs and Andrew Chabot did the running, with Riehs and Chabot coming straight from graduation earlier that morning.

"It was a tough week," said coach Chris Inman, noting the death of a Plymouth senior on Wednesday essentially brought the whole school to a stop.

"With what happened, everyone just kind of stopped," the Bobcat coach said. "Thursday, I left it up to them to decide what they needed."

He praised the kids

for coming together and working out a plan despite the obstacles that they faced.

"We've never had a really good showing on graduation day," Inman said. "I'm proud of them for everything."

Sam Ebner also qualified in the high jump but decided not to compete due to his brother's graduation and family commitments.

Girls

On the girls' side of things, just one local athlete will be moving on to New Englands

Kennett's Selena Gauthier, who just missed out on qualifying automatically for the Meet of Champions but got in based on her best times, finished sixth in the preliminaries for the 100 meters in a time of 13.13 seconds and then finished sixth again in the finals in 13.3 seconds to earn her spot in the next round.

Teammate India
Drummond finished
with her best height in
the high jump, clearing
five feet for eighth place.

Julianna Livingston finished in 10th place in the javelin with a toss of 104 feet, seven inches.

The Eagle 4X800-meter team of Kaitlyn Fay, Drummond, Chloe Van-Dyne and Zoe McKinney ran to a time of 10:12.34 for 10th place overall.

"It has been a while (since that many Eagles have qualified for MOCs), it was very enjoyable," said Livingston. "Everybody can come away from today feeling good about themselves.

"Across the board, everybody did really well," the veteran coach added.

Kingswood had two girls competing, both sophomores who Harvey expects to be back at the Meet of Champions next year

Eileen McKenna finished in 11th place in the 300-meter hurdles in a time of 48.88 seconds.

Joie Milbourn placed ninth in the shot put with a toss of 31 feet, 5.25 inches.

"Joie, for a sophomore to make it to this level is great," Harvey said. "Same for Eileen. She's been working really hard this week."

He noted that the 4X400-meter girls' team also qualified but because one of the team members was unavailable, the team did not enter.

"This is one of the biggest groups we've had in a while," Harvey said.

The other girl competing from the local high schools was Newfound senior Jasmine Patten, who wrapped up her career as a Bear with a best toss of 94 feet, five inches, which placed her 11th overall.

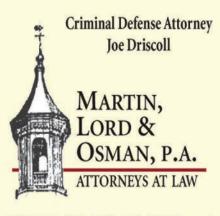
Plymouth's Angel Jandoc qualified in the shot put but was unable to compete and teammate Jordan Meier qualified in the 100 meters but missed the meet due to the softball team's quarterfinal game.

The New England Track and Field Championships will take place at Willow Brook Park in New Britain, Conn. on Saturday, June 11. Field events will begin at 10 a.m. and running events begin at 10:30 a.m.

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